SEASON PROMISES TO BE STRENUOUS

Interscholastic Basket Shooters Show Class in First League Games.

COLUMBIA LOOKS STRONG

Preppers Put Up Best Pre-Season Showing - Christian Brothers Seems Likely to Be "Dark Horse"-Lincoln Unknown,

INTERSCHOLASTIC BASKETBALL STANDINGS. League A.

League B.

The first week of interscholastic basketball is over and the players and fans are now warmed up for a strenuous season. Four teams in each league have made their debut, with the result of several good games for so early in the season. The Christian Brothers team in League A have yet to make their 1918 appearance, while Lincoln High School in League B will start its season next Tuesday against Com-

The only team to show any preseason form was Coach "Tick" Malarkey's Columbia Prep School quintet who trimmed Washington, 27 to 19. The blue and white basket tossers played the best brand of basketball displayed this year, and will be strong contenders for the championship in League A. The Columbia-Franklin game next Friday should be a thriller. Colmbia has two guards in Fred Alien and Bert Jacobberger that will make the other teams in the league step to make many field baskets off of them. The playing of Allen against Washington Friday was a revelation, and if he keeps up his stride it will be impossible to keep him off of this year's all-star team. Allen made all-star guard in the interscholastic League two years ago, and his come-back after over a year's rest was a

Washington Team Fast. The Washington quintet played

good fast game against Columbia and should give Franklin and Benson a strong argument. The Washington team is weak in one or two spots, but a few more weeks of playing should put all of the players in tip-top form and give them their basket

Franklin made an impressive showing against Benson, defeating the Tech school boys, 32 to 2. Franklin, is also well supplied with a couple of good guards in Brown and Tucker, while the Franklin Brown and B

against Franklin last week, but may develop as the season goes on. The Christian Brothers team is the "dark horse" of League A. and, according to pre-season games and advance notices, they have one of the best teams in the city. Friday night the notices, they have one of the best teams in the city. Friday night the C. B. C. squad heat the crack South Parkway team, 28 to 26. The South Parkway quintet has defeated every team that they have met this season, and have been claiming the champion-ship of Oregon, so it looks like the Christian Brothers Business College of 56 targets each to be held on the has some team. The Christian Brothers fellowing dates: February \$3, 17; to the champion of the year is expected to be considered in the control of the case of the year is expected to be on hand. There will be a series of seven shoots of the year is expected to be held on the fact that ye can be considered in the city that are in the city that the same terested in shooting are invited to at the distribution by the little fellow in the cast cowds of the portiant Gun Club, and with ideal weather fore-casted one of the largest crowds of the largest crowds of the largest crowds of the same that they have will have a fighting ball club. That's something I have a shot—Sacramento a pennant-winning club," said the little fellow in his quiet way. "But of course that the same that they have a same that the city that we are the cast that the distribution. This much, however, is a sure that the cast the city that we are the cast the city that the cast that the di

Jefferson Leeks Good.

Jefferson High School, last year's interscholastic champions, seem to be the class of League B up to date. The new added bird handleap will be used, the targets added before each shoot starts. For instance, a man clearly new feam into shape for this lirds, will be given seven added birds will b

Lincoln will meet the Commerce team Tuesday in its first game of the and nd the Railsplitters may phies, be the "dark horse" in The

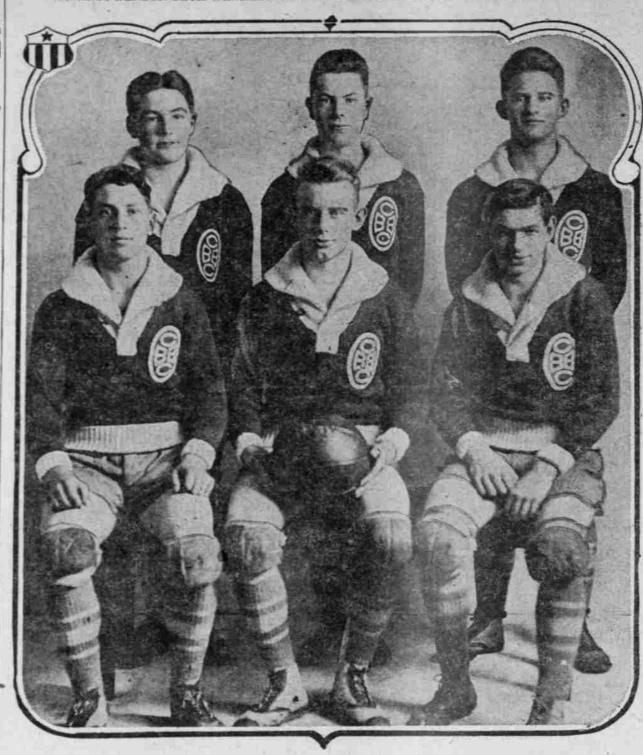
who wish to make entries and for the Information of these interested in the exhibition. The show will be held in the auditorium of the Meier & Frank Is 42 Years Old. on the days of February 14, 15

There are 350 classifications for cats for entry in the exhibit. All entries must be made by midnight of February 4. Entry fees for cats range from 25 cents to \$2 and for rabbits and cavies from 25 cents to \$1. Prizes for winners in the show in-

clude many challenge cups and medals for leaders in their respective classes. The list of prizes to be awarded to cats, rabbits and cavies is a long one and should prove an inducement to owners

L. S. Ellerman will be superintendent of the exhibit, Mrs. Mary L. Stevens special cat superintendent and G. H. Hutchinson veterinarian. T. K. Kenney will be judge of pet stock and Mrs. Paul

THE FAST CHRISTIAN BROTHERS' BUSINESS COLLEGE QUINTET, WHICH WILL MAKE 1918 DEBUT AGAINST BENSON TECH WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON AT THE WASHINGTON GYMNASIUM.



TOP ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT-L. MURPHY, P. WHITE, H. NELSON. BOTTOM ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT-B. BROST, J. DUNDAR, E. RYAN.

Nimrods Will Meet at Everding Park Today.

forwards have proven themselves good basket shooters. Franklin will get the acid test against Columbia next Friday, and if they can thim the prepactors and if they can thim the prepactors will have easy sailing until they meet Christian

Troubles at Stake Trophies at Stake.

> The biggest merchandise shoot of the year will be held at Everding Park, feel about matters in the home of the Portland Gun Club to-day. All those in the city that are in-

Thursday. There is one thing that the Jefferson players do have pienty of, and that is "fight"—they never quit. James John did not make a very impressive showing against Jefferson, and showed lack of practice.

Commerce has a good, fast team and will be set until one event is show in figure in the race for the leader-ship of the league. Hill, like James John, needs plenty of practice to get late of a basis of 100 birds and then compute the put for 150 birds and use one-fifth of the leader ship of the league. Hill, like James John, needs plenty of practice to get late of a basis of 100 birds and then compute the put for 150 birds and use one-fifth of the leader ship of the league. Hill, like James John, needs plenty of practice to get late of 100 birds and then compute the put for 150 birds and use one-fifth of the leader ship of total handicap for each event. With admits that he would like to have a Scenamento pitcher and figures he has a chance to hook up should be set until one event is should be should like to have a sacramento pitcher and figures he has a chance to hook up with the former Seal hurier.

Here's another thing, while we are on the subject. Rodgers vows that he will stay by the salary limit. He adiacking.

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first and second prize during the series of shoots, but is eligible for the high average for the five permanent tro-

The following players in the major leagues are above the draft age limit: Jimmy Austin, Frank Baker, Bobby Byrne, Jack Collins, Gavvy Cravath, Sam Crawford, Jake Daubert, Larry Doyle, Arthur Flotcher, Charley Her-zog, Heinie Zimmerman, Larry Gard-ner, George Gibson, Ivan Howard, Bill Killifer, John Lobert, Sherwood Ma-gee, Fred Luderus, George McBride, Eddie Plank, Chief Meyers, Jack Mur-ray, Bert Niehoff, Dode Paskert, Frank Schulte, Bert Shotten, Oscar Stanage, instead of simply a ballplayer. Terry Turner, Hans Wagner, Jimmy

An apple tree in the yard of Joseph Eavis, of Kent County, Delaware, blossoms every year with pink roses. The tree was planted years ago by Julian Emerson, who grafted a rose bush on the 15th year, if the records are the tree.

The only one with a son in the Army, Gibson evidently got an early start in the matrimonial league, as he now in the same age in the tented areas in Emerying the song on 38." the same age in the same age in the tented areas in Emerying the pink roses. The grave for him until well after the first of the month.

Since August, 1214, the United States and a very start in the 25th year, if the records are true.

SHOOT TO BE HELD SACRAMENTO TO HAVE FIGHTING BALL CLUB, SAYS BILL RODGERS

New Manager of Senators Tells San Francisco Sporting Writer That He Will Put Out Pennant-Winning Team.

BY HARRY B. SMITH. CAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 26 .-

the fans and the magnates and every-body else; wants to find out how they "I hope to give Sacramento a pen

proposition, but says that is the one request made of him by his club own-ers. And Rodgers has so much regard for the men at the head of his team

PET STOCK SHOW ANNOUNCED

high-guns handicap on 250 targets:

L. Imperial Rotel trophy (yearly trophy).

2 One set sterling silver species.

Du Pent trophy.

5 Du Pent trophy.

4 Newland trophy.

5 P. G. C. trophy.

In addition to this the following trophies will be given:

For high gun, 250 targets (scratch)—H.

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6 Per high gun, 250 targets (handicap)—Fellix Friediander trophy.

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The San Francisco Seals started to send out contracts this week. Downs is the guilty party and answers yes when you ask him if contracts are in for a slashing. Jerry says it can't be helped and adds that if the ballplayers stop to reason they realize the necessity of accepting new state of affairs without criticism or talk of holdouts.

I didn't remind Jerry that once upon time he was a San Francisco player It makes all the difference in the world whose ox is gored, and Downs prob-ably looks at matters in a different instead of simply a ballplayer.

Walsh, Leon Ames, Larry Cheney, Ed-die Cicotte, Jack Combs, James Laven-die Cicotte, Jack Combs, James Laven-fight way. When Tommy Simpson left for the north with his fighters he took der and Harry Sallee.

Eddie Plank is the Nestor of the veteran squad of exempts, the family Good Book accrediting him with 42 lied prometers of San Francisco, who summers. George Gibson probably is the only one with a son in the Army.

It is unlikely that anything will be Gibson evidently got an early start staged in the tented arena in Emery-

handle affairs his club would probably AN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 28.— be a loser. Besides there are no strong (Special.)—I have just finished a (Special.)—I have just finished a long chat with "Bill" Rodgers, the manager of the Sacramento Sen-

new manager of the Sacramento Senators. "Bill" is all worked up on this Sacramento proposition. He feels the responsibility of his new position, and he is bound and determined to give his owners a good run for their coin. Rodgers passed through San Francisco this week on an automobile trip that will take him to Los Angeles.

"It's a close-to-the-ground excurtits a close-to-the-ground excurtits as a close-to-the-ground excurtity for Bill. He wants to talk with seed to make the long trip from the southland just for that purpose. McCoy arrived and then nobody could find Farrell. He seems to have disappeared by the CLEAN LIVING KEEPS DIAMOND on the O. K. this morning by the club play if his injured shoulder is given the O. K. this morning by the club play if his injured shoulder is given the O. K. this morning by the club play if his injured shoulder is given the O. K. this morning by the club play if his injured shoulder is given the O. K. this morning by the club play if his injured shoulder is given the O. K. this morning by the club play if his injured shoulder is given the O. K. this morning by the club play if his injured shoulder is given the O. K. this morning by the club play if his injured shoulder is given the O. K. this morning by the club play if his injured shoulder is given the O. K. this morning by the club play if his injured shoulder is given the O. K. this morning by the CLEAN LIVING KEEPS DIAMOND on the O. K. this morning by the club play if his injured shoulder is given the O. K. this morning by the club play if his injured shoulder is given the O. K. this morning by the club play if his injured shoulder is given the O. K. this morning by the club play if his injured shoulder is given the O. K. this morning by the club play if his injured shoulder is given the O. K. this morning by the club play if his injured.

San Diego on January 30. After that game from the side lines. he will come to San Francisco and if there is nothing doing here or in Charlie Tobin and Edd there is nothing doing here or in Emeryville will continue on to the Northwest. Bobby Evans, of Portland, and Dan Salt, of Seattle, have promised the Brooklynite matches and he also has hopes of landing in Brooklyn.

Charlie Tobin and Eddie Canhar black spectacle wearer, who formed in a Los Angeles u the Rosebuds. Tobin never played the Phila season. If Charlie possessed about 10 or 15 pounds more beef he would be a wined with John A. Heydele's new Fall. has hopes of landing in Brooklyn. McCoy, having been advertised as the

middleweight champion of the worldno matter what our personal opinions may be—is bound to attract more or less attention from the sports of the themselves just how much or how little he knows.

Moose Taussig, who returned this week with Harry Pelsinger from Bakersfield, brought back a story of two old-timers in the oil field section who are well known to fight fans of a few years back. One is Solly Smith, whose home is in Los Angeles, but who is running an oil lease for some chap in Bakersfield. The other is Aurelio (Kid) Herrera, the Mexican light-weight, who at one time looked a comer. Kid Herrera was handled by Biddy Bishop, but never got beyond a certain point

Once he was through with boxing, Herrera bought a ranch near Bakers-field. He drives in when there are fights or some programme out of the ordinary, but for the most part leads the simple life. Even so, Herrera likes the bright lights and isn't averse to a dash of high life now and then.

Some of you Portlanders may re member Heine Miller, who was cham pion lightweight of the Pacific squad-ron at one time. Later when Sailor Miller was out of the game as a fighter he started to manage some of the sall lads who had ambitions of their ow Then Miller quit the Navy and for a time we lost track of him. But recent-ly he put in an appearance as a member of the Naval Reserve. Heine is an Ensign and attached to the recruiting bureau. When the Navy wants a few nore sailor lads Miller is sent out to the theaters, where he gives the boys a bit of a talk. They say he is as fluent with the speechmaking as he was with the gloves. At all events, his superiors credit him with being a success in his new line of work.

Temper Proves Undoing of Portland Hockey Player and Tommy "Warms Bench."

HANDICAP PROVES SERIOUS

Rosebud Putter's Inability to "Key Down" Puts Team in Serious Predicament and Helps Put Locals in Cellar Position.

ICE HOCKEY LEAGUE STANDINGS.

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BY JAMES J. RICHARDSON, Now that Portland is resting com fortably in the cellar position in the percentage column of the Pacific Coast Ice Hockey Association race for the

Manager Pete Muldoon will take his

Now McCoy has had to right about playing hockey for 15 years and it was an Diego on January 20 After the second time he has witnessed a

Charlie Tobin and Eddie Oatman the hockey stick.

Tommy Murray, Portland's goal tenders looks better every game he plays. Seattle players fired the puck at Murray last Friday night in ma-chine-gun fashiop and Tommy flagged all of them until the third period, when someone put a magnet in the net and then-well, we are in the cellar

"Smokey" Harris fractured two ribs when he collided with Lester Patrick in Friday night's hockey game, Harris' injuries were not thought to be more than a few bruises, but Dr. Earl Smith yesterday discovered two of the play-

BROWN CONTINUES ATHLETICS Importance of Physical Prepared-

ness of Students Recognized. able part of physical preparedness, in spite of the fact that the athletic season of the academic year 1917-18 slone will result in the loss of more than \$10,000. Practically every athlete of prominence at the university has enlisted. Places on the warfous teams are given to as large a number of men as possible, most of whom are without pressions training.

previous training. sion of this programme and a stringent yards in length. able-bodied students. A further exten- courses

elimination of all unnecessary expenses, such as training tables, extra coaches and equipment, will mark Brown's athletic policy in the future.

NOTRE DAME SCHEDULE FIXED

Basketball and Track Contests Are

Coach Harper, of Notre Dame University, at South Bend, Ind., has an-nounced the 1918 basketball and track schedule of Notre Dame as follows:

Basketbaff — February 1, Michigan
Agricultural College at Lansing, Mich.;
February 7, Michigan Agricultural College at Notre Dame; February 15,

Announced for School.

Wabash at Crawfordsville.

Track—February 23, IMinois at Notre
Dame; March 2, Illinois relay carnival,
at Urbana; May 18, Michigan at Ann
Arbor; June 8, Western Conference.

The football dates will be announced
in a few days. Purdue and the Army in a few days. Purdue and the Army are assured on the calendar. The Great Lakes Training Station team is also in

TOO MUCH BOOSTING OFTEN UPSETS BASEBALL PLAYERS.

O'Toole, Blackburne, Chappell and Rube Marquard Are Examples-Alexander's Early Career Unspoiled.

Too much kind publicity has been exceedingly harmful to many ballplayers of promise. Conspicuous examples pennant, it might not be amiss to mention that the chief reason for said predicament can be attributed to no other (who gets another trial in the majors

bat.

The loss of Friday night's sashay with Seattle is chargeable entirely to the inability of players Dunderdale and Harris to control their temperse when opposing players purposely passed remarks about their ability and other assets.

The opposition takes delight in tormenting Tommy Dunderdale up to the point of having him take one of those healthy cuts with a hockey stick at the tormentor, which usually happens when the referce has his optics planted on the peppers Rosebud player and, as a result, Tommy is subjected to warm the bench for a three-minuty period. With Dunderdale out of the game Portland's offense and defense is materially weakened.

Dunderdale is a very able player. The fans appreciate his aggressiveness up to a certain point and when he exceeds that limit, which usually results in his being penalized, he places his team in the serious predicament of being scored on.

The opposition know Dunderdale's weakness and pick on the grifty little player, not because of personal animosity, but chefely because of Tommy's linability to take "guff" from anyone. The usual penalized, the order of the wond's series, the man who wen is aggressiveness and pick on the grifty little player, not because of personal animosity, but chefely because of Tommy's inability to take "guff" from anyone. The usual result is bunderdale's taking the aggressive physically with the torments of the wond's series, the man who won is the referee sees only one player doing the mixing—Tommy goes to the bench for the usual penalize.

The Paber opened the season without fluid the complete of the proposition is the player of the wond's series, the man who wen the garden for the bask chall grifs, and as long as the referee sees only one player doing the mixing—Tommy goes to the bench for the usual penality.

Portland ice hockey enthusiasts ad
the player of the remodered with the table of the purpose of the proposition when the control the player representing their many the proposition when the player representing their ground the prop

If Clifford C. Cravath, the roly-poly black spectacle wearer, who once pernot with the Phils again next year it can't be blamed on any defliciency in

John A. Heydele's new Fall average records the Californian pasting the games last season and had 29 doubles, been able to accomplish what it originally set out to do. George H. B. credit. Yes, the National League pitchbulb at a .280 clip. Gavvy played 140 ers have discovered Gavvy's weakness. It is between November and March. Cravath has been the big number of the Phils' heavy artillery ever since he joined the team in April, 1912. He cost the owners the price of a wheelbarrow and today they could sell him to a mi-nor league club for more than they paid for him.

Gavvy is past the 35-year mark, but work in connectal california weather and clean living the ambulances have extended his major league usefulness past the age when the average player withers.

The chunky right fielder's worst dis-sipation is to squander \$2 on fishhooks. He never stays out later than 10:30 and he couldn't tell the difference between a Cassisis cocktail and an Astoria bracer if his life depended on it. Brown University, in keeping with the wishes of the Government, has decided to continue athletics as a valuable part of physical proposed on the growth of the state of the st

ria club will be the first in Southers Brown believes that the benefits of California to provide putting greens warfime athletics should be open to all on a par with those of the Eastern able-bodied students. A further exten-

O. A. C. Girls' Interest in Athletics Is Growing.

HOCKEY IS PLAYED NOW

Swimming Is Big Activity Since Remodeling of Y. M. C. A. Pool. Indoor Tennis, Basketball and Minor Sports Are Played.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Jan. 26 .- (Special.) -- Hockey and swimming are interesting the co-eds of O. A. C. just now, and both sports have a large following. Women's athletics are being strongly

Women's athletics are being strongly emphasized through a wide variety of games for the semester.

The hockey players, who have been practicing for the past few weeks, will play off a series of games to finish up the season. Varsity players will meet second-team girls in the college armory. A large number of girls have turned out for the game, so that much good material is available. During the early part of the season the game was played outdoors,

The list of varsity squad members in-

The list of varsity squad members in-cludes Zetta Bush, Katherine Howells, Nellie Polson, Fay Carver, Florence Burnap, Ella Bechen, Margaret Turner, tion that the chief reason for said predicament can be attributed to no other cause than the inability of a few members of the team to control their tempers and, incidentally, their hockey sticks and fists when the opposing players purposely try to inveigle the local puck chasers into a wordy combat.

So much has been expected of them, because of what enthusiastic and hope-sticks and fists when the opposing players purposely try to inveigle the local puck chasers into a wordy combat.

Neille Poison, Margaret Turner, Helen Elkins, Margaret Turner, Helen Elkins, Margaret Turner, Lindsay, Alta Mentzer, Fay Benson, Ruby McLagan, Eva McLagan, Martina Neal, Lois Dorne, Florence Helmes, they found the task too great for them. In trying to surpass themselves they have fallen by the wayside.

several players representing their classes in small tournaments. Both the armory and the women's gymnasium have been used for this purpose. These indoor tournaments are Then Faber opened the season without fust of the usual penalty.

Portland ice hockey enthusiasts admire Dunderdale in every respect, both as a player and gentleman. He is one of the most valuable players in the league, because he has his heart and soul wrapped up in the game, but for goodness sake, Tommy, let some other fellow start the fireworks once in a bail, which is played in gymnasium classes and a small number have played

occer. Esthetic and folk dancing are extremely popular among the college girls. Awards in dancing are given at the end of the year to the girls who clean Living KEEPS DIAMOND have made the most progress.

have made the most progress,

Archery is another sport in which
may girls take part. In clear weather
the target is set up on the lower
campus and a crowd of girls gather to shoot. In the East archery is on a par with big athletic games for women, and it promises to claim many follow-

ers at O. A. C. GOLFERS SEND AMBULANCES

formed in a Los Angeles uniform, is Forty-Four Clubs Will Have Names Attached to Automobiles.

The names of 44 golf clubs in the United States will be attached to ambulances in France, which means that the Metropolitan Golf Association has ceived a letter from Major C. H. Connor, of the American Red Cross, stating that arrangements have been made for the name plates for the machines

There will be all told about 100 cars with plates. Some of the clubs will be represented by more than one. A small portion of the money will be used to purchase trucks for transportation work in connection with supplies for

It is stated that the ambulances would cost, including freight charges, in the neighborhood of \$600 each. The trucks cost nearly \$2000.

THORPE HAS WEAK WRISTS

Big Athlete Will Not Take Chance in Jim Thorpe, the Sac and Fox star, who conquered the athletes of the world at Stockholm, only to have his prizes taken from him when an individual stepped forward and said he had paid Thorp \$15 a week for playing baseball in Carolina the year before, would try his luck in the sourced circle ex-

ept for the fact that he has weak wrists.
"I don't believe my wrists would stand that sort of work," says the former Carlisle wonder. "I would be mer Carlisle wonder. "I would be

afraid of breaking them if I ever hit a

