

WORLD'S SPORTING NEWS

MULTNOMAH'S
NEW OFFICERSDirectors Held Annual
Election Last Night.New Board Composed of Men of
Ability, and Their Selection
is Pleasing to Members.

The directors of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club held their annual meeting last night at the club house, and elected the following officers to serve for the coming year:

R. F. Prael, president; H. H. Herdman, Jr., vice-president; C. D. Brundage, secretary; C. W. Stinger, treasurer. The following chairmen of committees were named: Charles Gritzmacher, billiards; H. V. Rasch, indoor athletics; H. W. Kerrigan, outdoor athletics; H. H. Herdman, Jr., grounds; F. Friedlander, social rooms; Irving Rohr, house; Dave Honeyman, baseball; Maurice Dunne, handball; M. McKee, tennis; C. H. Buckenmeyer, auditing. Each chairman will select two members of the club to serve with him.

All the departments of the club have been organized, and preparations for the summer season are being made. The board of directors now includes 11 members, seven of whom are newly elected, while the terms of the remaining four have not yet expired. The new directors are R. F. Prael, C. W. Stinger, C. F. Swigert, Dan J. Moore, J. C. Veazie, C. D. Brundage and J. T. McKee. The four hold-over members are H. H. Herdman, Jr., George McMillen, H. W. Kerrigan and E. L. Powell.

Complete satisfaction was expressed on all sides upon the excellent selections made by the directors. The high standing of the Multnomah Club in this city and its creditable reputation abroad, has been entirely due to the pride and fidelity of its officers and members. The history of any great club is really the history of the men who are responsible for its advancement and continuous progress. A club, like a person, must either go forward or retrograde, there can be no stand still to its life. And so it has been with Multnomah. Its athletic life is wholesome, sociable, agreeable and literary refining. Every undertaking of its members is executed with tact and executive skill.

Multnomah's past is glorious; its future bright with promise.

The entertainment committee will soon present "The Wizard of the Nile" and in September a great carnival will be held, the plans and scheme of which will be made public later.

ON THE OCEAN BEACH

Autoists to Hold Record Races in
Florida Next Month.

Automobile racing on the famous beach at Ormond, Fla., is a probability during the second week of March. Stretching for miles straightaway, 400 feet wide at low tide, and packing solid and firm owing to the little coquina shells, this beach offers an ideal course for record breaking. During the recent show in Madison Square Garden there came into existence the Florida Automobile Racing Association, with W. J. Morgan as the organizer. Not a few prominent makers have become interested, and a series of contests may be the result.

Mr. Morgan will leave for Florida early this week, and W. J. Stewart, chairman of the A. A. A. Racing Committee, also will take a trip to Ormond, carrying with him a 2,000-pound car, owned by George E. Bidwell. Mr. Stewart will investigate the speed qualities at the beach, and if his report is favorable the tournament is assured.

It is expected that prominent automobile officials will visit Florida during the race, and Isaac B. Potter, the new president of the American Motor League, is to be one of the guests.

J. F. Hathaway of West Somerville, Mass., holds the present record on the Ormond beach, having driven a locomobile one mile in 1:42, five miles in 8:45, and 10 miles in 0:21. Of course, these times will be greatly bettered by the 1903 machines.

At Ingleside Track.

(Journal Special Service.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—Fine weather prevailed at Ingleside track yesterday. There were several spills during the afternoon.

The stewards yesterday suspended J. T. Sheehan for rough riding. He is held responsible for the accident resulting in the death of Candores and El-karn. Results:

Future course, selling—Prestolius won, Priestlike second, Merwan third; time, 1:12.

Three and a half furlongs—Memoriam won, Selected second, Oro Rose third; time, 0:41 1/2.

Six furlongs, selling—Royal F. won, Nellie Hawthorne second, Anvil third; time, 1:51 1/2.

One mile and 50 yards, selling—Meehanus won, Champagne second, Ignacio third; time, 1:44 1/2.

One mile, selling—Stunts won, Andrew Ring second, Don Ami third; time, 1:42.

Six furlongs, selling—Mr. Dingle won, Florinel II second, Cathello third; time, 1:41 1/2.

Anthony's Big Game.

Jimmy Anthony, the Australian-American boxer, writes The Journal as follows from San Francisco:

I have been matched to box "Mississippi," the colored featherweight in the 10-round preliminaries to the Corbett-Hanlon contest here the 27th. I intend to use deft to young Neill and Harry Forbes if I win. Jimmy Barry of Chicago is looking out for my interests, and I am working at Blanken's.

AURELIO HERRERA
Whose Powerful Right Put
"Brooklyn Jack" to Sleep.NOTED TURFMAN
VISITING COAST

Sir Tatton Sykes, Rich and Peculiar, in San Francisco.

(Journal Special Service.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—It will interest many to learn that Sir Tatton Sykes, the rich and eccentric English baronet, with an international reputation as a turfman, arrived in this city a short time ago for a brief visit.

Sir Tatton Sykes had an interesting time in San Francisco five years ago, when Lady Sykes accompanied him, and she continued to make matters so interesting for him that they finally separated under an agreement by which he pays her \$25,000 a year out of his annual rent of \$500,000.

When Sir Tatton was here with his wife at the Palace several years ago he had a bitter quarrel over her extravagance. She visited the races one afternoon and came away minus \$2,000. When she asked him for more money that evening there were angry words and a scene that is still a matter of gossip among the help on the sixth floor of the hotel.

On another occasion she had a handful of \$1,000 bills and threatened to scatter them through the court of the hotel if he did not do what he had promised. What that promise was no one ever knew, and the bills were never scattered.

The climax of his domestic troubles was reached a few months ago, when he was held responsible for damages in a suit for libel against Lady Sykes. She was the publisher and editor of a society paper called the "Review of the Week." After a brilliant and meteoric career, it collapsed. A judgment for damages for libel was given against Lady Sykes and the court held that Sir Tatton was financially responsible owing to the character of the separation agreement between them.

Sir Tatton evidently did not care to discuss Lady Sykes last evening, for he went directly to his room.

Walter Camp on Football.

(Journal Special Service.)
CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—Betting as a feature of college life was condemned by Walter Camp of Yale, at the annual dinner of the Yale Club of Chicago, given at the University Club. Gambling among students, he asserted, was not so much the result of excitement over football games as it was the effect of examples set by men of the business world.

"Then they want the dangers eliminated from football," he continued. "We might amend the rules so as the boys might not be hurt, but it is doubtful whether the boys would get as much out of the sport. You cannot eliminate danger from the life of a boy from the time he gets his first knife or falls out of a cherry tree until he gets to play. There is no increase in the so-called evils of football."

Sutton Wins Game.

(Journal Special Service.)
PARIS, Feb. 20.—The fifth game in the international billiard tournament attracted a large crowd. Sutton and Vigneux being the attraction. Sutton won the game in 16 innings, 500 to 471. In the fifth inning Sutton broke the record with a run of 200, to which Vigneux immediately replied with a run of 131. Sutton's average was 31 1/2 and Vigneux's 29 1/2.

Tonopah Offers \$25,000.

(Journal Special Service.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—The Tonopah Athletic Club has offered a purse of \$25,000 for a finish contest between Jeffries and Corbett. Harry Corbett has forwarded the offer to the ex-champion.

Passed Bogus Checks.

Roy Evans, the Eastern ballplayer who unloaded a lot of worthless checks on business men of Butte, has been taken to Hannibal, Mo., where he is wanted on similar charges.

Met First Defeat.

At Corvallis on February 18 the Oregon Agricultural basketball girls suffered their first defeat. The Chemawa team winning by the score of 6 to 8.

Commissioners on California Races.

Accepted at Portland Club Cafe, 130 Fifth street. Direct wires from tracks.

Sporting news, Tracy & Denny, 105 4th.

The most delightful trip across the Continent is via the Denver & Rio Grande, the scenic line of the world. Apply at 154 Third st., Portland, for rates.

Preferred Stock Canned Goods. Allen & Lewis' Best Brand.

HERREDA DEFEATS
BROOKLYN JACK

Fight Ended in Fourteenth Round.

Clever Performance of California
Boy Whose Terrible Right Inflicted Heavy Punishment.

(Journal Special Service.)

HELENA, Feb. 19.—Aurelio Herrera of Bakersfield, Cal., and Jack Madden of Brooklyn, N. Y., met last night at Great Falls, Mont., in a 20-round contest. The Brooklynite was all but out at the terminal of the fourteenth round, when his seconds threw up the sponge. Madden in the opening rounds outpointed the Mexican, and in the eighth the Brooklynite looked a sure winner. In the eleventh round, Herrera cut loose and sent his man down for the count. In the twelfth the Mexican's terrific right and left-hand swings to the Brooklynite's jaw sent the latter three times to the floor, and in the thirteenth Madden was forced to take nine seconds. The latter's seconds threw up the sponge in the fourteenth round, and Herrera was given the decision.

KRAMER GOING
ABROAD TO RACECrack Sprinting Cyclist to Ride on
Foreign Racetracks.

Frank Kramer, the champion of the sprinting cyclists, will sail for Europe with Joe Nelson and his manager February 28. Kramer has contracted to ride 10 races in Europe during April and May, six of which will be in Paris and four outside Paris.

The champion will receive for his 10 races more money than was ever paid to an American champion before. For some time there has been active competition for Kramer's services between the leading tracks of Paris, the Parc des Princes and the Buffalo track at Neuilly, a suburb of Paris, where Nelson will ride. Des Granges, of the former track, outbid Breyer and Couelle by \$1,000, and Manager Burnett decided to accept his offer. Kramer will do no training on this side, but will have three weeks of earnest work in Paris before he begins to race.

He will meet all of the best men of Europe in match races at all of the main cycling centers on the Continent. Major Taylor is signed to ride at the opposition track, the Buffalo, as is also Owen Kimble, so that it is hardly probable that Kramer will meet his American rivals while abroad.

In Ellingard, Henri Meyers, Erand and other European riders he should find worthy opponents.

With the Runners.

A new racing association to promote a track in Ottawa is about to be organized. It will be known as the Ottawa Valley Jockey Club, and will be capitalized at \$100,000. The officers will be: Honorary president, the Earl of Minto, Governor-General of Canada; provincial directors, the Hon. Charles Fitzpatrick, P. C., Minister of Justice; N. A. Belcourt, M. P.; C. Berkeley Powell, M. P.; Alexander McLennan, former M. P.; Cornwall; E. S. Skeak and F. X. Saint Jacques. The plans include a mile track and a steep course, to be finished in time for a meeting this year.

It is said that W. K. Vanderbilt, before sailing for Europe, attempted to buy the three-year-old colt Meltonian from James Calway, but that he was unsuccessful as the price asked was \$30,000. Meltonian is engaged in the Lawrence Realization and the Tidal stakes this year and is highly regarded by competent turfmen.

Timothy D. Sullivan has a string of racers in training at Memphis. They include the three-year-olds, Polite, Explorer and Squanto, and four-year-olds, chestnut colt by Handsome—Phillips; chestnut colt by Ben Brush—Yvette; bay filly by Senator McCarran—Campania, and bay filly by The Communion—Gitty.

The California Derby will be run on February 23, the distance being a mile and a quarter, the eligibles being Ardis, Durazzo, Gold Van, Gravinga, Krishna, Elliott, Arabo, Arcade, Proper, Gold Bell, Gaviota, Esherin, Americano, Nervator, Lady Rowell, Honiton, Organdie, Orsina, Fossil and Epicure.

Green B. Morris is saving Sombro for the Brooklyn Handicap. The colt will receive a special preparation for the big Gravesend race. Morris will also begin training Old England at Ingleside for coming engagements. The Gold-sin gelding has had a long and much-needed rest this winter, and is said to be ready for a long campaign.

Burns is riding in great form just now in California. Willie Shaw is also doing well there.

Cobblestones of Civilization.

Little Willie is a freshman. And wherever he is seen. He reminds one of the meadows; He is always fresh and green. All the salt in the ocean. Sprinkled over Willie's head. Would not make one bit of difference. Willie will be always fresh.

The poster immediately replying to this proclamation astonished the race fans. For the benefits of those sophomores who do not know yet the meaning of Sophomoric and fresh, we give the following definitions:

First—Sophomoric: Bombastic, inflated, turgid, swelling, stuffed, pompous, extravagant, grandiloquent, high-flown, high-sounding, highfalutin, sententious, grandiose, sesquipedalian.

Second—Fresh: Flourishing, unfaded, healthy, well, hearty, vigorous, hardy, strong, brisk, forcible.

Zelie de Lussan

One of the World's Most Glorious Singers; a Marvelously Talented Actress and a No Less Winning Woman, Mile Zelie, de Lussan Comes to Us in the Zenith of Her Career.

A song queen of two continents, and the pride of all Americans, Mile Zelie de Lussan, makes her first concert tour with the applause of her triumphant London season still ringing in her ears. At the close of her 14th consecutive engagement at Covent Garden, she immediately sailed for America, her native land, to enter upon her transcontinental concert tour, under the direction of Loudon G. Charlton. Glorious voiced, irresistibly winning in manner and personality, in the prime of her professional career, at every appearance, she repeats on the concert stage her operatic triumphs, both at home and abroad. Her singing alone charms and holds her hearers spellbound.

The piano used by Mile de Lussan's accomplished accompanist is the Weber, prized and praised by all musicians for its sustaining and sympathetic tone quality. The one to be used during her Portland engagement is a beautiful Baby Grand, furnished by Eilers Piano House, dealers in Weber, Chickering, Kimball and other fine pianos. Pianolas, Angliss, reed and pipe organs. Store, Washington street, corner Park. Other large stores, San Francisco, Spokane and Sacramento.

VIRGINIA DREW TRESCOTT
A Former Portland Society Lady Who Will Be Seen Tonight at the Mar-
quan Grand Theatre in Ouida's Famous Play, "Lord Strathmore."SHE MAY HAVE
HAD TWO LOVERSPrincess Louise Is Named by an
Angry Woman.

(Journal Special Service.)

DRESDEN, Feb. 20.—The wife of a prominent dentist of this city has brought suit for divorce against her husband on the ground of unfaithfulness. The Crown Princess of Saxony is involved in the case, and some of the royal woman's history may become public through the trial. The complaint alleges that the wife found letters from Louise of Saxony in the pockets of her husband's coat. Sensational developments are expected if the case comes to trial.

VITAL FORCE

Is Crushed by Chronic Troubles.

One of the most weakening, undermining troubles which mankind is heir to is hemorrhoids or piles. The victim is careless and neglectful of the disease at first because the pain is slight and the bleeding may only occur occasionally, or he may be reassured by the occasional disappearance of the symptoms. And yet if at the very start he had found a rational remedy to soothe the inflammation, he would probably never have had a return of this irritating malady.

Piles may develop at any season of the year, and at almost any age of the victim; the abuse of cathartics often causes this trouble, and a period arrives when the dread of pain at stool becomes so great that the sufferer begins to neglect the calls of nature, and the bowels are either forced to retain the feces or are only partially cleared on account of the suffering attendant upon a thorough movement.

Before you reach this stage use a remedy which removes the cause, thereby eradicating the disease, and that is the Pyramid Pile Cure, which is sold by all druggists at fifty cents a package; it is in the form of a suppository, is applied directly to the parts affected and brings about a complete cure, quickly and painlessly. A double little book on the cause and cure of piles is published by the Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich., and we advise every sufferer to send for a copy of it.

People who have suffered from piles for years are often astonished at the instant relief experienced from the first application. Another important advantage is the fact that any one can use the remedy without detention from business or interference with daily occupation.

"I feel it my duty to recommend the Pyramid Pile Cure, for after suffering ten years with a most distressing form of piles, I am entirely cured, thanks to this remedy. Any one doubting this can write to Margaret Brady, 106 Whitman street, Cleveland, Ohio."

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BLAZE COSTS
MANY LIVESGuests Perish in Cedar
Rapids Hotel Fire.Panic-Stricken People Leaped to
Death from High Windows—
Many Are Missing.

(Journal Special Service.)

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, Feb. 20.—It is feared that many persons met death in a fire that destroyed the Clifton Hotel early this morning.

So far as known there are four fatally injured, 15 less seriously hurt and 20 are missing. There is reason to believe that of the latter several at least were burned to death or suffocated.

The Clifton, which was next to the largest hotel in the city, was crowded with guests far beyond its normal capacity. Many delegates to the State Y. M.

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H. C. BOWERS, Manager.

PITIFUL CASE
ON EAST SIDEWoman Was Sick and
Destitute.Husband Said to Have Left Wife,
and Friends Furnish
Her Food.

NEW PHONE COMPANY.

INDEPENDENCE, Ore., Feb. 20.—At a recent meeting held at Lewisville the Luckiamette Rural Telephone Company was formed and will incorporate with a capital stock of \$1,500. The new company will construct and operate a rural telephone line from Suver to Monmouth, via Airline and Lewisville. J. H. Hawley, B. F. Smith, J. A. Withrow, N. E. Williams and Tracy Staats were elected as a board of directors.

The Southern Pacific Company has brought several car loads of decomposed granite here, and will remove and replace all plank sidewalks and approaches to the depot with the stone.

It's a mistake to imagine that itching piles can't be cured; a mistake to suffer a day longer than you can help. Doan's Ointment brings instant relief and permanent cure. At any drug store, 50 cents.

Destitute and Sick.
"The case is one of the worst I ever

Lying on a bed of sickness at the Riverside Hotel with nothing to eat save what kindly disposed roomers bring her and her child, is Mrs. Mary Peck. Her husband, Harold Peck, has left her, and in addition to the dire poverty to which she is subjected, it is said she is in a delicate condition, and is a sufferer from a dread disease.

The proprietor of the Riverside Hotel, which is on the other side of the river, called at police headquarters yesterday afternoon and related the circumstances to Chief of Police Hunt. The chief could give no relief in such a case, but requested him to come back this morning, which he did. He talked with Captain Gritzmacher, and was advised to go to County Judge Webster for relief for the woman and her child of three years.

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WINNER OF THE
JOURNAL PRIZE

Willie A. Spence, of 645 East Stark street, is the winner of The Journal prize gold watch for the best carrier service for this paper during the month

of January. Young Spence is 14 years of age, and attends the Central School of this city. He won the prize on the following four conditions that were necessary to success:

Largest number of new subscribers; least number of complaints; least number of stops; best collections.

MARINE NOTES.

The schooner John A. Captain Olsen, cleared for San Francisco yesterday with 300,000 feet of lumber.

The Meteor is loading wheat at the Irving dock for San Francisco.

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