

INFILDER GUILMI SIGNS WITH COLTS

College Star Who Held Off Last Year Comes Into Paddock.

Manager Nick Williams of the Portland Colts, is making strenuous efforts to strengthen up his Colts for the 1913 pennant race of the Northwestern league and the first hole that he plugged was that left vacant by the sale of Ward McDowell to the Cleveland club.

Guilmi, who was the star college infielder in California last year, was offered the most flattering contract that the Portland club ever handed out, but at the last moment he refused to sign.

Nick also tacked on a bonus if Guilmi would secure the signature of a big pitcher named Luke Glavenich, to a contract, and guaranteed to carry both of them four months.

Guilmi and Glavenich wanted Nick to take two or three other players along from St. Mary's, but the big fellow dejected and dropped the whole thing, playing Eddie Menor at second. Glavenich was signed the other day by the Chicago White Sox, after Nick again bid his scouts approach the big hurler.

Nick was bewailing his luck yesterday. The blondie one believes that there is a jinx tracking him. Two years ago he had Justin Fitzgerald, the Coast league sensation, just about signed up to a contract, when an emissary of Hal Chase, then manager of the New York Americans, showed a \$4000 a month contract under his nose and, of course, Nick lost out.

Fitzgerald is now with the Beavers, young Cunningham, whose sensational hitting, speed and fielding marked the close of the Coast league race, was also on the verge of signing up with Nick, when something interfered. Now he is the actual property of the Boston Americans and the Beavers, although he may be sent over to Williams for further development.

Oie Johnson With Binghampton.

Oie Johnson, who used to crack the boards on the Portland ball lot, will play with the Binghampton club of the New York State league next year. Johnson was sold by McCredie to the New York Americans in 1910, but failed to make good and was shipped to the International league in 1911. He was recalled at the end of the season, but failed to make good and was released to the Rochester club, which now turns him over to a class A league.

Drubot Boosts Fortier.

Bill Fortier, the outfielder drafted by McCredie from the Salt Lake club of the Union association, hit .354 last season. Fortier led the league in two base hits by cracking out 42 doubles, and was tied for the number of home runs. The Salt Lake wonder made 12 four base hits.

Colly Drubot, who pitched in the Union association, said yesterday: "Fortier is a natural batter. He is a young player and no curve ball seems to fool him at all."

Myers Gets Purchase Money.

The latest bulletin of the National association is to the effect that First Baseman Myers of the Spokane club, has been awarded his claim of half the purchase price of his sale to the Boston Nationals. Portland was also allowed \$300 from Battle for player Mathes, who went to the Philadelphia Americans.

Resigns From Irvington Tennis.

Ralph H. Mitchell, chairman of the Irvington club tennis committee, resigned from his position last Sunday. Mitchell was appointed early in the year to fill the vacant position by the resignation of J. B. Edgar. President Woodward of the club will not appoint a new chairman until the annual meeting, which will be held some time after the first of the year.

Nationals Defeat Crickets.

The National team of the Portland Football association defeated the Crickets yesterday afternoon on the Columbus club field by the score of 8 goals to 1 goal. The game was not very interesting from the spectator's standpoint. The Nationals played content ball throughout the entire contest and did all the pressing.

ONLY ONE GRIDIRON TITLE IS UNSETTLED

Yale and Harvard Will Fight for Football Championship Next Saturday.

With the final gridiron games of the big eastern and western teams scheduled for next Saturday, the football season of 1912 will soon pass into history.

Only one championship game—the Yale-Harvard contest—remains to be played. By downing the husky Minnesota warriors Saturday, the undefeated Wisconsin team won the western championship. Only the Iowa team remains to be played by the Badgers, and the Hawkeyes have been easy victims for both Chicago and Minnesota.

The dope on the big game of the year favors Harvard. The best Yale could do with the Princeton Tigers Saturday was a 6 to 5 tie, while Harvard downed Princeton several weeks ago.

With the season practically over, the "big four" teams of the east rank as follows:

Harvard, Yale, Princeton and Pennsylvania.

In the west, the teams of the "big eight" rank in the following order: Wisconsin, Minnesota, Chicago, Illinois, Iowa, Purdue, Indiana and Northwest.

Chicago and Minnesota will fight it out for second place Saturday, while Purdue and Indiana will battle for seventh position.

Pennsylvania now has the graduate system of coaching, but is considering it professional, and it is reported is willing to pay at least \$10,000 per annum for the right man.

Oregon Agricultural college's clear cut defeat of Whitman at Corvallis Saturday, 29 to 3, and the University of Washington's victory over Oregon at Seattle, 30 to 14, definitely establish Washington as the champion football team of the northwest for the fifth successive year. Washington plays Washington State Thanksgiving day, but even though defeated, which is most unlikely, the title would not be clouded.

Minor Football Games

Although the F. E. Watkins eleven outplayed the Mohawk team yesterday afternoon on the Peninsula field, it was defeated by the score of 9 to 7. A fumble by Newman on the ten yard line and Roche's recovery gave the Mohawks the first touchdown. The safety was made when Huelat picked up a punt behind his own goal line. Derbyshe scored the touchdown for the F. E. W. team. Derbyshe, Flackinger, Erdner, and Berovich starred for the F. E. W. team, and Crowe, Schoeller and Berg for the Mohawk team.

The Albina team continued its winning streak by defeating the Stephens team yesterday by the score of 41 to 0, the feature of the game was the run of F. Nelson, who sprinted the entire length of the field for a touchdown. Clark starred in the line plugging. In four games that they have played, Stephens has not scored, while the opposing teams have scored 157 points.

The South Portland and Lents teams of the A. & W. league, played a tie game on the Lents' grounds yesterday, the final score being 5 to 5. Both teams threatened to score many times in the second half.

The McLaughlin and East Portland teams tied in the game yesterday afternoon on the East Portland field.

The Brooklyn Athletic club team defeated the Sellwood eleven on the Sellwood grounds yesterday by the score of 10 to 0. A tackle by Lipky saved the game for the Brooklyn team. Zip also featured in the defensive playing of the Brooklyn team.

The Columbia Park Juniors defeated the Albina Juniors Sunday by the score of 5 to 0. For games with the Juniors, telephone Woodlawn 432.

The Vernon football team would like to arrange games with teams averaging 140 pounds. Call Woodlawn 1183, or Woodlawn 1166.

Knob Hill Team, Victors.

The Knob Hill football eleven defeated the crack Columbia Park Juniors Saturday by the score of 6 to 0.

Plaster casts will be given an alabaster effect by dipping in a strong solution of alum.

JACK GRANEY IS HERO OF ONTARIO RUNAWAY

Cleveland Outfielder Performs Daring Stunt and Rescues an Aged Couple.

John Gladstone Graneey, who in summer covers left field for the Cleveland American league team and in winter toasts his shins at the family fireside, was the hero of a vicious runaway accident here, says a St. Thomas, Ont., paper.

Strolling along Talbot street, the town's principal thoroughfare, "Glad," as he is known in his home town, was startled to see a horse attached to a buggy in which sat a badly frightened man and woman racing down the sidewalk. With the same skill and presence of mind he exercises in catching fly balls on the diamond when the opposing team has a man on third and the score is a tie, Graneey rushed in and grappled with the horse just as the buggy collided with a taxiab standing at the curb.

For a distance of 100 feet or more, during which time a couple of stray bulldogs barking added to the horse's fright, there was a great struggle for supremacy, but Graneey came out victorious, stopping the horse just as the occupants, who proved to be Isaac Welter, farmer of Middlemarch, and his wife, were thrown out on the sidewalk. They escaped with the wrecked buggy with but few bruises and were profuse in thanks to Graneey for saving them from serious injury and perhaps death.

QUINTET OF COOS FIVES TO PLAY BASKETBALL

Season Will Be Opened December 20 and Closed March 14.

(Special to The Journal.) Coquille, Or., Nov. 18.—Basketball is now being discussed among the students of the various Coos county high schools, and a schedule of games has been arranged. There are five high schools in the county, and each will have a strong team in the field. The schedule, as announced, is as follows:

Coquille—At Myrtle Point, January 24; at North Bend, January 30; at Marshfield, January 31; at Bandon, February 14.

Myrtle Point—At Bandon, January 31; at Coquille, February 21; at Marshfield, March 6; at North Bend, March 7.

Bandon—At Coquille, December 20; at Marshfield, January 23; at North Bend, January 24; at Myrtle Point, February 22.

Marshfield—At Myrtle Point, February 7; at North Bend, February 14; at Bandon, March 14; at Coquille, February 28.

North Bend—At Marshfield, December 20; at Coquille, February 7; at Bandon, February 21; at Myrtle Point, March 14.

WILES AND SHEPHERD LEAVE FOR YACHT MEET

Elwood Wiles and G. S. Shepherd, representing the Portland Motor Boat club, departed last night for San Francisco to meet with the representatives of other coast clubs regarding the 1915 regatta, which will be held in San Francisco. Delegates of the Northern clubs passed through Portland yesterday. Tomorrow afternoon the fair officials will hold a conference with the motor boat men and Sir Thomas Lipton.

Athletic Union Opens Meeting.

(United Press Leased Wire.) New York, Nov. 18.—The annual meeting of the Amateur Athletic union began here today at the Waldorf Astoria hotel, with delegates from the Pacific coast among those present. President Kirby and Secretary Sullivan will be re-elected without opposition. Radical changes are expected in the wrestling, boxing, water polo and tug of war rules.

SOLDIERS DEFEAT COLUMBUS TEAM

Hard Fought Game Is Marred by Fumbling on Both Sides.

The Columbus club football eleven went down to defeat yesterday before the Vancouver soldiers in a hard fought game by the score of 10 to 7. Many fumbles marred the game from the spectators' standpoint.

The line plunging of Cummings of the Columbus team, the tackling of Aleck Donaldson and the playing of Soldier Jackson featured the game. Donaldson starred in breaking through the soldiers' line and bringing about losses of five and six yards for the soldiers. Cummings intercepted two forward passes during the game, and broke up several others.

There was no score in the first half of the game. The Columbus club team tried a place kick but it failed. In the third period, five minutes after play opened, the soldiers scored a touchdown. Febeber returned the kick off to the middle of the field and end runs and line plays by Jackson, Drake, Febeber and Noyer put the ball on the three yard line. Columbus club was penalized for being offside and on the next play Jackson carried the ball over the line. Febeber kicked goal.

Drake Kicks Field Goal.

In the fourth period, a drop kick by Drake from the 15 yard line gave the soldiers a ten point lead. The Columbus club team scored its touchdown in this period. O'Neill, who had been playing a great game, broke through the soldiers' line blocked a punt, and recovered it behind the soldiers' goal line, giving the club a touchdown. Campton kicked goal.

The Columbus club team worked the forward pass for many gains, Campton and Flynn starring in these plays.

Besides the stars already mentioned, Febeber and Bumholts did some good playing for the soldiers, and Sherry, Campton and Munson, for the Columbus team.

The lineup:

Vancouver: Hunter.....L. E. McMahon, Flynn Bumholts.....L. P. A. Hamilton McMurray.....L. G. R. Barr Millard.....C. Munson Feck.....R. G. L. B. Hamilton O'Neill.....R. T. L. Elvers Owens.....R. E. L. Donaldson Drake.....Q. B. Kennedy Jackson, Carmel.....L. H. R. Cherry Noyer.....R. H. L. Cummings

Officials—Referee, Callier; umpire, O'Rourke.

JEFFERSON HIGH WILL PLAY EX-TEAM MATES

The Jefferson High school self-styled "Quitters," a football team composed of players who were on the first team for a while, will battle against Coach Carl Smith's Jefferson first team Wednesday afternoon on the Jefferson grounds.

"Babe" Russell is captain of the "Quitters," and he and his followers are confident of a victory over the regular team.

The "Quitters" will line up as follows: Johnson, center; Yilding, right guard; Russell, right tackle; Flynn, right end; Versteeg, left guard; Colvin, left tackle; McMurray, left end; Irvine, quarterback; Slauthover, right half; Magius, left half, and Jensen, fullback.

WILLIE HOPPE LEADS IN BILLIARD TOURNEY

(United Press Leased Wire.) New York, Nov. 18.—One game in the lead, Willie Hoppe was picked by billiard enthusiasts here today to win the 18.3 balltime tournament which ends tomorrow night. Hoppe, however, has not yet played George Sutton or Ora Morningstar.

A peculiar feature of the tournament is that Koki Yamada, the Japanese expert, pulled Hoppe down in his standing by defeating him, and then boosted Hoppe by winning from Morningstar.

A perfect dynamo that weighs but a quarter of an ounce has been made by a French electrician.

ST. JAMES ELEVEN TOO MUCH FOR HOLLADAY

Two Crack Teams Put Up a Great Game on Vancouver Field.

Vancouver, Wash., Nov. 18.—In one of the hardest fought games of the season the Holladay Maroons of Portland went down to defeat before the St. James club football team at the Tri-City grounds yesterday afternoon by a score of 13 to 9. The game was a great deal closer than the score would indicate, and from the time the first kickoff was made until the end of the first half neither team had any decided advantages over their opponents.

So stubborn and effective was the defense of both teams that but little open play was in evidence. Toward the end of the first period the St. James team worked to within a few yards of the goal line, but lost the ball on downs. The Maroons immediately kicked to the center of the field, and at no time thereafter in that or the next quarter were they in danger of being scored upon.

The St. James club opened the third quarter with a rush and gradually worked their opponents down the field. With less than five minutes to play, Clark was called and went over for a touchdown. The opening of the fourth period found the Maroons putting a much more stubborn defense and for a while it seemed as though the touchdown of the previous quarter would be the only score of the game. Toward the end of the period, however, the St. James club again worked within scoring distance and Woods finally crossed the line. With two minutes to play,

Tennis for Boxers.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Los Angeles, Nov. 18.—Tennis is the latest pugilistic camp training stunt in the quarters of Jim Flynn, where the Pueblo fighter was scheduled today to meet Joe Mandot in three sets. Flynn fights Luther McCarty at Vernon December 10. He claims the turf game is excellent for the development of speed. Mandot, who meets Joe Rivera in a 20-round bout Thanksgiving afternoon, also has taken up tennis in earnest.

Will Name Referee Today.

(United Press Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Nov. 18.—Tom Jones, acting for Champion Ad Wolgast; promoter James W. Coffroth and Willie Ritchie met here this afternoon to name a referee for the Thanksgiving day battle. Wolgast already has turned in his list of eligibles, but nothing has been heard from Ritchie on this score. Both Jack Welsh and Eddie Graneey have been eliminated, neither caring to officiate.

PENN'S ALUMNI URGING HIRING OF GILMOUR DOBIE

(United Press Leased Wire.) Seattle, Wash., Nov. 18.—Alumni of the University of Pennsylvania here are making an effort to induce the athletic association of their university to engage Gilmour Dobie, the University of Washington coach, as gridiron instructor. Dobie has made a wonderful record here, having put over a winning team for five years straight.

Wolgast said he would be satisfied with a San Francisco referee, and it was believed that Jim Griffin stood the best chance of being named.

Berg to Meet Holland.

(United Press Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Nov. 18.—Osto Berg, of Astoria, and Fritz Holland, of Spokane, middleweights, will be the headliners in a boxing tournament to be held here Friday night. The men will fight ten rounds. Two six-round events and two four-round bouts will complete the bill.

YALE MEN CAN'T GET SEATS FOR BIG GAME

(United Press Leased Wire.) New Haven, Conn., Nov. 18.—Because there are not enough seats to accommodate them, thousands of Yale alumni will be unable to witness the Yale-Harvard football game next Saturday, according to announcement here today. The Yale players are established at Greenwich preparing for the big battle, and Trainer John Mack reports them all in excellent condition.

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