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MR. C. T. ROBERTS, local manager of the SALEM WOOLEN MILL STORE, has retired from the firm, MR. C. P. BISHOP, the well-known Salem clothing merchant, having purchased his entire interest in the business. In order to raise money, and to clean out a great overstock amounting to nearly \$20,000 WORTH OF MEN'S FINE SUITS, we place on sale today

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RAISING FUND FOR ATHENS TRIP

Officers of American Committee Busy Arranging for Finances to Send Athletes.

MANY CANDIDATES ON THE WAITING LIST

It is Certain That Bert Kerrigan, Parsons and Coe, Winners in Lewis and Clark Games, Will Represent This Country in Their Classes.

The officers of the American committee of the Olympic games are making every endeavor to secure the funds to pay the expenses of the team that is to represent America in the games of 1908. Julian W. Curtis, chairman of the finance committee, has appointed sub-committees in most prominent cities in the United States for the purpose of collecting subscriptions to this fund locally. For the next month at least the committee on the selection of an American team will be kept busy. It is confidently expected, however, that the one selected to go will be made up from the following athletes:

- 100-meter sprint—C. L. Parsons, Olympian club, San Francisco; W. A. Echnick, Harvard university; Clyde Blair, University of Chicago; Eaton, Boston; Queyrouse, New Orleans.
- 140-yard run—F. Waller, University of Michigan; Harry Hillman, New York Athletic club.
- 300-meter run—E. B. Parsons, New York A. C.; James D. Lightbody, Chicago Athletic association; H. V. Valentine, New York Athletic club.
- 1,000-meter run—James D. Lightbody, Chicago university; D. C. Munson, Cornell university.
- The Marathon race—Joseph Forshaw of the Missouri A. C.; Fowler, who finished second in the Boston Marathon race, and the winner of the Chicago Marathon race.
- 120-yard hurdle race—Hugo Friend, Chicago Athletic association; F. S. Catalan, Chicago university.
- Standing broad jump—Ray Ewry.
- Running broad jump—Hugo Friend, Chicago Athletic association; Ray Ewry, J. A. Biller, National Turn Verein of Newark; L. W. Simmons, Princeton university.
- Running hop, step and jump—Tryouts will be held at certain parts of the country and the best men will be selected.
- Running high jump—H. W. Kerrigan, Multnomah A. C., Portland, Ore.; J. W. Marshall, C. Barker of the University of Iowa.
- Throwing the discus—Garrells of Michigan, Coe of Boston and Mitchell of New York; also Parry of Chicago university and A. W. Flaw of San Francisco.
- Throwing the stone (with run and follow)—J. B. Parry of Chicago uni-

WHITMAN FIVE ARE ROUNDING TO FORM

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Walla Walla, Wash., Jan. 26.—The greatest interest is being evidenced in basketball this week. The team is practicing hard in preparation for the next game, which is scheduled to take place with Puget Sound academy of Snohomish next Monday evening. It will be played in Walla Walla. The Puget Sound academy boys are considered one of the strongest teams in the state, and won the championship of the northwest last year. They have all but one of last year's players with them again this year. The Whitman boys are expecting one of the hardest games of the season with the Snohomish team and are sending every entry in an effort to be well prepared. Whitman will have an even stronger team than the one which defeated W. S. C. of Pullman last week, for Captain Reser, who was out of that game, on account of conditions, will be in the game against the Puget Sounders. The next games will be away from Walla Walla, Manager Rigby, taking the team on a northern tour to play a series of games at Colfax, Pullman and Moscow.

Wonder of the Day.

Automatic change and cash registers at Marquim building.

M'CONNELL GETS AFTER WARREN ZURBRICK

Clever Welterweight Claims That He Made Every Suitable Inducement.

To the Sporting Editor of The Journal—I wish to answer Warren Zurbrick's statement in an evening paper, in which he states he will box me for a \$250 guarantee or side bet. I informed Zurbrick when we met to sign articles that I was unable to secure the sum he asked and the club also informed him that it could not see where he was entitled to a guarantee. There was no doubt in any one's mind that the boxers' 50 per cent of the gross receipts would be more than \$250, so I offered to let him have it all if I failed to beat him, but Zurbrick, not caring to mix up with a man the public knew could and would give him a good battle, jumped at the chance to get out of it by demanding what he knew he couldn't get. He states I was offered \$500 to meet him in Los Angeles. Tom McCarey, the promoter of boxing matches in that city, offered me a match with Buddy Ryan for the welterweight championship of the world if I would wait over in his city for two months. I was unable to stay that long and offered to take on Zurbrick. McCarey thought so well of Zurbrick that he offered me a purse of \$150 for 10 rounds. I asked for \$500 and on being asked by McCarey how long it would take me to beat Zurbrick I offered to bet McCarey my end of the purse at even money that I would beat him in five rounds, and he thought I was trying to rob him. McCarey will if asked state that what I have said is the truth. Zurbrick must have gained a wonderful reputation in four months to jump from \$75 purses to asking clubs to guarantee him money. He has fought six men since he has been on the coast and out of the six there is only one who was ever heard of outside of the town in which he met them, and that one was Tracey, and from his statement he has another unknown on his hands now. Zurbrick has failed to prove to the people of the northwest that he is a top-notch and I hope he won't let this chance go to convince them that he is. Respectfully yours, FRANK MCCONNELL.

SPORTING GOSSIP.

Tim Flood and Martin Murphy, who assaulted umpires in the coast league last season, were restored to good standing yesterday by the league directors. The outlook for these two players was not very encouraging, and they may well feel grateful to the league officials for overlooking their hasty actions. Rumor has it that class A leagues may withdraw from the national agreement, with the deposit of one dollar or more, entitling the depositor to an extra 25 cents. This offer is made as an inducement for opening a bank account, which means the nucleus of future wealth. The banks can be obtained from The Journal business office or through The Journal canvassers in the city.

BIG INDOOR MEETING AT COLUMBIA COLLEGE

Greatest Athletic Event in Her History Will Be Pulled Off This Evening.

(Journal Special Service.) New York, Jan. 26.—The greatest indoor athletic meet ever held by the Columbia University Athletic association will take place at Madison Square Garden this evening and it promises to attract an enormous crowd of spectators. Relay races will be the leading feature of the evening's sport, but there will also be a number of individual competitions. The entries are more numerous than ever before, and among them are many of the best sprinters, relay runners and field athletes of the country. The list of events includes a one-mile intercollegiate relay, teams of four men, each man running 440 yards; two-mile intercollegiate relay, teams of four men, each man running 560 yards; one-mile National Guard relay, teams of four men, each man running 440 yards; one-mile athletic club relay, teams of four men, each man running 440 yards; 1,408-yard private school relay, teams of four men, each man running 352 yards; 1,408-yard P. S. A. L. High school relay; 1,408-yard Sunday School Athletic league relay; half-mile P. S. A. L. Grammar school relay; one-mile Columbia Law school, New York Law school and New York university Law school relay; Amateur Athletic union championship races, 300-yard run, one-mile run. Open events—40-yard hurdle scratch, 80-yard dash, handicap, 400-yard run, handicap; one-mile run, handicap; high jump, handicap; 15-pound shot, handicap, and pole vault, handicap. Among the teams and individual competitors entered for the various events are some of the best college and club teams of the country and a number of the fastest runners to be found in any part of the country. It is expected that in some of the events records will be broken.

MULTNOMAH ATHLETES OFF FOR SEATTLE

This afternoon, on the North Coast Limited, George Teller, Burr Wagner, Jack Walsh and Olinar Dranga, representing the Multnomah Amateur Athletic club, will leave for Seattle, where they will compete tomorrow evening against the representatives of the Seattle Athletic club. Manager Edgar Frank, Boxing Instructor Bennick and Wrestler Joe Acton will accompany the Multnomah men. Teller and Wagner will do the most work and Walsh and Dranga will do the boxing stunts for Multnomah. The local men feel confident of carrying off the honors.

WHAT LOCAL BOWLERS ROLLED YESTERDAY

The Oregonians were there in the second and third games of their match with the Jose Villas last evening, taking

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JOSE VILLAS

Jose Villas	(1)	(2)	(3)
Capen	174	184	159
Stubbs	168	169	167
McDonie	145	150	178
Baylund	147	156	174
Ullman	156	206	148
Totals	789	894	821

AMERICAN GUIDES

American Guides	(1)	(2)	(3)
Freeborough	181	167	123
Kalk	167	152	155
Anderson	158	192	121
Duganne	184	113	111
Jordan	148	143	117
Yates	141	157	158
Totals	838	781	773

FINED FOR KILLING BEAVER.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Forest Grove, Or., Jan. 26.—C. Wilson, a farmer living on the Ranes place near Gales creek, was arrested yesterday by Deputy Game Warden Nichols, charged with killing beaver. He was fined \$15 and costs, but preferred seven and a half days in jail.

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M'GOVERN AND NELSON WILL MEET TONIGHT

Unless Authorities Interfere the Two Whirlwinds Will Mix It in Quaker City.

(Journal Special Service.) Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 26.—Unless the authorities interfere or some other unexpected complications arise, Terry McGovern and Battling Nelson will fight six rounds for the championship of the Light Guard armory this evening. The fight was arranged after considerable dickering and after it had seemed several times that it was impossible to bring about a satisfactory agreement between the managers of the two fighters. According to the terms of the agreement Nelson will get 45 per cent of the gate receipts, McGovern only 35 per cent. It is stipulated that both contestants are to weigh 133 pounds at the ringside just before the fight. This condition at first threatened to prevent an agreement, but it was finally accepted, with the proviso that the party violating this condition should pay a forfeit of \$1,000 to the other. Both men have been carefully training for this event and are said to be in excellent condition. Both are confident of their ability to win and the opinions of the experts are divided on the question of superiority between the two men. In the betting Nelson is but slightly favored.

NO MORE MISTAKES.

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