Courtesy and Assistance Accorded Teams by Lettermen Well Liked

"I have attended two basketball tournaments in Colorado and two more in other states and none were better handled than the one in Salem this year," wrote J. V. Mackenzie, coach of athletics at LaGrande high school, one of the teams entered in the title play-oft.

This is a sample of the sentiment expressed in letters to Coach tween Ad Mackie and Art Humph-Roy S. Keene, of Willamette, ries, the local matchmaker Friday which have been received in great night divulged the information numbers this week from coaches, that two top motch six round who were here for the tournament. the pregram.

Special appreciation was excharge of his team had a lot to do named. with getting the quintet into the finals.

The communications indicate and the city of Salem, said Coach

Yanks Will Be Paid Quarter of Million

Ruth Tops List With \$70,000; Salaries More Than Club Cost

NEW YORK, March 18-(AP) -The payroll of the New York Yankees this season not only sets a new high mark for any club in DAUN major league history, but eclipses the amount that Colonel Jacob Ruppert and his former partner, Colonel T. L. Huston, paid for the entire outfit a dozen years ago.

With Babe Ruth topping the list at a fancy \$70,000, the colonel's check book stubs likely will show total disbursements to his athletes of about \$250,000 for the (AP)-A 40 year old southpaw 1927 campaign.

around \$10,000 per player, but it major league clubs in the long isn't the whole story. Manager gone past has returned to his old Miller Huggins is understood to love, the New York Giants. he drawing down \$25,000 per anassistants, bathoys and business ing choice against the Washing staff help boost the total.

Besides the Babe, there's Bob signed at \$17,500. Urban Shocker. Waite Hoyt and Joe Dugan probably also are well up in the five figure class. And Herb Pennock. holdout southpaw, has put a price of something like \$20,000 on his this afternoon, the "Rube" show

Presbyterians Win First Game in Comrade League

The first game of the Salem Comrade league. Thursday evening at the YMCA, was won by the First Presbyterian Comrade club, defeating the Bungalow Christian group 32 to 12. The teams are more evenly matched than the score indicates, the losers showing ability but failing to get under way effectively.

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Women's National Swim Meet to Be in Portland

PORTLAND, March 18 .- (AP) The women's junior national indoor fancy 10 feet diving championships, and the Pacific northwest indoor swimming championships will be held here at the Multnemah Amateur Athletic pool the night of March 26. Dorothy Poyton, of the Hollywood Athletie club, is among those entered in

the diving event. Clubs already entered for the PNA events are Victoria Island Amateur association, Crystal Pool, Seattle: Oregon Agricultural college University of Oregon, Pertland Outdoor club. Vancouver Community club, and Aberdeen. Entries close March 23.

Willamette University

Debate Team Winning

The Willamette university debrite teem which is on an extensive tour of the Pacific coast, defeated California Institute of debate on the question; "Resolved: that all foreign control in China should be import their relineutshed except chose powers usually exercised by consuls and legations. The local speakers who are making the trip are Robert Witty and Charles Redding.

Main Event Next Wednesday

Promises to Be One of Season's Best

Along with the best main event which Harry Plant has scheduled among the many excellent ones he has staged recently, that announcnewspaper men, and other officials events will also be included in

· Eddie Krugan, bristling local pressed at the plan inaugurated by 145 pounder, will meet Bud Gin-Coach Keene this year of assign- ther of Oregon City, 149, in one ing a certain letterman to take of these special fights, and in the charge of each of the teams en- other, Hal Sharp of Salem and tered. Coach Brown of Eugene Jack Davis of Oregon City will high school commented especially fight at 138 pounds. There will on this idea, stating that the atten- be two four round Bouts, the printion he received from the man in cipals in which are yet to be

The Humphries-Mackie scrap is certain to be a winner, not only because both boys are leaders in that the conduct of the tourna- their class, but because they are ment this year was satisfactory in of opposite types. Mackie, alevery respect to the high schools though he has recently discovered entered, and shows that the tour- a knockout punch, is essentially a nament has provided valuable ad- clever boxer; Humphries relies on vertising for Willamette university slugging, and when these two mix, it is certain to be a great battle.

Rumphries has credit for a 10 round decision over Sailor Willie Gordon, who knocked out Vic Tendler here several weeks ago. Humphries also made a remarkable showling against Benny Pelz, losing an unpopular decision.

Forty Year Old Southpaw Slams Them Over, and as Cunning as Ever

ATLANTA, Ga., March 18 .who has spit upon the glove and

John McGraw, in announcing num, while the coaches, various Rube Marquard today as his pitch ten Senators, partly set at ease the rumors that have flown thick Reusel, who is understood to have and fast in Florida for the last 24 hours that he was angling for both Adolfo Luque, of the Cincinnati iteds, and Marquard.

In the first three innings of the exhibition contest at Tampa ed that he had lost little, if any By contrast ft cost the "Battling of his cunning. His cat-like mos Colonels" only about \$265,000 in tions in the box caught both Man-1915 for the club, franchise and ager Harris of the Senators, and all. Ruth alone would be worth Buddy Myer napping at first. The at least that much on the open nats made a run in three frames Marquard was on the hill.

As for Luque, the talk of trade continued, but official comment was still lacking. Jack Hendricks of the Reds sad several days ago that the Cuban might be sold. The Boston Braves are known to be seeking his services.

Today's games found the Giants and Senators at Tampa; the Phillies and Cards at Bradenton; the Athletics and Braves at St. Petersburg and the Reds and Browns at Tarpon Springs.

The Indians in their drill found much to talk about as to how their revamped lineup managed to break their jinx yesterday in the victory over the Baltimore internationals.

The Phillies are still low with a coterie of invalids heating the beach. Among Stuffy McInnis cripples are Alex Ferguson, Herb Pruett, Clarence Mitchell and Edward Baecht. Oran O'Neil and Arthur Decatur also are ailing.

The Boston Red Sox at New Orleans held a light workout in fielding and batting during the day. Rookie pitchers were tossing them up to the batters. Tomorrow the Soz will play the New Orleans Southern association club.

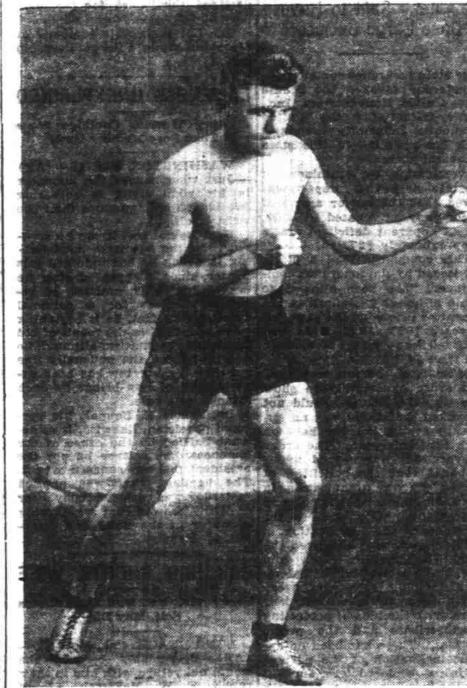
Terris Beats Wallace In Fastest Bout Ever

NEW YORK, Mar. 18 .- (AP) -Sid Terris, sensational New York lightweight, tonight whipped Billy Wallace, bitter Cleveland puncher, in ten of the fastest rounds the new Madison Square arena has ever witnessed. The weights were: Terris 134 %, Wallace 132 44.

Louis (Kid) Kaplan, retired featherweight champion, scored a technical knockout over Frankie Fink, the Texas cowboy, in the eighth round of the second ten round bout. The referee stepped Technology Thursday night in a in to save Fink from further punishment after two minutes and 19 seconds of fighting in the weighed 132%;

Fink 183 2. Mill City-Hammond mill establishes new record cut of 234,-984 feet in eight hours,

WILL FIGHT HERE AGAIN



Ad Mackie, clever Portlander who recently knocked out Allie Taylor of Bend, then fought a draw with Tommy O'Brien which some said should have been a decision for Mackie; next Wednesday night he meets a tougher opponent than either of them, in Art Humphries of Everett.

Methodist Publication Gives Interesting Test With Peculiar Answers

CHICAGO, March 18 .- (AP.)gnorance of their own basic laws. among church people has led the Northwestern Christian Advocate. publication of the Methodist Episcopal church here, to conclude that America doesn't know the ten commandments-at least not well nough to say them.

"There must be no false faces before me," was one of the most glaring examples of ignorance obtained in a two months' test just concluded by the Advocate, "Keep away from your neighbor's wife,' was another, quoted in a variety

Hardly any one admitted ignorince, it was discovered, but after starting out, "of course," many weakened on the actual test and started out "Thou shalt, er," then stopped and starteed again, "thou shalt not-uh!" and on the average made no more than five attempts to give any of the ten.

Rural and urban America both re blissfully ignorant of the letter f the law, the test indicated. In he little town of Buffalo, Illinois. one person asked of the ten comnandments, answered, "Sure. It was a swell picture." A college girl in Sioux City, Iowa, started quoting the beatitudes.

"In few instances were the tests imited to Methodists," the Adocate announced today. "Most of the testers appear to have gone abroad in their communities. gleaning in as many different religious fields as possible. As far sort of religious education.

"One investigator believed she among Catholics; another found with the Protestants; and a third was sure that Catholicism had failed to teach the decalogue at

"Boys and girls in the Sunday schools were found to be letter perfect in reciting the commandments-providing no more than a year had elapsed since they had studied them. Otherwise, there to his office where all parties were was no marked difference among waiting. inniors and adults, save that the older folk were more embarrassed them."

the paper under the title "Adven- cept a proffered \$10,000 bonus. tures while exhuming the deca- The deal was closed on payment ogue," were the following: "You should not take your days.

neighbor's cow." "There is a long one about water under the earth." "One says something about adultery and having other Gods."

"Thou shalt not murder. (Quoted by a police magistrate.) Love thy neighbor as they

mandments, most got "thou shalt not commit adultery" identified

CONFISCATION CEASES

Mexican Ambassador Returns to Washington After Conference

WASHINGTON, March 18- break. AP) -Ambassador Tellez returnhe conferred with President Calles upon the controversies between the United States and his country. He declined to talk but said he

Ambassador Tellez stopped off at New York but he said he did not confer with Consul General

Coincident with Tellez' return here, it was said at the White House that President Coolidge had noted what appeared to be at least a temporary cossation of acts of confiscation in Mexico directed

against American owned property. Whether this is in any way significant in relation to recent diplomatic conversations between Washington and Mexico City, was not disclosed, but it was stated that there had been no recent developments between the two countries over Mexican oil and land

TONOPAH, Nev., March 18 .-AP.) - The first wooden building erected since the gold strike was started at Weepah today in the presence of a crowd of cheering

Weird ideas about the growth as determined no one church has of Weepah have gained ground. accomplished a markedly superior judging from the letters received One from San Francisco, addressed to the superintendent of Tonopah cund signs of unusual training schools, applied for the position of principal "in the school at Wee-Catholics sharing ignorance along pah"-where there is neither chick nor child

A dramatic touch was displayed last night when Attorney William Forman, as judge, was pulled out of bed to witness signing of final papers covering transfer of deeds on four Horton claims.

The judge simply pulled an over coat over his pajamas and drove Despite the protests of the elde

Horton, Thomas J. Lynch, presiwhen the terrible truth dawned on dent of the Belcher Ex-Com. Mines company would not relin-Women were reported to have quish his option to the four claims cored a "little higher" than men. of young Horton and Leonard Among odd answers listed by Trayner. He would not even acof \$10,000, balance in 30 and 60

The company expects to be the first in the field with practical development work. Machinery is being held in Tonopah.

who answered any com- arriving here almost empty.

Word was received here today from Oregon that about 100 Pendicton residents have started for Weepah, This morning's train from San Francisco carried three "Reep the Sabbath and make it Pullmans with all berths filled." Ten days ago the same train was

RACE WAR WAGED tion of firing the city hall in an

YOUTHS STORM JAIL AFTER GIRLS ATTACKED BY BLACKS

Arms Obtained, Three Persons Shot When Raid on Negro Quarter Tried

COFFEYVILLE, Kans., March of the hall met only jeers. 8.-(AP)-Race war broke out here late tonight when a mob of the city jail in an attempt to stocks of guns and ammunition. connection with an assault on two guns confiscated. white girls, attempted to invade the negro quarter.

The whites were repulsed and at least three persons were shot The armed clash came after a group of white youths had kicked in the door of a hardware store and obtained arms and ammuni-

About 100 shots were exchanged

William Waddle, 17, white, a printer's apprentice, was taken to a hospital with buckshot in his egs and a bullet wound in his have been fatally wounded.

negro section.

ly every window in the city hall smuggled the prisoners out of the and failed in several attempts to building. storm the jail, where a negro susof two high school girls.

The negroes were not much in evidence on the streets here totheir home district.

Troop B, Kansas national guard unit stationed here, called out a few hours before, arrived shortly Buhl Retracts Confession after the shooting occurred and for the time being assumed control of the situation. The men carried full war equipment and wore steel helmets.

The crowd soon returned, some bearing shot guns and more trouble was feared before day-

Martial law was inaugurated hardware store in town and an efcitizens

the negro quarters as a result of threats that homes would be purned, which were heard following the gun clash. A fire hose strung through the

city hall as an aid in repulsing the attack was cut to shreds and was carried away Windows in several downtown

establishments shattered by the flying bullets. A complete check of the in ured was not available.

Tear gas guns fired into th rowd apparently gerved only to increase the anger and feeling against the negroes which stood at fever heat throughout the day was fanned into a flamo,

As the white members of the throng of 1,000 or more made a run to enter the negro section two negroes were encountered in the dark doorway and a fist fight began which resulted in the negroes being severely beaten.

Other negroes appeared before he two had risen from the street and immediately opened fire. Pandemonium reigned

creaming women and children pushed by scrambling men sought safety. Young Waddle, with blood

streaming down his arm, staggered into the Coffeyville Journal office where volunteer attendants gave him emergency treatment and rushed him to a hospital. The sight of the youth's blood

brought another outburst of threats and more than 100 men and boys left the downtown district with cries for more guns. Urged on by older members,

boys between 19 and 21 years let loose a barrage of rocks at the city hall and the crashing glass from the windows, was interspersed with cheers from onlookers who encouraged the boys to storm the jail. An effort was made to obtain

gasoline for the shouted inten-

IN KANSAS TOWN fail. All filling stations were effort to force an entrance to the closed, however, and this was abandoned, the boys returning to the municipal building with a replenished supply of stones and the

sumed with vigor, No effort was made by the officers and guards inside the buildto halt this and an American flag waved from a front window

assault on the building was re-

Five young men were arrested and charged with breaking into white persons who had besieged hardware stores and looting the seize three negroes arrested in Others were disarmed and their

> TOPEKA, Kans., March 18 .-(AP) -Three units of the Kansas national guard were called out tonight by Governor Paulen to rende rassistance to civil authorities at Coffeyville, in answer to a request made by Sheriff Walter Mc-Crabb, and the mayor of the city. Guardsmen from Iola and Yates Center were ordered to embark in motor cars for Coffeyville to rein-

force the unit stationed there.

COFFEYVILLE, Kans., March hand. He was not believed to 18 .- (AP)-A mob of 1,000 persons, which gathered about the The youth was in the line of city jail here tonight uttering fire and was not accompanying threats against three negro men arrested in connection with an attack on two white high school The clash came after a group girls early today, was outwitted shows. After the second round, rink tenight. of youths had shattered practical- by county and city officers who

Authorities announced that two pect is held in connection with the of the negroes, Vanges and Garcriminal assault here early today vin Hardin, brothers, had cleared themselves and were released from custody,

The third suspect. Curtis Smith, night but apparently anticipated a barber, was taken away on a an invasion of the residential sec- fire truck, hidden beneath a pile tion as they immediately opened of hose and ushered to an unrefire when the mob started toward vealed destination. He was held the hauling was donated by Chris for further investigation.

\$300,000 Mail Robbery

NEW YORK, Mar. 18 .- (AP) -Confusion surrounded the tale of Frederick Buhl, Jr., and his \$300,000 mail robbery tonight.

After American Railway Express company representatives had partly substantiated his story ball team, started his work Friday. when their records revealed an express robbery in August, 1923, in Hlinois, Buhl retracted his con-

Buhl's story was that the robbery occurred at Alton, Ills. There was an express car robbed at Peoria, in 1923, and express company investigators were tracing the record of this to see if Buhl had participated in it.

After repudiating his confession, Buhl told police that four indictments were pending against him for embezzlement in New Jersey Newark police were advised of this development and announced that they would send detectives to Brooklyn to question Buhl.

American Miner Killed in Chihuahua, Reported

((AP)-George Holmes, American citizen, operating a mine in the state of Chihuahua, Mexico. was slain on March 16 said a telegram received here late tonight from his widow by F. A. Miranda, his attorney.

Details of the slaying of Holmes, who is well known in El Paso, and one of his mine employes, Jose Ramos, were not given.

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Two Unfilled Sundays Lef Salem Senators by Withdrawal of Cycots

Opening day for Portland City league baseball in Salem will be Sunday, April 10, it was learned of the league telephoned to Manager Leo "Frisco" Edwards of the Senators that the league directors had decided to proceed with seven clubs, the Cycols having dropped

in the opening game. The team previously scheduled 6-1, 6-3, to play the Cycols on any Sunday will have an open date at that time, and it so happens that Salem only one threat, in the closing drew the Cycols for March 3, opening day for the league.

If weather conditions remain failed, however, before the vetergood, the Senators will probably an's stroking. have a game with some team outside the league on that date, Edwards said.

The open dates will continue only until the second round of King Tut of Minneapolis won a 10 play is completed, so that Salem round decision over Harry La will have only one more open date Barra. St. Paul lightweight, in the so far as the present schedule 10 round main event at Dreamland the tail end club will be dropped from the league. The original plan was to drop two clubs.

park was under way Friday, and was awarded the decision over the field will be in fair condition "Doc" Snell, Tacoma, Wash, for play Sunday, when a game be- boxer, after 10 rounds of slow and tween the "regulars" and "yanni- uninteresting fighting here togans" is scheduled. The Salem night. Gravel company has donated gravel to fill in the muddy place at the entrance to the grandstand, and Rengwald. .

club, Mrs. A. Harold of Stayton day, with the opening of the fourhas set an example for the other teenth annual Biscayne bay regatfans by sending in the first subscription, a check for \$5. Mrs. Harold is one of the Senators' against the Miss America IV, with most ardent supporters. She has his brother, Phil Wood, at the been in the grandstand every game controls. for several seasons

Carl Hinges, designated by the club management to solicit local firms in the interests of the base-

Tunney Declines Chance to Be Dempsey's Guest

LOS ANGELES, March 18 .-(AP)-Gene Tunney, heavyweight champion, today revealed that he had declined an invitation to be the breakfast guest of Jack Dempsey, from whom he wrested the fistic crown last September. Tunney explained that

tire system.

Dempkey's 'hospitality in view of 'all of the talk that followed our

title fight in Philadelphia." Dempsey had invited the champion, who is here on a vaudevilla teur, to be his guest today at a breakfast club.

Tilden Takes It Easy to Win Southeast Title

ORTEGA, Fla., March 18 -(AP) -Under a blazing Florida sun, William T. Tilden, Philadelphia, America's ranking tenns player, did not have to extend Friday when President Fred Oass himself this afternoon to win the southeastern tennis singles championship.

. In a match in which there was little of feature play, Tilden tilumphed over George M. Lott, Jr., Salem, will play Montavilla Chicago, former national junior title holder, in straight sets, 6 1,

Lott, who was near exhaustion from the heat at the close, made game of the first set when he was behind five and four. His rally

LATE SPORTS

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., March 13 -(AP)-Eddie "Kid" Wagner, Work on the Twelfth street ball veteran Philadelphia lightweight.

SETS SPEED RECORD

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Mar. 18. -(AP)-Gar Wood, international famous pilot, hung up a new salt Speaking of support for the ball water speed boat record here tota with 66.13 miles an hour. He was driving the Miss America V.

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