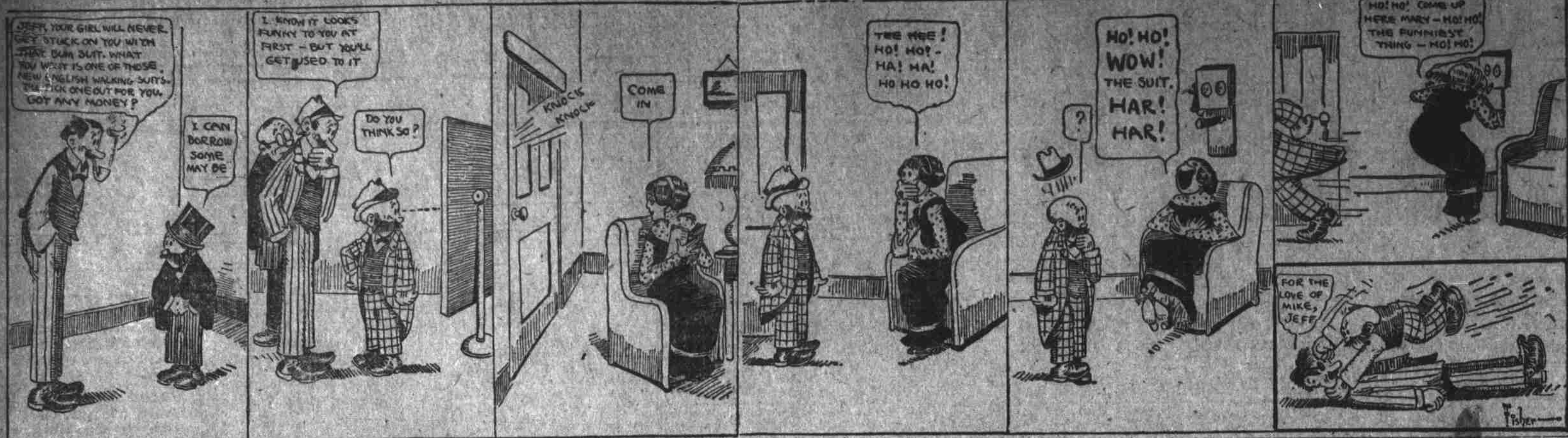


LOVE MAKES STRONG MEN WEAK AND WEAK MEN STRONG--By "Bud" Fisher



AGGIES WILL NOT PLAY CONFERENCE

Northwest Collegiate Championship Will Be Settled Without O. A. C.

For the first time in several years Oregon Agricultural college will not be in on the conference basketball title, the Aggies not being represented by their graduate manager at the conference in Seattle the other day. The other colleges present made elaborate plans for the season, which will give the championship on the percentage basis, each college playing an equal number of games. The Aggies will free lanes in this year. Funds, it is said, are low at Corvallis.

Intercollegiate rules will govern all contests except that the A. A. U. out of bounds rule will be substituted for the collegiate rule. This year each visiting team must be guaranteed \$75, so that its expenses can be met. All officials must be selected from men in the home town, except when mutually agreed otherwise. Another important rule is that requiring all substitutes, coaches and timers to remain seated during the progress of the game.

The schedule of the University of Oregon, which will be the only competing team from this state, gives eight games away from home, and half as many on the Eugene court. Beginning February 5 the variety will make a week's tour of the inland empire.

The Oregon schedule is as follows:

- February 6—Whitman college, at Walla Walla.
- February 7—Whitman college, at Walla Walla.
- February 8—University of Idaho, at Moscow.
- February 9—University of Idaho, at Moscow.
- February 10—Washington State, at Pullman.
- February 11—Washington State, at Pullman.
- February 12—University of Washington, at Eugene.
- February 13—University of Washington, at Eugene.
- February 14—Washington State college, at Eugene.
- February 15—Washington State college, at Eugene.
- March 1—University of Washington, at Seattle.
- March 2—University of Washington, at Seattle.

TWIST YOUR TONGUE OVER THIS ALPHABET

A is for Archer, a catcher of note.
 B is for Bender, who got the Cubs' goat.
 C is for Conkey, the old Romanist.
 D is for Davis, a captain of might.
 E is for Evers, so foxy and slick.
 F is for Ferris, and also for Flick.
 G is for Griffith, old Cincinnati.
 H is for Hedges—he's driving us batty.
 I is for Ibbell—remember old Pat.
 K is for Koney, the walloping wiz.
 L is for Lemp, the Athletics' receiver.
 M is for Murphy, the Chubbey deceiver.
 N is for Napoleon, who pickles the pill.
 O is for O'Connor, the pride of Goose Hill.
 P is for Plank, with the puzzling curves.
 Q is for Quakers—Red Ebohn's reserves.
 R is for Roger, the Cardinal crack.
 S is for Sheppard, who never goes back.
 T is for Thomas, a man of renown.
 U is for Ump, who at present is down.
 V is for Vaughn, a young Yankee recruit.
 W is for Wallace—hot, hot, hot, hot, hot!
 X is excuse me, I admit I forgot.
 Y is for Yonder, the king of the bat.
 Z is for Zeller, who murders the ball.
 Etc. I guess that will be about all.

FRANK GOTCH ASSERTS HE'S OUT OF WRESTLING

Chicago, Dec. 7.—Old Deacon Rumor was domped yesterday afternoon by former Champion Wrestler Frank Gotch, who pinned the old goat's shoulders to the mat with a statement that he is done with wrestling.

SIMPLE SAFEGUARD FOR MOTHERS

Mrs. D. Gilkison, 328 Ingles Ave., Yonkers, Ohio, gained wisdom by experience. "My little girl had a severe cold and coughed almost continuously. My sister recommended Foley's Kidney and Bladder Pills. The first dose I gave her relieved the inflammation in her throat and after using only one bottle her throat and lungs were entirely free from trouble. I will always keep a bottle of Foley's Kidney and Bladder Pills in the house, as I know it is sure cure for coughs and colds." Wholesale Drug Co., Two stores, Main store 131 Third St., branch store, Morrison and West Park sts., Woodlark-Clark Drug Co.

SELLWOOD STEPS UP IN GRAMMARS

Trims Chapman in One of Finals for Football Championship.

In the grammar school football league, Sellwood defeated Chapman 11 to 0, yesterday afternoon on the Vaughn street grounds. Although the grounds were wet and slippery the game was fast and exciting.

Sellwood clearly outplayed Chapman and deserved to win. The game was nearly all played in Chapman territory and Chapman did well to hold their heavier opponents to so low a score. Linebacks for large gains and long end runs were pulled off by Sellwood.

Chimmie's Column

Went down and watched the boys roll a few tuppins last night. Who do you think was there? I knew you couldn't guess. Well, it wasn't Pearl Casey, dressed up in his gayest toga. The "Moose" rolled 257, which is some bowling, because I took a whack at it and did 69. Henry Hanno says he will beat Casey's record if he has to play all winter.

Doc Slater of the Chesterfields bowled 256, which was the best in his class. C. H. Ball has held this honor for some time.

Sure, bowlers get released. Didn't Gibson, who rolled the Case team, ask for his release from a class A team to play class B so that he could be a star of the highest magnitude with the lowest team?

Gus Ahrens, with an average of 147 made when he had his hair parted on the left side, wishes to challenge anybody in the city of Portland to a game of tennis. He doesn't care whether they come from Council Crest or Scappoose, they all look alike to Gus.

Captain Pembroke of the Paragon team says he is not going to stay in the cellar all the time. I should say he isn't—there is a foundation underneath the cellar that might hold the cap'n. "Cap" says that two men can't beat five. I wonder where the other three Paragons are? Nobody knows.

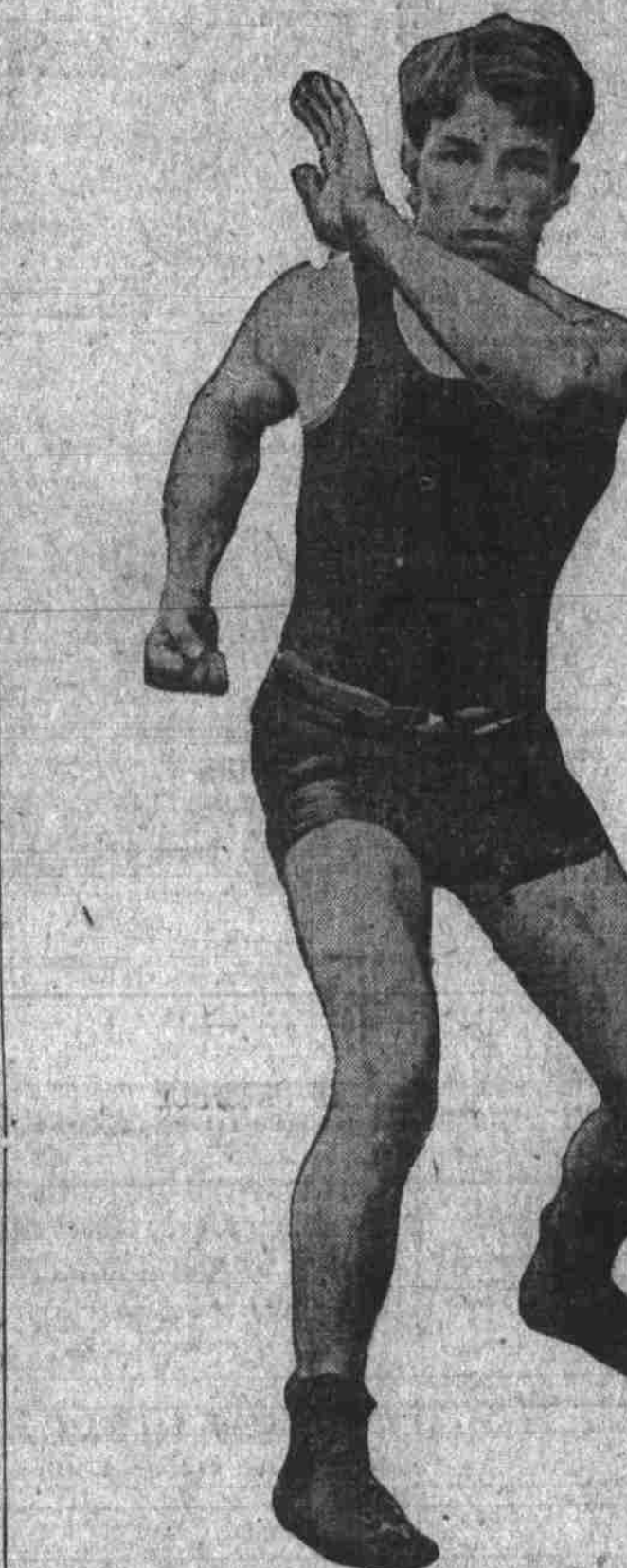
Jack Grant, the local referee, has commented to be the third man in the ring when "Chick" Hudson and Pete McVeigh meet at Tacoma December 16. This is the reason Jack is doing head work each morning. He wants to take off some of that surplus avoirdupois. I found that big word in the cook book.

Well, say, if this wouldn't scare the Chinese phrasit on your better-half's skylight, then I miss my guess. "East Lynne" Brown went hunting for ducks. He shot some. He gave me two. I took them to a Washington street "salottoria" and had them roasted "a la castilian." Came back at 5 to have a big feed, and what do you think they told me. The cat ate one of the ducks. Yo! Yo! Yo! Was I mad? "Mad" is a respectable name for my feeling.

They can talk about their football. And the beauties of a punt. But we'd swap the sweetest field kick just to see a well placed punt. And a dazzling walking line shot. But we want to see the English on a ball hit down the lot. It is great to see the points. As they gallop round the track—But the hoof beats are not in it. There are sports and varied pastimes. More of them than one could name. But we're waiting, yes we're waiting. That poem kind of makes your mind go wandering out to the Vaughn street grounds, doesn't it?

Guy Lee, the local lightweight boxer who made such a hit in the Bay City the other evening when he knocked out the hard hitting Tony Sika in two rounds, has bitten off a little more than he can chew when he signed to meet Willie Ritchie in the main event of a show next Friday evening. You all remember Aba (Ab) and what he did to Roscoe Taylor at the Exposition rink a few months ago. Well, this boy Ritchie made Label

THEY'RE AFTER HIS CROWN



Ab Wolgast, lightweight champion, who is being challenged by Owen Moran, knockerout of Battling Nelson.

look sick with the trimming he gave him twice in a month. Now on past performances Lee figures to get an awful trouncing, but then—you can't always sometimes tell. Here is hoping that he makes a good showing.

Joe McGinnity, who ought to know a ball player when he sees one, says that "Lefty" Russell, the star twirler that Connie Mack is said to have paid \$12,000 for, is a bloomer. Looks like a joke. Feeling is believing with Connie. They said the same thing about Harry Krause when he struck the big brush, but the youngster won 10 games in a row. Not so worsted.

While Conroy is training each afternoon for his bout with Bud Anderson, which takes place at St. Johns some time this month, this go will be a pluggin from the time the glove rings until one or the other is a beaten man. Both boys look upon this bout as the stepping stone to the hall of fame.

FRAYNE MONEY SENDS FIGHT BETS TO EVEN

San Francisco, Dec. 7.—A wad of Frayne money on the market sent the betting today on the Frayne-Hogan fight here December 17 to evenness and it was predicted that the two scrappers would enter the ring at that price. Although it is ten days yet before the men tangie, with no positive assurance that the authorities will not interfere, the betting has started off as briskly as though a championship were hinged on the result.

PACKY M'FARLAND MAY MEET JOHNNY M'CARTHY

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 7.—A fight between Packy McFarland and Johnny McCarthy of San Francisco is being talked of by fans here. Matchmaker Hurdt would like to stage the mill. Although McCarthy secured only a draw with Kid Barada here last night, he has many friends and would be well backed against the stockyard pet. Hurdt communicated with McFarland's backers and received a favorable reply.

Races at Emeryville. Emeryville, Dec. 7.—Results: First race, 6 furlongs—Lady Renaissance, 3 to 1, won; Darrington, even, second; Roy Shumay, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:17 2/5. Second race, futurity course—Bay Streak, 3 to 5, won; Doncaster, 7 to 10, second; Eddie Dale, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:14 1/5. Third race, mile and 70 yards—Rosevals, 13 to 5, won; Star Actor, 5 to 1,

TWO SCHEDULES OF CITY SCHOOLS OUT

Baseball and Basketball Games Will Keep Athletes Pretty Busy.

Baseball and basketball schedules have been made out in the interscholastic league and plans are being made for a big season. All of the basketball games will be played on the Y. M. C. A. floor and Harry Livingstone of Multnomah club is the regular referee. The basketball season starts January 3 and finishes March 14.

Baseball starts earlier than usual, the first game being played March 24, between Vancouver and Columbia. It will close May 17 in a game between Portland Academy and Jefferson High. April 28 has been set aside as an open date in mid-season to play off postponed or tie games.

At the schedule meeting the date of the cross country run was fixed as April 15.

- The schedules follow:
- Baseball.**
 January 3—Columbia vs. Vancouver.
 January 5—Jefferson vs. Academy.
 January 10—Allen vs. Columbia.
 January 12—Lincoln vs. Vancouver.
 January 17—Academy vs. Washington.
 January 19—Jefferson vs. Allen.
 January 24—Columbia vs. Lincoln.
 January 26—Vancouver vs. Washington.
 February 21—Academy vs. Allen.
 February 22—Academy vs. Columbia.
 February 7—Lincoln vs. Washington.
 February 9—Allen vs. Vancouver.
 February 14—Academy vs. Columbia.
 February 16—Jefferson vs. Washington.
 February 21—Allen vs. Lincoln.
 February 22—Academy vs. Vancouver.
 February 23—Columbia vs. Washington.
 March 2—Jefferson vs. Lincoln.
 March 7—Allen vs. Washington.
 March 9—Academy vs. Lincoln.
 March 14—Jefferson vs. Vancouver.
- Basketball.**
 March 24—Vancouver vs. Columbia.
 March 25—Washington vs. Academy.
 March 26—Lincoln vs. Jefferson.
 April 5—Columbia vs. Washington.
 April 7—Vancouver vs. Academy.
 April 12—Washington vs. Lincoln.
 April 14—Columbia vs. Jefferson.
 April 15—Vancouver vs. Washington.
 April 21—Academy vs. Lincoln.
 April 26—Open date for postponed games.
 April 28—Columbia vs. Lincoln.
 May 3—Vancouver vs. Jefferson.
 May 5—Columbia vs. Academy.
 May 10—Washington vs. Jefferson.
 May 12—Vancouver vs. Lincoln.
 May 17—Academy vs. Jefferson.

HACKENSCHMIDT WILL TACKLE WESTERGAARD

Chicago, Dec. 7.—George Hackenschmidt and Westergaard will meet here tonight in the first of a series of exhibition wrestling contests to settle the championship. Both men tapered off in their training last night and announced that they were fit. Frank Gotch, the retired champion, arrived today to attend the match. It is not improbable that Gotch will revoke his decision to permanently retire should Hackenschmidt win and that a match between the two can be arranged.

Monte Attell Signs Up

(United Press Leased Wire.) Kansas City, Dec. 6.—Monte Attell, who claims the title of bantamweight champion by virtue of his recent victory over Jimmy Walsh of Boston, today signed articles for a 10 round bout with Roy Campbell, a local aspirant, to be staged at Tulsa, Oklahoma, December 23.

GOLF TEAMS WILL PLAY FOR DINNER

Great Rivalry Worked Up Over Match Scheduled for Next Sunday.

Affairs are at fever heat among the active male players of the Waverly Golf club and next Sunday will tell "who's who" in a match between a team picked by T. Linthicum and another selected by Wirt Minor. The losing team must entertain the others at a dinner.

Minor has selected the following: R. L. Mactley, John Young, Chester Murphy, Gordon Voorhies, Russell Smith, Al T. Huggins, H. O. Stickney, Kurt Koehler, Hunt Lewis, Andrew Kerr, Tom Robertson and W. O. Minor.

Linthicum, in addition to himself, named the following: Major Morrow, Allen Wright, Tom Kerr, John Bennett, Ned Ayer, Dave Honeyman, James Alexander, Bert Mackay, W. F. Semple, James Dougherty and Jordan Zan. Last Sunday a picked team challenged the eight that played for the Waverly cup in the team tournament at Seattle, but was beaten by 33 points. The challengers were Wright, Tom Kerr, Kurt Koehler, Dave Honeyman, Wirt Minor, A. T. Huggins, James Alexander and Chester Murphy.

Jordan Zan and Mrs. W. B. Ayer have the three best scores for the mixed foursomen handicap for the two trophy cups donated by Wirt Minor and it looks as if they might win first place if nothing mars their present splendid game. There are yet three or four Saturdays to play and the three highest scores will give over a winner. There is unusual interest in this event.

Plans are afoot for a Christmas day tournament which promises to be as interesting as any of the previous holiday affairs on the links.

American Automobile association has 24,000 members.

BILLIARD GAMES KEEP UP AT CLUB

Holiday Season Interferes With Regular Schedule for Dr. Walker Tourney.

Interest in the Dr. Walker billiard trophy tournament at the Multnomah club is at the same stage as when it first started November 15. Owing to the holiday season, however, no attempt has been made to definitely set the games between entrants, it being the policy to let the players suit themselves a good deal in the matter of time. No finals will be played until after the holidays. Gold and silver medals will be given the first and second place men.

The score to date follows:

- L. P. Buck won from Tom Cleland, 50 to 35.
- Ed Morris won from G. R. McKnight, 50 to 40.
- E. Young won from Silly Douglas, 50 to 45.
- Ed Morris won from J. P. Lombard, 50 to 23.
- J. P. Lombard won from P. Myers, 50 to 27.
- P. Myers won from G. R. Knight, 50 to 24.
- H. A. Demmer won from F. R. Love, 40 to 34.
- E. K. Burton won from E. Young, 50 to 23.
- Tom Cleland won from J. J. Cahalan, 50 to 34.
- Dr. A. D. Walker won from J. L. Richardson, 50 to 49.
- F. S. Glover won from H. A. Demmer, 40 to 25.
- J. P. Lombard won from H. J. Boyd, 50 to 46.
- F. S. Glover won from J. M. Duffy, 40 to 22.

Squadron Corporal Major Eggiotto, one of the finest swordsmen in the British army, is retiring shortly from the Royal Horse Guards (Blues) after 31 years' service.

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