

HUNT CLUB STAGES THRILLING EVENTS

Society Witnesses Races in Spring Meet at Garden Home Grounds.

TONY FAUST IS WINNER

Ralph W. Wilbur's Colt Captures Feature Number—Miss Katherine Ainsworth First in Junior Jumping Division.

Society, in all its glory, knitting and tating for the soldiers, witnessed yesterday as fine a program as has ever been staged at an annual Spring meet of the Portland Hunt Club at the Garden Home track.

Assistant Weather Forecaster Drake said Friday "fair, northwesterly winds" for Saturday, but he missed it, judging from what fell during the course of the afternoon. At that Old Sol came out at times and made things pleasant.

There were several hundred persons out to the races, and, even though the weather was far from encouraging, they remained through the entire program. Two accidents were staged, but fortunately neither appeared to be very serious.

Hiders Escape Injuries. Young Douglas Nicol, riding Natt McDougall's Lora Lawrence in the three-eighths mile dash at catch-weights, was in the home stretch and going strong, when his saddle began to slide. The result was that he was thrown heavily to the ground. He got right up, but on reaching the paddock he went into a dizzy spell, and he was attended by two physicians. After a half hour's rest he was reported to be ready for another spell.

The other accident happened during the junior jumpers' performance, when Paul McCusker's pony bolted and started for the fence. Faust jumped and hit on his back, but it did not seem to bother him. He laid there for a few seconds and then got up.

Honors were divided in the feature numbers. Tony Faust and his son, Louis Lachmund, each defeated the other during the afternoon. Milton Barber, which was figured strongly, was able to get a third, but he was scratched in the other meeting. Ralph W. Wilbur's Tony Faust was ridden by Alec Wilson when he was defeated, but Les Galbraith brought him out of his slump and defeated Louis Lachmund in both numbers.

Oppenheim Twice Winner. Eugene K. Oppenheim, on Dorothea, won the quarter-mile polo pony race, which opened the meet, and he defeated Firock, with Alec Wilson up, and Henrietta, with Charles Leadbetter up, who was third. In the women's hunters for the Natt McDougall trophy, Miss Helen Wood, on Johnnie, had little trouble capturing first honors, while Mrs. Josephine Andrews, on her own Boise, was second and Miss Florence Day, on Kitty, was third.

Dorris, with Paul McCusker up, won from the other juniors in the quarter-mile dash, with Douglas Nicol on Merry Legs second and John Channing on Midget third. Oppenheim won his second race of the day when he went out in front on Nakomis in the three-eighths mile dash for the Ralph W. Wilbur trophy. Second place was awarded to C. H. Leadbetter on Chitra and Fred C. Livingston on Blue Bell was third.

Miss Katherine Ainsworth rode her own Rowdy in the junior jumping division, and she was awarded a great ovation when the blue ribbon was handed on her. The ease and grace with which she made the jumps was cause for much comment among the older members of the club. She was followed by John Channing on Midget and Paul McCusker on Husky.

President Matt McDougall won a trophy yesterday by annexing the heavy-weight class, horses to carry 200 pounds. John E. Cronan, who has done the announcing for every prominent event held in these parts for many years, called it the "fat men's race." Natt McDougall rode Ojo to a winner, with Chester G. Murphy on Winnie second, and M. R. Cummings on Kitty, third.

Hines Wins Relay Race. The men's hunters went to R. Nixon, on Kentucky Darr, with Frank Gallagher, on Boise, second, and Charles H. Leadbetter, on Firock, third. Miss Isabella Macleay won the potato race, on Isabella, after an exciting time, but she was hand pressed by Miss Helen Wood, on Shorty. Miss Florence Day, on Cricket, received the white ribbon for third place.

A special race for the boys and their ponies was held, with John Channing, on Midget, winning; Harold Hirsch, second, on Chanz, and Holt Warren, third, on Cricket.

The final number was the relay race between the Reds and the Blues over the mile course, which was won by Eugene K. Oppenheim, L. D. Winters and William A. Healy over Chester G. Murphy, Natt McDougall and M. R. Cummings, who represented the Reds.

While the track was far from being sloppy, the condition was such that no attempt was made to make good time. Brown's band presented enough tunes to make things hum between events.

Yamhill Streams Planted.

SHERIDAN, Or., June 23.—(Special).—A carload of yearling brook trout from the state hatchery at Bonneville was received here yesterday and placed in the streams about Sheridan that are noted for their angling possibilities. Of late years the fishermen of the state have made the southern end of Yamhill County a mecca for their pleasurable pursuits, and the stock of fish in the stream has been depleted. It is the endeavor to keep the stream as the Yamhill, the Willamina, Rock Creek, Cedar Creek, Mill Creek and the Canada, well stocked.

BOYS' JOB BUREAU TO OPEN

Juvenile Judge Tazwell to Find Work for Lads in Summer.

Juvenile Judge Tazwell yesterday announced preliminary plans for the installation of a juvenile free employment bureau in connection with the work of the juvenile court during the summer months. He will endeavor to supply jobs in the strawberry fields and cherry orchards to all boys who desire to work during the vacation months.

Judge Tazwell asks that all boys who desire summer employment write him at once and file their names with the juvenile court authorities. He will endeavor to fulfill all demands which may be received for juvenile labor.

INTERESTING SIDELIGHTS OF THE ANNUAL SPRING MEET OF THE PORTLAND HUNT CLUB HELD AT THE GARDEN HOME TRACK YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.



1—Louis Lachmund, Eryll Benner Up, Winning From His Father, Tony Faust, Alec Wilson Up, Just Before Passing the Judges' Stand. 2—Part of the Gallery, to the Right, in the Foreground Is Mrs. Guy Standifer (Left) and Miss Elizabeth Menefee, Holding Red Cross Bag on Her Arm, and Both Croqueting.

COBB FORGES AHEAD

Detroit's Batting Average Increased to .368.

SPEAKER IS DISTANCED

Cruise of St. Louis, Leads National Leaguers With .350—Roush, of Cincinnati, Is Second With Mark of .341.

CHICAGO, June 23.—Ty Cobb is drawing away from Tris Speaker in the race for batting honors in the American League. Unofficial averages released today, show that the Detroit leader is leading with .368, 25 points ahead of Speaker. A week ago three points separated them. The averages include games of Wednesday.

Weaver, of Chicago, has scored more runs than any player in either major league, having crossed the plate 40 times. Chicago has nosed out Boston for team batting, with .242.

Leading batters: Cobb, Detroit, .368; Speaker, Cleveland, .343; McInnis, Philadelphia, .315; Chapman, Cleveland, .310; Sisler, St. Louis, .310; Wambegans, Cleveland, .300; Rice, Washington, .297; Jacobson, St. Louis, .297.

Cruise of St. Louis, shot into the lead among the National League batters with an average of .350. Cruise made 11 hits in seven games.

There was a general shakeup among leaders in other departments. Robertson, of New York, deposed Zelder, of Chicago, as the leading base-stealer, with 17; Stengel, of Brooklyn, took the lead in sacrifice hitting, with 14, and Hornsby, of St. Louis, tied Cravath, of Philadelphia, for home-run honors, each having six; Heinie Groh, of Cincinnati, dethroned Burns, of New York, as the leader in runs scored, with 58.

Leading batters: Cruise, St. Louis, .350; Roush, Cincinnati, .341; Jack Smith, St. Louis, .338; Fischer, Pittsburgh, .337; Burns, New York, .326; Griffith, Cincinnati, .323; Hornsby, St. Louis, .314; Zimmerman, New York, .313; Whitted, Philadelphia, .306; Kauff, New York, .304; Groh, Cincinnati, .302; Wheat, Brooklyn, .301; Rawlings, Boston, .300.

Coast League Pitchers' Averages.

PETE STANDRIDGE, of the Angels, leads the Coast League pitchers in wins and losses, and yet Pete's job is holding on by a mere thread. Pete hurt his arm some weeks ago and Johnny Powers is just about ready to let him go. The former Seal has won seven out of nine. Smith, the San Francisco Indian who tried to tomahawk Dan Murray recently, ranks second with six wins in eight starts. Smith must have improved wonderfully since he tried to break in with Portland two years ago. All of which proves that nobody can tell how

PECK IDOL OF EAST

Former Beaver Enjoying His Biggest Season in New York.

STICK WORK IS GREATEST

Wonderful Batting and Fielding Ability Makes Peckinpaugh Most Valuable Player of Yankees Big Machine.

Roger Peckinpaugh has become the idol of the Yankee fans in New York. "Peck," as he is called by the sporting writers of the East, is enjoying his biggest season. The ex-Portland Beaver is fielding in wonderful fashion, as well as hitting them hard. Last Tuesday and Wednesday Peck handled 29 chances without an error, but a wild throw marred a perfect average.

During the first three weeks of the campaign the Yankees were winning regularly, though the players looked upon as heavy hitters were having little success with the stick. Peckinpaugh was getting his hits regularly, and Donovan remarked early in May, while his team was crowding the leaders, that the Yankee probably would be in the second division if Peck had not been coming through with his hits.

Peck hit safely in 12 of the first 15 games of the season, and was far ahead of all the other Yanks with the stick. Apparently Peck is off on another batting rampage, for in the last nine games he has been poking them at a 412 clip, getting 14 hits for a total of 18 bases. Peck has a batting slump which pulled him down to .240 for the season, but now he is hitting at .275 and going better every day.

Combining his stick work with his wonderful fielding ability, Peckinpaugh is the most valuable player of the Yankee machine. His hit-killing stunts have been seen so often at the Polo Grounds that they are no longer regarded as being out of the ordinary. Although the league is full of high-class shortstops, Peck has no superior in going far back for batted balls and Peck hit safely in 12 of the first 15 games of the season, and was far ahead of all the other Yanks with the stick.

Allen Sothoron, who graduated from the Beavers to Fielder Jones' St. Louis team, showed the fans Sunday that he has the courage of a lion. When Sothoron went into the Spring training camps with the Browns, Fielder Jones acclaimed him one of the greatest prospects of the year, and predicted that Allen would rank with the greatest twirlers in the game.

Whether the Fielder is right or not about Sothoron, the 20.000 fans who saw the Yanks lose to St. Louis Sunday by a 2-to-1 score give Allen credit for having big-league courage. For four innings Sothoron held the Yanks at his mercy, only one batter reaching first base, and he never went

What Ex-Coasters Did in the Majors Yesterday.

WILHOIT got a single in each of the games for the Braves. Ivan Olson, ex-Beaver, got four hits and a run for Brooklyn, and Cutshaw, ex-Oak, got a single.

"Pine" Bodie, ex-Seal, tried to play third in the first game and made two errors for the Athletics. He got a double and a single in the first game and a single in the second.

Ray Bates, ex-Beaver, scored, but went hitless for the Athletics. Roger Peckinpaugh, ex-Beaver, got one hit in each game for New York. Cravath, ex-Angel, got two singles and a double for the Phillies.

Jack Grancy, ex-Portlander, was blanked for Cleveland. Ivan Howard singled. Killefer singled and scored for the Phillies.

Joe Evans and Louie Gusto, ex-Beavers, failed as substitutes. "Buck" Weaver, ex-Seal, singled for Chicago.

"Duffy" Lewis, back in the game for the Red Sox, got three singles in the first and one in the second game. One hit was made by Hooper for the Red Sox.

Agnew got three hits in the first game for the Red Sox, and Thomas got three in the second game. Hal Chase blanked for the Reds. Douglas singled and scored in the first game.

Brief, ex-Bee, and Ward, ex-Beaver, went hitless for the Pirates in the first game. In the second game Elliott, ex-Oak, singled and scored for the Cubs. Ward made a hit and two errors, and Brief again failed to hit.

Catholic Foresters to Play. Two games will be played this afternoon in the Catholic Order of Foresters League at the Montgomery Flats. The St. Andrews Court and the Sacred Heart Court will cross bats at 1:30, while the Immaculate Heart Court and the St. Francis Court will battle at 2:30 o'clock.

Advertisement for Honeyman Hardware Company. Features a drawing of a man in a hat and coat, and text: 'Clearance Sale of Sporting Goods', 'At Greatly Reduced Prices', 'We Restrict Tennis Rackets', 'Honeyman Hardware Company', 'Fourth at Alder', 'Portland's Largest Sporting Goods Store'.

Advertisement for 'PORTLAND HERALDED AFAR'. Text: 'Agents' Bulletin of Missouri Pacific Shows Scenic Views.', 'Portland has been given a very generous portion of favorable publicity by the Agents' Bulletin of the Missouri Pacific Railroad, which is circulated among the employes of that road and railroad agents of other lines throughout the country.'

Advertisement for 'Try This Tricky Trap'. Text: 'Pit your aim, your judgment, your gunskill against this tricky little hand trap. See if you can clip its tantalizing targets. It's great fun for both beginners and experts and is bully practice for both field and trapshooters.', 'The Hand Trap is a practical and easily operated device for throwing all kinds of clay targets— from easy gliders to the most puzzling twisters. The machine— not your arm— does the work.', 'Pack one in your auto, boat or grip before you take that vacation trip. \$4.00 at your dealers or direct post paid to any part of U. S. A. Send for Hand Trap Book', 'DU PONT Wilmington - Delaware'.

Advertisement for 'W-B CUT' tobacco. Text: 'WHEN men are drawn together in the army, you find out a lot about their likes and dislikes. It's always been a great place for the spread of W-B CUT popularity. They show each other why you shouldn't take more than a little chew of W-B CUT. Every shred is chock full of sap; a big chew is too rich. They take to W-B CUT, strong; nothing is too good for our soldiers.', 'Made by WEYMAN-BRUTON COMPANY, 1107 Broadway, New York City'.