

TODAY'S SPORTING GUESTS

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SPOKANE FAIR ANNOUNCES STAKES

RACING ASSOCIATION AT THE FALLS CITY ISSUES THE LIST OF EARLY CLOSING STAKES AT THE COMING MEET - ENTRIES MUST BE IN BY MAY 10.

(Journal Special Service.) Spokane, Wash., March 14.—Robert H. Cosgrove, manager of the Spokane Interstate fair, has announced a list of early closing stakes at the fair. This is a departure which it is hoped will be a drawing card for a large number of owners of trotters and pacers. In former years there have been no early closing stakes, and most of the events have been running races. The idea this year is to have a larger number of harness races, and to this end it was decided to offer early closing stakes for pacers and trotters. Entries are to be in by May 10.

The aggregate stakes amount to \$5,500, and two consolation prizes of \$200 each are offered. This is the largest inducement that has ever been offered in the state.

Following is the list of stakes: Interstate fair stake, for 2:17 pacers \$1,200 Greater Spokane stake, for 2:20 trotters 1,500 The Bolster stake, for 2:10 pacers 700 Chamber of Commerce stake, for 2:13 trotters 700 The Kootenay stake, for 2:25 pacers 500 The Montana stake, for 2:30 trotters 500 The Idaho stake, for 3-year-old pacers owned in the district and Montana January 1, 1904 350 The Oregon stake, for 3-year-old trotters owned in the district and Montana January 1, 1904 350 Two consolation prizes of \$200 each with free entrance will be given to the non-winning starters in the Interstate fair stake for 2:17 pacers and the Greater Spokane stake for 2:20 trotters, on condition that there are eight or more starters in each of the above stakes. Mile heats, 2 in 2, money divided 70, 20 and 10 per cent of the purse.

The running program will not be neglected for harness races, and plans are being made to make it superior to any previous one. There will be just as many events as spectators, and handsome purses will be given.

Already horsemen in other states have begun to make inquiries concerning the fair, and the board has received letters from some in California, Oregon, Idaho and Montana, all signifying their intention of bringing their animals.

Mr. Cosgrove and Howell W. Peel have left for Pendleton, Oregon, to get cattlemen to enter their animals. They will attend a large sale Sunday in which the stock of C. B. Wade, recently in the banking and mining business in Pendleton, were sold.

Commercial bowlers defeated the Astoria Commercial club on the alleys of the local organization Saturday evening.

The score: COMMERCIAL Graham 38 46 41 37 150 Mays 27 44 46 36 153 Wheeler 50 38 61 41 190 Howland 55 55 57 41 209 Killingsworth 42 41 37 34 154 Eckenberger 39 47 61 29 166

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BROKE SHOT PUTTING RECORD. (Journal Special Service.) Ann Arbor, Mich., March 14.—A University of Michigan freshman named Rose broke the world's 16-pound shot putting record by throwing 47 feet 5 1/2 inches Saturday in a contest with the First Regiment of Chicago.

BATTERY A DEFEATS COMPANY C. Battery A won a decisive victory over Company C in the indoor baseball game Saturday evening at the armory by the overwhelming score of 25 to 8.

The score by innings follows: Battery A.....1 0 0 2 2 1 1 8—25 Company C.....2 0 0 2 2 0 0 2—8

MEDFORD TEAM WINS. (Journal Special Service.) Medford, Or., March 14.—The Medford boys defeated the Ashland normals Saturday evening in a hotly contested game of basketball, by the score of 11 to 10.

MULTNOMAH "VETS" HOLD A REUNION. CHARTER MEMBERS OF LOCAL CLUB GATHER AT BANQUET SATURDAY EVENING TO COMMEMORATE THIRTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF CLUB'S FOUNDATION.

The charter members of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic club celebrated the 30th anniversary of the foundation of the club at a banquet given in honor of the occasion at the Hotel Portland Saturday evening.

Of the 200 original members who founded the local club there remain only 52 who still retain their membership in the organization. Those present at the banquet were delighted with the taste displayed by Manager Bowlers in the decoration of the banquet table. The center of the table was made to represent a football field, drawn with every requirement correct in proportion, and on this gridiron were miniature football-players representing the Multnomah and Stanford eleven.

At one end of the field was a driveway, on which was represented a miniature trolley filled with society folk, which was said to represent J. Wesley Ladd and a party of friends rooting for the Multnomah players. At the other end was a miniature lake, on which were several little yachts, so placed as though they were engaged in a race.

The 35 veterans who were present at the reunion were enthusiastic over the elaborate display and heartily enjoyed the evening. The "vets" present were: George L. Bickel, W. M. Calk, W. E. Chapin, George P. Dekum, Dr. Ney Churchman, F. G. Farrell, Felix Friedlander, L. J. Goldsmith, R. C. Hart, George W. Hoyt, H. E. Judge, George T. Myers, Jr., W. T. Muir, A. B. McAlpin, J. W. P. McFall, C. E. McDonald, A. E. Mackay, F. N. Pendleton, R. E. Prael, Dr. James Surman, C. F. Swigert, J. N. Teal, A. L. Upton, D. J. Zan and W. H. Wallace.

The appointment of players as far as it has progressed leaves only one team, the George Lawrence, intact. The other clubs will be filled in with the best bowlers that can be secured in order to make all the clubs more evenly matched.

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Portland and McMenomy, L. C. Keating, J. F. Kelly and P. Kneave. Blake McFalls—Ed Capen, Roy Case, Ed Rutherford, Lynn Burnett, Frank Christianson. Lewis and Clark—Joe Galliard, Harry Watkins, Fred Applegate, Fred Clossett and J. Ford. Willamettes—Sam M. Hamby, Sam A. Vigneux, H. W. Kopp, Jerry Trott, Cal Zilly, F. Armitage, J. Richards.

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TEN PIN BOWLERS FORM A LEAGUE

THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE SEVERAL BOWLING TEAMS MET YESTERDAY AND DECIDED UPON THE RE-APPOINTMENT OF PLAYERS.

The representatives of the seven bowling teams that are now organized met yesterday at the Portland alleys and perfected arrangements for the formation of a ten pin bowling league.

Frank McManning was chosen to act as temporary chairman until the regular election of officers shall take place. The bowlers decided that hereafter all teams participating in a regular match shall not use a player who belongs to another team, and to further this end the best bowlers were apportioned among all the teams in order to place them on an equal footing. Each club may have as many bowlers on its roll as can be secured, but a man once enrolled with a team cannot bowl with another club in a regular contest.

A schedule of games was arranged to cover the period between now and the date of the opening of the prize tournament.

According to the schedule as it stands at present two games will be played every week. This will be the regular program until the league is thoroughly organized, when dates will be added for them with the other clubs. The schedule as it stands at present is as follows:

March 16.—Irvingtons vs. Blake-McFalls. March 17.—Portland vs. George Lawrence. March 22.—Irvingtons vs. George Lawrence. March 24.—Lewis and Clark vs. Schillers. March 30.—Schillers vs. Blake-McFalls. March 31.—Lewis and Clark vs. Portland.

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INDOOR TRACK AND FIELD MEET. (Journal Special Service.) Spokane, Wash., March 14.—Physical Director L. M. Meyers of the Y. M. C. A. has decided to give an indoor track and field meet the last of the present month. The meet is to be held in the gymnasium and will be open to all members of the association.

The principal incentive for the meet is the desire to get the material in the field for the coming triangular meet with the high school and the Houston school. The association is looking for a hard struggle, and will be prepared for it by getting the men into condition.

The events for the indoor meet will be the 100 yard dash, the 220 yard dash, the 440 yard dash, half mile run, mile run, fence hurdle race, vault, running broad jump, running high jump, shotput and other weight exercises.

This will be the first general athletic meet the association has had indoors. On several occasions it has given the athletes a number of number contests, but never the full college schedule. It is thought there will be a large number of athletes try for places on the team.

JEFFORDS BEATS RULIN. Philadelphia, March 14.—Jim Jeffords, the heavyweight boxer from Angels Camp, Cal., had the better of a six-round bout before the National Athletic club of this city, with Gus Rulin, the Akron Giant. Rulin was in poor form.

On account of its frightful bloodiness, Blood Poisoning is commonly called the King of All Diseases. It may be either hereditary or contracted. Once the system is tainted with it, the disease may manifest itself in the form of Scrofula, Eczema, Rheumatic Pains, Sulfur or Swollen Joints, Eruptions or Copper-Colored Spots on the face or body, little ulcers in the mouth or on the tongue, Sore Throat, Swollen Glands, Ringworm, Itch, or Eruptions, and finally a Leprosy-like Decay of the Flesh and Bones. If you have any of these or similar symptoms get BROWN'S BLOOD CURE, immediately. This treatment is practically the result of life work. It contains no dangerous drugs or injurious medicines of any kind. It goes to the very bottom of the disease and cures out every particle of impurity. Soon every sign and symptom disappears, completely and forever. The blood, the tissue, the flesh, the bones and the whole system are cleansed, purified and restored to perfect health, and the patient prepared anew for the duties and pleasures of life. BROWN'S BLOOD CURE, \$2.00 a bottle, lasts a month. Made by DR. BROWN, 936 Arch St., Philadelphia. For sale in Portland only by Frank Nas, Portland Hotel Pharmacy.

SALEM TO MEET MULTNOMAH. (Journal Special Service.) Salem, March 14.—The Illieske club of this city has selected its bowlers for the coming contest with a team from the Multnomah club, which is to take place at the Illieske alleys next Saturday evening. The team is working hard and the club members predict that they will win with ease from the Portland bowlers when they meet. The members selected are: George Hoyt, Louis Lachmund, W. H. Hatch, R. H. Coehow, B. C. Shuckling and J. D. Sutherland. Great interest is being manifested in bowling by all the club members and especially are the ladies interested in this form of amusement and physical exercise, and on Thursday evenings, ladies' night, the fact one monopoly in the alleys and enjoy the exhilarating sport to the full. A bowling tournament is now being arranged by the ladies and they predict that they will soon be in position to smash some of the records made by the sterner sex on the alleys of the club.

MARKSMEN DID NOT MIND THE STORM. The Multnomah Rod and Gun club held its regular weekly shoot yesterday in spite of the rain, and several good scores were made. Caldwell made the best record, breaking 84 out of 100.

Fred Boom of Spokane and H. Howerton of Los Angeles were among the visiting shooters yesterday. The score follows: Shot at Broke, P. Ct. Caldwell 100 84 84 Abraham 100 81 81 Cullison 100 80 80 Eaton 100 80 80 Ellis 100 79 79 Peterson 100 72 72 Lipman 100 70 70 Howerton 100 55 55 McBroom 100 68 68 Remington 100 67 67 Baker 100 66 66 Lougee 100 62 62 Parker 100 55 55 Kalle 100 55 55 Anderson 100 50 50

HERO IS MOURNED BY MANY FRIENDS. Many friends attended the funeral of Sumner Smith, who lost his life in saving little Joe Brown, which was held last afternoon at St. Stephen's Episcopal church. The services were conducted by Dr. A. A. Morrison, bishop of Oregon, and Rev. T. M. Wilson. Walter F. Beebe and L. E. McDonald acted as ushers. The pallbearers were R. L. Gilsan, H. W. Hogue, Harry Corbett, Sanborn Reed, Jesse M. Grogan, William H. Warren, C. H. Lewis and F. H. V. Andrews. The burial was attended by members of the family only. The casket was banked with flowers.

NEW CARDINAL IS IN GAY PLUMAGE. The Portland High School Cardinal, official organ of the institution, for the month of March, is the one of the newest and most perfect specimens of the printer's art that has come from the press in the form of a magazine in this city. It is bristling with excellent special articles, the leading story of the issue being on the Lewis and Clark fair.

This is the first issue under the new management, and is a most creditable number. Recently there was a novel contest for the position of assistant business manager. The person securing the largest number of "ads." was to have that honored place. It was won by Henry Blagden. The contest brought in a large amount of "business," and the issue is full of all manner of advertising. It is the desire of the students to make the Cardinal a paying proposition. The profits are to be used for the purchase of reference books, which are not furnished in this city by the board of education. The circulation of this issue was 1,000 copies.

The editorial, reportorial and business staff of the Cardinal is now composed as follows: Editor-in-chief—Arthur U. Pinkham. Associate editor—Claude McCulloch. Business manager—Irving Potter. Assistant editors—literature—Ruth Crocker, Agnes Rice, Sarah Rogers, Straus Miller, Hope Rodgers, Evelyn Rigler, Dorothy Prosser, Kate Ronde, Elizabeth Kinnsar, Kina McKelvey. Literature—Claude McCulloch. Pictorial department—Eleanor Wesco, Eliot Holcomb, Leo Shapiro. Fraternities—Clara Mastick, Leo Lober.

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SULLIVAN'S SHOW WAS STRANDED

THEATRICAL COMBINATION WAS REPORTED STRANDED AT DERBY, CONN., LAST WEEK, BUT JOHN DID NOT TARRY LONG TO CONSOLE THE MEMBERS OF THE TROUPE. HE DUCKED OUT OF TOWN AND JOINED TERRY MCGOVERN AND JOE HUMPHREYS AT SPRINGFIELD, MASS.

When Terry McGovern was training to fight Young Corbett at Bridgeport over a year ago Sullivan, who was then located in that city, concluded to pay a visit to McGovern's training quarters in the country. John L. arrived at night, and the first thing he did was to knock on McGovern's door. When Terry heard the gruff voice of the former hero of the ring he concluded that there was only one thing to do, and that was to jump out the window. This he did in a hurry.

John next entered Hughie McGovern's room and almost frightened the kid out of his wits. Hughie tried to hide behind a towel, but Sully made a swing at him and the wind blew Terry's illustrious brother down the stairs. Next he paid a visit to Joe Humphreys' apartments and pulled Joe out of bed by the leg. Humphreys was a bit surprised, but greeted Sullivan good-naturedly and then took a running jump for the stairs. Sullivan followed and caught Joe at the bottom. For a few seconds there was a wrestling match that would have made the Terrible Turk turn green with envy, and Joe was almost dead from exhaustion when the familiar bark of the house dog was heard.

The canine was Johnny on the spot and went at Sullivan's trousers like they were a ton of best Sullivan tried to kick the dog, but the latter was out of danger's way and hung on until he had chewed away the broadest part of the big fellow's pantaloons. It was some time before any one ventured near, but after John had left Sullivan's quarters he tendered him the loan of another pair, and Sully again wended his way back to town, vowing never again to pay a friendly visit to the McGovern camp.

DIAMOND GLISTENINGS. Beck is at Bakersfield. Hanlon is playing the hold up game. One week from Thursday the 1904 season opens.

Castro says Portland or the bushes for him. He don't like Hanlon. Hanlon is leaving San Francisco shortly to report at Montgomery, Ala., in the Southern league.

Arthur Anderson expects to leave Portland Monday for Little Rock. He received a wire from Mike Finn, telling him to report at St. Louis.

And Anderson is making a hit in the practice at Frisco. According to those who have watched him work he is much faster than he was last season. Nice work, Andy, keep it up.

"Ain't it a shame, a measly shame," to see the officers at the head of a league, who will stand for a hold up by a man of Hanlon's calibre?

After a peep into the dope book we reckon that we will be able to make Hank Harris' team "go some," even if we do lose Castro.

Mike Fisher has certainly made a ten-strike in adding the giant Overall to the Tigers' pitching staff. The big fellow is one of the best college pitchers in the country, and they usually are able to deliver the goods.

Jesse Stovall has been traded or sold to Detroit by the Cleveland team. Killian, another youngster, goes to Detroit also.

George Reed, last season's manager of the Spokane club, has left for the south, where he is to play during the coming season. The Portland fans will be sorry to see him go.

Beck worked out with the rest of the Browns yesterday and will soon be in playing form. He says he expects to be right for the Chicago game next Wednesday.

Evidently the Portland pitchers are on their mettle this season, for each of the five are anxious to be selected to go against the big leaguers.

One of the most satisfactory developments at the training quarters is the improvement in batting being displayed by Detroy Shea. Manager Ely's confidence in this young player seems to be amply justified.

President Bert has instructed Umpires O'Connell, Colgan and Huston that first baseman Frank Dillon of the Los Angeles team is not to be allowed upon the diamond during any Pacific Coast league contest during the coming season. It seems that Morley will lose Dillon after all.

TACOMA WINS FROM VISALIA. Fresno, March 14.—Mike Fisher's Tacoma team defeated a crack team from Visalia yesterday by a score of 4 to 1. St. Vrain and Graham were in the points for Tacoma, while Overall and Hogass officiated for the Visalia team. Overall pitched a steady game.

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MAYOR SAYS NO NEW INSPECTOR

COUNCIL BUILDING COMMITTEE FAVORS AN INSPECTOR, WHO SHALL HAVE FULL CHARGE OF THIS WORK - MAYOR HOLDS CHIEF CAMPBELL CAN DO THIS.

There is reason to believe there will be an official clash before the question of whether Portland shall have a building inspector is settled. The new building ordinance committee, composed of Councilmen A. K. Bentley and J. P. Sharkey, City Engineer W. C. Elliott, Executive Committee member William Fleider, Fire Chief David Campbell and Fire Marshall W. R. Roberts, favors the creation of the office, but Mayor Williams does not at present.

"I might approve of a building inspector later, or I might even approve of one now, if I saw the need of one at present," said Mayor Williams. "But with our full-paid fire department, I see no reason why Chief Campbell cannot exercise the duties of that office, as he is now doing."

"The city is running under very heavy expense, and the creation of the office of the building inspector would make another salaried position, that, too, there are many who desire to see the office created that they may become inspector."

"As soon as the committee is through with the building ordinance, the matter of a separate ordinance for the creation of the office of inspector will be taken up," said Chairman A. K. Bentley. "It will contain an outline of the duties of the inspector, rules for the issuance of building permits, how the inspector shall be appointed, fees for building permits and to whom they shall be paid, and everything else concerning the office."

After the committee finishes this work it will take up the special ordinance governing theaters, and specifying the equipment. Both of these ordinances will be amendments to the regular building ordinances.

"I consider the section providing for pipe casing holes in basements one of the most important in the new building ordinance," said Chief Campbell of the fire department. "Like many other sections, it was taken from the San Francisco ordinance, and was originated by Chief Sullivan of the fire department of that city. Under the new system firemen will be able to get water circulating through the basements without loss of time, and in cases where the smoke is so thick no man can live in it, the circulating nozzles are the only thing to use. The nozzle is dropped through the casing holes, and when the water is turned on it throws a whirling stream of great volume and force into all sections of the basement. In this manner the fire is sure to be quickly extinguished."

"As buildings are now constructed, it is necessary for the firemen to first chop holes in floors in order to get hose into the basements. It can readily be seen that much very valuable time is thus lost at the outset of a fire."

"The sections providing for bulkheads on docks and wharves are also very strong, and reduce the danger from fire to a minimum. The section providing for fire escapes on the roofs of all buildings in the fire limits is another excellent thing. In this way there is a means of escape from the roof to the side escapes if the passage to the lower floors are cut off."

The Portland Lumber company, the Eastern and Western Lumber company and D. C. O'Reilly have made arrangements for the bulkheads on their docks. The two companies named have begun work on preparations for their improvements. The dock to be built at the foot of Madison street by O'Reilly will be built with bulkheads when begun.

"The new building ordinance will serve Portland's interests for at least 15 years," said Otto Kleeman, secretary of the Architects' association. "We selected the new one from several cities, but principally from San Francisco. All of the others are far advanced for a city like ours. The St. Louis ordinance, for example, if placed in operation here would effectually stop all manner of building operations in the business or fire districts. This is owing to the great cost of structures built from materials like steel that have to be hauled across the continent. The city is not ready yet for iron-clad provisions such as this."

Rents for storerooms are lower in Portland than in any city on the Pacific slope. I travel a great deal, all over the coast, and I have not yet found any city where rents for store buildings are so low as here. Builders cannot afford to construct costly steel or stone and steel structures on this account. The investment is too great for the returns. But within 15 or 20 years these conditions will change. Portland will become in every sense of the word a metropolitan city, and rents will be sufficient to warrant the expenditure of large sums in building."

NO COUNCIL WEDNESDAY. There will be no meeting of the city council Wednesday, owing to the Republican primaries which fall on that day. Mayor Williams said this morning that he hardly expected a quorum, but should there be one present the meeting will doubtless be adjourned to the following day.

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