

# Railsplitters Win From Commerce; Weaver Promises Surprise; Horse Show Ends Tonight

## Beck's Score Gives Victory To Lincoln Hi

Interscholastic League Standings.

Washington	8	0	1000
Franklin	6	2	857
Columbia	6	2	759
Hill	5	4	414
James John	5	4	288
Lincoln	4	0	259
Jefferson	1	6	142
Commerce	1	7	123

AFTER battling through three quarters without either team being able to cross the other's goal line, the Lincoln high football squad defeated the High School of Commerce eleven, 7 to 0, on Multnomah field, Friday. It was the final clash of the 1920 season of the Portland Interscholastic League for both sides.

Captain Willie Beck, the bright light and all-star halfback of the Railsplitters, was responsible for the last minute victory. On two occasions in the final period he ran the ball to the Stenographers' five yard line only to have one of his teammates fumble the ball and lose it. On his third attempt and with only two or three minutes to go, he advanced the pigskin to the same spot and then managed to squirm his way over the line.

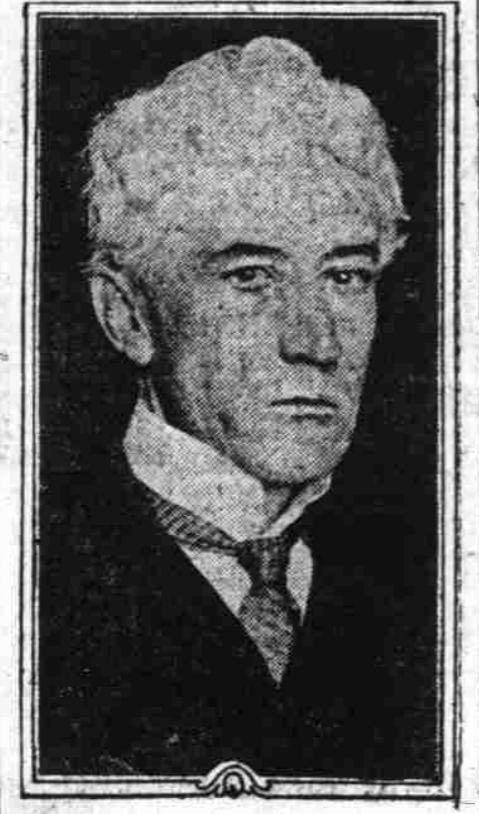
It required four downs for the Railsplitters to push the ball the five yards and on the last down Beck, after barely miring the goal line, fumbled but recovered the oval. Hunt kicked goal.

**THRILLING GAME**  
The match was spectacular from a spectator's standpoint for there were many neckties, shoestrings and flying tackles to make it thrilling. The Commerce delegation fought from the outset and soon after the kickoff opening the second half the Bookkeepers, by line plunges and an occasional forward pass, worked the ball to the Lincoln 15 yard line. They lost the ball on downs. In the first half, play for the most part was in Lincoln's territory, but not close enough to the goal line to make it dangerous.

Beck's punting had a lot to do with keeping Coach Cook's proteges from threatening on several occasions. The work of Mix Grider and Saunders in the backfield for Commerce featured for the losers, while on the line, Center Dana and Marcus Schneider were in every play. Beck, Alder, who was shifted from end to halfback; Faust and Rosengren starred for the Railsplitters.

Following is the summary of the game: Lincoln (7) Commerce (0)

## FEDERAL JUDGE LANDIS OF Chicago, who has accepted the \$43,500 a year office tendered him by the baseball magnates.



## Achievement to Be Landis' Platform

Chicago, Nov. 20.—(U. P.)—"Achievement—not words" will be the platform of Federal Judge K. M. Landis, baseball's newest ruler.

Landis, discussing plans for baseball's future, said Chicago was to be the mecca for baseball pilgrims. He will make his headquarters here and squabbles which may arise will be brought to Chicago for him to decide.

"While I was making my decision as to whether I would accept the baseball offer, men came to me and said, 'By all means take it. Leave the bench. You have earned it.' Landis said.

"There seems to be a great concern in some minds about my ability to handle both jobs. They are afraid I won't do my work. They are afraid I will do my work."

## The Dalles Defeats McMinnville Eleven

The Dalles, Nov. 20.—The McMinnville high school football team, previously unbeaten this season, was defeated here Friday afternoon by The Dalles team. The score was 7 to 2. The Dalles scoring a touchdown in the second quarter, and McMinnville a touchdown in the last quarter. A muddy field made the play slow.

## Cougar Team Starts Trip To Nebraska

WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE, Pullman, Nov. 20.—Eighteen players, Coach Gustavus Welch and Athletic Director J. Fred Bohler, departed this morning for Lincoln, Neb., where the Cougars will meet the strong and hefty Cornhusker eleven on Turkey day. The revamped eleven which smared the hopes of the Oregon Aggies last Saturday in the farewell game on Rogers field is scheduled to start the fray against the Nebraskaans. Eldon Jenne, star punter, whose kicks are averaging better than 80 yards, is again fit for play following a three week's rest because of injuries.

The following players will make the trip: Soud Loomis, George Bohannon and Harold Hamlin, ends; Ford Dunton, Captain Fred Hamilton and Bob Schmebly, tackles; Harry George, Bud McKay, Ray King and Charles Jans, guards; Moe Sax and Curley Skadan, quarterbacks; Roy Sandberg, Eldon Jenne, Bill Winans and Pink McVoy, halfbacks, and Lloyd Gillis, fullback.

The squad will travel via Pendleton, Salt Lake and Denver, stopping over in the latter city Monday for practice, and will arrive in Lincoln Tuesday noon, giving the squad two days' rehearsal on the Cornhusker gridiron prior to the contest. The squad will return to Pullman Monday, November 23.

## Benjamin Arrives For Schuman Bout

Joe Benjamin, Pacific coast lightweight, who meets Heinie Schuman at Milwaukee December 8, arrived in Portland Friday morning from Milwaukee where he suffered a knockout at the hands of Ritchie Mitchell.

Benjamin says that he held the upper hand in the bout, and newspaper clippings bear out his statement, until he took the count. Joe says that he will seek a return bout with Mitchell in Philadelphia during the latter part of December.

## Sammy Gordon a Winner

Sacramento, Cal., Nov. 20.—(U. P.)—Babe Herman, Sacramento featherweight, won a close decision over Ed "Spec" Ramias of San Francisco here last night. Sammy Gordon of Portland, although outwitted, got a draw with Joe King Leopold, Oakland. Other bouts resulted: Portland Jimmy Duffy and Baby Blue, draw; Johnny Loxley and Harry Scott fought a draw; Chicago won over Pete Dalley, and Johnny Walker won from Battling O'Day.

San Francisco, Nov. 20.—(U. P.)—Shade won a decision from Tommy Robson in their four-round bout at Dreamland ring last night. Kay Krivosky and Jimmy Barry fought a draw.

## Basketball Opens In Winged 'M' Gym

Al Brooke's team of the National league won the opening game of the 1920-21 basketball home circuit of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic club Thursday night. His quintet walloped Ted Fowler and his aggregation, 23 to 26. "Cutie" Sharp and Captain Brooke each registered 12 points for the winners, while Captain Fowler led the losers with 14. Manager-Coach J. Raymond Toomey announced that two games will be played in the Winged "M" gymnasium Sunday afternoon, the first clash between Morton and Harder starting at 10:45 o'clock, followed by the Twining-Clerin affair.

## They Don't Seem to Like Herd's Tactics

Palo Alto, Cal., Nov. 20.—Cliff Herd, coach of the University of Southern California freshmen football team, isn't making a very big hit around these parts because of his cranking tactics. He has a mighty good team, there is no question about that, but the players have taken Herd's style of "holering" at everything an official does. They do altogether too much talking from the bench. If the Southern Californians ever expect to gain admission into the Pacific Coast conference they had better change their ways, according to the advance word around San Francisco.

## Portland Gun Club To Hold Turkey Shoot

The Portland Gun club will stage its Thanksgiving turkey shoot Sunday afternoon on the Evergreen park traps, at 1 o'clock. The shoot was originally set for 10 o'clock Sunday morning, but to give the duck shooters a chance to participate in the event, the club officials decided to start the event in the afternoon. President Newland has secured a number of fine birds for the winners.

## Three Teams Are Tied

University of Oregon, Eugene, Nov. 20.—With the A. T. O's Owl club, Kappa Sigma and the Phi Gamma Delta teams leading the doughnut basketball schedule is progressing nicely. There are over 103 games in the series and so far the leaders named have not lost a game. Sigma Chi have a percentage of 66, having won two and lost one. S. A. E. have 50.

## "Buck" Weaver Not Downhearted Knows He Can Prove His Innocence

By James L. Kilgallen  
United News Staff Correspondent  
Chicago, Nov. 20.—"I am not a crook," the young man with the broad shoulders and the boyish smile strides vigorously from the table to the soda fountain, mingling it about the tables. A fast ball player to go down to second, in a few minutes he is back with the order. Service! The best ever given at the drive-in at the corner of Sixty-ninth and Halstead streets.

George (Buck) Weaver is the clerk's name. He used to play ball and the "experts" agreed he was the world's greatest third baseman. He is now under suspicion and indictment in connection with the 1919 world's series.

"I'm keeping myself busy," said Buck. "My brother-in-law has just bought this place. How'd you find out I was here?" A big chap with a red face came in—a cowboy at the stockyards. "Why, hello! If it ain't Buck!" he exclaimed, greeting Weaver's hand.

"That's the way my friends come in all day—giving me the glad hand," said Weaver happily. His place of employment is on the south side, not far from the White Sox ball park and in a neighborhood where everybody is taking Sox notes. Buck is staying here—right with them—because he says they all know he is innocent of ever having thrown a ball game.

**IS COMING BACK**  
"I will prove myself innocent at the trial," he will be back in a uniform in the series. He said he batted .333 and didn't make an error. He suggested the reporter go back over his record and see how he played, and loop loop cancelled due to faculty objection who said he was one of the two players on the Sox team who fought to the very end.

## SPORT NOTES

### Football Scores of 1920 Coast Elevens

CALIFORNIA		0
21—Olympic	0	0
12—Mare Island	0	0
18—Munich	0	0
23—Nevada	0	0
63—Utah	0	0
11—Portland	0	0
48—W. S. C.	0	0
456—Totals	14	14
W. S. C.		0
23—Alumni	0	0
38—Gonzaga	0	0
14—Idaho	0	0
9—Portland	0	0
2—California	0	0
28—Oregon Aggies	0	0
197—Totals	56	56
STANFORD		0
41—St. Mary	0	0
27—Olympic	0	0
13—Munich	0	0
21—Santa Clara	0	0
18—Oregon	0	0
3—Washington	0	0
82—Totals	17	17
WASHINGTON		24
14—Whitman	17	17
10—O. A. C.	3	3
0—O. A. C.	3	3
0—Stanford	4	4
0—Oregon	11	11
47—Totals	50	50
OREGON		7
0—Oregon	7	7
0—Oregon Aggies	0	0
0—Gonzaga	20	20
2—Totals	27	27
OREGON AGGIES		17
0—Multnomah	0	0
2—Washington	17	17
0—W. S. C.	17	17
10—Totals	45	45

## Canadian Vets and Kerns Meet Sunday

P. Chappell Browne, president of the Portland Soccer Football association, has announced the officials for Sunday's games. Sammy Duncan will handle the Can Macley-Stanley Shipbuilding corporation affair on the Franklin high grounds; P. Mansley will referee the Canadian Veterans-Kerns contest on the Reed college athletic grounds, while D. H. Edgington will referee the Kerns vs. the Veterans contest on the Multnomah Guard-Peninsula engagement at Columbia Park in run off in good fashion. All games will start at 2 o'clock.

## 'Stubby' Edgington Sued for Divorce

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 20.—(U. P.)—Jacob F. (Stubby) Edgington, member of the Vernon baseball club, today is defendant in a divorce suit filed by Jessie V. Edgington. Extreme cruelty is charged.

## Jack Johnson Will Box for Prisoners

Leavenworth, Kans., Nov. 20.—Jack Johnson, former heavyweight champion, will furnish the big feature at the federal prisoners' Thanksgiving day celebration by boxing 10 rounds with two former trainers. The first bout will be with Jack Johnson of Topeka, and the second with Mike Owens of Chicago. Newspaper men and state officials are the only "outsiders" who will be invited to the bouts.

## Another Turkey Shoot

Centuria, Wash., Nov. 20.—A large number of sportsmen from all over the county are expected to take part in the post-season gun club shoot to be held by the local club Sunday morning at the fair grounds traps. The event is in the form of a Thanksgiving shoot, turkeys, ducks and chickens being prizes offered. The shoot is public. Only 22 rifles will be used.

## Tonight Is Windup of Horse Show

TWO more programs, one this afternoon and the other tonight, and the 1920 Night Horse show will be a thing of history.

More than 7000 spectators witnessed the events in the Pacific International Livestock exposition pavilion in North Portland, Friday night, and the featuring number—open to all jumpers—was won by little Miss Doris Oxley McCleave of Victoria, B. C., on her father's well trained "Victoria."

The McCleave stable consists of 18 head of mighty fine horses, so well trained and handled that they win the majority of ribbons wherever they are shown. Not only did Miss Doris take the jumping event, but she topped the evening performance by winning the blue ribbon in the lightweight hunters' class with "Indian Maid."

**"CONFIDENCE" FIRST**  
Mrs. Grace Maxwell of Denver, Colo., one of the foremost horsewomen in the country has made several remarkable showings this week. "Sir Sidney" Mrs. Wayne W. Keyes' fine saddle horse scored first above "Confidence" and "Tommy Lad" of the English stable and Mrs. W. U. Sanderson's "Major Dillon" in the women's three-gaited saddle event.

The program tonight will feature the high jump—the big event of the week—as well as all championships and special features. The opening parade is billed for 7:40 o'clock.

Following are the results of last night's show:  
Grand parade of prize-winning stock from the Pacific International Livestock exposition.  
Class 10, runabout horses, 19 entries—First, S. S. Mason, second, Tarns Denmark, Miss Hilda McCormick, Pasadena; third, Mabel Reade, H. S. Burnham, Colorado Springs, Colo.; fourth, La Goldandra, Mrs. Ruth W. Clemens, Medford, Ore.; fifth, Indian Princess, James H. McCleave, Victoria, B. C.; second, Highland Laddie, Miss Owens, Portland; third, Firook, Mrs. James Nicol, Portland; fourth, Princess Pat, Miss Faulkner, Victoria, B. C.; fifth, Major Dillon, Mrs. W. U. Sanderson's, Major Dillon, Victoria, B. C.; sixth, Tommie Lad, English, Pasadena, Cal.; third, The Spook, Nat McLoughlin, Portland; fourth, Golden Deer, H. S. Burnham, Colorado Springs, Colo.

Class 45, three-gaited saddlers, 23 entries—First, Sir Sidney, Mrs. Wayne W. Keyes, Tacoma, Wash.; second, Confidence, Miss Maud Stock Bailey, Victoria, B. C.; third, Tommy Lad, Miss Hilda McCormick, Pasadena, Cal.; fourth, Major Dillon, Mrs. W. U. Sanderson, Portland; fifth, Sir Sidney, Mrs. Wayne W. Keyes, Tacoma, Wash.; third, Silver Deer, H. S. Burnham, Colorado Springs, Colo.

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## Hargiss Adopts Oregon Style of Calling Plays

Bill Hargiss, former mentor of the Oregon Aggie football team, now coaching the Kansas Normal school at Manhattan, has adopted the signal system used by Oregon in the 1919 state championship game at Corvallis.

Instead of calling the signal in the usual manner, the players get together in a circle about eight yards behind the ball and decide upon the play. The plan is good, but it slows up a game to some extent.

**SPECIAL EVENTS**  
Junior Hunt club drill.  
Irish jaunting cart.  
Today's feature program:  
2:15 p. m.—Class 46—Girls' saddle ponies, 13 to 14 hands; 5 entries.  
Class 47—Girls' saddle ponies, 14 to 14.3 hands; 9 entries.  
Class 48—Boys' saddle ponies, 13.2 to 14 hands; 12 entries.  
Class 49—Boys' saddle ponies, 14 to 14.3 hands; 12 entries.  
Class 50—Free-for-all pony high jump under 15 years; 9 entries.  
Class 51—Pony jumpers, 4 hurdles; 11 entries.  
Class 52—Shetland ponies, saddle; 5 entries.  
Class 53—Shetland ponies, harness single; 6 entries.  
Class 54—Shetland ponies, tandem; 3 entries.  
Class 55—Pair saddle ponies; 3 entries.

**Tonight's Program**  
7:40—Parade of grand champions of all cattle breeds the state high school and junior.  
8:00—Class 36—Consolation hunters and jumpers.  
Class 18—Consolation three-gaited saddlers.  
Class 37—Championship roadster, light harness.  
Class 40—Championship five-gaited.  
Class 41—Hunters' stake, champion hunter.  
Class 42—Free-for-all high jump, for light performers only to count.  
Special—Irish jaunting cart.  
H. S. Burnham's great Colorado Silver Deer in his high school suit to music.

## RACING

MIKE DALY, noted trainer of race horses, died at the Johns Hopkins hospital in Baltimore of typhoid pneumonia. While engaged in training thoroughbreds in Canada he contracted a severe cold which developed into pneumonia. Walter M. Jeffords of Philadelphia, his employer, had him placed under the care of leading specialists at the Johns Hopkins. For years Daly was a successful owner and trainer of stars of the turf.

## Creston Team Wins Grammar Grid Title

Playing an open game and using a number of trick passes, the Creston football team won the 1920 championship of the grammar school league Friday, defeating the Central school by a score of 19 to 0. The contest was played on the afternoon high school grounds. The Central team was heavier, but could not combat with the speedy offensive of the Creston players. Charles Roland, Carl Miller, Verne Frost and Evan Porter starred for the winners.

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