## STATE GOLF PLAY DATE IS PROBLEM

Waverley Club Unable to Set Tournament Until Del Monte Time Is Fixed.

JUNE 5-10 MAY BE NAMED

Club to Stage 20 Tournaments in Coming Season in Addition to Matches With Other Organ-

trations in Northwest.

BY ROSCOE PAWCETT.

While German scientists are wonder While German scientists are wondering what to do with the whiskers
shaved off Russian prisoners, and,
while some of the rest of no are just
as desply concerned ever the status
que of our ewn hamlocks, C. H. Davis,
Jr., chairman of the handless committee at the Waverley Country Club, has
a problem all his very own.
Waverley Club will hold the annual
fregon State Golf champismhips alsain
this year and Chairman Davis is up to
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In the absence of further complica-tions, however, it can safely be said that the 1316 state golf classic, both man's and women's, will be staged over the Waveriey course the week of June h to 19—which is also Hose Fes-

The Pacific Northwest champion-ships have already been assounced for June 28-July 1, at Spokame, so, if this were the only tourney to be taken into consideration. Waverley's troubles

would be nil.

Chairman Davis could simply set
Interior as the week, accure the ratification of the board of directors, and
go ahead and stage it.

When Del Monte secured the convention at the Chicago meeting recently, the dates were amounted as July 17-32. Freshmen Will Play on Dials now develops that these were merely is a mond Despite Setbacks.

It now develops that these were mirely tentative dates and that there is a strong likelihood that the big event will be moved ahead to June or even as far ahead as May.

Jack Neville, the California crack, says so and Jack ought to know for he was one of the two Del Monte delegates responsible for heading the tourney Tehachipaward. Neville's letter from Chicago containing this information was forwarded to Chairman. nation was forwarded to Chairman havis by E. C. Wagner, of the Scattle

Think what a hullabaloo would ensue should the Del Monte folk pick onto June 5-10 as the dates for the Western

However, the odds are only about 1 is

greatly resembles the gradiations on a seismographic record sheet. But, withat it is easy to figure out after a couple of minutes' inspection, and we imagine such a schedule would be a handy article to have about the clubhouse if properly daubed with local

Here is a partial list of guilling events planned for Waverley by Mr.

Kickers' handicap; mixed foursome handleap; aweepstakes handleap; senteh fournomes; Decoration day; Gregon state; Independence day; Labor day handleap; directors' sup; women's championahip; president's cup; Columbus day; men's club championship; captain's cup; election day; Thanksenton day; day; Christmas day and Newsonia day; day; Christmas day and Newsonias day; Christmas day and Newsonias day; Christmas day; and Newsonias day; Christmas day; and Newsonias day; Christmas day; day; Christmas day; day; christmas day; captains day; cap handicap: a senteh fourse cuptain's cup; election day; Thanks-giving day; Christmas day and New

addition, Waverley will pair off in team competitions against various and sundry other golfing organizations of the Pacific Northwest.

In explaining the Root system of handleapping last week, yours truly did According to a well informed sta-

flatical friend with a penchant "gawt," one's handleap for medal play under the Root system is 60 per cent of the difference between the par of the course and the average of the play-se's five best scores. In match play the peorer player receives threequarters of the difference between the

for an \$1 average acore would be aix and for a \$1 average would be 12. But in match play, if A's handicap is 6 and H's is 16 then A must give B a handicap of three strokes, which, we take it, approximates three-quarters of the margin between their handicaps.

After all this average in the street of the street After all this scrambling of ideas the not system ought to be as clear as

O. A. C. RIPLEMEN SCORE 957

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute Met in Dual Institute. OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE,

Corvallie, Pek, k.—(Special.)—The Ore-gon Agricultural College rifle team this gon Agricultural College rifle team this week participated in a dual shoot with Rensselser Pulytechnic Institute, of New York, and run up a total of 55 cut of a possible 1005. The results made by the Easterners will not be known until late next week.

The scores made by the team were close. Oren Mulkey, of Myttle Creek, was high shot with a score of 194. The lowest score was 155 out of a possible 200.

BUTTE BIDS FOR M'GINNITY

Baseball Backers Wan't "Iron Man" to Move Entire Team to Montana.

BUTTE, Mont., Feb. 5.—A telegram was sent Joe McGinuity, manager of the Tacoma Northwestern League baseball club, teday by men raising funds to put a baseball club in here, saking McGlinnity to come to Butte. The local baseball men will ask McGinnity to baseball man will had housinity to be manager and bring his team here. McClinnity, it is said, would get a share of stock in the local club. No other manager will be approached pending the outcome of the conference with McGinnity,

SAN FRANCISCO FANS NEED NOT FEEL GLOOMY WITH THIS TRIO OF FENCE BUSTERS IN THE OUTFIELD.



Schaller, Batted, 301; Stole 62 Bases: Ping Bodie, Batted 325, Stole 57 Bases.

But there is another angle to it.
The munkey-wreach in the machanism is the uncertainty in the dates for the Western Amaieur Golf Association championship.

mond Despite Setbacks.

MEN IN SQUAD ARE ABLE

Class of Beginners, Barred From Intercollegiate Contests and Ruled Out of Non-Conference Play, Hope for Best.

he believes he has a good quantity of green material to work with.

Hrown, McCready, Neal, Mornit, Measner, Hob Atkinson and Jay Fox all have had considerable experience on high school and independent teams.

Brown, a catcher, was heralded as a heave slurger on the Canby High and Brown, a catcher, was heraton, heavy slugger on the Canby High and outlaw teams throughout the Valley. McCready hails from Lewiston (Idaho) High School, where he held down an including for three years. Neal infield position for three years.

infield position for three years. Neal Morditt learned the game at Baker High School, and comes with the reputation of heing a good man with the willow. Messner is a Klamath Falls product, is a kard hitter and fast on his feet. Bob Atkinsen is rated as the Cottage Grove slugger. Jay Fux completed his preparatory work at Columbia University at Portland. He played second hase on the championship team last hare on the championship team last

Alexander and Cubb, ex-Eugene High School athletes, along with Wilson, of The Dalles: Tucker, of Roseburg, and Furley, of Dallas, have had some sea-soning in high school circles.

Devore Signs With Phillies. MARIETTA, O., Feb. 5.—Joseph Devoce, former outfielder for the New York Nationals, will return to major league ball next season. Devoce today signed a contract to play with the United School Contract to play with the Philadelphia Nationals.

Checkers.

Massiquarters Portland Chees and Checker Tub. 101 Washington building annex. Fourth and Washington street. A welcome for all amount of the street. A welcome for all amount of the street. A welcome for all amount of the street. Fortand. Information and instruction free.

E. H. BRYANT, Editor.

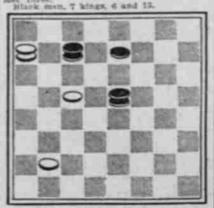
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PROBLEM NO. 162.

By Sans Siegel, Rachaster, N. Y.

"This practical position will enise the must areful analytical skill before the decreet obstine is found. Priend Siegel was a resident for averal years of Terry Hauts. 5d., when ye editor was an inhabitant of miamagonia. Sinchs gave an exhibition in he lothy of the Y. M. C. A. at Indianapolis, towe days a gn. Won 13, drew 17 and set three.

Hark onen, 7 kings, 6 and 13.



men, 76, 30, 21, kings 3, 5. Wolte to move and win

PROBLEM NO. 164.

By Jack, City.

Black men, 4, 16, king 25, White men, 12,
kings 2 and 17. White to play and win.

By Mr. Stewart.

Black men, 17, 18, king 1. White, kings
9 and 26. White to play and draw.

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king 6. Black in play and win.

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From the Salem Statesman.—In an exhibition game of checker playing given at the receive of the Salem Chess and Checker Playing given at the receive of the Salem Chess and Checker Into last evening. W. L. Bryant played gradiest 13 of the best players in Salem, oring two games, playing three draws and tefesting eight. These defeating M. Bryant sere E. H. Jerr and R. L. Hutchen. Draws were played with I. Greenbaum, H. C. Ingles and C. G. Givens. Those defeated by Mr. Bryant were Dayed. R. Brown, I. L. Williams, Roy Steen. Mr. Williams, E. Denison, J. L. Peets and M. P. Desnis It. Bryant was recently appointed manr. Bryant was recently appointed man yer of the Chess and Checker Club an conceded to be one of the best player the Const. Since the club has bee gunized it has been discovered that fairs as a number of men who have the makin high-class players. As seen as the pres-tiryouts are continded, the club will as got the challenge of the Commercial Clu ayers.

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checkers, in his simultaneous exhibition at San Francisco, where the Bay Counties checker tourner is now on, lost a game with John P. Hopkins, a player in section I of the tourney, and Wills, Pile and Pryor got a draw each, Jordan winning the other 19, with the 14 players. Jordan declares this is the first game be has lost in simultaneous play in several thousand played over the country.

NEW YORK TO PERMIT BOUT Willard-Moran Contest Not Likely to

Meet Opposition. NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Promoters of the proposed bout between Jess Williard and Frank Moran visited the state boxing commission's headquarters here today and were informed that if the match was properly conducted there would be no objections raised to it be-

REGULAR PRACTICE HELD UP UN-TIL INDOOR PATH IS READY.

Start in Schedule Work Planned for Tomorrow-Loss of Stars Rests Heavily on Squad.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Feb. 5 .- (Special.)-Track work at the University of Oregon must await the construction of a new indoor track. The old shed on Kincald Field, blown The old shed on Kincald Field, blown down during Christmas vacation, is being remodeled and the hard track, worn is 15-15 to 15-15 down by many seasons of long practice, is to be replaced by a reworked track, which will not be so heavy upon the feet of the runners.

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Now and then long-distance runs have been taken, but no regular schedule of practice has been ordered. The regular start of long-distance work was planned for Monday. In the meantime the running "ducks" and jumping "birds" will fare the best they can by themselves.

cial.)—Harrisburg High defeated Corvailis in a rough game of basketball by a score of 21 to 12 Friday night. The game scheduled next Friday night with Ashland has been cancelled, as the Roseburg High School fire has made Ashland's trip north impossible.

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BLUE BOOK INFORMATION ON PACIFIC COAST OUTFIELDERS

out on strikes, and Johnny stood at the plate for a moment, but never uttered a sound. When he walked to the bench Byron said: "Mr. Evers. that was the most profage silence I have ever listened to."

SEAL OUTFIELD IS CLASS

Raleigh Aitchison, a pitcher, has been released to the Milwaukee club by the Brocklyn Nationals.

Captain Norris, of Grinnell College, broke his nose in a basketball game in which lows defeated Grinnel, 25 to 16, recently.

Tale and Princeton played the fastest game of basketball seen in years recently. It was staged at New Haven, and Yale wen, 15 to 18.

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Because there are so many left-handed batters in the National League, Joe Tinker will keep three southpaws, probably Yaughn, Pierce and Bailey.

Joe Stout, captain of the University of Chicago track team, has been declared incligible to compete in athletic svents because he has "funked" in his studies.

At Evanston, II. recently the Northwestern University baskethall tessers kept up their winning streak, defeating Ohio State.

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FOR 1916.

MUNICIPAL LINKS IS HELD INEVITABLE

Portland Golfers Think That Success in Other Cities Will Advance Plan.

PROFIT IS POINTED OUT

Scattle, Which Opened Course in May, Has Average of 122 for 214 Days of Play-Scope of "Real" Sport Extended.

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The links have been not only self-sustaining but have made money for the park bureau. Annual tickets have been taken out by 435, these golfers paying either \$12 per annum for locker, clubbouse and greens fees, or \$6 per year for the playing privileges

Many Players Are Transients. Single game privileges cots 25 cents per round, and in Seattle at least 40 OPTIONS ON TWO TRACTS OF LAND per cent of the players have been tran

Thus the revenue will be close t \$10,000 for the year, which is more than sufficient to pay for upkeep and improvements.

President Ebbets, of the Brooklyn clubhas sent out notices to all of his players to report at the training camp, Daytona, Fig., before March 10. He has several promising recruits and this means that some of the veterans will have to hustle to hold their jobs.

John Gannel, who last season managed the Brooklyn Federal League club, has just returned from an automobile trip across the continent and through the Hawaiian Islands.

Golf Declared Ideal Sport.

"Golf is not a frivilous game at all."

C. H. Davis, Jr., is another prominent golfer of the city who is boosting hard

for a municipal course.

Winter Golf Gossip

R obert White, a well-known profes-sional near New York, is constructing a private golf course for Otto Kahn the New York banker. Kahn has purchased 400 acres near Cold Spring Harbor, Long Island. Nine holes will be

ready in June. Shinn. 312, and Quinlan .306. Shinn Iwo kids entered the Kansas City is the only real go-getter on the bases Athletic Club a few days ago. "Do you need any more caddles here?" one of the boys asked. "Caddles for what?" the building

superintendent queried.

one of the few in the United States where the caddies are forced to keep their employers' scores.

Site bank of the Tualatin River from the clubhouse and the present course, This will necessitate the building of a

"Score blanks are printed on the suspension bridge across the river and backs of the caddy cards," explained will mean a great boosting in the Club, the other day. "The boys are re-Beavers About Fourth.

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Portland would appear to rank next in line, although possibly there isn't larness game in the Northwest.

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## two weeks, one day turned to her "pro" with the question: "Do you consider my game is now good enough to warrant me entering the National champion-ships." "Oh, yes," replied the "pro" wearily.

During the recent agitation over the amateur question somebody in the East kicked up a lot of dust because Arthur Shafer, forrmer New York ballplayer, had been playing in amateur tourneys

had been playing in amateur tourneys in Southern California.

Investigation reveals that Shafer was reinstated by the United States Golf Association last year. E. B. Tufts, president of the Southern California Golf body, indorsed Shafer's application and sent it in. Accompanying was an affidavit in which Shafer swore that he had not played ball since October, 1918, and did not intend to resume professional baseball.

Late in August the Golf association took a mail vote and Shafer was restored to good standing as a lify white.

While Portland is doing a lot of talking about a municipal links, other cities are really accomplishing something. San Francisco has a nine-hole course san Francisco has a line-noise course already in operation and work is being undertaken for the addition of another nine holes. John Black, professional at the Claremont Country Club, went over the Lincoln Park municipal links one day last week, to lay out the grounds.

Wilfred Reid, internationalist, and William Fovargue, of the Skokte Country Club, Chicago, both professionals, are in San Francisco for a series of games against the bayside cracks. The pair had intended touring the entire

Reid is now the professional at the Wilmington (Del.) Country Club.

## **NEW YORK PLANS LINKS**

ALREADY OBTAINED.

Holding Company to Be Known At Massapequa Golf, Inc., With Capi-

polate for a moment, but never uttered abound. When he walked to the bench livron saile: "Mr. Evera that was the mean professe allence I have ever listeded to."

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The number of sames to be played by the philadelphia Ame Learne baseball team and Seattle have municipal links, and Spokane is opening up a municipal links, and spokane is opening up a municipal links on the river below the fails early this Spring. Practically every other characters with the Philadelphia Antenals. Des Moines, Ia. has four municipal courses. Des Moines, Ia. has four municipal courses, according to R. P. Tisdale, a prominent Portland goiler, who lare the United States a few seasons ago, announced recently that he did not intend arranging another American tour during the coming season for the benefit of the war relief tunded States and the will like the movement both there and in Des Moines, Ia. has four municipal courses.

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sides having ample room for the con-struction of clubhouse, caddle house and other outer buildings necessary for the comfort of those playing or in-

DRIVE OF 60 YARDS TO BE NEEDED TO REACH TENTH HOLE.

Course Will Provide One of Frenkiest of Greens. When the Tualatin Country Club

Addition to Tualatia Country Club

golf course is increased to full 18 holes -and it is believed that work will "Why, fer that indoor golf."

The boys were assured that the indoor game did not require the services the freaklest and yet most sporty holes." in the United States. The Rock Island Arsenal Golf Club is tion of at least one hole on the oppo-



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Tobacco Chew, new cut, leng stred. You, yourself are probably telling your friends
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