SCHOOL ELEVENS NEAR END OF RACE

Portland Interscholastic Title for 1915 May Be Hung Up Between Three Teams.

JEFFS TO PLAY ON TUESDAY

Columbia University Is Primed to Give Hard Battle—Lincoln to Meet Old Rival, Portland Academy, on Friday.

1915 Interscholastic Football Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Jefferson	3	0	1.000	Columbia	1	2	.333
Lincoln	3	1	.750	Port. Acad.	1	3	.250
Wash'ton	3	1	.750	Franklin	0	4	.000

BY EARL R. GOODWIN.

The 1915 football season of the Portland Interscholastic League is fast coming to a culmination, and next week will find the final game being played. This week has its share of interest, for next Tuesday afternoon the Jefferson High School will battle the Columbia University and on Friday afternoon the oldest rivals of the circuit, Lincoln High and Portland Academy, will be called on to draw the spectators.

Tuesday's affair has a direct bearing on the title of the league, for at present Coach Homer Jamison has his Jeffersonians hoisted at the top of the heap without a defeat being charged to his squad. This is the first time in the history of the league that the North East Siders have made such a stubborn fight for the highest honors.

Columbia Is Working Hard.

If the Piedmont institution is able to "get by" the collegians without being marred by a defeat the Washington High will then be in line to "take a crack" at the league leaders. The Washington-Jefferson contest winds up one of the most strenuous seasons on record in local interscholastic circles, and will be played on Multnomah field one week from next Wednesday.

Coach Callicrate is known to be able to develop a stronger team during the latter stages of the season, and this year seems to be no exception. He lost his first two games and then came back by whipping Portland Academy, 20 to 0. He is working his men overtime each night on the Columbia University campus and he hopes to be able to give the Jefferson eleven a hard run for their money.

Just who the officials will be for the rest of the league contests is not known, as Grover Francis, the official referee, leaves this afternoon for San Francisco, with the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club football team.

Multnomah to Meet Olympia.

He is one of the star halfbacks and he expects to remain in the South ten or 12 days at least. The Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club contingent plays the Olympic Club aggregation next Sunday on the Marina of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition.

All the other available material for officials from the Winged M institution will be out of the city, traveling with Captain "Red" Rupert and Manager Martin Pratt. The coaches of the various institutions will get together and select the referee, umpire and linesman for their frays.

The oldest rivals among the schools of Portland are the Lincoln High and Portland Academy. These institutions have pitted their teams against each other for many years back, and there always is that "fight" and determination between these aggregations which is not apparent among the other squads. Their game will be played on Multnomah field next Friday afternoon.

Lincoln-Franklin Game Fastest.

The fastest and cleanest contest of the year was played last Friday between the Lincoln High and the Franklin High representatives. The starting whistle blew at 3:28 and by 20 minutes to 5 the last spectator had left the spacious grandstand at Multnomah field. Time out was taken but seven times, including substitutions and injuries.

Timekeeper Tommy Richardson "slipped up" on several occasions by not taking time out when the ball went out of bounds, but even at that it was a mighty fast football game. The Lincolnites won, 13 to 0, and this is the lowest score that has been registered against the "babes." This is the first season Coach "Admiral" Dewey has had a team in big company, and nothing less than 46 points has been recorded in each game. Washington High went the limit by putting across 61 markers.

Four more matches and the year will be completed. By the looks of things another tie will be on tapis. If Jefferson loses against Washington, but wins from Columbia, and Lincoln High wins from Portland Academy, then Jefferson, Washington and Lincoln will be tied for first place, with four wins and one defeat each.

There is a ruling in the Portland Interscholastic League which prohibits post-season games after Thanksgiving, but because the season closes several days prior to Turkey day arrangements may be made by the various coaches to settle the supremacy should a tie result in the circuit.

MULTNOMAH BOXERS RETURN

Club Representatives Make Even Break in Seattle Events.

The Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club's boxers and wrestlers returned yesterday from Seattle, where they broke even Friday night in the inter-club events.

Tommy Tracey, the club's boxing instructor, said that he had no alibis for the showing of the two boxers who lost. According to Tommy, Beyers showed considerable form in the first two rounds, but weakened in the last enough for the Seattle boy to shade him. He said the same of Monpier.

The veteran instructor is anxious to get some new material and healthy youngsters who have not participated in the boxing game here at independent smokers will have a chance by appearing at the club and inquiring for Tracey.

Tommy is eager to have the club stage regular monthly smokers at which the new material shall have a tryout.

IDAHO COLLEGE WINS, 7 TO 0

Tech Eleven Loses Game That Is Hotly Contested.

CALDWELL, Idaho, Nov. 6.—(Special.)—In a hotly contested game, the College of Idaho defeated the Idaho Tech's eleven 7 to 0.

The contest opened the Southern Idaho Collegiate schedule, which will close Thanksgiving day, when the collegians play the Albion State Normal at Albion. Straight football gave the locals their only touchdown. McCormick bucked through in the early part of the third period.

Hyenas' jaws are so powerful that they can break the shin bones of a bullock at one snap.

THE ENTIRE FOOTBALL SQUAD WHICH REPRESENTS PORTLAND ACADEMY IN THE PORTLAND INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE.

Portland Academy Football Team.

Spec Hurlburt

Top Row (Left to Right)—Ed. Shea, Captain Bill Lewis, Alec Bell, Nelson Schoenberg, Rudy Glatt, "Buck" Hicks, Cornelius, Dinwiddie, Coach "Spec" Hurlburt and Gamble, Mascot. Front Row (Left to Right)—"Ole" Olson, Bob Hamaker, Bob Warrens, "Rouse" Simmons, Lawrence, Fraley, Jerry Graham, Strong, Martin, Diedorff and Tom Ewing, in Back of Diedorff. Five of These Players Are 14 Years of Age and Turn Out Merely to Be in the Squad. It Is for This Reason That Coach Hurlburt Has to Substitute the Same Player so Many Times in One Game, Through the Courtesy of the Opposing Coach.

ALL-STAR SCORE OUT

Gregory and Hall Leading Coast League Twirlers.

DERRICK ONLY PORTLANDER

Ryan, Bodie and Wilhoit Head All Outfielders According to Statistics Giving Records for Games Played During Season.

In choosing an all-star Pacific Coast League fielding team on the averages for 1915 the following players would have the call:

Pitchers, Gregory, Salt Lake, and Hall, Salt Lake; catchers, Spencer, Vernon, and Schmidt, San Francisco; first basemen, Ness, Oakland, and Derrick, Portland; second basemen, Gedeon, Salt Lake; third baseman, Litschi, Oakland; shortstop, Corhan, San Francisco; left fielder, Ryan, Salt Lake; center fielder, Bodie, San Francisco; right fielder, Wilhoit, Vernon.

The above list takes in the regular players in the positions named. Of course there are several ahead of them in the list, but they did not compete in as many games as the regular players.

Gregory is named among the pitchers because he went through 39 games without making a boot and finished with a perfect score.

Hall worked in 56 games and has an average of .977, one better than that of Spider Baum, of the Seals, who worked in 55 games during the past season. The individual fielding averages of each player for each position he played in during the season follow:

Pitchers.

Player, club—	G.	Po.	A.	E.	P.C.
Gregory, Salt Lake	39	9	74	0	1000
Gillette, Salt Lake	10	0	12	0	1000
Peterson, Salt Lake	9	1	7	0	1000
Reuther, Salt Lake	9	3	12	0	1000
Warberg, Oakland	3	0	4	0	1000
Fairbanks, Vernon	3	1	8	0	1000
Gardner, Oakland	1	1	1	0	1000
Schaller, San Francisco	1	0	1	0	1000
Fromme, Vernon	25	6	49	1	.982
Hall, Salt Lake	54	13	72	2	.977
Baum, San Francisco	55	21	99	3	.976
Ryan, Los Angeles	60	19	100	3	.975
Benning, San Francisco	58	13	61	2	.974
Decanniere, Vernon	41	8	68	2	.970
Chech, Ver.-L. Angeles	36	11	58	2	.972
Smith, San Francisco	47	3	64	2	.972
Mitze, Portland	33	7	87	3	.969
Killilay, S.L.-S.F.	35	9	91	3	.969
Brown, San Francisco	27	5	41	2	.938
Covelesky, Portland	65	12	98	5	.957
Pitney, S. L.	58	24	86	5	.957
Klawitter, Oakland	57	23	88	6	.956
Munsell, Salt Lake	13	2	19	1	.955
White, Vernon	11	6	15	1	.955
Hitt, Vernon	43	11	72	4	.954
J. Williams, L.A.-S.L.	11	4	14	1	.948
Love, Los Angeles	59	13	90	6	.943
Piercey, Vernon	47	13	103	7	.943
C. Williams, Salt Lake	65	17	81	6	.942
Burns, Oak.-L. A.	59	4	92	6	.941
Henley, Vernon	41	10	54	4	.940
Higginbotham, Portland	58	10	99	7	.934
Baker, Oakland	26	2	39	3	.932
Scantlan, Los Angeles	48	7	69	5	.932
West, L.A.-S.L.-Ver.	24	7	29	2	.931
Couch, San Francisco	21	5	21	2	.928
Prulett, Oakland	49	15	99	9	.927
Fisher, Portland	51	11	81	5	.929
Prough, Oakland	51	10	72	8	.911
Mitchell, Vernon	31	8	42	5	.909
Kahler, Portland	38	7	37	5	.898
Lush, Portland	36	6	54	8	.882
Brant, Los Angeles	13	3	12	2	.882
Cavet, San Francisco	18	6	31	5	.881
Steen, San Francisco	19	9	21	5	.857
Noyes, Portland	24	2	19	2	.857
Johnson, Vernon	24	3	34	7	.841
Horstman, Los Angeles	14	2	11	4	.765
Bodie, San Francisco	1	1	2	1	.750
Hosp, Oakland	1	0	0	0	....
Middleton, Oakland	1	0	0	0	....
Risberg, Vernon	1	0	0	0	....

Second Basemen.

Player, club—	G.	Po.	A.	E.	P.C.
Berger, Ver.	7	24	27	0	1000
Butler, L. A.	1	2	2	0	1000
Harper, L. A.	1	....	1	0	1000
Stow, Oak.	39	87	136	4	.982
Gedeon, S. L.	130	464	538	40	.961
McMullen, L. A.	184	517	679	53	.958
Purtell, Ver.	133	356	495	40	.955
Leard, S. F.	64	110	178	14	.934
Stumpf, Port.	152	319	493	40	.953
Downs, S. F.	157	369	496	42	.953
Hosp, Oak-Ver	7	17	19	2	.947
Risberg, Ver.	42	103	136	14	.945
Davis, Port.	8	20	12	2	.941
Litschi, Oak.	14	28	40	5	.931
Elliott, Port	6	12	23	3	.921
Speas, Port.	5	14	18	3	.914
Brief, S. L.	2	3	7	1	.909
Hallinan, S. L.	6	19	14	4	.892
Bates, Port	2	4	4	1	.889
Ness, Oak	2	4	3	1	.889
Derrick, Port	2	3	6	3	.750
Bassler, L. A.	2	3	0	1	.750
French, Port	1	1	2	1	.750
Rader, Ver	2	2	3	2	.714
Terry, L. A.	1	1	1	1	.667
Block, S. F.	1	3	2	2	.571
Fitzgerald, S. F.	1	0	0	0	....
Gardner, Oak.	1	0	0	0	....
Koerner, Oak-L. A.	1	0	0	0	....
Wilhoit, Ver.	2	0	0	0	....

Third Basemen.

Player, club—	G.	Po.	A.	E.	P.C.
Kane, Vernon	2	1	5	0	1000
French, Portland	2	5	7	0	1000
Larson, Los Angeles	2	2	1	0	1000
Bassler, Los Angeles	1	2	1	0	1000
Wolverton, San Francisco	1	1	0	0	1000
Litschi, Oakland	115	119	240	14	.963
Butler, Los Angeles	63	64	110	8	.956
Purtell, Vernon	35	47	1	6	.952
Metzger, Los Angeles	141	133	215	19	.948
Hallinan, Salt Lake	88	87	156	15	.942
Rader, Vernon	89	84	174	17	.938
Brief, Salt Lake	15	23	34	3	.936
Bates, Portland	142	200	327	24	.933
Breton, Salt Lake	21	36	31	6	.928
Risberg, Vernon	4	5	7	1	.923
Dudley, Oakland	49	21	101	13	.921
Jones, San Francisco	88	224	336	50	.919
Shinn, Salt Lake	3	3	8	1	.900
Leard, San Francisco	26	26	23	6	.891
Davis, Portland	44	52	86	17	.890
Lober, Portland	1	0	0	0	....
Steen, San Francisco	1	0	0	0	....
Terry, Los Angeles	1	0	0	0	....

Catchers.

Player, club—	G.	Po.	A.	E.	Pb.	P.C.
Koerner, L.A.-Oak.	4	2	0	0	0	1000
Davis, Port.	2	8	2	0	1	1000
Block, S.F.	45	180	32	1	1	.998
Spencer, Ver.	105	433	145	9	5	.985
Schmidt, S.F.	121	503	139	10	13	.984
Kuhn, Oak.	107	511	143	12	7	.980
Elliott, Oak.	114	503	179	16	18	.979
Carisch, Port.	86	388	114	13	7	.975
Boles, L.A.	124	513	173	19	6	.973
Mitze, Ver.	105	393	130	15	5	.967
Sepulveda, S.F.	63	272	86	11	3	.967
Hannah, S.L.	122	653	188	29	13	.966
Fisher, Port.	121	525	174	24	13	.966
Brooks, L.A.	65	253	77	14	9	.959
Derrick, Port.	1	1	1	0	1000	
Litschi, Oak.	1	1	0	0	1000	
Purtell, Ver.	1	2	0	0	1000	
Quinlan, Oak.	1	3	0	0	1000	
Rader, Ver.	1	3	0	0	1000	
Risberg, Ver.	21	46	0	1	.979	
Middleton, Oak.	103	337	14	9	.975	
Ryan, S. L.	191	361	23	13	.967	
Bagless, Ver.	26	53	4	2	.966	
Deanes, Ver.-Port.	61	128	8	5	.965	
Southworth, Port.	24	50	4	2	.964	
Lober, Port.	103	202	8	8	.963	
Johnston, Oak.	89	159	11	7	.960	
Schaller, S. F.	208	441	19	23	.952	
Ellis, L. A.	196	353	15	20	.948	
Speas, Port.	23	32	7	3	.929	
Garner, L. A.	4	10	1	2	.846	
Gardner, Oak.	8	9	0	4	.692	
Bates, Port.	1	0	0	1	....	
Boles, L. A.	1	0	0	0	....	
Brown, S. F.	1	0	0	0	....	
Hosp, Oak.	1	0	0	0	....	
Klawitter, Oak.	1	0	0	0	....	
Leard, S. F.	1	0	0	0	....	

Right Fielders.

Player, club—	G.	Po.	A.	E.	P.C.
Risberg, Ver.	16	25	3	0	1000
Lober, Port.	7	6	1	0	1000
Koerner, L. A.-Oak.	6	7	1	0	1000
Ryan, L. A.	5	10	0	0	1000
Matthews, Port.	5	7	1	0	1000
Litschi, Oak.	4	4	2	0	1000
Klawitter, Oak.	2	1	0	0	1000
Davis, Port.	2	0	1	0	1000
Lush, Port.	2	1	0	0	1000
Block, S. F.	1	1	0	0	1000
Boles, L. A.	1	1	0	0	1000
Pipgley, Ver.	1	1	0	0	1000
Ness, Oak.	1	1	0	0	1000
Reuther, S. L.	1	3	1	0	1000
Gardner, Oak.	116	143	27	4	.977
Deanes, Ver.-Port.	32	112	9	3	.976
Bayless, Ver.	33	64	2	2	.971
Wilhoit, Ver.	163	144	22	10	.964
Fitzgerald, S. F.	166	283	23	14	.957
Shinn, S. L.	182	302	21	20	.951
Wolter, L. A.	128	235	24	14	.949
Speas, Port.	86	142	26	10	.944
Meloan, S. F.	45	70	10	5	.937
Quinlan, Oak.	8	14	1	1	.937
Garner, L. A.	13	13	0	1	.929
Derrick, Port.	13	26	4	3	.909
Harper, L. A.	39	48	6	7	.885
Metzger, L. A.	4	5	0	1	.833
Fisher, Port.	7	3	1	1	.800
Gleichman, Ver.	1	1	0	1	.500
Bassler, L. A.	1	1	0	1	.500

Middleton, Oakland, played right field in two games and the following players played in right field one game each without having fielding chances: Berger, Vernon; Elliott, Oakland; Ellis, Los Angeles; Hosp, Oakland; Jones, San Francisco; McMullen, Los Angeles; Metzger, Los Angeles; Orr, Salt Lake; Ryan, Salt Lake; Sepulveda, San Francisco; Terry, Los Angeles; White, Vernon.

Player, club—	G.	Po.	A.	E.	P.C.
Lynn, S.L.	49	247	73	14	1 .958
Bassler, L.A.	10	38	12	4	0 .926
Blankenship, S.L.	1	2	3	1	0 .833
Risberg, Ver.	1	0	0	0	0 ....
Speas, Port.	1	0	0	0	0 ....

First Basemen.

Player, club—	G.	Po.	A.	E.	P.C.
Kuhn, Oak.	7	83	1	0	1000
Davis, Portland	7	43	3	0	1000
Lynn, Salt Lake	4	9	1	0	1000
White, Vernon	3	30	0	0	1000
Allen, S. F.	2	12	0	0	1000
Bassler, L. A.	1	9	0	0	1000
Block, S. F.	1	12	0	0	1000
Burns, S. F.	1	5	0	0	1000
Leake, Port.	1	8	0	0	1000
Metrez, S. F.	14	18	7	1	.992
Ness, Oakland	179	1894	108	19	.991
Derrick, Port.	169	1745	85	22	.988
Koerner, L.A.-Oak.	133	1442	85	15	.985
Gleichman, Ver.	149	1376	66	22	.985
Dillon, L. A.	11	121	10	2	.985
Risberg, Ver.	81	841	52	15	.983
Brief, S. L.	65	613	46	12	.982
McCabe, S. F.	55	510	30	12	.978
Downs, S. F.	17	157	13	4	.977
Bates, Port.	19	161	16	5	.973
Gardner, Oak.	23	321	11	9	.973
Heilmann, S. F.	97	1011	72	27	.972
Speas, Port.	6	45	2	2	.959
Hannah, S. L.	10	67	2	3	.958
Klawitter, Oak.	1	11	1	1	.923
Wilhoit, Ver.	1	7	0	0	....
Johnston, Oak.	1	0	0	0	....

Shortstops.

Player, club—	G.	Po.	A.	E.	P.C.
Elliott, Port.	2	3	4	0	1000
Breton, S. L.	1	1	1	0	1000
Davis, Portland	64	163	179	19	.946
Brief, S. L.	5	5	15	1	.953
Hallinan, S. L.	9	18	19	2	.949
Corhan, S. F.	182	435	712	52	.948
Terry, L. A.	185	354	733	59	.945
Berger, Ver.	194	392	711	64	.945
Risberg, Ver.	3	5	12	1	.944
Rader, Ver.	11	17	47	4	.941
Larson, L. A.	9	20	29	3	.933
Hosp, Oak.-Ver.	29	85	151	18	.929
Orr, S. L.	189	586	562	75	.926
Litschi, Oak.	81	78	147	18	.926
Ward, Port.	54	127	196	26	.924
Butler, L. A.	8	10	13	2	.920
Stumpf, Port.	37	77	103	20	.900
Bohne, S. F.	5	14	18	4	.889
Leard, S. F.	13	21	28	6	.892
Johnston, Oak.	3	6	12	3	.857
Klawitter, Oak.	1	0	5	3	.625
Bayless, Ver.	1	0	0	0	....

Center Fielders.

Player, club—	G.	Po.	A.	E.	P.C.
Koerner, L. A.-Oak.	4	9	0	0	1000
Bodie, S. F.	3	4	1	0	1000
Litschi, Oak.	1	3	2	0	1000
Harper, L. A.	3	3	1	0	1000
Hardner, Oak.	3	1	0	0	1000
Gardner, L. A.	1	1	0	0	1000
Southworth, Port.	1	2	0	0	1000
Kane, Ver.	102	150	18	4	.984
Speas, Port.	16	16	2	1	.970
Bodie, S. F.	190	408	28	11	.915
Meloan, S. F.	18	34	3	1	.974
Zacher, S. L.	135	298	23	11	.967
Johnston, Oak.	115	283	24	12	.962
Quinlan, Oak.	63	145	8	6	.962
Bayless, Ver.	108	227	22	10	.961
Middleton, Oak.	91	182	10	8	.960
Maggert, L. A.	103	405	29	23	.950
Lober, Port.	62	122	12	7	.950
Risberg, Ver.	6	10	0	1	.909
Wolter, L. A.	12	15	0	2	.882
Brown, S. F.	1	0	0	0	....
Fisher, Port.	1	0	0	0	....
Prulett, Oak.	1	0	0	0	....

Left Fielders.

Player, club—	G.	Po.	A.	E.	P.C.
Harper, L. A.	8	12	3	0	1000
Wilhoit, Ver.	7	12	0	0	1000
Kane, Ver.	3	10	0	0	1000
Kuhn, Oak.	2	1	0	0	1000
Maggert, L. A.	2	8	1	0	1000
Meloan, S. F.	2	2	0	0	1000
Garberry, Oak.	1	1	0	0	1000
Cavert, S. F.	1	1	0	0	1000

HIGH SCHOOLS NEAR PEACE

Hoquiam and Aberdeen Expect to Play on Thanksgiving.

HOQUIAM, Wash., Nov. 6.—(Special.)—One of the merriest wars over athletics to occur between Hoquiam and Aberdeen for many years has been on for the past week over the proposed football game between the high school teams of the two cities for Thanksgiving day. Indications now are that it will be settled, the fans hope permanently, within a day or two.

The squabble now is over the eligibility of players on both teams. Early in the season Hoquiam protested the eligibility of two of Aberdeen's best players, Lyons and Keil, as they played last year with Cosmopolis, which bars them under state association rules. This threatened to cause a break in relations. An agreement was signed by which Hoquiam and Aberdeen played in Hoquiam last month, using Lyons and Keil, and a game was to be played at Electric Park on Thanksgiving day with the two protested Aberdeen men out of the game.

A few days ago Aberdeen made the charge that several of the Hoquiam players were ineligible under state association rules and demanded that they either should be kept out of the Thanksgiving day game, or that Lyons and Keil be allowed to play. The charges included Glover and Narrance, star ends, Quarter McKenney and Fullback Boyer. All charges except as to Glover have not been withdrawn.

HEWITT M'MINNVILLE BOY

Home Town Is Proud of Pitcher With Fort Williams Team.

M'MINNVILLE, Or., Nov. 6.—(Special.)—Robert "Lefty" Hewitt, former pitcher for McMinnville, recently married Miss Rabideau, of Fort Willams, Canada, where he had been playing this Summer, pitching wonderful ball for Fort Williams, winning 20 games and losing three.

This good work gives him a chance to be one of Ty Cobb's teammates this coming year on the Detroit American team. Fans at McMinnville and other points are highly elated over his elevation.

ABERDEEN HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL TEAM BIDS FOR 1915 NORTHWEST TITLE.

Top Row—Coach Don Hawley, Captain Pinckney, Lyons, Adams, Ross, Axland, Keil, Larimore, Johnson, W. Anderson, H. Ingebrigtson, Carlson, Hobi, Edwards and Hugo. Kneeling—Manager Halferty, Elliott, Harris, Godfrey, "Dim" Anderson, Henry Anderson, L. Ingebrigtson, Linn, Assistant Coach Leonard. Bottom—Mascot Johnson.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Nov. 6.—(Special.)—The Aberdeen High School eleven, which this year is one of the heaviest and fastest in the Northwest, bids fair again to be in the race for the Northwest intercholastic championship.

Aberdeen defeated the Jefferson High, of Portland, early in the season by a 14-to-0 score. It played The Dalles Wednesday, winning, 12 to 10.

LETTER PLAN REVISED

BREAK WITH STANFORD CHANGES TRACK AWARD POLICY.

University of California Eliminates Element of Chance in Competition for Athletic Honors.

BERKELEY, Nov. 6.—(Special.)—The break with Stanford has necessitated a change in the policy of track letter awards, since there is no longer the one big meet on which to base them.

The new plan, suggested by Captain T. L. Preble and adopted by the Big C Society, requires a total of six points as a minimum in any two of the three more important meets of the year.

This point system has the advantage of eliminating the chance element.

Heretofore men would toss up to see who would participate, irrespective of the merits of the man, and a man deserving of a letter might never get a chance to show his heels in the one big meet.

The standard of performance is left to the coach, so a poor athlete cannot expect a letter by winning an event in which he had no competition.

Also a man injured just before one meet is not prevented from having a chance in a following meet.

Following is a list of time requirements, which in the opinion of Coach Christie, qualifies a man for a letter:

100-yard dash, :10 1-10 seconds; 220-yard dash, :22 2-10; 440-yard dash, :51; 880-yard dash, 2 minutes; mile run, 4:32; two-mile run, 9:59; relay, :52 (average); 120 high hurdles, :13 4-10; 220 low hurdles, :23 3-10; high jump, 6 feet; broad jump, 22 feet 4 inches; pole vault, 12 feet; shotput, 43 feet; hammer throw, 145 feet.

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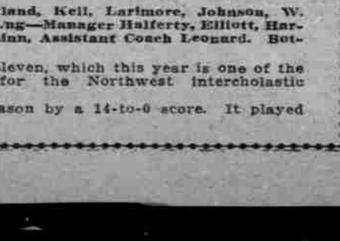
PRIZE PROBLEM NO. 100.

By P. J. Lee, Tacoma, Wash.

Black, 3, 9, 13, 20, 27.



White, 12, 22, 26, 28; king, 11. Black to play and win.

For the first best correct solution I will send as a prize a copy of "Horsfall's Problem Book" or a copy of "Gould's Match Games," or a set of the "Draught Player's Weekly Bulletin," bound in cloth. Competitors must send the strongest line of play for the defense. If I am mistaken and the problem can be drawn, then the player showing said draw, providing it is sound, will be entitled to the prize. All solutions to be sent to P. J. Lee, S. Tacoma, Wash., by December 1, 1915.

PROBLEM NO. 101.

By George Sheldon, Spokane, Wash.

Black, 6, 13; kings, 19, 23. White, 17, 22, 25; king, 1. Black to play and win. (Very neat problem.—Editor.)

PROBLEM OR END GAME NO. 102.

By W. L. Taylor.

Black man, 14; kings, 11, 32. White men, 12, 24; kings, 19. Black to play and win.

PROBLEM NO. 103.

By A. Shearer.

Black men, 3, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20; kings, 27, 32. White men, 11, 22, 28; kings, 9, 12, 13, 26. White to play and win.

PROBLEM NO. 104.

By D. W. Mitchell.

Black men, 1, 3, 7, 12, 13, 18; kings, 24, 31. White men, 8, 9, 15, 19, 20, 25, 26, 29. White to play and draw. (A very neat stroke.—Editor.)

Solution to problem 96—Black kings, 3, 11. White, 19, 20, 24. White to play and draw: 19-16, 11-15, 16-12, 15-11, 24-19, 3-7, 12-8, 11-4, 20-16, 4-8, 19-15, 3-3, 16-12, 7-2, 15-10.

Solution to end game 97—Black, 3, 5, 7, 11, 12, 13, 17, 21. White, 16, 18, 19, 20, 23, 26, 30, 32. White to move and draw: 26-22, 17-26, 19-15, 12-19, 15-8, 3-12, 23-16, 12-19, 30-18, drawn.—George Blanchard.

Solution to problem 98—Black, 4, 16; kings, 6, 13. White, 25, 26, 32; king, 24. White to play, black to win.

24-20	22-18	18-14	14- 9	8- 3
13-17	25-30	A. 4- 8	*)18-11	*)1- 6
20-11	26-23	11- 4	23-19	9- 5
17-21	30-26	19-15	*)11- 7	6- 1
23-22	32-27	27-23	4- 8	19-15
21-25	26-19	*) 6- 1	*) 7- 2	2- 6

Drawn.

A—Mr. Richmond varied here in his solution.

6-1, B)14-9, C)1-5, 9-6, 5-9, 6-2, 9-14, 2-7, 4-8, 11-4, 14-18, 7-11, 18-22, 4-8, 22-18, 8-12, white wins.

B—14-10 correct move to win here.

C—4-8 will draw here same as trunk.

Solution to problem 99—Black, 3, 6, 7, 10, 12, 13, 14, 20, 21. White, 15, 19, 22, 26, 27, 28, 30, 31; king, 8. White to move and win: A)22-17, 13-22, 26-17, 14-18, 8-4, 18-22, 27-24, 20-27, 31-24, 22-26, 24-20, 25-29, 20-16, 29-25, 4-8, 25-22, 17-13, 10-14, 15-11, 7-10, 11-7, white wins. A—30-25, 21-30, 27-24, 30-18, 8-11, 20-27, 11-18, 10-19, 31-15, 18-14, 15-10, 12-16, 18-15, 16-20, 13-24, 20-27, 10-6, drawn. I believe there was a win after the stroke at first, but believe though, full of play white can win by 22-17.—Editor.

Ed McRoberts, Mount Solo, Wash.—Instructions forwarded. Solutions always in next issue Oregonian.

John Devore—Send along.

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11-15	15-18	1- 5	7-10	9-13
22-18	A22-27	18- 6	14- 7	17-14
8-11	B11-15