

SPORTING NEWS

Ring, Track, Field, Diamond

OF THE WORLD

WHAT THIS CHAP DID TO DAN LONG WASN'T SLOW

Ever hear of the time Pearl Casey put the manager of the Seals, the president of the Pacific Coast league and the principal owner of the San Francisco club, to rout? Well, he did, and thereby hangs a tale.

It was along about the middle of the season of 1908 with Portland and San Francisco fighting for second place and Los Angeles leading by a small margin. The Beavers had just left Los Angeles, where Frank Dillon had given Captain Casey a few pointers on what was going on back of the catcher's box at Recreation park.

What Dillon told Casey was this: "Silver Tip" had detected Danny Long, the plate clothes manager of the Seals, quietly giving signals from the grandstand, apparently aided and abetted by President Irving, with Frank taking necessary before the fact.

Charged with this "inside info" the very young person in command of the Beavers when they were on the ball field, called "Bull" Perine, the umpire, to one side and slipped him the tip.

"Let 'em start 'gumpin,'" bellowed Perine in Moore's auditory appendage. "I'll keep 'em eye on 'em, too, and when you say the word the whole three of 'em go out of the lot."

That was enough for Casey, and just before the game began he sauntered over to the private box occupied by the tri and chirped:

"I'm next to you blokes, and I'm waiting for you to start off."

Well, to make a long story short, Casey always believed they saw him take Perine to one side, for they never so much as opened their traps during the rest of the day and Pearl's unclassified but nevertheless effective pronouncements put a stop to the signaling for the rest of the series.

POLICEMEN SMOKER SLEN DID SUCCESS

Five Hundred Guests See Many Amateur Boxing and Wrestling Matches.

The first public smoker given by the Portland Police Athletic association last evening was a distinct success, and fully 500 square-foot enthusiasts of the city were at hand. A good card and the hospitality of the police athletes were the crowning features of the evening's entertainment.

Interest centered around the match between Lawrence Madden, champion heavyweight of the city, and "Duke" Evans. Both men are members of the department and belong to second night relief. Evans was a surprise to his fellowmen as well as the boxers of the city. For three rounds the two big policemen mixed it in fine shape. In sixth round, feet and hand work made the go as classy as any that has ever been witnessed in Portland. While Madden is considered a veteran, the work of Evans is taken as an indication of what he can do to Madden with a little training. No decision was given, but Evans came out with favors.

Proes in Exhibition.

Danny O'Brien and Ned Whitman, two boxers who will appear before Oregon Athletic club January 20, went on for four rounds. Danny came up to his usual style. Ned Whitman was a good match. No decision.

The burlesque match of the card was between Ben Wade, the tallest policeman in the department, and "Mysterious" Billy Smith. Since "Mysterious" Billy has dropped training as in the days of his usual style, the match was a comedy, and especially around the top of his fighting suit. The match was veritably a wind and grunting match. Wade is considered one among the most clever boxers in the association.

"Strangler" Smith threw Professor Elzy two straight sets. The wrestling was good. Patrolmen Gustafson and Post wrestled 15 minutes, and the match was declared a draw.

"Shorty" Duvall and Patrolman Stone wrestled 10 minutes, in which time the policeman considered his opponent's work entirely too rough, and gave him the match. Duvall was exceedingly rough.

HONEYMAN TOSSERS VICTORS IN 11 INNINGS

In one of the best played games of the season last night the Honeyman Hardware company took Columbia Hardware company into camp by the score of 16 to 15 in an 11 inning game, the first extra innings played in the league.

Henderson was hit hard at times, but kept them scattered.

Backus for Columbia was in fine form, striking out 14 men and allowing but 14 hits, while Henderson struck out 15 and 22 hits were made off his delivery.

The features of the game were the hitting of Langford, Duffer, Buzz Royle and H. McFale.

Two base hits were made by Pembroke, Manager, H. McFale, Langford and Anderson. A double unassisted was pulled off by B. Beagle.

CHINESE POOL EXPERT WILL GIVE EXHIBITION

Professor Charles E. Blodgett of New York will give a billiard and pool exhibition and lecture at the Midway, 246 First street, Saturday night, 8 p. m., free to all comers. Professor Blodgett will tell the origin and history of the game—Chinese pool game—how to make the billiard balls perform peculiar and unique stunts.

This Date in Sport Annals.

1856—William T. Devereux, a noted professional billiard player, died in New York.

1890—At San Francisco, "Spider" Weir knocked out Billy Murphy of Australia in fourteenth round, for championship belt and purse of \$2500.

1895—At Philadelphia, Professional Cycle Racing association organized.

1904—At Boston, "Honey" Melody defeated Matty Matthews in 12 rounds.

1908—University of Michigan retired from the "big nine" conference.

It is rumored that a deal is on between Cincinnati and Pittsburgh which will result in Vic Willis going to the Reds and Bob Spade to the Pirates.

COMMERCIAL PLAN FOR "SEMI-PROS"

Tri-City League May Have Eight Clubs Next Season in Field.

With all the earmarks of as prosperous a season as in the first year of its existence and a tendency to return to the old system of commercial representation, the Tri-City league will open its schedule the last weeks of April or the first of May. At an enthusiastic meeting last night, this much was evident.

While the object of the meeting last night was to clear up the business of last year, it was also utilized to discuss plans preliminary to the annual meeting, February 8, Vancouver was awarded the championship pennant for 1909, and Woodburn was also awarded a pennant for winning the championship in 1908.

Applications were received from several towns desiring admission into the league. Charley Moore is anxious to begin in with a team representing Portmouth. The Aberdeen second baseman will not be in professional baseball another year, and with Francis L. McKenna is booming that district for a team.

Charley is popular enough to draw most any crowd. When he was at St. Johns two years ago, it was nothing to have a crowd of from 800 to 1600 on Sundays.

Woodburn will be in the league again, as will Vancouver. Forest Grove will return and Hillsboro is knocking at the door. The Sellwood Commercial club would finance a team in the league, and Dillworth, the east side clothier, has asked for a franchise.

There are enough applicants for a six team league and it may be possible that the league will be expanded to take in eight clubs. Locally the clubs will represent commercial houses, that being considered the best plan from a money-making standpoint.

The Portland Coast league club has offered the use of the Vaughn Park grounds, and an effort will be made to secure the Catholic Young Men's club grounds on the east side for games while the Coasters are at home.

BURNS BEATS O'NEILL; EDWARDS HURTS HAND

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Oakland, Cal., Jan. 13.—A hard punch and 30 pounds disadvantage in weight proved too much for Tim O'Neill of Denver, last night, and Jack Burns, the Salinas, Cal., heavyweight, was given a decision over him in a 10 round bout at the Oakland Wheelmen's club. Burns dropped O'Neill in the third round and the Denver boy took a count of eight. He was on his feet again, however, and made a remarkable showing against his heavier opponent during the rest of the fight.

Although groggy at times O'Neill managed to keep his head and fight his way out of tight places. Eddie Smith refereed.

Frankie Edwards, who was to go 10 rounds with Johnny McCarthy, was unable to appear on account of an injury to his hand sustained during the training. Alf Perry was substituted and fought McCarthy to a draw. The preliminary was tame.

Kid Scaler Goes Back.

Kid Scaler, the Spokane lightweight, who dropped off in Portland on his way home from California, was overtaken by a message here yesterday asking him to meet Danny Goodman at Sacramento, January 21. He left for the south on the 7:45 o'clock train.

Water Turned Out.

Owing to a misunderstanding the water was let out of the Y. M. C. A. tank yesterday and could not be refilled and heated in time to have the Bible class treat, which was scheduled to be held last night. However, it will be held tonight at 8 o'clock.

Roger Bresnahan and his Cardinals had the best of the baseball patronage at St. Louis last season, but now that Jack O'Connor is to lead the Browns, Roger will have to go some. O'Connor is one of the most popular players that ever wore a St. Louis uniform.

Journal want ads bring results.

WILL BOXER'S MITT PREVENT LONG GO?

Oregon Club Promoters Think Frankie Will Be Ready to Meet Louie.

Will Frankie Edwards' injured hand, which prevented him going on with McCarthy at Oakland last night, also interfere with the plans for his exhibition with Louie Long before the Oregon Athletic club January 20? Edwards telegraphed yesterday for his ticket and said in his telegram that he would start north as soon as he arrived. He mentioned nothing about the injured hand told of in the dispatches. The Oregon club believes Edwards will be all right January 20.

This is probably the hand he hurt while training with Jimmy Carroll at Tracey's several weeks ago. It pained him much then, but he did not allow it to prevent his meeting Danny O'Brien. Louie Long and Jean West boxed three two minute rounds at Tracey's yesterday afternoon before a large crowd of spectators, among them several Portland sports, with whom Long is immensely popular.

The Oregon club card is the largest yet attempted here and calls for 36 rounds of milling, segregated as follows:

Spike Hennessy, the clever chap whose awful kick did for "Bug" Roach at the recent Rose City smoker, has been pitted against Ted Whitman, the Calgary lightweight. They will go 10 rounds.

The preliminary will be between a couple of colored boys, Dick Rhoades of Chicago and Lou Hubbard of Omaha, who will go six rounds.

Y. M. C. A. LEAVES INDOOR LEAGUERS

Absence of Players and Not Pique Cause of Association Retirement.

The Y. M. C. A. indoor baseball team has withdrawn from the indoor league and will not play the two games remaining on the schedule. This action was taken yesterday.

Assistant Physical Director Lee says that the lapse of the team was due to the fact that McKenzie, the pitcher, had left for Aberdeen to remain, and James Niece, the catcher, had an injured hand. Niece intends playing outdoors next spring and was afraid to take any chances with the sore member.

Several members of the indoor league were disposed to criticize the association for dropping the game at this time. They declared it to be pique because Niece was removed from a game last Friday night. Locally the clubs will engage to Umpire Marlas. However, Mr. Lee says this had nothing to do with the matter, as he would have removed Niece had he been in the same position as Marlas. Lee says there has been no interest in the game at the Y. M. C. A. and did not believe that twice during the season the same team has represented the association.

SPORTS OF ALL SORTS

The cornerstone of the big grandstand at the new White Sox baseball park in Chicago will be laid on March 17.

President Fogel has gone to Southern Pines, North Carolina, to make arrangements for the Quakers' spring training.

"Cy" Young, Hans Wagner and Larry Lajole have all entered fancy birds in the poultry exhibit at Youngstown, Ohio.

Bert Keyes has started training and wants to meet any lightweight in the game.

Governor Warner has put over the "Governor Hughes jolt" on boxing in Michigan.

Harry Lord has just signed with the Boston Americans and will be captain of the Red Sox again during the coming season.

Billy Laudor, former third baseman of the Giants, has made an application for the position of baseball coach for the Yale squad.

Frank Isbell will not be with the Chicago White Sox during the coming season. "Izzy" intends to manage his Wichita team.

Catcher Ossie Schreck, who made Rubie Waddell famous, is said to be tagged for release by the Columbus, Ohio, baseball club.

If Manager McAleer can put through a trade with Conley, Pitcher Doc White will wear a Washington uniform during the coming season.

The Boston Poultry association will give two silver challenge cups, each worth \$100, for the best Wyandottes on exhibition at their show to be held on January 11 to 15.

Vancouver Rowing club's new eight oared shell will make the voyage around Cape Horn, coming from England and it will arrive next spring and will be the first eight oared shell in the far west of Canada.

University of Missouri will enter team in two mile race at University of Pennsylvania relays in April. It will be the first institution west of the Mississippi to enter team in meet.

Jose R. Capablanca, the Cuban chess champion, who defeated F. J. Marshall by a score of 8 games to 1, will show his ability in Europe. On his recent six weeks' trip through Canada, the middle west and south, journeying as far as New Orleans, he played in all 480 games, most of them in simultaneous exhibitions, but including some offhand games and a few by consultation and his record comprised 446 victories, 15 losses and 19 drawn games.

OH, YOU BENEDICTS! DON'T LET HER READ THIS STUFF

Kid Elberfeld, citizen of Garret Park 33d., and third baseman of the Washington Americans, gave Mrs. Elberfeld a Christmas present of \$125. The sum was turned over bright and early on the morning of Christmas day, and was in 5 cent pieces.

On Christmas day, 1908, Mrs. Elberfeld was presented with \$120 by her better half. That time the money was in pennies. During the coming year the ball player's wife will be given probably a larger sum in denominations of 10 cent pieces.

Two years ago, Elberfeld decided that he would buy a good sized savings bank and each night would empty into it all the pennies he had collected in change during the day. He religiously kept this up for one year, and on Christmas presented the bank to Mrs. Elberfeld as her Christmas gift. The sum, \$150, exceeded his expectations by many dollars, and the scheme worked so nicely that at the beginning of 1909 he decided to raise the ante to 2 cents and saved up \$125. This year, if all goes well, he will contribute his 10 cent pieces, and next year, well—he will probably hike up the amount to nickels and dimes, as he expects to have a prosperous season.

Who said the Kid wasn't thrifty and original? Here's hoping he hits 350 in prosperous season.

FISIC RECORD OF BEST KNOWN BOYS

Philadelphia Leads in Matches With Willie Lewis Winning Most Fights.

Below is a record of fisic events of the year just ended. Only those pugilists who fought at least five times are considered. Johnny Willetts of Philadelphia did more fighting than anyone in the game, having taken part in 33 battles. Willie Lewis, the welter, now in Paris, won more battles than any other one boxer. A correct compilation follows:

Pugilist.	Bat's.	W.	L.	Dec.	D.
Johnny Willetts	33	12	1	19	0
Young Long	29	1	18	9	1
F. Dick Nelson	20	5	1	13	1
Ad. Wolgast	19	4	0	13	1
Willie Lewis	17	16	0	1	0
Young Ernie	17	1	14	2	0
Frank Klaus	17	10	0	7	0
Charley Goldman	17	8	0	7	2
Henry Lewis	15	15	0	0	0
Abie Attell	15	6	2	7	0
Ray Bronson	14	5	1	7	0
Joe Jeanette	13	9	2	1	0
Young Britt	12	5	1	6	0
Tommy Murphy	12	5	1	6	0
Jimmy Clabby	12	7	1	2	2
Sam Langford	11	6	0	4	1
Matty Baker	11	4	3	2	2
P. Brannigan	10	0	11	0	0
Fred Welsh	11	7	0	3	1
Battling Hurley	10	1	0	8	0
Mickey Cannon	10	4	0	6	0
Unk Russell	10	1	0	9	0
Monte Attell	9	3	5	1	1
Tommy O'Toole	9	2	1	6	0
Young Donohue	9	2	1	6	0
Bill Brock	9	4	1	3	1
Phil McKinnon	9	2	3	1	3
Howard Baker	9	1	3	5	0
Johnny Coulon	9	3	0	6	0
Johnny Ross	8	1	1	4	2
Jack O'Brien	8	0	1	7	0
Danny Webster	8	1	0	7	0
Young Otto	8	2	2	4	0
Terry Martin	8	4	1	3	0
Tom Caponi	8	5	1	2	0
Mike Donovan	8	1	0	7	0
Frank Mantell	8	7	0	0	1
Owen Moran	7	2	0	5	0
J. Edwin Sullivan	7	1	0	6	0
Cyclone Thompson	7	2	3	2	0
Jim Barry	7	3	2	3	0
Stanley Ketchel	7	3	1	3	0
Jimmy Walsh	7	4	1	2	0
Alkie Schreck	7	4	1	2	0
Sailor Burke	7	3	3	1	0
Al Kubiak	7	2	3	2	0
Betty Keyes	7	2	0	5	0
G. Hayes	7	5	1	0	1
Jim Flynn	7	2	0	5	0
Leach Cross	7	4	1	1	0
Dick Hyland	7	1	1	5	0
Billy Papke	6	1	1	4	0
P. McFarland	5	2	0	3	2
Jack Johnson	5	2	0	3	0
Jem Driscoll	5	1	0	4	0

SHIPHERD HOTEL IS OPENED AT DALLES

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

The Dalles, Or., Jan. 13.—The season's most brilliant event took place last night in the formal opening of the Shipherd, The Dalles new \$90,000 hotel. One hundred and fifty men and women were the guests of Manager N. K. Clarke. The doors of the dining room were thrown open at 9:30. Elfrida's orchestra played during the banquet.

Judge George C. Blakeley presided as toastmaster. Honorable Frank Menefee was the first called. He spoke for the directors of The Dalles Hotel company, the owners of the Shipherd, giving a brief outline of the organization of the company and the methods pursued in securing the capital that made possible the building of the hotel. Menefee was followed by Mayor E. M. Wingate, who spoke of the progress of the city during the past two years. County Judge A. E. Lake responded to the toast, "Wasco county."

Other speakers of the evening were: J. L. Kelly, J. M. Patterson, C. J. Crandall, J. T. Peters, E. O. McCoy, J. A. Douthett, Oscar Vanderbilt, J. D. Fox and N. K. Clark, manager of the Shipherd.

It was 1 o'clock when the banqueters left, with a vote that Mr. Clark was the most popular host in Oregon and that the Shipherd is the pride of The Dalles.

NEW FLUME WILL COST BUILDER \$10,000

The following building permits were issued: Thompson estate, repair two story brick store, 50 Fourth street, between Pine and Ash; builder, Rhoades & Tabor; \$50.

Railway Exchange Building company, erect building and excavate foundation, Stark street, between Third and Fourth; builder, United Engineering & Construction company; \$1500.

P. A. Dahlstrom, erect one story frame shed, East Fifth street, between Kern and Shaw; builder, same; \$75.

C. Lechner, erect one story frame stable, East Tenth street, between Beech and Felling; builder, same; \$150.

J. White, erect one story frame dwelling, East Twenty-eighth street, between Emerson and Killingsworth; builder, J. Grescille; \$1000.

Oregonian Publishing company, repair nine story brick office, Sixth street, between Morrison and Alder; builder, Laika Manufacturing company; \$1500.

Lewis & Wiley, erect frame home, west of Twenty-eighth street, between Cornell road and Nicolai street; builder, same; \$10,000.

Hurrying Work on Pipe Line.

Newport, Or., Jan. 13.—Superintendent Lee is pushing the work of constructing the water pipe line. All available teams in the city are hauling pipe, and many sub-contracts for digging ditch have been taken. Work on the site of the reservoir in this city will soon begin.

toward reviving the conference track meets. These were discontinued last year because of the A-Y-P. exposition and as the meets are nowhere financially successful except when held in Oregon there is a tendency on the part of most of the schools to let the meets lapse permanently.

The authorities here feel that the conference track meets are a valuable feature of the season athletics and the most feasible way of bringing the northwest teams together, and clearly defining the meaning of the championship.

Dual meets are not financially successful nor are they a satisfactory determinant of the champion track teams. Conference meets are preferable from all standpoints and promote a feeling of friendship among the northwest colleges.

Another matter to be brought up at the contemplated conference will be the selection of track officials, starters, judges and timers for the coming season.

Teach the Children to Save Money.

It is often and truthfully said that a penny saved is a penny made. The foundation of many of the greatest fortunes was begun by saving a penny. The habit of saving is one of the best that can be formed. Every child should be taught to save something every week. The satisfaction of counting these pennies when the bank is emptied is one of the pleasures that we never forget; perhaps everyone of us can remember the thrill of joy we had when we emptied the contents of the bank on the table and counted and recounted this mountain of wealth; how eager we were to tell our little friends the amount of our great fortune, and raced with them in refilling the bank.

To bring this pleasure within the reach of every child and help the forming of the penny saving habit, Messrs. Scott & Boyne, 409 Pearl street, New York, the manufacturers of "Scott's Emulsion, are offering to send to any address, for 10 cents, a beautiful Little Savings Bank; each bank contains a new Luck Penny. Send 10 cents and get one.

Hood Circuit Court Adjourns.

Hood River, Or., Jan. 13.—The session of the Hood River circuit court adjourned yesterday afternoon. The case of Jap F. Nobuyasu, bound over by the justice court, wherein he was accused of shooting and beating one Hirota, was dismissed. K. Yashimari, accused of selling liquor without a license, pleaded guilty and was fined \$50.

WOMAN FIGHTS S. P. AND LANDS IN JAIL

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Alameda, Cal., Jan. 13.—Following a battle with Chief of Police Conrad, in which she is alleged to have fired several shots, Mrs. Mary Cox is in the city jail. Mrs. Cox occupied a squatter's cabin on the water front. She refused to vacate when a Southern Pacific grading gang appeared on that section of the waterfront, upon which the railroad had secured a right of way. Chief Conrad, accompanied by two officers, called upon Mrs. Cox late yesterday. He was met by the determined woman, who carried a sawed off shotgun.

When the chiefs men attempted to tear down a fence she had erected, she is alleged to have opened fire. It required the combined efforts of four patrolmen to convey her to the jail. No one was injured by the shots she fired.

NEVILLE H. CASTLE DIVORCED AT NOME

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Jan. 13.—Neville H. Castle, formerly a San Francisco attorney, was granted a divorce from Mary Scott Castle of New York at Nome, Tuesday, according to word received in this city today.

Mrs. Castle shot William D. Craig, an attorney, in an elevator in the Waldorf-Astoria hotel, New York, last August. A fountain pen in Craig's pocket was the weapon. All the officers held office during 1909, and were reelected by acclamation.

Development League Elects.

Laidlaw, Or., Jan. 13.—At its annual election the Laidlaw Development league elected as president J. N. B. Gerking; vice president W. D. Barnes; secretary, F. N. Wallace; treasurer, F. E. Dayton. All the officers held office during 1909, and were reelected by acclamation.

New Bridges in Lincoln County.

Newport, Or., Jan. 13.—The county court of Lincoln county has advertised for bids for the building of two bridges over Drift creek. The Drift creek section is one of the most prosperous in this county.

Watch and wait for Othello. Stop, look, listen for Othello.

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