

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

Attell, Nelson and Ketchel, Bettors' Choice for Approaching Battles.

By W. W. Nazington. (Hearst News by Longest Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Sept. 5.—There wasn't any backing and filling about the selection of Attell and Nelson for the series of world's championship fights to take place during the week. Attell, Nelson and Ketchel were installed as the bettors' choice at the very outset of the betting—before a bet was made, for that matter—and first choices they have remained.

There are some that affect to believe that Attell and Nelson will sell at \$2 to 1 on, as the bookies say, and that Ketchel's backers will have to give 4 to 1 in order to get action. I doubt, however, that it will become as bad as that.

When Moran and Attell signed up it didn't look as though Abe would be a 10 to 1 choice over the Irishman. The impression left by the last fight was that Attell had a narrow escape and his reluctance to look up a second time gave color to the belief that he considered Moran particularly hard game.

Moran's Pound of Flesh. Then, too, the sports remembered how Moran, through some bungling on the part of his trainers, had found himself overweight when the time for going to scales was only a couple of hours in advance and how he had to do road work while the crowd was gathering and take sweatbox treatment in order to get the surplus off.

But the starting price shows that the smart fellows have revamped their opinions. Attell says he was overtrained for the last fight in that he had done too much muscular cramps or something akin to that. The membership of the club is now very close to the 100 mark and includes every motor boat of any consequence on the coast.

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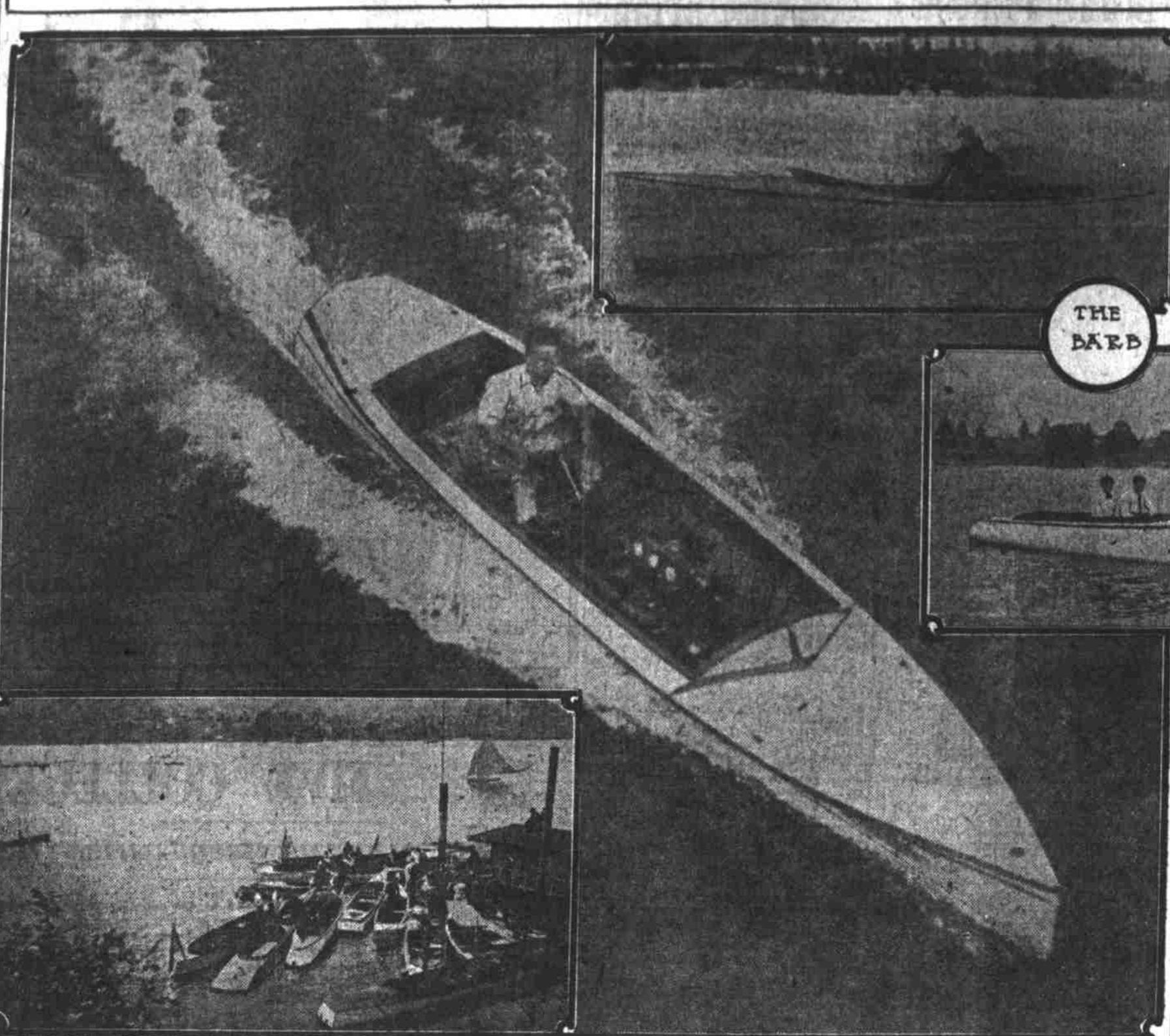
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CRACK MOTOR BOATS ENTERED IN LABOR DAY REGATTA



WAITING FOR NUMBERS.

HAPPY HEINE

The Willamette Motor Boat club promises a very fast exhibition of races to be held on the Willamette river on the afternoon of Labor day. This event will undoubtedly surpass the two previous racing events which the club successfully carried out on the 21st of June and on the Fourth of July last.

The Driscoll Boat company of Astoria will send their now famous "Greenhorn" to wrest the honors from the Happy Heine, the local champion in her class. In addition to these two boats, the event will be entered several boats of unknown speed that will probably cause a surprise and change the name of the local champion.

The regatta will consist of four races, two scratch races and two handicap races, and the course will be between Ross Island and the steel bridge, so that the public may have an opportunity to see the boats from start to finish. A number of valuable prizes have been provided by the following: J. Wesley Ladd, Rierson Machinery company, United Rigging company, Beeman-Woodard company, Ballou & Wright, and others.

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MERELY CHATTER. Bernie Bernard is authority for the statement that the slump experienced by Portland is regretted by every other team in the league. Players on the other three teams would gladly see Portland emerge from the slump and get into the going again. They cannot understand the continual slide of a team that gave such promise earlier in the race.

Cooney executed a daring bit of work in the ninth when he stole second and continued on his way. The little fellow has a knack of stretching into an extra base at the most unexpected moment. It is such work as this that wins games.

Alex Cheyne, a well known local umpire, was given a chance to work with the umpire Ferrine in yesterday's game and gave general satisfaction. Cheyne is the first umpire to be tried out in the north this season. He called balls and strikes while "Bull" took care of the bases. With a little experience Cheyne would be a good man for the coasters. He has good judgment and an excellent eye and can't be bluff.

Only one game will be played between the Beavers and Angels this afternoon. It being the intention to play a doubleheader tomorrow afternoon. Owing to the fact that it is a holiday it is expected the attendance will be almost a record-breaker.

The St. Johns Apostles are getting ready for the games with the great Club today on September 12 and 13, and will meet the Union Meat company team and tomorrow the Forest Grove Colts in preparation for the bigger games.

THOUSANDS SEE MIDDLES TRAIN. Hawk-Eyed Regulars Put Stamp of Approval on Ketchel and Papke.

(Hearst News by Longest Leased Wire.) Los Angeles, Sept. 5.—It is with a quiet sort of anticipation that the Los Angeles pugilistic fans await the calling together of Stanley Ketchel and Billy Papke for the 25-round, middleweight championship contest of Monday afternoon. Within a few hours every southern sport who can secure the coveted bit of cardboard will be packed inside the huge arena of the Jeffries club awaiting the start of the battle.

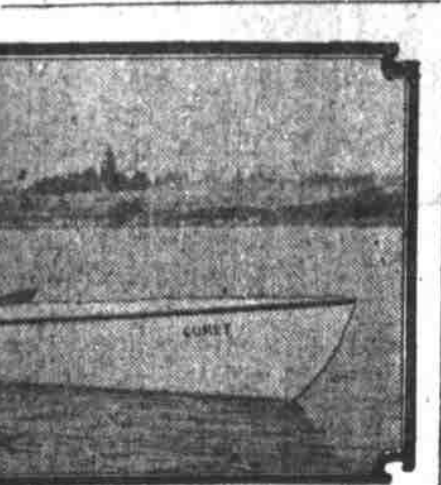
Ketchel and Papke have been in training for 10 days or more, and during this time the quarters of the two fighters have been visited by many thousands of the hawk-eyed regulars. Ketchel and Papke have passed this most right inspection and came through the ordeal with "O. K." tabbed all over them.

Papke is going into the arena a pronounced short-ender in public opinion, but the same public expects Papke to put up a terrific fight. Billy Papke himself and his manager, who men who firmly believe that a new middleweight champion will soon be on his way back to Chicago.

Butte Races. Butte, Sept. 5.—Weather clear, track fast. Yesterday's race results: First race, six furlongs, selling—Jezabel, Miller, 4 to 1, second; Willows (114), Morse, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:15.5.

ALL NORTHWEST TO ENTER HORSE RACES

All states of the Pacific northwest will be represented in the harness races to be held at the first annual meet of the North Pacific circuit here during the week of September 21-25. The late closing events, entries for which will not be accepted after today, will present not under 150 of the finest young and untried horses developed in this part of the country during the past year.



THE COMET

which will offer a number of likely contenders at the local meet.

The entire list of entries which will take part in the harness races of the Western Washington fair at Seattle this coming week will be sent to Portland, North Yakima, where the Washington state fair will be held the end of the month, has forwarded a classy selection of speeders for the local program.

From California will come a large number of horses which have shown good form in tryouts on the various training tracks as well as a complete card of the star performers of the southern circuit. The latter class has been put into their fine fettle at the various race meets which have been held down below so that they will come to Portland trained right down to the very minute of perfection, and with all chances in favor of their lowering their marks set so far as the coast is concerned.

Sheephead Bay Races. (Hearst News by Longest Leased Wire.) New York, Sept. 5.—Sheephead Bay results: Six furlongs—Rose Ben (Garner) won, Tom McGrath (Gibert) second, Edmund (W. Miller) third. Time, 1:19 2/5.

Not Troubled With Intelect. From the Success Magazine. A physiologist came upon a hard-working Irishman toiling, bareheaded, in the street.

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MAY TRADE CHASE FOR HARRY DAVIS

Hal May Go to Philadelphia Americans—Players Explore Portland Slump.

New York, Sept. 5.—A baseball deal involving Hal Chase, first baseman of the New York Americans, in exchange for Harry Davis, captain and first baseman of the Philadelphia American league club, has practically been consummated by President Farrell and Manager Mack of the Quakers. The terms of the deal are not known but it is expected they will be announced soon.

Monday's Race Entries. Seattle, Sept. 5.—Following are the entries for Monday's races: First race, six furlongs, selling—Mamerto (110), Frieze, Ornate, Lula G., Roulan (107), Minnie Bright (103), Haxlet (105), Cosset (98), Angelface, Roy (107), Dredkin, Lookout (84).

Results at Montreal. Montreal, Sept. 5.—Race results: Six furlongs—Belle of the Ball, 6 to 1, won; Gerry Mander, second; Peacock's Choice, third. Time, 1:18 4/5.

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STANFORD'S RUGBY SCHEDULE FINISHED

Cardinal Varsity Arranges Ten Games With Fast Clubs on Coast.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Stanford University, Cal., Sept. 5.—Graduate Manager J. E. Stewart has arranged the schedule of games to be played by the Stanford team this year. After a series of negotiations extending from last season Stewart has finally secured games with all the teams which were on the list for last fall and in addition has made arrangements for three games with the Olympic club of San Francisco.

The varsity schedule is as follows: Saturday, September 19—Varsity vs. Barbarians, at Stanford. Saturday, September 26—Varsity vs. Olympia, at Stanford. Saturday, October 3—Varsity vs. Barbarians, at Stanford. Saturday, October 10—Varsity vs. Olympia, at Stanford. Saturday, October 17—Varsity vs. University of Nevada, at Reno. Saturday, October 24—Varsity vs. University of Nevada, at Reno. Saturday, October 31—Varsity vs. Vancouver (B. C.), at Vancouver. Saturday, November 7—Varsity vs. Berkeley, on the California field.

Seattle Races. Seattle, Sept. 5.—Weather clear, track fast. Results of yesterday's races: First race, six furlongs, selling—Anna May (118), Russell, 3 to 1, second; Time, 1:17 3/5.

Tire Expense Reduced 25 to 40 Per Cent. We Announced These Reductions on Sept. 1st. Our Competitors Are Vainly Trying to Meet the Cut. FIGURES TELL THE TALE. 28x3 Casings... \$14.05 Tubes... \$ 3.50. 30x3 1/2 Casings... \$22.20 Tubes... \$ 5.05. 30x4 Casings... \$30.00 Tubes... \$ 6.15. 32x4 Casings... \$32.25 Tubes... \$ 6.55. 34x4 Casings... \$34.50 Tubes... \$ 6.80. 34x4 1/2 Casings... \$43.75 Tubes... \$ 8.50. 36x5 Casings... \$56.95 Tubes... \$10.60. Other sizes in proportion. These prices apply to GOOD-RICH or MORGAN & WRIGHT clinchers, quick detachables or DUNLOPS. We can save you money on auto supplies. BALLOU & WRIGHT 86 SIXTH STREET

IMPORTANT NOTICE! To All Auto Owners: I wish to state that from now on all repairs on inner tubes will be 75c for the first patch and 50c for each additional on the same tube. "Firestone Tires" R. H. BUDGE 310 Alder Street, Portland, Or.