

## NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

## WILDER GIVES GOSS HARD RUN

Makes Gritty Fight in Tourney for Championship of Irvington Club.

## FEW PLAYERS LEFT IN VARIOUS EVENTS

Men's Club Championship, Mixed Doubles and Ladies' Doubles All Completed to Final Round—All But Men's Doubles Finished.

"Dick" Wilder gave Walter Goss a hard run in the Irvington tennis tournament yesterday. Monday the two met in the third round of the handicap singles and Wilder was beaten in three well-contested sets. Yesterday Wilder met Goss in the club championship event and came nearer winning than he did with his handicap.

The match was two of which went to Goss. Wilder captured the first in whirlwind style, 6-3. Goss took a spurt and won the second set by the same score. The next two were the closest. Wilder drove and smashed brilliantly, but Goss' great volleys and his outstanding steadiness brought him out on top by the scores of 7-5, 8-6.

The Goss-Wilder match leaves but two men in the club tourney—Goss and Andrews will meet in the final round Saturday.

**Swing and Herdman Beaten.**

Another strong team was eliminated from the men's handicap doubles yesterday when Swing and Herdman were defeated by Goss and McAlpin in straight sets. The teams played on even terms, but Swing and Herdman were unable to get into the game.

Goss and McAlpin will meet Andrews and Wilder in the semi-finals of the upper half at 5 o'clock this evening.

The women players succeeded in nearly finishing their events. The club championship is now up to the final in the upper half and the semi in the lower. Mrs. Northrup plays Miss Goss today and the winner will play Miss Fording for the championship Friday or Saturday. Miss Fording is the present champion and there is little chance that she will be beaten.

**Ladies' Beach Finals.**

Miss Fox and Miss Fording and Mrs. Cook and Miss Leadbetter are the survivors in the ladies' doubles. Mrs. Judge and Scott and Kenneth McAlpin and Miss Leadbetter are left in the mixed, while Miss Fording, Miss Moore, Mrs. Northrup and Miss Campbell remain in the handicap singles.

The results of yesterday's contests follow:

**Men's singles, club championship—**Semi-finals, Goss beat Wilder, 3-6, 6-3, 7-5, 8-6.

**Men's singles, open handicap—**Semi-finals, Goss beat Wilder, 3-6, 6-3, 7-5, 8-6.

**Ladies' singles, club championship—**Semi-finals, Miss Fording beat Miss Leadbetter, 6-3, 6-4.

**Ladies' singles, open handicap—**Semi-finals, Miss Fording beat Miss Leadbetter, 6-3, 6-4.

**Mixed doubles, open handicap, semi-finals—**Miss Fox and Miss Fording (owe 3-6) beat Mrs. Judge and Scott (owe 3-6).  
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**Today's Schedule.**

10 a. m.—Mrs. Northrup vs. Miss Goss.  
 11 a. m.—Miss Fording vs. Miss Moore.  
 12 p. m.—Mrs. Northrup vs. Miss Campbell.  
 4 p. m.—Wilder vs. K. McAlpin. Cawson and Scott vs. Turner and Rohr.  
 5 p. m.—Andrews and Wilder vs. Goss and McAlpin.

## PUGILISTIC RECORD OF JIMMY BRITT

Born in San Francisco, Cal., October 6, 1900. Height, 5 feet 8 inches. Light weight, 130 pounds.

February 10, 1902—Toby Irwin, won, Oakland, 10 rounds.

February 23, 1902—Tim Hegarty, knock-out, Oakland, 8 rounds.

May 25, 1902—Kid Layvine, knock-out, San Francisco, 8 rounds.

November 20, 1902—Frank Erns, knock-out, San Francisco, 7 rounds.

March 9, 1903—Jack O'Keefe, lost on foot, Portland, 5 rounds.

June 13, 1903—Jack O'Keefe, decision, Butte, 20 rounds.

April 28, 1903—Will Fitzgerald, won, San Francisco, 20 rounds.

November 10, 1903—Charley Siegel, won, San Francisco, 20 rounds.

Nov. 29, 1903—Martin Canale, won, Colma, 25 rounds.

March 26, 1904—Young Corbett, won, San Francisco, 20 rounds.

October 31, 1904—Joe Gans, lost on foot, San Francisco, 5 rounds.

December 20, 1904—Battling Nelson, won, San Francisco, 20 rounds.

May 5, 1905—Jabez White, won, San Francisco, 20 rounds.

July 21, 1905—Kid Sullivan, won, San Francisco, 20 rounds.

September 9, 1905—Battling Nelson, knocked out by Colma, 18 rounds.

May 28, 1906—Tim McGovern, no decision, New York, 10 rounds.

July 4, 1907—Battling Nelson, won, San Francisco, 25 rounds.

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## BIG TRACK MEET IS ON TOMORROW

National A. A. U. Championships to Be Competed for at Jamestown.

## SULLIVAN BARS MANY SEMI-PROFESSIONALS

Frank Niebrich, Lee Talbot, Paul Kruger and A. B. Shaw Are Among Number—California Presents Formidable Aggregation.

(Journal Special Service.)

New York, Sept. 5.—The eyes of the amateur athletic world are on Jamestown, for the National A. A. U. championships are to be decided in Old Virginia tomorrow and Saturday.

The world of amateur sport is to be congratulated over the decision of the A. A. U. that the amateur standing of all contestants in these games must be beyond question. It is to be feared that what may be called professional-amateur has gained too great a footing and there should be no place at all for him. President Sullivan has high ideals on this line, and can be depended upon to do what he can to make American amateur sport amateurs in fact as well as in name.

The ranks of college athletes were given another scare when it was announced that Frank Niebrich, the three-miler of New York A. C., was suspended from the Irish-American club. Fred Rodgers and Guy Haskins, of the New York Athletic club; James Lightbody, of the Chicago Athletic association, and H. L. Coe, of the University of Michigan.

**Many Clubs Suffer.**

Not alone will the local clubs suffer by the movement on foot to discontinue college athletes competing for big clubs during the summer, but out-of-town clubs as well.

The first of the western aggregation to get his was A. B. Shaw of Chicago, who, it was announced, would not be allowed to compete in the national championships.

Niebrich violated the general rules of the Amateur Athletic union by competing at games in Canada without the permission of the registration committee.

The barring of Paul Kruger and Lee Talbot was the outcome of their failure to produce the evidence that they were bona fide amateurs.

The California team, consisting of Albert Plaw, Charles Parsons and six others, is regarded as a formidable aggregation for the Jamestown games. They represent the Olympia Athletic club.

Interest also is felt in the work of Con Leahy and Hugh Murray, the Irish athletes, who will compete at Jamestown. Leahy beat all the world at the Olympic games at Athens last year in the long jump and the high jump, and Hugh Murray, of Dublin, can do 20 feet or more on the broad jump.

One of the most interesting races at the meet will be the mile run. Among those who will compete are James Sullivan, Har-

COAST LEAGUE STANDING.

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Los Angeles	75	57	.571
San Francisco	67	67	.500
Oakland	75	69	.521
Portland	48	85	.361

The Beavers and the Oaks are scheduled to play ball at Athletic park this afternoon. The game will start, as usual, at 3:30. Portland comes back with a summer percentage than the club has had for many weeks.

Portland played Medford yesterday and won by a score of 10 to 4. A record-breaking crowd from all parts of the valley was in attendance and McCredie showed off three of his pitchers—Per-noll, Hartman and Kinella. The amateurs put up a good game, but were unable to hit the Beaver twirlers. They sat safe but twice during the game. The Portland ball players were entertained at a dance Tuesday night and were taken on a fishing trip Wednesday morning.

The baseball writers of the south have not yet learned to spell Pernoll's name. They have much to say about McCredie's youngest youngster, but they all invariably call him Pernoll. All the baseball writers of San Francisco and Los Angeles speak of Pernoll and Hartman as "comers."

Barney Joy has been drafted by the Boston Nationals and the national commission has awarded Long's star Kan-aka twirler to the big league club. While out here Scott Huston offered Long \$3,000 for Barney, but he would not let him go. Now Long gets only \$1,000 for his pitcher.

Kinnella and Carnes will probably be the pitchers in today's game.

The drafting season continues for two weeks. So far the Portland club has

## RUNNING RACES AT STATE FAIR

Governing Board Completes Good Program for Week at Salem.

## PURSES WILL INSURE SUCCESS OF EVENTS

Baseball Games to Be Played Every Morning by Best Teams in State—Silver Trophy Will Be Given as Prize for Champions.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Salem, Or., Sept. 5.—The state fair board has completed the program for the running races to take place during the week of the fair. Since it was definitely decided to prohibit gambling on the race track during the fair, many have considered the success of the running races to be very doubtful, as betting has in the past been an important supporter of such events.

The matter has been taken up by the state board of agriculture, however, and as a result of their labors purses have been provided and entries promised that will probably be secured to take part in these games. A trophy in the shape of a silver cup will be provided for the winner of the championship of the games played during the week.

Arrangements have been made for baseball on the grounds every morning of the fair between the hours of 10 and 12. The games will be played directly across the race track from the grandstand. The leading teams of the state will probably be secured to take part in these games. A trophy in the shape of a silver cup will be provided for the winner of the championship of the games played during the week.

The following is the program for the running races:

Monday—Half mile for all ages, 5 pounds below the scale; purse, \$150.

Tuesday—Five eighths mile, for all ages, 10 pounds below the scale; purse, \$150.

Wednesday—Four and a half furlongs, for all ages, 10 pounds below the scale; purse, \$150.

Friday—Five eighths mile, for all ages, winners at the meeting once to carry 10 pounds extra, twice or more to carry 15 pounds extra. Six and one-half furlongs, for all ages, selling for non-winners at the meeting 10 pounds below the scale; purse, \$150.

Saturday—Three fourths mile, consolation race for beaten non-winners at the meeting, 5 pounds below the scale; unplaced horses allowed \$5 pounds additional; purse, \$150.

Conditions—All running races over half events, except driving, 70, 20, 10. Entrance fee 5 per cent of purse and 5 per cent additional from money winners. Otherwise rules of the Pacific Jockey club to govern.

## NELSON CHALLENGES DOCTOR TO CONTEST

D. H. Volp, a German physician, at present living at the Lenox hotel, Third and Main streets, has been invited to compete in a broadsword contest with Nelson, victor in last Monday's battle with Major Reed. Dr. Volp received his training at Heidelberg and although not so large as the Swede, it is thought will be able to afford a good contest.

Company F, Third Regiment of the Oregon National Guard, has issued the invitation and should it be accepted arrangements for the tournament will be made this evening at the armory. In such contests has grown since the bout with Major Reed and the militia is anxious to see his favorite, Nelson, add other laurels to his record with the sword.

## PORTLAND AND OAKLAND PLAY BALL HERE THIS AFTERNOON

escaped. There's a chance to say something sarcastic.

Hen Berry has released his new pitcher, Bergman, for keeping irregular hours.

San Francisco has a new right fielder, McElroy, who is giving better satisfaction than did big Shaugnessy.

If McCredie hustles for players as Danny Long is doing, there is no reason why Portland need not be in the race for the pennant next year. Among Long's new ones are Zelder and Piper, fielders, and Sawyer, pitcher—all from Winnipeg. The three have not yet reported.

The Boston Nationals are trying to make a third baseman out of Bill Sweet, the former Portland shortstop. The records show that he plays the position creditably, but it is not his natural position.

Tim Flood, who gained much notoriety in the Coast league by his rough-house playing and by getting sent to jail in Toronto recently for abusing an umpire, is slated to manage the St. Paul team in the American association next season, taking the place of Eddie Aschenback. The latter was with the Sacramento team the first year Mike Fisher broke into baseball as manager.

Danny Hoffman, the fleet center fielder of the New York Americans, has been virtually blind in one eye for the last three years as a result of being hit with a pitched ball. For a time Hoffman's life was despaired of, and when he got in the game he found himself almost helpless before a left-handed pitcher, for it was his right eye that was damaged. But now the left eye has accustomed itself to the extra strain, and Hoffman has been hitting and fielding finely this year.

## AUTO DRIVERS MUST PASS EXAM

Men Who Would Pilot Benzine Buggies to Show Qualifications.

## EXCESSIVE DRINKERS ABSOLUTELY BARRED

Mayor Lane Given Power to Appoint Examining Board—Applicants Will Be Taxed \$3 Each and Must Pay Annual License of \$1.

Every person who drives an automobile in Portland except the owner of the machine must pass an examination showing his efficiency under all cases of emergency. This was the sense of the special automobile committee which met yesterday to discuss the Baker automobile ordinance with the autolists. Three hours were consumed in considering provisions of the proposed ordinance and the committee was unable to finish its work.

In addition to requiring an examination board, so that it might contain expert autolists instead of city officials as proposed. Everybody who is required to take an examination must pay a fee of \$3 and will thereafter pay \$1 a year as a renewal of the license.

The ordinance as changed gives the mayor the power of appointing the examining board, so that it might contain expert autolists instead of city officials as proposed. Everybody who is required to take an examination must pay a fee of \$3 and will thereafter pay \$1 a year as a renewal of the license.

Several changes were made in relation to the speed limit. Instead of a limit of four miles in turning a corner the rate has been fixed at six miles an hour. Drivers can go ten miles an hour instead of eight in the fire limits and a maximum speed of 15 miles an hour may be maintained in other portions of the city limits.

The committee will finish its work at the session set for next Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock so that it can be presented to the council the following day.

## MOTORING NOTES

Philadelphia's new autobuses are exact copies of the London vehicles in appearance, but are run by electric storage batteries instead of gasoline.

The Indiana Motor club, of Indianapolis, has obtained a verbal option on a bungalow and cottage at Broad Ripple creek, to be used as a clubhouse.

Of 58,000 tons of rubber produced in the world in 1905 and 1906, more than half, 42,800 tons, came from America, of which 41,000 tons came from Brazil.

For killing a woman in an automobile accident in Germany, 19 year old Emil Eberle, a New York college sophomore, was sentenced to three months in jail.

As a result of troubles experienced by participants in this year's Glidden tour, considerable doubt is expressed as to whether there will be a tour next year.

The expenditure of an average \$2,000,000 a year for the past five years shows how the good roads movement has taken hold of the province of Ontario, Canada.

E. H. Inman, J. B. Connelly and two mechanics recently drove a car from Atlanta to New York, 1,080 miles, in 61 hours, using 164 gallons of gasoline and 6 1/2 gallons of oil.

The Automobile and driving club, of Carrollville, Maryland, a recently formed organization, has taken a lease of property in that city, which it will remodel into an up to date clubhouse.

If every motorist understood how vital important to the life of the car was the lubrication it would not be so generally neglected. The regular use of oil saves repair bills.

The Ontario (Canada) Motoring league is now affiliated with the Royal Automobile club of Great Britain and is engaged in a good road policy, which, if approved by the government, will mean the expenditure of a large sum

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