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SAM DOLAN NAMED
AS O. A. C. COACH

Belief Here That Former Football Star Retained by Faculty.

All that remains for Sam Dolan, the former football star, to become known as Oregon Agricultural college's coach next year is the official announcement from the athletic committee of the Corvallis institution. It is rumored that the popular Dolan has been employed as the football mentor for next year, but the faculty is withholding announcement to that effect for a few days.

Dolan is one of the greatest football men that the state has ever produced. He began his football career at Albany college in 1902, playing there for three years. Then he went over to the Oregon Agricultural college, being a star of the 1905 eleven and a college idol. Then he went east and entered Notre Dame university, playing and starting there at guard through 1906, 1907, 1908 and 1909. He was generally regarded as the best center flanker in the middle west.

Assisted Last Year.
Last year he assisted Schindler of Dartmouth, who proved the biggest lemon the Corvallis school has ever had, and had it not been for Dolan those who know feel assured that the team would probably have finished last. Sam is popular with the players and will no doubt be able to get more work out of the eleven than any eastern coach could possibly hope for. Official announcement of his election will meet with popular approval.

Dow Walker, superintendent of the Multnomah club and one of the keenest of the O. A. C. alumni, said this morning that his alma mater would make no mistake in employing Dolan, and he looks for the Argies to rank at the top if Dolan takes up the reins.
Graduate coaching has not been followed out here as in other sections. There is no reason why it should not be successful. Several years ago Dick Smith, a University of Oregon star, went east, played on Columbia university, won All-American honor and then returned to Eugene and coached the state university into a championship.

Dolan knows enough football to be just as successful as Smith was.

WHERE SHALL OLD
HOSS' BONES GO?Chicago University Professors
Stumped Over Gift of Star
Pointer Skeleton.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—Scientific authorities at the University of Chicago have a new problem in the national history. The professors are undecided what disposition to make of the hide and bones of the late "Star Pointer," which are to be offered to the institution by James A. Murphy, the owner of the famous pointer that first negotiated a mile in less than two minutes some 13 years ago.

It is said to be Mr. Murphy's intention to mount the remains of the famous horse and present them to the university members of the various departments of learning at the university were unable to state in which museum of the university the specimen should be placed. The professors said they knew of no precedents to guide their actions and asked for time to think it over.

The curators of the Walker Museum and the Haskell Museum asserted that Star Pointer's skeleton might be out of place in their departments. The Walker collection consists of prehistoric bones, ethnological exhibits and geological formations and Haskell houses a number of Egyptian mummies and works of art. The rumor would hardly find refuge in either museum it was stated.

"I know of no specimen of a race horse in our collection," said Professor Bensley, of the department of anatomy, which has been regarded as a possible solution of the problem. "Yes, we have skeletons, but nothing of the sort you have mentioned."

EVENING SCHOOL TO
GIVE ENTERTAINMENT

The annual Christmas entertainment of the Lincoln evening school will be held at 8 o'clock this evening in the school auditorium at Fourteenth and Alder streets. Every effort has been made to have this year's program surpass all previous efforts and the assistance of some of the best artists in the city has been obtained. Admission is free and the general public is invited. The program will be as follows:

Overture—Lincoln High orchestra
Reading—Mariah's Monks
The Call—Miss Louie Hanfield
The Clock—School Choir
The Chevalier—Belles-Etoiles—Holmes
Mrs. J. Ernest Laidlaw
Orchestra—Il Travatore
Lincoln High School Orchestra
Piano solo—Paula Walker-Gounod-Liszt
Miss Addie Bowie
Vocal solo—Dio Possente (Faust)
Gounod
Vocal solo—Dich Theure Halle, Wagner
Miss Jane Irene Burns
Reading—Morning in Biederland
The Call—Miss Lottie Hanfield
Indian drill—Ockley Green School
(a) Little House o' Dreams, Metcalf
(b) Barnyard
Mrs. Rose Reed Hanbourn
Glee club—Call Me Back to O'F. Virginia
Jefferson High School Glee Club
Duet—Sleighing
Mrs. Rose Reed Hanbourn, Mr. Graham
The Call—Mrs. L. L. Hanfield
The Clock—Sherwood
Glee club—Call Me Back to O'F. Virginia
Owens, Florence Lewis, Clara West,
Dorothy Lewis, Clara Bonnamy
Marie Rice (from the girls chorus of Washington high school) and Miss Burns
Mrs. Laidlaw
Hannome, Accompanist—Evelyn Ewart

WILL MURRAY PLAY
WITH NORTHWEST?McCredie Said to Be Pretty
Sweet on Waring and
Bradley.

Will Tommy Murray catch in the Coast league next year? That is one of the questions going the rounds now. Manager McCredie is pretty sweet on young Waring, the fifty little backstop Chicago drafted and sent to San Francisco, only to be turned over later to Los Angeles, and still later going to Cleveland, from whom McCredie has secured him. Manager Mac says he doesn't believe that he will get Waring, but he invariably takes a squint at the sky when you ask him.

Bradley, who is also coming from Cleveland, it is understood, will probably find a regular berth with the coasters. That will give the champions three catchers to select from, and if they receive as well and hit better than Murray, he will be the one to go to the class B club. Of course the transfer depends on whether or not McCredie can get waivers on Murray. At the last meeting of the club directors he was unable to get waivers on the clever little backstop, several clubs desiring his services.

However, a liberal application of salve talk may bring about the desired result at the meeting January 5 in San Francisco.

Waring was in poor shape all last year. He is faster than Murray, has a better arm, and can clout the pill points ahead of the champion's catcher, and if he gets off right next year should make a valuable addition to McCredie's ranks.

Bradley is said to be just as good a stickler as Gus Fisher and a much better receiver.

Manager McCredie will attend the Coast league meeting January 5, and may talk up some trades along with assisting in making out the schedules.

After that meeting is over, he will go to southern California and pick out the training grounds.

Ryan Leaves for Denver.
Buddy Ryan left last night for his home in Denver, where he will have Christmas dinner with his mother. Buddy will not return to the coast until he reports at the training camp in California. Just before leaving, Buddy and Vean Gregg fixed up a big box of Christmas things for the Medford mine-owners, who entertained them on their hunt several weeks ago.

George Engle Here.
George Engle, who used to pitch for Portland in the Northwestern league several years ago, is visiting friends in the city. Engle has a 10-acre tract near Mount Angel that he is looking after.

Results at Emeryville.
Emeryville, Cal., Dec. 23.—Results:
First race, six furlongs—Frank G. Hogan, 10 to 1, won; Gramercy, 5 to 2, second; Sir Fretful, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:13.5.

Second race, seven furlongs—Military Man, 12 to 1, won; Borgas, 2 to 1, second; Onatessa, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:25.5.

Third race, six furlongs—Hannah Louisa, 5 to 1, won; Native Son, 3 to 1, second; Biskin, 7 to 10, third. Time, 1:13.1-5.

Fourth race, six and one half furlongs, handicap—Eddie Dale, 7 to 1, won; Jess, 4 to 1, second; Jim Bascy, 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:18.4-5.

Fifth race, mile and 70 yards—Miami, 11 to 5, won; Saka, 3 to 1, second; Treasure Seeker, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:44.3-5.

Sixth race, six furlongs—Burning Bush, 9 to 1, won; Jessupburn, 6 to 1, second; Dorida, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:13.

This Date in Sport Annals.
1868—At Perryville Md., Abe Hochen defeated Pete McGuire in five rounds for \$2000 and lightweight championship.

1876—At London: Edward Payson Weston finished 400-mile walk in six days in the course of which he walked 1004 miles without a rest, and 315 miles with only 18 minutes stoppage in 24 hours.

1878—Frank M. Owen, pitcher on the Chicago American league championship team in 1906, born in Ypsilanti, Mich.

1882—At San Francisco: Peter Jackson defeated Joe McLaughlin, \$2500, 24 rounds.

1889—At Bruges: Jem Smith and Frank P. Slavin fought a draw, for \$2000 a side; and the championship of England.

1903—At Boston: Sam Langford and Jack Blackburn fought a 12-round draw.

1904—At Milwaukee: Aurelio Herrera and Maurice Sayers fought a six-round draw.

Typographical Union No. 24, the oldest union in Texas, is planning for an elaborate celebration of its golden jubilee. Great preparations are under way for the event and charter members will be brought from various parts of the country to participate in the festival.

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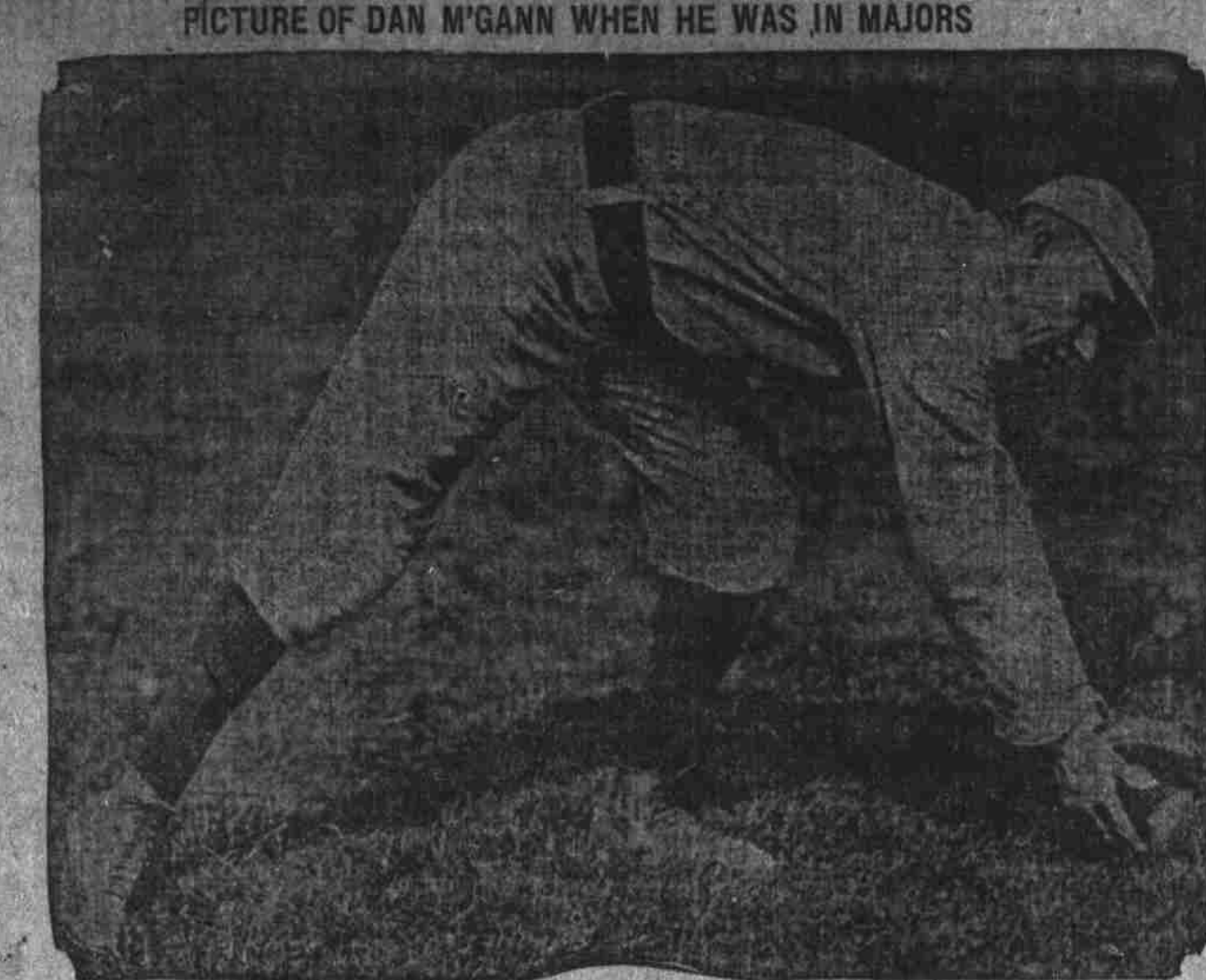
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This photograph of Dan McGann, the former first baseman and captain of the New York Nationals who committed suicide in Louisville, Ky., recently was taken when he was at the height of his baseball career in 1904.

McGann's most prominent baseball engagement was as a member of the New York Giants from the middle of the season in 1902 to the end of the season of 1903. His first position in major league company was with the

Washington club in the nineties. He played first base for the Senators a season or two, and then was traded to the Brooklyn club. When the war between the National and American leagues broke out McGann went to the newly organized Baltimore club, which was under the management of John J. McGraw.

In July, 1903, McGraw, McGann, Donlin, Seymour, McGinley, Gilbert and one or two other players deserted the American league forces and wrecked the Baltimore club, all except

Seymour going to the Giants. McGraw became manager of the Giants and McGann was appointed captain. The Giants finished last that season, but in 1903 they were second in the race, and in 1904 and 1905 they won the pennant. During the winter of 1908 and 1909 McGann figured in a big trade with the Boston Nationals, where he remained one season and then was released to the Milwaukee club of the American Association in which organization he has remained.

Spokane, Dec. 23.—Two Californians—Tom Bundy of Los Angeles and Maurice McLoughlin of San Francisco—are among the four greatest exponents of the tennis game in the United States, according to the officials of the United States Lawn Tennis association. While the ranking has not yet been made public, the names of the leading quartet were announced at a tennis banquet here last night.

William A. Larned, the perpetual champion, still occupies the leading position. Bundy and McLoughlin are ranked second and third, respectively, because of their sensational work in the eastern tournaments last summer.

Beals C. Wright is the fourth in the list, according to the committeemen. The official announcement will not be made for several days.

The New Hampshire legislature will this winter be asked to pass a law forbidding the employment of young girls in the cotton mills of the state at night.

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Y. M. C. A. TANK TO
PROVIDE EVENTS

Crack Swimmers Will Race Over 120 Yards in Pentathlon Meet.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—The second event of the Y. M. C. A. swimming pentathlon now in progress at the Y. M. C. A. for a period of eight weeks will be held in the large association tank this evening at 8:30 o'clock. The event will be the 120-yard swim. A close race is expected at this distance between Abbey, McDonald, Mankurtz and Gross, as all are evenly matched.

In the last week's swim, which was for 100 yards, the first three swimmers were within two seconds of each other. The standing of the swimmers up to date is: Gross, 10 points; McDonald, 8 points; Mankurtz, 6 points, and Skedemo and Gregory 5 points each.

The first three swimmers at the end of the eight weeks will be awarded suitable prizes. There will be exhibitions in fancy swimming and diving after the main event. No admission will be charged.

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JOHNSON DEMANDS
\$30,000 FOR BITReplies to Challenge of Al
Kaufman and Insists on
Guarantee.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—Jack Johnson will fight Al Kaufman, but his end of the purse must be a guarantee of \$30,000, according to an ultimatum issued by the negro champion today. Johnson further stipulated that the battle must take place in the United States.

It was persistently reported that San Francisco promoters were after the match. Johnson would not say that he had received an offer, and declared that his ultimatum was prompted solely by the challenge issued by Kaufman yesterday, but from a reliable source it was learned today that negotiations for the match in California are now in progress.

HARRY FORBES WILL
TRY "COMEBACK" STUNT

Chicago, Dec. 23.—Harry Forbes, who was in heyday at the time of Terry McGovern and Young Corbett, will try to "come back." Forbes, whose most memorable battle was with McGovern for the lightweight championship, is matched to meet Lou Ryall here in a preliminary bout after which, if he is successful, Forbes will start an eastern campaign.

A check for \$15,000, which has been subscribed by workmen in local factories, was presented recently to Coventry and Warwickshire (England) hospitals.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 23.—Four brands of football will be on exhibition Monday at Bovard field, on the University of Southern California campus.

Enthusiasts of the pilskin game will have an opportunity to see Rugby, Soccer, the new American inter-collegiate game, and the old mass play game played by crack teams on the same field and will have a chance to pass upon the comparative merits of each.

The Rugby teams of the Los Angeles and Polytechnic high schools are scheduled to clash in two ten minute halves. Troop Institute and the Southern California Athletic club will demonstrate the new American game and the Sherman Indians and St. Vincent's college the old game. The Thistles and Rangers Scottish teams, will demonstrate the Soccer game.

The management of the carnival has announced that each spectator will be asked to deposit a ballot as he leaves the field, for the game he believes to be productive of the best sport.

Christmas!
Don't forget the Christmas candles, and get good ones. Mullany's home flavored taffies, or Pign's Whistle chocolates are fine. Big Hotel & Co., 92 Third, or Third and Washington.