HUGHES WAS SOLD

Manager McCreedie Refuter Statement of Mr. Agnew of the Seattle Club.

DEAL MADE WITH HALL AND NOT WITH AGNEW

Buck Keith Says Gillpatrick Will Prove One of the Star Pitchars of the League.

A Scattle paper of yesterday contains a flat denial from Business Manager Agnew of the Scattle baseball team relative to Jay Hughes having been relicated to Pertiand.

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Manager Agnew says:

"The rumor that Hughes has signed
with Fortland is without foundation.
The Seattle club has not at any time
thought of dropping Hughes, and that
means that he will be with us must season. His reported connection with the
Portland club and his signing with McCreedie was but an idle rumor."

When asked about the article in question this morning Manager McCreedie
stated: "I did not buy Hughes from
Agnew. I made the deal with Russ Hall,
and have the papers and telegrams to
whow where Hughes has been sold to me
and that is all there is to it. I have
been dealing with the manager of the Seattle team and not with Mr. Agnew."

Secretary Ely had the following regarding the Hughes deal: "Manager
McCreedie purchased Jay Hughes from
the Seattle team, and the deal was made
with Manager Hall as was announced
last week. I believe that is all that is
necessary on the subject."

Buck Estil on Gillpatrial.

A bunch of fans were discussing the relative merits of the eight Portland pitchers who have signed with McCreedie and the majority favored Hughes and Garvin as being the stars of the bunch. Essick, Jones and French came in for some praise, but as Jones was the only one known to the fans and as he pitched for Oakland, this trio was not discussed to any extent.

A couple of the fans had commenced an argument as to which was the better

an argument as to which was the better pitcher Hughes or Garvin when Buck Keith happened along and his opinion was asked. Buck shifted his cigar to the other side of his face and said: "You want to know my idea as to who take the best pitcher Hughes or Gartin.

Ben Elly, the secretary of the Portiand baseball club, has uncarrited a little piece of double dealing on the part of Mike Fisher which may have some influence with President Bert relative to the Bakersfield controversy. In a letter to Mr. Elly regarding the dispute, President Bert states that Manager Fisher told him (Bert) that the Light and Power company of Bakersfield, the owners of the new park, refused to allow

Fisher to break from his contract with Manager McCreedie received a letter from Mr. Goodwin of the Light and Power company in which they state that Mike Fisher is the one who is refusing to cancel the contract.

This morning Mr. Ely sent Mr. Goodwin's letter to President Bert and the letter from Bert to Mr. Goodwin, and in a few days something is expected to drop on one Michael Angelo Fisher.

The Tacoma hot air merchant will find that he is up against the real thing when he tries to run the whole league for his own benefit.

W. H. CHAPIN CHOSEN CHIEF OF CLUBMEN

The Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club Choses Officials for the Coming Year.

Write for particulars.



W. H. Chapin, Charter Member of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club, Who Was Chosen President Last Evening.

JAPANESE PLAYERS TO MEET STANFORD

Baseball Team From the Orient Is Coming to Cross Bats With Americans.

(Journal Special Service.).

Stanford University, Feb. 24.—Arrangements have been completed for two games between the Stanford Varsity baseball nine and a team representing the Waseda University of Japan, which will cross the Pacific to playthe first Japanese American intercollegists have "You want to know my idea us to who is the best pitcher Hughes or Garvin, eh? Well I'll tell you I am out of baseball and I am not going to knock any one, but if you want to dope up the best pitcher on the Portland team, just keep your eyes on George Gilipatrick."

"I am confident," continued Keith, "that you have the star pitcher of the league right in old Gill, and McCreedle made no mistake when he signed him."

Here one of his audience cut in with the remark, "But he has been out of the game for several years."

Buck replied, "That argument don't apply to this case. Joe Corbett was out of the game for five years; Gill has only been out two," and the man who spoke shut up like a clam.

"Don't overlook this man, for he is there, I tell you," said Keith, as he ambled off to one of the dime shows.

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JIM PARR TONIGHT

Wrestling Match Between the Two Stars is Scheduled for New York This Evening.

(Journal Special Service.) New Tork, Feb. 24.—Great interest is manifested in the wrestling match tonight between Frank Gotch, the champion catch-as-catch-can wrestler, and "Jim" Parr, who holds the English championship title. The articles call for a handicap match, Gotch agreeing to throw the British champion twice in an hour or forfeit, the match.

That Gotch is a wrestling marvel is conceded by New York's sporting fraternity. It will be Gotch's debut in New York and the occasion is looked upon agone of the biggest sporting events of the year in the metropolis.

It is generally conceded that he will have to be at his best to beat Parr, who is himself a champion. Part is the most spectacular wrestler in the game today and is regarded as worthy opponent for the American champion. New York, Feb. 24.-Great interest is

At the meeting of the board of directors of the Multhoman Amateur Athletic ciub last evening W. H. Chapin was chosen as president for the ensuing year; T. Morris Dunne was selected as vice-president, and W. A. Robb and A. O. Jones were re-elected to the positions of secretary and treasurer, which had been held by them, respectively, during the past year.

Mr. Chapin, the new president, is one of the charter members of the club, and was one of the first athletes to basaile for the club's supremacy. In the early days of the club he was a member of the football and track teams, and was also a tennis player of note.

The selection of the officers chosen last evening is pleasing to all the club members, who express themselves as being well satisfied.

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BANKERS OUTBOWLED BY ALL STAR TEAM

Losing Team Handicapped by the Loss of Two of Their Best Men.

The All-Stars took the Bankers into camp for three straight games on the Portland alleys last evening. The All-Stars rolled a steady game and deserved to win. The Bankers were handicapped somewhat hy having two of their men absent. They were compelled to take their averages. Withers was the star of the evening and came through with the high average, 196 1-2. He rolled a very steady game. Captain Hanson had the second highest average, 190. Hanson had the highest single game, coming through in his first with 230.

Yesterday was ladles day at the alleys and there were a number of ladles took advantage of it. Among those present were the following: Mrs. Keating, Miss Keating, Miss Lidwell, Miss Kelly, Miss Gertie Churchley, Miss Amy

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Churchley, Mrs. McManamy, Mrs.
Klinger, Mrs. Peterson, Mrs. Lege and
Miss Emery. They all bowled and
some of them made very creditable
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the Russians have turned all villages on
scores. Miss Keating won the prize for
high score, relling the good score of
ments. Both sides are preparing for an

Manager Keating of the Baker theatre and wife and Frank Leake of The Journal and wife visited the alleys last

Totals 870 866 859

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(Journal Special Service.)

Cipcinnati, O., Feb. 24.—The Y. M. C. A. midwinter carniyal, to be held at the armory tonight, promises to be the largest indoor athletic event beld here this season, and the number and quality of the entries indicate that new records will be made. Several hundred athletes have entered, and they represent a large number of the prominent colleges and athletic organizations of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Kentucky. Chicago has sent a large delegation, as have also Louisville, Columbus and several other cities.

RACING RESULTS ON THE SEVERAL TRACKS

(Journal Special Service.)

Los Angeles, Feb. 24.—The bookmakers were hit rather hard yesterday
when three favorites and two well played
second choices won handlily. Gene Handlon, an outsider quoted at 8 to 1, captured the second race. Summary:
Four furlongs—Silver Sue won. Search
Me second, Daisy Brouck third; time,
6:49 %.

Six furlongs—Maxey Moore won,
Aules second, National third; time, 1:fit. Slauson course Gene Handlon won, our Pride second, Nanon third; time,

1:12.
Mile and an eighth—Rough Rider won.
Iras second, Huapala third; time, 1:54%.
Slauson course—Dod Anderson won,
Rubiana second, Joe Kelley third; time,

Six furiongs—Golden Sunrise won.
Buckster Hodie second, Skeptic third;
time, 1:15%.
Mile—The Bugaboo won, Straggler second, Bronze Wing third; time, 1:41%.

At Hot Springs. Hot Springs, Ark., Feb. 24.—Oak Laws

results:

Five and a half furlongs—Annisquam won, Dixon's Test second, Comic Opera third; time, 1:15.

Six furlongs—Samuelson won, Temerity second, Tribes third; time, 1:23-5.

Six furlongs—Simon Kent won, Valesques second, Mordello third; time, 1:25.

Five and one half furlongs—Voltage won, Voltage second, Bravery third; time, 1:15.

Three and one half furiongs—Worth won, Quinn Brady second, Croix third; time, 0:45 4-5.

Mile—Compass won, Applaud of Dawson third; time, 1:51 2-5.

At Now Orleans. New Orleans, Feb. 24.—Crescent City New Orienns, Feb. 24.—Crescent City sultr:

The dual wrestling and boxing tournament that was scheduled for this evening between the Multnoman club of this rity second, Ponca third, time, I:17 4-5, city and the Scattle Athletic club has been postponed until about March 16.

Fifty Thousand Men Go Out in St. Petersburg-Reign of Terror in Interior.

RAILROADS ALL TIED UP CAUCASUS IN REBELLION

Bombardment of Vladivostok Feared-Big Battle Approaching.

(Journal Special Service.) St. Petersburg. Feb. 24.—Fifty thou-sand employes of five St. Petersburg factories are today again out on strike, including the employes of the Putiloff

PREPARING FOR BATTLE.

(Journal Special Service.)
Tokio, Feb. 24.—Oyama reports shelling at points in the vicinity of the Shariver. Collisions between acouting parties continued on February 22 and 23. On February 23 a Russian battery of heavy guns began shelling Lapatai and vicinity.

BORRARD VLADIVOSTOR.

The second set of five games to qualify for the all-star team will begin this evening at 8 o'clock sharp.

The result of last evening's games have been sighted off Viadivostok. It is half and the presence of the boats. may presage the opening bardment of Vladivostok.

EUSSIAN CRUISER RETURNS.

(Journal Special Service.)
Copenhagen, Feb. 24.—The auxiliary
cruiser Russie of the Russian third Baltic squadron, has returned to Libau for
repairs. Her machinery broke down.

KILLS HIS NEIGHBOR AND COMMITS SUICIDE

(Journal Special Service.)

Pollock, Idaho, Feb. 24.—Meager word has been received here of a double tragedy at Goff, Idaho, last night. Fred White shot and instantly killed Tyson Wright, a neighbor, and then turned the weapon on himself with fatal result. The trouble arose over an old feud as to the ownership of land. Both men have families and are well known throughout northern Idaho. The district is so resmote that it is impossible to get details.

BURNED BY EXPLOSION.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Colfax, Wash, Feb. 24.—Charles Van
Soehnen, janitor at the courthouse here,
had his face and arms horribly burned
by the explosion of the furnace while
he was stirring the fire.

Six furlongs—Maxey Moore won, Aules second, National third; time, 1:15. Mile—Huzzah won, Floral Wreath sec-ond, Gold Aga third; time, 1:46 J-5.

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Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 24.—M. J. Dwyer, a local wreatler of note, after losing the first fall in a catch-as-catch-can wreetling match, with Jack Monroe, the Butte miner and heavyweight pugilist, last evening, won the match by taking the last two falls in clever style.

BEID TO COACE HABYARD.

(Jearnal Special Service.)

Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 24.—It is authoritatively stated here that William T. Reid. 701, of Belmont, Cal., will accept the position of head couch of the Harvard football team for the coming sea-WRESTLING MATCH POSTPORED.

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Many cities throughout Russia are in a condition of complete disorder. The strikers are marching from shop to shop and forcing out every workman. Half of the workmen of Libbu age on a strike seriously interrupting the manufacture of military supplies.

The order of the day issued by the Grand Duke Vladimir directs the trial by court martial of Captain Davidoff and three other officers in connection with the agair of January 19, when a charge of grape shot was fired in the direction of the emperor while attending the ceremony of blessing the Neva.

At Klishinett the trials of 31 Christians charged with the murder of Jews during the riots here last year were completed today. Nine prisoners were acquitted and 22 sentenced to a month's imprisonment casch. Under the cagafa amnesty manifesto, these 22 secaped punishment.

At Warsaw a strike of the police is threatened. They receive but \$6 at month and their uniforms. All railroads are tled up and alarming reports are current regarding the intentions and plans of the revolutionary party. Warsaw is threatened with a coal famine and great quantities of perishable freight are being utforly spoiled by delay. The strikers are resorting to violence and have destroyed the great witchboard station outside the city and cut a number of telegraph wires.

In a fight at the Vienna-station at Warsaw, this moraing, a police officer was killed by 2 student. All railway lines are practically tied up and the strike is spreading. The students of the Khrikoff university technical school at Moscow struck today.

The entire Caucasus is in rebellion, troops are besieged and provisional government declared by the revolutionary and every club is fill should be a successive the provisional government declared by the revolutionary and severy club is fill should be a successive the provisional government declared by the revolutionary and severy club is fill should be a successive to the provisional gover

CARS AT ASTORIA

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WIDOW-AND CHILD RESIDE IN PORTLAND

Formerly Employed by Terminal Company But Resigned
Short Time Ago.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Astoria, Or., Feb. 24.—L. F. Roe of Portland was killed this morning at the Astoria railroad yards here. He was employed as a switchman. The Seaside train was being made up, and as the baggage car was being backed onto a coach Roe walked between the cars. He probably detected something wrong with the coupling, although he said nothing to the yardmaater, who stood near by. When yardmaster, who stood near by. When the cars came together Roe threw up his hands and dropped. He died at the bospital an hour later. He was 22 years old. A number of people are seriously thinking. Tonight Mr. Muckley will preach of the human soul. Special on "Confession Unto Salvation." He

Two brothers live at Portland, working as switchmen for the terminal company, and his wife and infant baby also live there. The body will be taken to Port-land for burial.

Roe became a father only one week ago. His wife lives at 85 North Tenth street. He was popular among his fellow employes and well liked by his employers. About two months ago he resigned a position with the Terminal company which he had held for six years, and applied for work at the Astoria & Columbia River railway offices. His application was accepted immediately and he was sent to Astoria as a switchman.

RAGING FLAMES ARE QUENCHED WITH MILK

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Butte, Feb. 24.—A bucket fire brigade in which milk was used instead of water, averting what is believed might have resulted in a disastrous blaze threatening the destruction of a home, is the substance of a story coming from Boulder, a small farming camp north of here. Dairyman D. S. Merrill and a hired man had just completed milking 50 cows when it was discovered that the roof of Merrill's home was aftre.

sentiment second, Simplicity third; time, afire.

No water was immediately available and summoning the assistance of his wife, who with the hired man passed the pails of milk to him, the flames were quenched, though not before the roof had burned through.

AGED MAN KILLED BY FALLING FROM PORCH

Carliand Esces Postponed.

San Francisco, Feb. 24.—Owing to the death of the infant son of Mrs. Charles Dunphy, daughter of Col. Dan Burns, the well-known turfman, yesterday, races at Emeryville were postponed by the California Joekey club.

DWIKE DEFEATS HOWING.

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TOOK POISON TO SAVE FEES IN DIVORCE SUIT

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Butte, Mont., Feb. 24.—Telling his wife that it was the easiest way to save 365, the fees in a divorce suit, August Malchow, formerly of St. Paul, swallowed half an ounce of laudanum yesterday afternoon. As he was careful to let his wife see him take the poison, doctors were called in time to resuscitate him.



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LAW MUST BE UPHELD

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whose duty it is to provide the necessary arrangements, that the direct primary nominating elections law, as enacted by the vote of the people last June, shall be put in operation for the party primaries for our approaching city election, and that we most emphatically discountenance any and all attempts to prevent its full, free and complete operation and trial, and to thereby thwart the will of a great majority of our electorate as expressed by their votes at the polls; and, be it further

jority of our electorate as expressed by their votes at the polls; and, be it further

"Resolved, That our president and secretary be, and they are hereby authorized and directed to take such necessary steps and use all honorable means, to see that said law is upheld and put in immediate operation, in order that the rank and file of political parties may have the opportunity of making their party nominations free from the dictation or control of any machine, ring or bous whatever.

(Signed)—"Tyler Woodward, president; Willis Fisher, vice-president; Charles E. Lockwood, secretary; A. L. Mills, treasurer; W. A. Storey, First ward; John Gill, Second ward; John Driscoll, Third ward; H. H. Northup, Fourth ward; C. W. Nottingham, Fifth ward; B. F. Jones, Sixth ward; W. P. Keady, Seventh ward; H. R. Albee, Ninth ward; N. D. Beutgen, Tenth ward.

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