

PLENTY OF MATERIAL SHOULD MAKE WINNER FOR WASHINGTON "11"

Coach Conibear and Captain Callow Pleased With Interest of Freshmen.

WILL ROW IN CALIFORNIA

Visit of Eastern Crews to Fair Should Make Regatta Memorable One—Seattle to Have Regatta.

University of Washington, Seattle, Dec. 21.—With the beginning of school after the holidays crew candidates will begin their yearly grind for places in the varsity boat.

Some men that will put in good bids for the varsity are Kumm, last year sub; McKibben, Stewart, Eberlight and Walter of the eastern crew.

There is Eberlight, cox on the second varsity and freshman coach last year, and one of the lightest men in college.

These crew turns out this year there will be two mainstays absent. They are Walsky and Rose.

The crews from the eastern coast will take the place of the eastern race this year.

There will probably be crews from Cornell, Columbia, Pennsylvania, Syracuse and Wisconsin at the fair, and with the addition of the state crews on the coast will have a big regatta at San Francisco.

If this race is staged it will be the largest ever held, and should prove a big thing in the sport world.

Big Regatta at Seattle. One of the largest regattas ever pulled off on the Pacific coast will be held in Seattle next spring.

A new four mile course has been surveyed on Lake Washington, and preparations are already started for this big meet.

The crews from Stanford and the University of California will be brought to Seattle for the races, and the crews from all the rowing clubs in the northwest will be invited to participate.

There will be three inter-collegiate races. The varsity eight, the varsity four and the freshman eight. In addition to the races there will be all kinds of aquatic sports, such as swimming, diving, log rolling, canoe tilting.

Syracuse is planning to visit the coast this year.

There is more interest shown by the freshmen this year in this line of sport than has ever been shown.

The first turnout for the yearlings was in October, and since then there have been four boatloads working out nightly.

In previous years there has scarcely been enough out to fill one boat.

The increased interest is due to the proposed California trip.

Members line his first year men up every Saturday afternoon for a series of short races over a one mile course.

Conibear and Captain Callow are very well impressed with the freshman turnout, and say that there is the best of good material for next year's varsity.

I. A. A. C. Wins at Rugby. Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 19.—The team of the Los Angeles Athletic club, playing as one man, smashed through the Olympic club team this afternoon at Washington park in the second half of the championship game.

The club won the title by a score of 16 to 5.

Brown Is Idaho Captain. Moscow, Idaho, Dec. 21.—Stanley Brown, fullback, has been elected captain of the 1915 football team of the University of Idaho.

Brown has been a member of the Idaho eleven for three seasons. His home is in Palouse, Wash.

I. A. A. C. Distances Best. The Irish-American Athletic club runners have won every cross country championship race in New York this fall.

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS FOR "BUSY, NOT-100-WEALTHY" MEN

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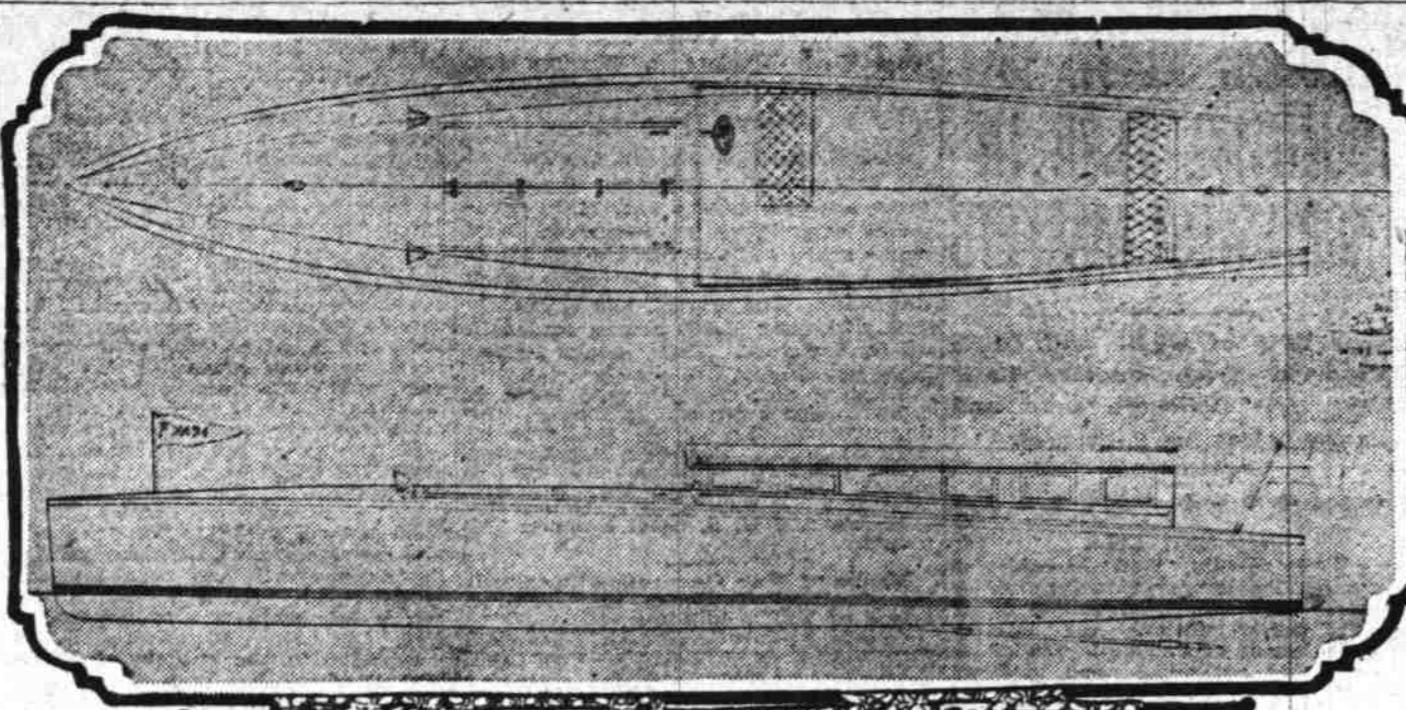
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ICE SKATING AT THE HIPPODROME

Twentieth and Marshall. Daily, 10 A. M. 3 P. M. 8 P. M. Free instruction. Union Band.

DESIGN OF COMBINATION PORTLAND RUNABOUT AND CRUISER



This type of boat bids fair to become popular on the Willamette and Columbia rivers in the near future. The boat is 46 feet long, 9 feet beam and has a draft of three feet.

IN THE LOOKING-GLASS

BY R. A. CRONIN.

BENCH ADVICE WILL COST MUCH LESS NOW

The day of the \$15,000-a-season-manager is waning. In a few years this species may be found only in the Smithsonian Institute.

Charley Comiskey braved criticism and hired young Clarence Rowland of Peoria, a bush league town, to handle his White Sox next year.

Rowland is a wise young fellow and may get away with it and will cost Comiskey only about four or five thousand a year, if, indeed, that much.

Frank Farrell's \$20,000 a year experiment with Frank Chance has just about knocked the managerial business in the head.

Rowland can do no worse than Chance.

Local followers of football, both Multnomah clubmen and non-clubmen, will be pleased to learn of the election of Clyde Rupert as the club's football captain for next season.

Rupert is a veteran footballist and none knows the game any better or has given its intricacies more thought.

If there was any doubt of this it was dispelled in the Multnomah-Oregon game, where he put some of his own "pepper" into the clubmen and they simply swept the students off their feet.

As the quarterback and signal caller, Rupert made the beefy and short trained clubmen look and act like a well groomed college eleven.

The death in London of Lee McClung, one of the greatest of Yale's football heroes, is genuinely regretted by graduates of old EIU.

McClung was a man who reflected credit on the Blue. President Taft made him secretary of the treasury.

PORTLAND PIN SMASHERS TOO GOOD FOR THEM

Local All-Stars Defeat Rainbows of Eugene by 187 Pins.

Feated the Eugene Rainbows, leading team of the Willamette Valley Bowling league yesterday at the Oregon alleys in three straight games.

Franklin of the local pin smashers distinguished himself by rolling up a 245 game, which gave him an average of 203.

Hyland had the high average for the visitors, 187. Harry Meek is being generally kidded for his 135 score in the first game.

RAINBOWS OF EUGENE

Franklin 147, 231, 245, 202, 107. Hyland 187, 198, 198, 198, 198. Meek 135, 135, 135, 135, 135.

PORTLAND ALL STARS

Franklin 245, 187, 187, 187, 187. Hyland 187, 187, 187, 187, 187. Meek 135, 135, 135, 135, 135.

High score, Franklin 245. All Stars won three games and the match by 187 pins.

M'Vey Gets 20-Round Decision

New Orleans, Dec. 21.—Sam McVey, heavyweight, of Oxford, Cal., holds today's decision over Harry Willis of New Orleans, as a result of their 20 round bout here Sunday.

Willis, who weighed 265 pounds, led in the early fighting, but McVey, 217, closed strong and had Harry all but out in the fifteenth round from a right hook to the jaw.

It was announced today that McVey will meet Sam Langford here in a 20 round bout soon. A contest between the two in Milwaukee was barred by the Wisconsin boxing commission.

CLABBY-GIBBONS JAN. 21

Milwaukee, Dec. 21.—Jimmy Clabby and Mike Gibbons, it was announced today, will meet in a 10 round bout here on the evening of January 21.

Juarez Race Results. Juarez, Dec. 21.—Sunday results: First race—Palm, 4 to 1, 2 to 5, 4 to 5, won; Black Sheep, 3 to 1, even, second; Alice Teresa, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:12 3-5.

Second race—Nobleman, 8 to 5, 3 to 5, out; Talaba, 4 to 5, out, second; Carrie Orme, out, third. Time, 1:13 4-5.

Third race—Mater, 11 to 5, even, 2 to 5, won; Judge Sale, 6 to 5, 1 to 2, second; Sir Dyke, 2 to 5, third. Time, 1:12.

Fourth race—Ringling, 9 to 5, 3 to 5, out, won; Bryn Limah (coupled with Father as Hackett entry), 2 to 5, out, second; Hocur, out, third. Time, 1:48.

Fifth race—Ormer Lad, 5 to 2, even, 2 to 5, won; Judge Ghena, 6 to 5, 3 to 5, second; Calcium, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:11 1-5.

Sixth race—Rose O'Neal, 8 to 1, 3 to 1, even, won; Sleepland, even, 1 to 2, second; Lady Innocence, 1 to 2, third. Time, 1:48 4-5.

Scratch—Frasier, Star Berta, Amity, Zinkand and The Cinder.

Two Colleges Quit Basketball. Practically every eastern college except Harvard and Brown will have basketball teams this winter.

BUD ANDERSON TO GO FIFTEEN ROUNDS FRIDAY

Thought It Was Ten Rounds for Wallace Bout With Barrieau.

Bud Anderson writes that instead of 10 rounds he will have to travel 15 rounds with Frank Barrieau at Wallace Idaho, Christmas day.

The extra five is just as agreeable to him as the shorter distance.

Bud says that he intends to leave on the twenty-sixth for Pendleton, where he will box Sammy God in a 20 round match on New Year's day.

It is much colder here than in Portland, says the Vancouver writer, "Three inches of snow covers the ground and from the looks of it, it must stay on all the year around.

The ice company delivers ice in a sleigh. I won't bring my dogs here for there is no place to run them and I will have them shipped to Pendleton instead.

"I have been working out in the afternoon and Barrieau at night, but will box two nights for the fellows who can't get off in the afternoon. There are no good sparring partners here. I got four fellows but they can stand only a round. Counting four rounds with Dupuis, I manage to get in eight rounds of boxing and the usual rope skipping and bag punching.

"Ed Godard of Missoula, Mont., will referee the match."

Columbia Park Champions. The Columbia Park team won the championship of the heavyweight division of the Archer-Wiggins League yesterday by defeating the East Portland team by the score of 17 to 6.

Manitoba May Get Meet. Manitoba will very likely hold the 1915 annual track and field championships of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada.

Houghton Gets \$7500 Yearly. Head Coach Percy D. Houghton of Harvard university receives \$7500 a year.

Dartmouth college freshmen have track athletics as a part of their physical program of athletics under Professor John W. Bowler, instructor.

John Beall, the former Los Angeles player, who was with the Milwaukee champs, batted .312. Padlock, Northwestern leaguer, stuck .285 for the St. Paul team, and Mike McCormick hit .279 for the same club.

McCormick played with Portland in 1913. Woods and Welch, guards, Baracca-Spellman, the catcher ordered McCormick by the Cleveland Naps last spring, hit .268 in 15 games for the Cleveland club.

Jack Gilligan, another ex-Bever player, hit .265 for the Minneapolis team. Flame Delhi batted .246 for Kansas City. Rex De Vogt, former Spokane catcher, finished with the average of .243 for the Cleveland team.

Gardner, the Portland boy with the St. Paul team, batted .189.

N. Y. WOMEN WILL SWIM

The Woman's Swimming club of New York recently formed in compliance with the Amateur Athletic union regulations will provide coaching and training facilities for girls who wish to follow the racing game and give free instruction in swimming and life saving to members.

The club started with 25 members.

BASKETBALL NOTES

The Stiletto basketball quintet defeated the Baraca team of Willamette university Saturday night by the score of 25 to 19.

The feature of the contest was the splendid basket shooting of E. Spamer of the Stiletto, who made 13 out of 15 fouls.

The lineups: Stiletto—Spamer and Edwards, forwards; Hummel, center; Woods and Welch, guards. Baracca—Hankins and Miller, forwards; Green, center; Millikin and McNulty, guards.

Soccer Game Postponed. Because only six members of the Thistle soccer eleven showed up for the scheduled game with the Weona team the match was postponed.

Manager Duncan of the Weona claims the game by forfeit, but it is likely that the league will decide to play the game again.

Sunday Baseball at Little Rock? Little Rock, Ark., will try to have the legislature sanction Sunday baseball.

Hoppe May Defend January 5. Billiard Champion Willie Hoppe may defend his 18.1 balk line title against George Slosson in a 1000 point match at Minneapolis January 5.

RED RUPERT CHOSEN CAPTAIN OF ELEVEN AT MULTNOMAH CLUB

"Thirteen," New Leader's Lucky Number, Remains With Him in Balloting.

HAS PLAYED 15 SEASONS

Risky Veteran's Generalship in Multnomah-Oregon Game Was One of Features of Important Battle.

"Thirteen," the official jinx number of the athletic world, played a prominent part in the election of a captain of the 1915 football team of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic club.

Thirteen gridironers were present at the meeting, which was called to order at 13 minutes past 11 o'clock yesterday morning.

Thirteen ballots were passed out to the 13 players, and 13 pencils were taken out of 13 pockets.

Thirteen ballots were placed in a hat. One man counted the 13 votes, but before the result was given out, Clyde (Red) Rupert, who used to wear badge 13 of the Portland police force, and who always wears number 13 in games where the teams are numbered, counted the noses in the room and then smiled.

Rupert was sure that his "jinx" would not desert him, and as a result he was named leader for the coming season.

The result of the count of the 13 votes was, Rupert, 8; O'Rourke, 3, and Philbrook, 1.

The new captain of the "Winged M" footballers has been playing the game for some 15 years and for five seasons he has been a member of the club team.

During the past season he played the quarterback position, and despite the 200 pounds of weight that he carries, he showed up just as well as he did when he was playing with the Albany college team in the early part of last decade.

Rupert is very popular with the players and will make an ideal leader for them next season.

The feature event of the program will be between Jack Wagner and Harry Hansen.

The events of the card are: 115 pounds—Reynolds, Company C, vs. Sax, Company E.

125 pounds—Oliver Colander, Battery A, vs. Lawrence Lorense, Company C.

150 pounds—Driscoll, Company C, vs. Owens, Company F.

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Declining to take the part of mother and daughter against Frank J. Heck, a cooper and bartender of St. Johns, District Judge Jones washed his hands of a family row Saturday by dismissing a non-support charge against Heck preferred by Mrs. Carrie Heck.

According to the testimony the divorced daughter, 21 years old, who was living with her parents, seemed to be the cause of the trouble between her parents.

Hack said his wife told him to leave her and he, followed orders. Although he is not working, he sent his wife \$2.50, he said.

Owners Guarding Chickens. There are a number of men on the east side who are losing sleep these nights, standing guard over their chicken houses with shotguns.

This is because of the chicken thefts recently reported. Friday night someone totally depleted the flock at 1031 East Tenth street, over a dozen fine birds being carried away.

WILL APPEAR TONIGHT IN CHARITY BENEFIT



Keppinger of the Astory Athletic club, who will box in one of the events of the Muts' smoker in the Armory.

Muts' Benefit Smoker Tonight

The best boxers of the Army Amateur Athletic club will appear tonight in the Muts benefit fund smoker, which will be held in the Armory at Tenth and Couch streets.

The first event will start promptly at 8:30 o'clock.

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Christmas Dance Will Be Unique

Tree at Commercial Club Will Bear Gifts for Everyone Present; Elaborate Dinner to Be Served.

"A Christmas tree dance" will be given at the Commercial club rooms next Wednesday evening, and Christmas evening an elaborate Christmas dinner will be served at the club.

The dance, which is in the hands of O. W. Mielke, will be a unique affair, it is announced.

There will be a Christmas tree elaborately decorated and everyone will receive a present.

The decorative arrangements will be in keeping with the spirit of the Yuletide season. Good music and a good dinner are promised.

M'VEY AND JOHNSON ACCUSED OF MAKING SHAM IN N. Y. RING

Tactics of Two Heavies Grew So Flagrant That Fans Hissed Them for Stalling.

6TH ROUND SHOWS ANGER

Billy Gibson's Face Was Most Interesting Thing Connected With the Recent "Fight," Says Edgren.

New York, Dec. 21.—Bob Edgren, sporting editor of the New York Evening World, insists that Sam McVey and Battling Johnson, in their recent 10 round bout here, "knew New York the best imitation of a fake ever slipped to the palpitating populace of this burg at from \$1 to \$7 a seat."

"At the very start of hostilities—alleged hostilities," Edgren said, "Promoter Billy Gibson nodded at me and winked, which I took to mean, 'Watch McVey.' Billy sat with his chin resting on the edge of the ring and an expression of pleased anticipation on his face, like that of a cat viewing a large dish of cream."

"When the bell rang McVey was smiling pleasantly. Suddenly he shot out his left hand and flicked the glove against Johnson's right eye. Then Johnson rushed into a clinch, and placing the heel of his left glove roughly under McVey's chin, tilted his head back and shoved him away."

Johnson repeated this little performance in every clinch, some few spectators thought at first that he was very much annoyed with Mr. McVey. He also whanged at McVey's side, using the barred 'kidney punch' stamped on the floor, scowled and looked altogether too ferocious to be natural.

"I'm my guess that he was 'doing it for the pictures.'"

"Round after round went by in much the same manner and the crowd hooted and hissed and finally began to sing derisively and asked the management to 'take off the preliminaries and put on a fight.' McVey was evidently not trying and Johnson was little better."

"But in the sixth, McVey, stung by a wild wallop that Johnson, in an unguarded moment, slipped into his ribs, suddenly began to fight. He slammed the huge Battler around the ring, landing smashing lefts and crashing rights with absolute accuracy, every blow going in like a bullet and hitting squarely on the mark. In spite of his bombproof jaw, Johnson tottered, came back strong with a swivel of wild swings, threw McVey nearly through the ropes and tottered again. Then McVey let up."

"From that time until the end of the tenth there was no action at all. The only interesting thing was Billy Gibson's face. He was peering up into the ring at McVey in bewilderment, disbelief and something like disgust."

BENEFIT FOR HEBREWS

Under the direction of Jack Sommers, Jewish Young Men's and Women's association (Jyma club) will give a benefit entertainment in January.

The proceeds of the entertainment will be given to the Commercial club rooms next Wednesday evening, and Christmas evening an elaborate Christmas dinner will be served at the club.

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GRIFFITH SAYS HE WON'T SWAP WALT JOHNSON

Gilmore Is Said to Have Gone to Coffeyville, Kansas.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—Clark Griffith, manager of the Washington Americans, arrived here today, on route to French Lick Springs, Ind., for a conference with Colonel Jacob Ruppert, millionaire brewer, and T. Huston, prospective purchaser of the New York American league club.

Reports that he was willing to trade Pitches and Walter Johnson, who jumped back to Washington after signing a Federal league contract, were denied by Griffith.

Johnson will remain with Washington as long as he remains the leading pitcher of the Federal league. Griffith said. "He has repudiated his Federal league contract, and if officials of that organization want a court fight as a result of Walter's flip-flop they can not get it."

James A. Gilmore, president of the Federal league, was absent from his office here today. It was reported that he had gone to Coffeyville, Kansas, to interview Johnson.

BASEBALL NEWS

C. Brown of the Birmingham team of the Southern league was the leading twirler of that organization during the 1914 season, according to the official averages. Brown won 21 and lost seven games.

Hardgrove, Birmingham and Bayou of New Orleans were tied for second place with 23 victories and nine defeats.

Joe Wagner, the second baseman of the Spokane Northwestern league team, has been sold to the Cincinnati team of the National league.

Owner Farr of the Spokane Indians has released Manager Mike Lynch. It has been known for some time that Lynch would be given the blue envelope and the expected happened Saturday.

Youth, speed and willingness are expected to make the Cleveland club a factor in next year's cross country race. Ray Chapman will be the only hold over member of the 1914 team.

Wood is expected to play first base and Bill Rodgers, the Portland, Ore. star, will fill LaJolie's shoes. LaJolie will be stationed on third base.

Morals Inspector of Chicago Quits

Chicago, Dec. 21.—William C. Dannenberg, city morals inspector, who has had personal charge of the cleaning out of the old Twenty-second street vice district, has resigned, following the filing of charges against him by Mayor M. L. C. Funkhouser, second deputy superintendent of police.

Funkhouser accused the morals censor of having disrupted the discipline of the morals squad by conducting raids without orders, and of showing an anonymous letter, sent to the police, to the woman against whom the complaint was made. He said that he questioned neither the morals inspector's honesty nor ability.

Dannenberg was specifically charged with conducting a raid in the levee district in July, when the morals squad working under him flushed with a force of city detectives and Detective Sergeant Stanley Buris was shot to death. Chief of Police Gleason will accept his resignation.

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