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AUTO POINTS WAY TO COEY'S FAME

Chicago's Great Dealer Has Life Story Reading Like Romance.

The story of the life of Charles A. Coey of Chicago, bicyclist, motorist, balloonist and all round sportsman, who participated in the balloon race from Lexington park, St. Paul, last summer reads like an Arabian Nights tale adapted to a Jules Verne setting. From a humble home in the wilds of New York state to a leading position in the automobile and special world of Chicago in less than a score of years, shows that energy will win a way to success, and it is to these traits Coey can attribute his present standing. Coey started as a commercial climber at the age of 14. He accepted a position in New York city as office boy in a soda water accessories factory and in less than a year he was general superintendent. A year or so later he went west to grow up with the country, landing in Washington. Here he became cashier in a bank, a position he held for seven years. During this period he made his first stride toward amassing a fortune. Through doing a great deal of road riding on his bicycle, he became interested in a plan whereby the rough roads could be avoided by taking advantage of the railroad tracks. He invented what is known as the Coey bicycle attachment. This invention has yielded an annual income of more than \$6000.

When the automobile began to supersede the bicycle, Coey became one of its first exponents. In 1901, he purchased an automobile for his own use, it being one of the first in Chicago. Coey was the first to introduce taxicabs into Chicago, and he now claims to own the largest livery in the world.

His Big Returns.

In addition to his income from his bicycle attachment, Coey averages a net return of about \$20,000 a month from his automobile livery company, automobile agency and sales department, all about the same amount. His name in Dun & Bradstreet is followed by the significant reference "A 1." Coey has had, of late years, much publicity. Some of this has been sought. Other matters that have kept him in the lime-light have been unthought. About a year ago there was an unfortunate affair in which a woman he befriended took her own life and was followed into eternity by her married lover. This, and a recent fire, which destroyed the garage of his automobile livery in which his loss was reported to be \$500,000, has been the basis of some reports which lacked proper verification. As a matter of fact, Coey's loss in the fire was about \$30,000. He has not his personal credit in various banks of Chicago \$250,000.

DRINK TASTE IS STILL IN MOUTHS

Papke-Ketchel Money Arrangement Sometimes Responsible for Swindle.

By W. W. Naughton.

San Francisco, Nov. 28.—The Papke-Ketchel bout has left the best of tastes in the mouths of some of those who witnessed it, and it is scarcely to be wondered at. When word came from Chicago that the two pugilists had been arranged to meet in this city, the public was shocked. The arrangement was made in a most unscrupulous manner. The two men were both known to be swindlers and were known to be in the employ of the same man. The arrangement was made in a most unscrupulous manner. The two men were both known to be swindlers and were known to be in the employ of the same man.

TINKER ADIRTS HE'S AN OREGON

Famous Shortstop Coming to Oregon With Show-Plans of McCredies.

Portland will have a chance to take another peek at Joe Tinker, the great favorite and speedy shortstop of the championship team of 1901, this fall when he appears in a leading part in the college play "Brown of Harvard." Joe was a prime favorite with the fans here that championship year and did as much to win the pennant as he has done to win three pennants for the champion Cubs. Tinker's great sliding acts, that once set the crowd wild with delight and it will seem like old times to have the great shortstop sauntering around the streets again.

HORSE SHOW DRILL BY MOUNTED POLICE

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Chicago, Nov. 28.—A drill by a squadron of the city's mounted police was the opening feature of the first night of the horse show that will be held at the Union stockyards while the international show is under way. Big crowds attended the opening of the exhibition and the mounted police were shown in the exhibition. The show tonight was given over to contests between the mounted police and the women. A woman's driving contest was one of the features. The entertainment closed with a drill by a troop of cavalry from Fort Sheridan. Thousands of exhibits have been received and the number of exhibitors breaks the record.

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BAT'S THE BOY, SAY G. O. P. ALDERMEN

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Chicago, Nov. 28.—Chicago's Republican aldermen are preparing to gather in Easting Nelson's corner of the city in case he succeeds in his battle against Patrick Monahan in the Eighth ward, the Republican nomination for alderman.

SANTA ANITA PARK RACE TRACK RESULTS

Santa Anita Park, Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 28.—Results: Five and a half furlongs—Ravaria won, Translucent second, Sonato third; time, 1:08 4-5. Home Crest won, Tom Reed second, Enfield third; time, 1:13. One mile—Alms Boy won, Husky second, St. Leo, third; time, 1:29 2-5. Mile and a furlong—Stanley Fay won, Vox Populi second, Lotus Ester third; time, 1:37 2-5. Seven furlongs—Bellincker won, Janeta second, Nattie Bumpo third; time, 1:26. Five and a half furlongs—La Gloria won, Lord Nelson second, Fleming third; time, 1:08.

Emeriville Results.

(Hearst News by Longest Leased Wire.)

Emeriville, Cal., Nov. 28.—Results: Six furlongs—Boas, 7 to 5, won; Billy Bowlegs, second; St. Joe, third. Time, 1:15 1-5. Six furlongs—Eller, 15 to 1, won; J. C. Core, second; Silver Stocking, third. Time, 1:15. Mile and 70 yards—Billy Pullman, 16 to 5, won; Deutschland, second; Fred Bent, third. Time, 1:47 2-5. Mile and sixteenth—Cressina, 5 to 1, won; W. T. Overton, second; Tony Faust, third. Time, 1:47 2-5. One mile—Mabel Hollander, 13 to 10, won; Elevation, second; Bellincke, third. Time, 1:44. Five and a half furlongs—Anna Daley, 11 to 5, won; Toll Box, second; Sainvok, third. Time, 1:08.

Turf Situation Brighter.

(Hearst News by Longest Leased Wire.)

Memphis, Nov. 28.—After visiting New Orleans and Hot Springs to look into the racing situation, Rome Respass, who is interested in the race tracks at both places, expressed the opinion here tonight, while en route to his home in Cincinnati, that "things would surely brighten up with the coming of the new year."

SEXOGENERIAN WILL RACE MARATHON STAR

(Hearst News by Longest Leased Wire.)

New York, Nov. 28.—The intense doxy of Dorando who beat John Hayes last week, that he is willing to meet any man in the world at any distance from 25 miles upward, has brought a swift change from John Hayes' name to the old time distance runner, who is over 60 years old.

FIFTY-MILE RUNNER STRIKES PORTLAND

H. M. Huber of Seattle, known as "Reindeer Bill" of Yukon fame, arrived in Portland yesterday, and is out with a challenge to anybody in Oregon to run a 50 mile go as you please race for a side bet. Huber is 43 years of age, has been a runner since he was a boy, and that extends all over Alaska. He has a record of covering 60 miles on foot in eight hours and 12 minutes, finishing second in the Alaskan race of the winter of 1905 to Wada the Jap, who did the distance in seven hours and 13 minutes.

THIRD CHURCH DOWNED BY HAWTHORNE STARS

An interesting game of football was played on Ladd's field yesterday afternoon by the Hawthorne Park team, defeated the Third Presbyterian church team, strengthened by several inter-scholastic players. The Hawthorne team, in the first half lost the game for Third, and once the Hawthorne players were started there was no stopping them.

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THE BLISSARD IS COMING

Buy your coats at the Palais Royal and be warm and save dollars. 175 Washington street.

FOREIGNER IN MOUTH

What did we see? Rather a mild-mannered fellow, it appeared to me. Papke excused himself on the score that he couldn't get started, but from what I saw of the proceedings the thunderbolt acted as if he felt the other man acted too well.

BASEBALL TEAMS INCOMPLETE

Although the impression has been given that the make up of the two baseball teams which will represent Portland next year is practically completed, such a thing is far from so. Big Mac is very much up in the air as to what the lineup of his teams will be and has only just decided that Percy Casey will be next year manager of the Northwestern league team.

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Multnomah club's crack basketball team decisively defeated Pacific foot team in the club "gym" last night, 45 to 8, in the first game of the state league schedule between the two teams. Pacific showed a lack of condition, while the clubmen were going strong all the time.

A large crowd saw the opening game. The star plays were made during the game. Both teams did good steady playing, but the Grove boys seemed to exhibit the more ginger in their work.

Forest Grove a Winner.

Forest Grove, Or., Nov. 28.—In a scrappy game of football this afternoon on the University grounds the Forest Grove High school defeated the Oregon City High school by a score of 11 to 0.

Title Guarantee, Oregon Trust accounts and German-American certificates bought at the highest cash price; also Home Telephone bonds, John Bros., 180 First street, corner Yamhill.

25 per cent off on watches at Metzger's, 242 Washington street.