

LATEST Ring : Track SPORTING Field : Diamond NEWS

BIG MAT MEET TO BE AT HEILIG

Portland Has Chance to Win Fame—75 N. A. U. Stars Are Coming.

May 18 and 19 have been definitely set as dates for the National Amateur Athletic union wrestling meet, which after several years of persistent pulling by the Multnomah Amateur Athletic club was secured for that institution this spring. The Heilig theatre has been engaged and the champions of east and west will settle supremacy above the same boards trod by operatic and dramatic stars.

NICK WILLIAMS' MEN TO USE COLLEGE "GYM"

There will be no idle days for the Northwestern league ballplayers as a result of an agreement reached between Walter McCredie and the Columbia university, whereby Nick Williams' team will work out on the university campus and in the schools gymnasium.

DECLARES M'FARLAND CAN MAKE 135 POUNDS

New York, Feb. 24.—Emil Thiry, manager of Paeky McFarland, expressed today satisfaction over the weight agreement reached with Owen Moran for the fight before the Fairmont Athletic club here March 14.

Dr. Roller Better Today

Chicago, Feb. 24.—The condition of Dr. B. F. Roller of Seattle, who was injured in a wrestling bout, was considerably improved today. "My injury is not serious," said Roller today, "and I expect to be as good as ever within a week. After I dispose of Cutler I intend to go after Ordemann and Westergaard."



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BATTLING NELSON HAS A "HUNCH" THAT HE CAN WIN BACK TITLE

Chicago, Feb. 24.—With the championship still buzzing in his head, Battling Nelson asserted here today that he would return to the ring within two months.

CHANCE WILL NOT SPOIL THE FAMOUS INFIELD

Chicago, Feb. 24.—Frank Chance, manager of the Chicago Nationals, is not going to break up his famous infield to satisfy Joe Tinker or anybody else.

NEW SOCCER RIVALS TO MEET AGAIN SUNDAY

The new soccer rivals, Columbus and Beavers, are to play their second game on the Columbus Athletic club grounds Sunday afternoon, with kickoff at 3 o'clock.

OFFERS TO PLACE \$25,000 SIDE BET ON LANGFORD

New York, Feb. 24.—Offering to place as high as \$25,000 on Sam Langford, as a side bet in a match with Jack Johnson, a well known New York sportsman today called Joe Woodman, Langford's manager, in London.

BOSTON RED SOX TEAM BEGIN SPRING PRACTICE

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 24.—Apparently none the worse for their tiresome journey across the continent, the Boston Red Sox donned their uniforms for their first spring training practice at the second Beach diamond today.

BASEBALL NOTES.

Fred Raymer, the veteran infielder of the Senators last season, will play second base for the Victoria club in the Northwestern league. Reports from the south at first stated that he had signed with Bob Brown, but it now appears that he is on the "Bees" payroll.

Bob Brown of Vancouver has six catchers, 18 pitchers, six infielders and five outfielders—a total of 33 players.

Nick Williams will join McCredie at Santa Maria, tomorrow and watch the Beavers work out for several days before he comes north. "Mac" will probably turn Nick over some players before the curfew comes north.

Harry Melchor has clinched the right field job on the San Francisco team. Mel is feeling like a 2-year-old, and Mohler expects great things of him.

Fred Carman, the big, husky fielder, if he is to make good with the Seals, will take a job with the Calgary team in the Twilight league.

Abbatecco, who played infield positions for the Tigers for a number of years, has quit the game and will devote his entire time to his business in Pittsburgh.

Keller, second baseman of the San Jose team, has been signed by the Cleveland Naps. Keller may be sent to Portland in case Neal Ball fails to come through. He is a playing mate of Menor and Peters.

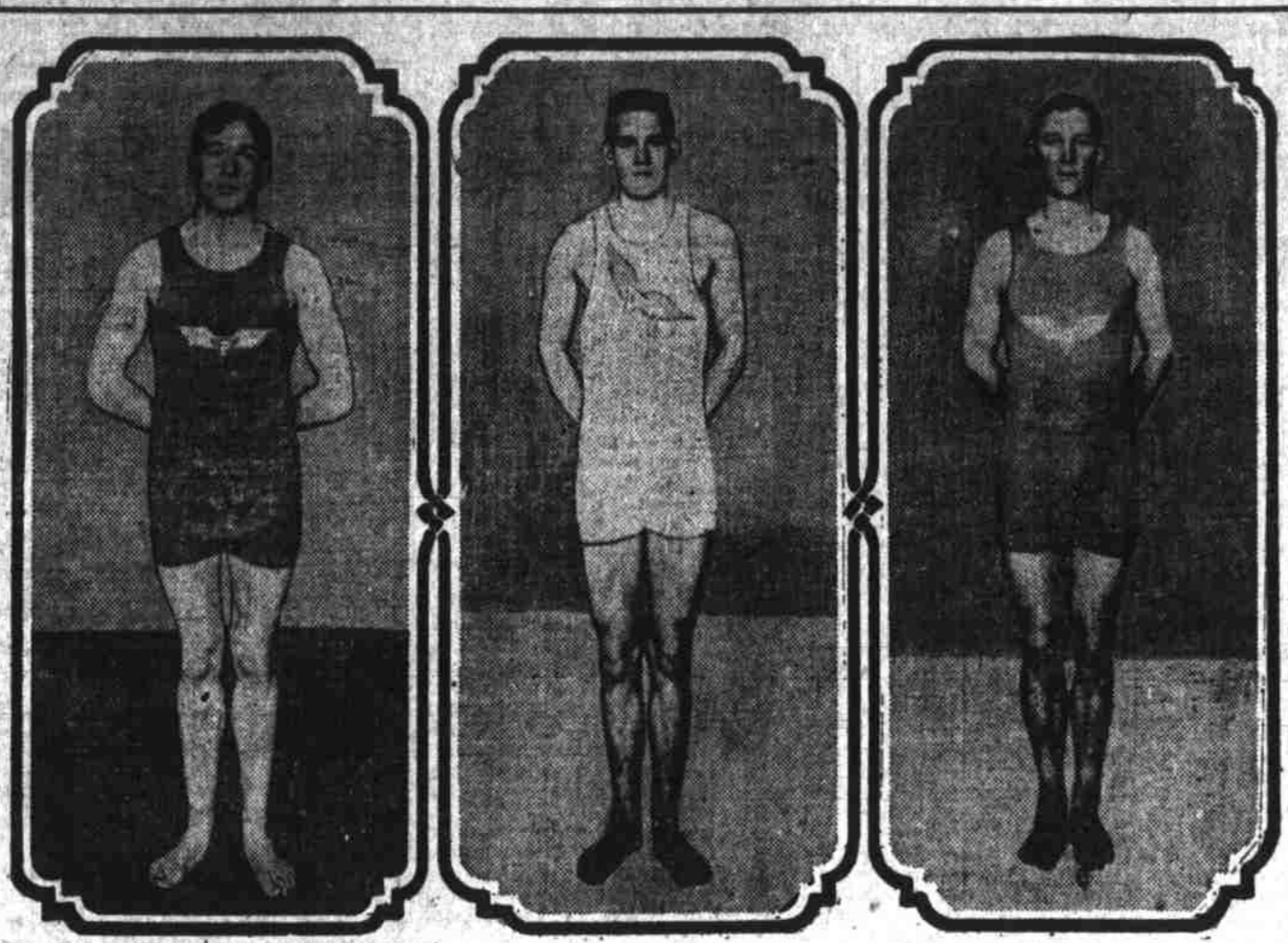
Chance Signs Up Evers. Chicago, Feb. 24.—Manager Frank Chance of the Chicago Cubs has signed contract of Johnny Evers for a period of two years. Evers will leave with the team for West Baden next Sunday. It is expected that the club's differences with Artie Hofman will be adjusted today.

Thousands Attend Show. New Orleans, Feb. 24.—The biggest display of automobiles, motorcycles and motor boats ever assembled in any southern city was opened to the public here today. The thousands of visitors here for the Mardi Gras festivities insure a large attendance at the show, which will continue until next Monday.

Kirkwood Rules Favorite. San Francisco, Feb. 24.—George Kirkwood of St. Louis is a 10 to 8 favorite over Ray Baughman for tonight's bout at Dreamland. It is probable that the odds will shift to even money before the men enter the ring.

Montague Hobbs, who has several times almost accomplished the swimming of the English channel, will make one last effort this summer. He has commenced to learn a new leg stroke by which he not only hopes to increase his pace, but also to lessen the strain on his stamina. It is called the "Northern Kick" and offers an absolute minimum of resistance to the water when the legs are being drawn into a position for kicking. Its motion increases the speed and there is not nearly the same fatigue resulting.

M. A. A. C. and Y. M. C. A. Crack Swimmers Will Meet Tonight



Reading from left to right. Three of the Y. M. C. A. contestants are: Pete McDonald, Frank Grass and Ollie Skedsmo.

The annual Multnomah-Y. M. C. A. swimming meet will be held tonight in the large association tank. It is expected that this meet will be one of the closest of the year.

The annual Multnomah-Y. M. C. A. association swimmers are determined to make up for their last year's defeat by giving the clubmen a good drubbing and the Multnomah boys are equally confident of their ability to down the Y. M. C. A.

Garrett, Multnomah; Gross and Pete McDonald, Y. M. C. A. 220 yard swim, Mankurtz and Garrett, Multnomah; McDonald and Abby, Y. M. C. A. 440 yard swim, Mankurtz and Thomas, Multnomah; Gross and McDonald, Y. M. C. A. Diving, Mankurtz, Welch, Fabre and Korrell, Multnomah; Skedsmo, Deats and Gregory, Y. M. C. A. Relay race, Welch, Thomas, Garrett and Mankurtz, Multnomah; Pfander, Mower, McDonald and Gross, Y. M. C. A.

WEST WILL FIGHT ROSEBURG CHAMPION

Eugene West of the Oregon Athletic club will have a chance to try his mettle with that of Edward Hamlin, champion lightweight boxer of southern Oregon, in a 10 round contest to be held at Roseburg on March 1. Hamlin has accepted the challenge of the Portland man. The bout will be held at Sykes rink. West is already at Roseburg and has commenced training for the match.

VICTORY PREDICTED FOR COLUMBIA TOMORROW

Interscholastic association football tomorrow afternoon, on the Columbia A. C. field, will be between Columbia university and Portland academy. Victory is predicted for Columbia, which has been cleaning up the interscholastic soccer teams by large scores this season. In league games the University Park boys have not yet been scored on and the Nationals, senior league champions, beat them only 3 to 0 Wednesday. The academy men will be out-weighted and will lack the experience of the Columbia eleven. The interscholastic league will end in two weeks, just in time to let all the schools begin lumbering up for baseball.

GREEK CHAMPION EASY MARK FOR CARL BUSCH

Roseburg, Or., Feb. 24.—Carl Busch, champion middleweight wrestler of Germany, won an easy victory over Peter Buskous, the Greek champion, in this city last night. Busch pinned the Greek's shoulders to the mat the first time in 11 minutes. The second fall was secured in 10 minutes. Busch agreed to throw the Greek two times in an hour, catch-as-catch-can style, or lose the match.

SPORTS OF ALL SORTS

King George V, of England will not go into yachting as extensively as did his late father. He will do nothing in the racing line but the old Britannia will be used merely for pleasure and cruising purposes.

Whitman Captain Chosen

Whitman College, Walla Walla, Wash., Feb. 24.—Edson Johnson of Vancouver, Wash., a member of the sophomore class, has been chosen captain of the baseball team for the coming season. He is a veteran player and the election meets with universal commendation.

POWELL AND BURNS IN FINE SHAPE FOR BOUT

San Francisco, Feb. 24.—That Lew Powell and Frankie Burns realize that Monday night's battle is going to prove the most important pugilistic bout in their careers is attested by the serious manner in which they are training. Both are in tip-top condition, and fans expect a treat when the gong starts them for 20 rounds. The betting is even.

Stanford and California Universities

Stanford and California universities are to meet in an association football contest this month. It will be the first in which the universities have played and is regarded as a step towards adding soccer to the list of sports in which the two big colleges annually meet.

The trustees of the Allan cup, representing the amateur hockey championship of Canada, announce that in future challenges will not be received unless accompanied by the certificates of the Amateur Athletic association as to the amateur standing of the players on the challenging team.

Two Indianapolis men, W. E. Berne and E. B. Rankin, have formed an association to be known as the National Baseball Registration bureau, whose purpose will be to assist unemployed or dissatisfied semi-professional ball players to find suitable berths.

Three towns may bid for the annual championship of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen, Buffalo, Boston and Saratoga. The regatta will occur in August and the award will be made at the annual meeting to be held in New York next month.

Before 2000 spectators the champion Germans basketball team of Buffalo accomplished their greatest victory when they defeated the Dean Academy team and the Carlisle Indian quintet thus establishing a world's record of scoring 100 consecutive victories. The games were played last week in Buffalo.

Among the oarsmen indulging in practice rowing in New Orleans are the Farrell four oared shell crew which will compete in the regatta of the Young Men's Gymnastic club next May. If successful in the club races the four which is composed of Fernand F. Farrell, Tom Farrell, Alfred Farrell and Robert M. Farrell, brothers will enter the annual regatta of the Southern Amateur Rowing association which occurs at New Orleans in June.

Big Warehouse at Centralia. Centralia, Wash., Feb. 24.—Work has been started on the largest concrete warehouse in the cities of Centralia and Chehalis. The new building is being built on South Tower avenue, Centralia, for the Pacific Fruit & Produce company, and will cover an area of 100x100 feet in the building alone. It will be completed in about two months.

THE BOWERS HOTEL

Eleventh and Stark Sts. Informal opening of the Bowers hotel and grill Wednesday, March 1, 1911. Formal opening Saturday, March 4, 1911. Tables may be reserved now for formal opening. Dinner and supper. Phone Main 7100. Karl Redolfsberg and orchestra, also vocal music daily during dinner, 6 until 8 p. m. Supper \$2.00 until 12:30 p. m. H. C. BOWERS.

JOHN L. SAYS BOSTON "TAR BABY" WILL NOT WHIP JACK JOHNSON

Chicago, Feb. 24.—Sam Langford is a good man, but he will never whip Jack Johnson, said John L. Sullivan today when asked his opinion of a Langford-Johnson match.

M. A. A. C. REVIVES TRACK ATHLETICS

Board of Trustees May Name Chairman of Outdoor Sports March 1.

Track athletics are to have their renaissance at the Multnomah club this spring. The board of trustees is on the look-out for a hustling chairman of outdoor athletics and will probably make an appointment Wednesday, March 1. The club has not taken active part in track for two years, for a variety of reasons, but development of the M. A. A. C. stadium, with its fine quarter mile track, straightaway course for sprints and other improvements, makes it imperative that this department once more become one of the club's most actively fostered. In the old days it was the M. A. A. C. that built up outdoor athletics in the northwest, many local champions having worn the red and white.

MAY DEBAR FRESHMEN FROM TRACK EVENTS

New York, Feb. 24.—Several changes in the rulings governing college sports are expected at Saturday's session of the intercollegiate association of amateur athletics of America. The smaller colleges are expected to stand back of Columbia in its opposition to the proposed one year residence rule. If adopted, no freshman could take part in any intercollegiate track meet, and the smaller institutions will be seriously hampered. At Princeton, Cornell, Yale, Harvard and Pennsylvania faculty regulations already prevent freshmen from participating in varsity games.

Ltd on for Keeps

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 24.—Admission that racing is done for keeps in Memphis was seen today in the inauguration of a movement by business men to have the city purchase Montgomery Park, the old race course, for a public playground.

The club will be represented by a substantial squad at the Columbia university track meet, April 8, and one of the first duties of the new chairman will be to develop participants for that event. Phillippe-Andover Academy students raised \$25,000 for a swimming pool.



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