

PORTLAND MANAGER WOULDN'T MIND IF COAST LEAGUE WENT OUTLAW

SPEEDIER BASEBALL COULD BE PROVIDED FOR FANS BY SWAP

Money Now Paid to Majors for Talent Could Be Applied to Salaries.

If there is to be an exodus from organized baseball as the result of the movement inaugurated by the Federal league, Manager Walter McCredie of the Portland club would like to see the Coast league one of the first to take to the hills...

THE MAN WHO WANTS BOBBY DAVIS



Frank Chance, manager of the New York Americans, who has tried various ways to get Walter McCredie to let loose of the young Beaver shortstop.

CAMPI AND WILLIAMS PUT IN FINAL WALLOPS

Baltimore Kid Is Ten to Seven Favorite Over Coast Bantam.

Los Angeles, Jan. 29.—Eddie Campi of San Francisco and Dick Williams of Baltimore put in the last hard licks today in preparation for their scheduled 20 round bout at Vernon Saturday afternoon...

WITH THE BOXERS

Jim Flynn, the Pueblo heavyweight, is taking them on in New York as fast as he can sign for the bouts.

Some more soft money in sight for Johnny Kilbane. He is going to Philadelphia February 2 to box Eddie May again.

Eddie Murphy is to get a chance to box Freddie Welch, if a St. Louis promoter can bring the pair together.

The boxing game will open in Youngstown, Ohio, February 2, with George Chip and Leo Houck furnishing the star bout of the evening.

The National Sporting club of London announces that it will not match Jack Johnson to box, because the champion wants too much money for his services.

P. A. S. A. POLO TEAM CHALLENGES M. A. A. C.

With two new players in their line-up, the Portland Amateur Swimming association polo team is ready to meet the Multnomah Amateur Athletic club team in a return series of water polo games.

HOWARD DREW TRAVELS CENTURY IN 9.3 AT LOS

Los Angeles, Jan. 29.—Howard Drew, negro sprinter, is credited here today with another mark of 9.3-5 seconds for 100 yards, tying the world's record.

Play Off Soccer Tie Sunday.

The Beaver and Mount Scott teams of the Oregon Soccer league will play off their tie for the championship next Sunday afternoon on the Lents grounds at 2:30 o'clock.

ANDERSON "SPIKES" REPORT OF QUARREL WITH DICK DONALD

Says He Didn't Get Time to Deliver Belated Telegram; Leaves First Week in Feb.

Los Angeles, Jan. 29.—Dick Donald, manager for Bud Anderson, former lightweight championship contender, admitted here today that he and Anderson are at odds and that their partnership probably will be dissolved.

Donald recently matched Anderson to fight Red Watson in San Francisco, but Bud failed to reply to his notification of the bout.

Bud Anderson, over the telephone from his home at Vancouver, Wash., this morning stated that the story of his dissolving partnership with Dick Donald was news to him.

The telegram told Anderson that Donald had matched him to meet Red Watson at San Francisco in a 20 round bout on the night of February 20, and that Donald would leave Los Angeles for San Francisco about the first of February.

"I don't know what Dick and I are at odds about," said Bud Anderson. "Somebody is trying to stir up trouble between us. It is not the first time that there have been meddlers in the affairs of boxers and their managers."

"I guess that I shall leave for San Francisco about the first week in February to get into shape for Watson. When I knocked out Louis Rees they said around the bay that I was as slow as a truck horse. This time I'll show them that I can speed up a trifle myself, and I don't think Watson will last half the distance."

McFarland Weighs 152 Pounds. Chicago, Jan. 29.—Packer McFarland has stepped into the local gymnasium to melt down about seven pounds of surplus flesh before his scheduled bout with Mike Gibbons of St. Paul in New York on February 12.

Wolgast to Meet Unholz. Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 29.—Ad Wolgast, former lightweight champion of the world, will meet Rudy Unholz in a scheduled 10 round bout here tonight.

GRANEY WOULD MATCH ATTELL AND KILBANE. San Francisco, Jan. 29.—Louis Parente, matchmaker for Eddie Graneley's club, was dickering here today for a match between Johnny Kilbane and the former world champion, and Abe Attell, the former title holder.

B. B. C. BOWLERS TOO MUCH FOR RAINIER MEN

The Brunswick-Balke-Collender team of the Commercial league defeated the Rainier bowlers last evening on the Oregon alleys. The Joe Gideons won two of three games from the Columbus club juniors.

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To Play Soccer Games. Centralia, Wash., Jan. 29.—The challenge recently issued by the Tono soccer football team for a series of three games to decide the championship of southwest Washington and the possession of the trophy cup recently donated by Centralia merchants was yesterday accepted by Dan McMillen, manager of the Menota team.

'RED' DOON DENIES THAT HE WAS AFTER FED. LEAGUE BERTH

Letter Printed in Pittsburg a Rank Forgery, Says the Scruppy Leader of Phillies.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 29.—Published reports that he had been negotiating with Federal league officials for the management of the Pittsburg club were denied in a telegram received here today by friends of "Red" Doon, manager of the Philadelphia club of the new league.

Yesterday a letter was printed in Pittsburg, purporting to have been signed by Doon, which said that he stood ready to sign with the Pittsburg club if given a three year contract calling for \$7000 annually.

"Even before the date of the forged letter," said Doon in a telegram, "I had signed a two year contract to manage the Philadelphia club at \$10,000 annually. The printed letter was dated November 12, 1913. At that time I was attending a banquet of the National Baseball association in Columbus."

"The letter is a rank forgery. It is easy to see that the Federal league is on its last legs when it resorts to such crookedness."

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 29.—Bill Purcell, last year manager of the Jersey City club in the International league, signed his contract with the Detroit Tigers yesterday, after a conference at his home here with Eddie Moore.

Tampa, Fla., Jan. 29.—Ward Miller, who is here to prepare for the opening of the training camp, expects to land the contracts of Tommy Leach and Wilbur Good who have orange groves near here.

M'CAREY THREATENS TO TIE CAN TO GLABBY

If Pugilist Struck Policeman Promoter Will Cancel Los Angeles Match.

Los Angeles, Jan. 29.—Jimmy Clabby and his trainer, Arthur McQueen, charged with resisting an officer, are at liberty today on bail after a season spent in the city jail.

Clabby and McQueen were arrested after midnight yesterday after they had engaged in a brawl with several taxicab drivers and had severely beaten Patrolman Laurance, who had interfered. Laurance is suffering from brain concussion.

TOMMY MURPHY TO SHOW HIMSELF HERE

San Francisco, Jan. 29.—Harlem Tommy Murphy, who is scheduled to meet Willie Ritchie, lightweight champion of the world, in a 20 round battle here early in April, expected to leave for Seattle late today, where he will open a theatrical engagement.



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SEASON FIFTH BEST IN HOLDING PLAYERS AWAY FROM PLATE

Jeff Tesreau of Giants and Eppa Rixey Leaders After Men Reach First Base.

Perhaps an interesting method of reducing pitchers' work to figures is that by which the ability of the hurlers in holding their opponents when once upon the bases can be traced and demonstrated.

In the following table the pitchers are ranked according to the percentage of runs scored upon the total number of hits or passes, "passes" including bases on balls and men hit by pitcher. Only pitchers who took part in 10 or more decisive games are counted.

Table with columns: Pitcher, R, H, P, Total Pct.

SMITH AND BRIGGS ARE BILLIARD WINNERS

H. E. Smith and Roy Briggs were winners in the pocket billiard tournament at McCredie's Palace last evening.

Briggs means the highest runs of the tournament by pocketing 28 balls. Smith made high runs of 16, 17 and 14 in his match against Dick.

PRIZE FIGHTING KILLED BY ARIZONA DECISION

Prescott, Ariz., Jan. 29.—Superior Judge Frank Smith sounded the death knell of prize fighting in Arizona today, when he ruled that to conform with the state law, all matches must be held without a referee or seconds.

The decision was given in a test case in which Danny Mathews and Phil Knight, who met in a Prescott ring January 9, appeared as defendants. Although technically guilty, the fighters were released from custody.

Crane Registers at W. S. C. Pullman, Wash., Jan. 29.—Alf Crane, the sensational Tacoma high school athlete, arrived in Pullman this morning from Tacoma and will register Monday. Crane was accompanied by his chum, Harry Deegan, and both expect to turn out for track here this spring.

FRED CLARKE SHOVS OVER NEW ONE IN WAY OF REAL "WAR" CLUB

Fred Clarke, manager of the Pittsburgh Pirates, has a new one to spring when the season opens. He has ordered a war club for his team. Everybody probably has noticed that before a batter goes to the plate he picks up two or three bats and swings them around, the object being to get his muscles accustomed to the weight so that when he drops all but one, it seems much lighter and easier to swing.

GILBERT GALLANT IS ROUNDING INTO SHAPE

San Francisco, Cal. Jan. 29.—Both Gilbert Gallant of Boston and Frankie Burns of Oakland, lightweights, were rapidly rounding into form today for their 20 round contest here at Croft's open air arena tomorrow night.

Gallant is a highly touted newcomer. There has been considerable interest aroused in the match, but practically no betting. Burns is a 10 to 5 favorite.

Gallant, a well set up youth, is very aggressive and boxes something after the style of Ad Wolgast. Burns is said to be in better condition for this match than for a year past.

J. MATURO LEADING CHAMPION ALLEN IN FIRST BLOCK OF POOL

With Score 166 to 165 After 3 Hours' Play Challenger Makes Unfinished 35.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 29.—James Maturo, the Denver challenger, took the first block of 200 points in his contest championship match with champion Allen of Kansas City, the pocket billiard title holder here last night.

After three hours of play, and with the score 164 to 143 in the challenger's favor, Maturo made an unfinished run of 25 and won out.

The high run of the evening was made by Allen. He missed on a comparatively easy shot. The champion took few chances preferring to play safety or scratch when confronted with danger. His best playing was done in a scattered fashion while the challenger was the strong in combinations.

Beaverton Athletic Club Smoker. The Beaverton Athletic club will stage a smoker on February 13. Joe Max is arranging the card for the evening.

George Engle has been signed as coach of the University of Washington baseball team.

A Sale Without Parallel For the balance of this week, your unrestricted choice of any Fall Coat in the Sample Rooms only \$15 Note Location Upstairs Note Location Second floor Swetland building, 5th and Washington, red building. National Sample Suit & Cloak Co.

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