RAINY WEATHER HAS HELD BACK TENNIS OF HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE

Players Are Now Practicing for Tournament Which Will Be Staged This Spring.

BASEBALL ALSO SUFFERS

Schedule for Week Made Out, Provided Bain Doesn't Interfere; Track Athletes Backward in Training.

By Walter B. Schade.

The 1916 Interscholastic Tennis tournament is rapidly drawing near. This comparatively new sport in interscholastic activities has aroused keeper interest this year, than it ever has in the past. If the interest that is being manifested in the schools is any omen of the coming success of tennis, this year's tournament will be the biggest and best ever held.

So far this year the weather has been far from satisfactory for tennis play. In fact the early portion of last week brought forth the only weather that has been anywhere near suitable for the sport.

Tennis in the past has always been looked upon as a game that could not draw interest as a school sport. Although it has been played as an interscholastic game for only two years, it has proven to those who know the game and its finer points, that it is rapidly growing popular among the high school set.

Just what schools will be reprewill be held the first week in June has not been definitely announced. But it is considered likely that the tournament will be between Washington, Lin-coln, Jefferson, Franklin and Portland academy.

Washington Practices Hard.

Washington high players, the winners of last year's tournament, have been practicing hard and are sure to put up a good fight for the cup. Those who will probably be picked to represent that school in the boys' singles and doubles are Philip Neer, Jacie Neer and Howard Werschkul. The girls have not shown as much interest as the boys and so far Miss Harriet Johnson seems to be their only sure

At Lincoln the interest is especially keen, more so in the boys' singles than the players have been out on Multnomah's courts most every day and are fast rounding into season form. Among the boys who are trying out and who seem to be playing the best game are: Paul Steffen, Harry Stevens, Russel Colwell, Deo Mallet and Ronald Relly. At Lincoln the girls are not going to be outdone by the boys and are working hard to make a winning combination. Those who are playing the best game are the Misses Nancy Holt and Dorothy Stine.

Just who will represent Franklin and Portland academy should they enter teams is not known. But should they decide to enter they will be sure put up some winning teams. At Jefferson George Begs and Marsh

Davis are showing the best form. Standings of the Teams.

Lincoln . Columbia Jefferson Portland Academy Washington Franklin Bain Interferes With Baseball.

One more week of interscholastic baseball has sped by and again rain has interfered with play. The past week, however, was more successful,

only one game out of three having to be postponed. The past week brought forth in action four teams, Washington, Jeffer-son, Lincoln and Portland Academy. The first game of the week was between Washington high and Jefferson, . The Washington-Jefferson game was won by a score of 6 to 2, the long

end of the score being in favor of Jefferson. The game was fast and inter-The pitching of Prescott of

The second game was won by Lincoln against the Portland Academy. Portland Academy put up a fine game and could Tweedle have kept up his good pitching for nine innings the would not have been 9 to 4 in favor of Lincoln. Knudson of Lincoln deserves credit for Lincoln's victory. He established a new interscholastic pitching record. He struck out 21 and allowed but three hits.

The coming week's schedule is: Franklin vs. Jefferson, May 9. Washington vs. Portland Academy,

Lincoln vs. Columbia, May 12.

Track Men Deterred. Handicapped on account of the weather, coaches of the scholastic track and field teams have had little opportunity to get their athletes in shape for the state championship meet to be staged at Eugene, Or., under the anspices of the University of Oregon

next Saturday afternoon. Coach Earl of the Washington high school is struggling along with a number of new boys and as they have had no competition there is no chance of determining what they can do. Coach Fabre of Lincoln will select his team from the following athletes. Spearow, Fieke, Knudsen, Tannenssee, Lakefish,

Busch, Grant and Hanson. Columbia university will have a strong team this year and according day, epabling the Brooklyn Midgets to

Harness Races to Start. Light harness racing season will start August 7 at Santa Rosa, Cal. The races inaugurating the Pacific coast eason will continue three days.

Harvard university's new swimming pool is estimated to cost \$25,000

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Some of Us Are Still Wearing Our Woolens, But the Bathing Girls Have Opened Season LOCAL BOXING FANS Spring Is Here, So What Do the Multnomah Mermaids Care for Cool Air and Cold Water

Two dozen members of the Ladies' Annex of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic club opened the swimming season officially in Portland last Wednesday, when they took a dip in the Willamette river. From now on they will swim regularly in the river until November. From left to right, those in the picture are: Top row-Miss Edna Ring, Mrs. C. Wolgomot, Mrs. C. A. Kay, Mrs. H. A. Pflaum, Mrs. Fred Blessing, Mrs. Connstance Meyer, Mrs. G. W. Brady, Mrs. J. G. Seed, Mrs. A. von der Werth, Mrs. Joseph Reisch, Mrs. Grace Kadderly, Mrs. J. H. Leighton, Mrs. David Smith, Mrs. Fred Bailey. Bottom row-Mrs. R. Hesse, Mrs. W. G. Oberg, Mrs. J. U. McDonald, Miss Flora Payne, Miss Helen Hicks, Miss Thelma Payne, Mrs. Lelia Ballinger, Mrs. Ethel Farrington and Miss Grace Berkey.



'FED" ORPHANS ARE WALLOPING GLOBULE IN O. B.

Batting Better Than They Did Last Year.

By F. G. M.

orphans who "horned" their way into championship of the world. major league jobs this spring seem to be doing quite well, thank you. They are encountering no real trouble in but I'm coming strong," said the their efforts to beit the offerings of the rival hurlers and some of them are playing afield in a way that overshadows the achievements of the American and National League mates.

Violet" leather beyond the .400 mark during ring, the first week of the campaign-a figure about equal to what he amassed in the Gilmore circuit during the open- \$6900 for that fracas. A few months ing week of 1915. And this must be later he mixed it again with the felstruck out 15, gave but two passes remembered: Kauff this year is fac-and allowed but eight hits. he was acquainted with the twists of the slabmen.

"Shrinking

Roush, Rairden, Magee, Chase, Louden, Konetchy and the bulk of the other Feds now cavorting on Johnson and Tener soil are playing beyond their Federal league form of 1915. -as we contended-who were superior to some organized major regulars?

Oh, yes, it is early in the seasonand the Fed players may slump. But isn't if logical to assume that the more they become acquainted with the \$100.000. pitching in their new leagues the better they will bat? And shouldn't they kill more hits when they learn where to play for the opposing batsmen? The Feds were generally spoofed at

year ago. They were classed by many as minor leaguers. Ours was different belief and we feel that when the 1916 averages are compiled they will show that the great majority of the Feds now in major league uniforms acquitted themselves of the "busher" charge.

MINOR BASEBALL

Pitcher Collins of the Brooklyn Midgets struck out 21 batters yesterto reports the Jefferson squad lines defeat the Telegram Carriers by a to reports the Jerrerson squad lines up pretty strong. The other scholastic teams are uncertainties.

defeat the Telegram Carriers by a score of 6 to 3. Howard Austin caught for the winners. For games not. It all depends upon whether or with the Midgets telephone Irving not he tries conclusions over the de-Stewart, Sellwood 1332.

> The fast Lang & Co. Royal Club baseball team will open the independent season at Hood River against the his title in a long bout will be the day Hood River Heights team. Carl that he will retire as champion. He Knudsen will be on the mound for has gone back so far during the past the Lang team, while Driscoll is two years that any one of the three scheduled to pitch for Hood River. leading lightweights-Benny Leonard, Manager Osborne would like to arrange other out-of-town games. Address him care Lang & Co., Portland.
>
> The chances of Welsh being knocked

The Lents Grays were defeated last declared more than a year ago, almost Sunday by the Peninsula Grays by the nil. The Welshman has a perfect descore of 16 to 7. But Manager Brooks fense of his chin, and a body that of the Lents Grays is confident that can stand up pretty well under a fusihe can beat them with his regular late of blows . If Leonard, White or bunch of players and would like very much to arrange another game with the fight will be over. But that is taken up in one article, as the differant the knee, while the left is prought and compare it with the grand batting them or any other fast team in or not easy of accomplishment. Welsh ence between the crawl proper and the out of Portland. For games with the Lents Grays call Manager Brooks breast and with his guard covering at Main 6869, or writte to him at the other vulnerable spots on his up-

Attention, Fishermen! is the heading of the Fish Bulletins. Very latest dope on fishing. You can find it on

FRANK MORAN IS CROWDING JOHN D. AS CHAMPION

Many of Former Outlaws Are Near-Title Holder May Make \$100,000 in One Year's Fighting.

Frank Moran hopes to challenge New York, May 6.-The Federal John Rockefeller for the financial

"I realize that Johnny has a few millions on me at the present time, blond batter.

And he is. He has come along faster in a financial way than any other nonlammed the champion in the entire history of the

> Seven months ago Moran was broke When he fought Jim Coffey he got \$9994. Then came the Willard fight which netted Moran \$25,000, with mo-

> Add to that what he has made in theatrical work and newspaper "writings" and the grand total is around \$50,000-in seven months.

Moran has in sight two other match-What does this mean? Can it mean es, one with Carl Morris, which may anything else than that there were net him between \$30,000 and \$45,000 some players in the 1915 Fed circuit the other with Jack Dillon which will secure him \$15,000 at least. If he goes through with those fights before next October it will mean that the income for one year for this non-champion non-heavyweght will be about Meteoric? What else?

WELSH ALMOST CERTAIN TO GET BEATEN IN RING

Champion Would Lose in 20-Round Go Before Retiring.

Freddie Welsh announces that he will retire as champion on July 7. cision route with any one of the topnotch lightweights in the game today. The day that Welsh willingly risks

The chances of Welsh being knocked Dundee hit Weish flush upon the chin, always fights with his cain on his

And that's why Welsh has been able to pick up lots of soft money during the past year or so, by mingling in scores of short bouts, without being knocked out

Tom Longboat Again | World's Plunging Is

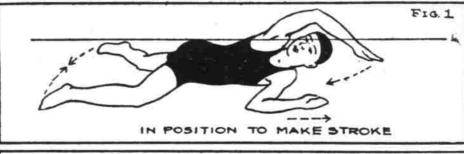
Longboat, the famous Indian Marbut when he heard that Flanagan was Lichter. at Toronto he started off and ran the 60 miles in two days. He was transferred to Flanagan's regiment and put

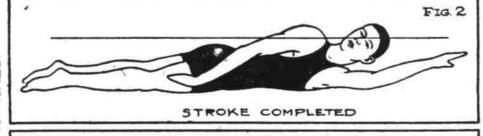
With Tom Flanagan Broken at St. Louis RUNNING HORSES

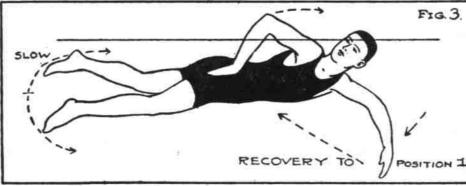
What is claimed to be a world's recafthon runner, is now a scout in the Sportsmen's battalion of the Canadian expeditionary forces. Tom Flanagan, who handled him for the Louis recently, when D. V. A. Smith London Marathon in 1908 and for of the Illinois Athletic club, plunged many other races, is a captain in this regiment. Longboat was with the Caseconds. The former record was 52 nadian troops near Brantford, Ontario, seconds, made five years ago by John

Dan O'Leary has covered 112,900 miles during the 49 years of his walk-

Expert Tells How to Swim Discusses First of Three Methods Since the revival in many parts of the







By Jack Cody. Swimming Instructor of Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club.

ent ether and the fan and fanctte are about the left knee. shaking mothballs out of their bathing suits and counting the days when strokes, as many questions have been the single overarm, trudgeon, American crawl and the crawl proper

three articles dealing with these American crawl is very slight.

the breast stroke. The swimmer lies them together with an even and rather won 76 putting the left hand in the water, wishes to make in swimming.

pointing the fingers down about inches in front of the head. The hand should be so placed that the sweep of the stroke will come back in a straight The water bug is buzzing under the line from the aforementioned position, warming influence of the circumambi- ending with a downward sweep at

Swimmer May Coast.

This stroke is taken with the kick the court of Neptune will again be in and should be held a few seconds at full sway along the Willamet e. In the finish. This enables the swimmer view of this fact it may not be amiss to coast as far as possible, the feet to say a few words on the different being together and the toes pointed hit. outward. out in a no-decision bout are, as we asked the writer in the last few weeks cles, raise the elbow out of the water were due to poor pitching and a lively in regard to the difference between and bring the arm forward to position ball. again for the next stroke. This should The Journal will publish a series of headway from the previous stroke. three articles dealing with these In the scissors kick the right leg Federal league players to date—both strokes, the last two named being goes back from the hip and bends back in the National and American league taken up in one article, as the differ- at the knee, while the left is brought and compare it with the grand batting The single overarm is the most thigh is brought broadside to the Feds are batting the ball with vigor. graceful stroke of all. It is not only the least tiring but the foundation of progress of the swimmer. When the Mercersburg academy track and field all other strokes, barring, of course, legs are in position for the kick, bring athletes during the past 15 years has

JOCKEYS NOW ON Runners Not Out if WORST IN SPORT

Many Thoroughbreds Losing Because of Quality of Riders.

New York May 6.-The American urf needs more real jockeys. There is a dearth of experienced running horse pilots at this time and many good ponies fail to gain brackets simply because of bad handling.

In the halcyon days of the turf sport here was a superfluity of great jock-Then the game ebbed, jockeys were thrown out of employment and country it has become appallingly apparent that there are only a score or two of real riders in the land. The others who are classed as jockeys are

Many of the boys riding races today are not even competent to gallop them in their workouts. A jockey must be trained gradually to be a real success. But the bulk of the riders of today have jumped from the job of stable boy to the backs of thoroughbreds. The horse owners realize that their mounts are inefficiently handled-but they are getting the best boys possible.

The fault is that no real effort has been made during the past two or three years to properly train boys for their important task of riding a race horse. The fault is being remedied by some owners who have employed expert trainers to educate their "rookies." In two years or so the pupils will emerge as full pledged jockeys, fully fitted with riding knowledge. But until then the majority of horses

will be driven by joke riders; by boys whose lack of knowledge will send down to defeat many a good horse which, if properly handled, would be a constant winner.

Barney Dreyfuss Is Recipient of Lesson

When peace was made in the baseball world, Barney Dreyfuss, owner of the Pirates, attered words. They were to the effect that "the Federal pitches were no good." Barney explained in a fine records of some Fed pitchers in't they pitching against bush

George McConnell was one of the Fed heavers indicted by *arney on the charge of being a minor leaguer. He was with the Chicago Feds las: year. This year he is with the Cubs. And now we wonder what Barney has been saying since this same "Bush League" McConnell shut out Barney's own Pirates and allowed them exactly one hit?

Also, Barney said the Feds couldn't He said the husky batting aver-Then relax the arm mus- ages last year in the Gilcore circuit

Well, once again the 1916 transpirbe done slowly and while still under ings show up Barney. If Barney will take the grand batting average of the to draw up the leg too much, as the league rivals, he will find that the

championships, established on the right side, preferably, using quick snap. The speed of the stroke three world's records and furnished the scissors kick and at the same time naturally depends on the time one more than 50 captains of college and university teams.

GROWING DISGUSTED WITH HAM MANAGE

Continual Squabbling Ove Referees Tries Patience o Men Who Pay at Gate.

TIE CAN TO INTRODUCING

Crowd Names of Alleged Boxers They Have Known for Months.

ecoming somewhat disgusted at the plons stall around about official To hear them squabble would thin

Much of this arguing could be do away with if the managers of the various clubs would appoint a refere like the club referee let them their bouts elsewhere. Lately a number of boxers have re

fused to box under Jack Grant, whi is the best man available in this see tion of the country. Grant was in th boxing game before some of the kill ever saw a glove and because he not carried away with a whirlwin finish like most referees some of th boxers do not like him. One of the displeasing features

the smoker last Friday night was thaction of Paul Steele, chief second for Earl Conners of Tacoma, and Bobl Evans, who handles Billy Masco Grant was scheduled to referee th rendered a decision, refused to perm Grant to referee, while Evans, se going to let him appear unless Gran acted as the third man. Mascot, co allowed the Tacomas to have the wil The sooner the boys and their man agers get together and cut out a lo

And, by the way, there ought e an open season on managers. Wh ever heard of an amateur needing Another thing that should be co

sailed is the introduction of a stri of boxers just before the main ever practically every smoker stages The followers of the game know m nost of them in action, although it to admitted that most of etter when they are "dolled up"

the colored lightweight of the U. navy, will be billed to appear again Golden West Athletic league May 17 Johnson will likely meet Joe Ber min, while O'Brien will probably matched with Meredith.

Frank Barrieau, the former northwest amateur welterweight champion, will appear in the main event of the President John K. Tener, of the National league, has issued instructions the 152-pound championship of the umpires not to declare base run- Northwest and British Columbia. er, "unless the coacher, by holding the shannon of Seattle and Roy Orton of runner, has physically assisted him in returning to third base." President Tener advised the umpires not to call the runner out, even if touched by the coacher when really is being the runner. Bobby Allen vs. Tommy Clark Walter Knowlton

and Joe Farrel vs. Joe Harrahan. Willie Ritchie, former world's light-weight champion, who is coming to Portland to visit his sister during the Rose Festival, will appear in the main event of the next smoker of the Beaver club, June 9.

If You Lack Personality

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ners out for interference by the coach-

coacher, when no play is being made.

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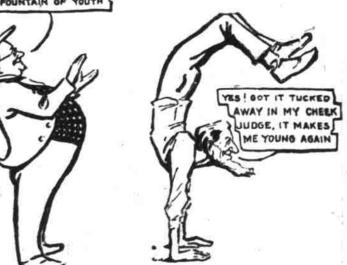
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