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Obituary

Miss Anna Johnson, whose death occurred last week under such sad circumstances, was born at La Center, Clark county, Washington, on December 25 1884. When yet quite young her parents moved to eastern Oregon from where they removed to this county several years ago. Here she spent the remainder of her life. She was called to her reward unexpectedly, being ill but a few days. She was in attendance at Tualatin Academy, being in her sophomore year, and ranking high a student. Few could have had more friends than she, as her pure, unselfish nature won her the love and respect of all with whom she came in contact. Just entering into womanhood the shock of the sad news of her death fell heavily upon the many dear friends and relatives who were watching with pride her successful endeavors to fit herself for a larger sphere of usefulness. She was a faithful and earnest christian and a member of the Methodist church of this place. She leaves a step-father, a mother and three sisters, all devoted to her and who find it impossible to reconcile themselves to her untimely departure. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bernard, the step-father and the mother, and the two sisters, Nellie and Dora Johnson, live above Gales City. The other sister Mrs. Helen Parkin, lives at Yankton, Oregon.

The last services were held at the home of Fred Watrous where Anna lived, at 9 o'clock Friday, Rev. Belknap officiating, assisted by Prin. Bates of Tualatin Academy and Pres. Ferrin of Pacific University. The floral offerings were many and very beautiful. The remains were laid to rest in Gales Creek cemetery, in the presence of many sorrowing relatives and friends from Forest Grove and from her home at Gales Creek.

Cronin Rids the Town of Capt. Racket

The best joke of the season is on Pat, our genial marshall. A new play by local talent will soon appear and at the suggestion of Capt. F. S. Barnes, the News published a small item warning the people to look out for Capt. Racket, that he was headed this way and was a fake. Pat read the News and kept his weather eye open for the appearance of Captain Racket. He

did not have long to wait as some travellers soon put in an appearance and camped within our city limits. They were well equipped and among them was a venerable and distinguished looking man, whom Pat at once decided was Capt. Racket, and the way the wind blew would have done credit to a Kansas cyclone—at any rate Pat freed the community of the supposedly notorious Capt. Racket and saved our people from a terrible fake. Pat admits the joke.

A BIG TIME IN PORTLAND

Columbia University Indoor Track and Field Meet

The greatest indoor track and field meet ever held in the Pacific Northwest was pulled off in the large coliseum at Columbia University, Portland, Saturday April 16. It was about the biggest meet as regards the number of contestants that was ever held, but most of these were members of relay teams, of which there were so many that to the spectator it looked as if the greater portion of the time was taken up with one big relay race. But there were 186 athletes registered in the big meet, representing all the leading universities and colleges, high schools, business colleges, and athletic clubs of the northwest.

All the regular track events were carried on, and though no records were broken, the time in the runs and the distances in the field events were good. There was considerable rivalry between some of the schools, but the Oregon Agricultural College succeeded in carrying off most of the honors, and also the beautiful banner which was presented to the winning team by Columbia University. Too much can not be said in praise of the great effort made by Columbia University to make the great meet a success. The large coliseum was gaily decorated with flags and bunting, while ranged round the sides were seats for the different college delegations and spectators. The Columbia University Band discoursed beautiful music, and the cheers and demonstrations of the many sympathizers of the different teams were but the manifestations of the good cheer and feelings of the audience.

The meet opened with the grammar schools' relays. There were almost 100 boys, and they appeared in all sorts of foot-gear, from a running shoe to a heavy boot. Each boy had only a lap to make and this produced kaleidoscopic effect. In the semi-finals the jumble was hardly less marked, but in the finals it was known that the race was between the Harrison and North Central Schools, Harrison won. It was the event of their life to the youngsters.

Results of Field Events

After this the regular field events were run off with the following results: 16-pound shot-put—First, Jackson, O. A. C., 35 feet 2½ inches; second, Root, O. A. C., 34 feet 2½ inches; third, James, M. A. A. C., 33 feet 1 inch.

50-yard dash—First, Smithson, O. A. C., 0:5 4-5; second, Gammie, M. A. A. C.; third, Fredell.

880-yard run—First, Bilodeau, 2:14 3-5; second, C. Fletcher, P. U.; third, Horton, O. A. C.

50-yard low hurdles—First, Coates, O. A. C., 0:6 2-5; second, Kerrigan, M. A. A. C.; third, Swann, O. A. C.

440-yard run—Gearin, M. A. A. C., 0:65 1-5; second, Smith, O. A. C.; third, Williams, O. A. C.

Running high jump—First, Bert Kerrigan, 5 feet 6 inches; second, Smithson, O. A. C., 5 feet 5 inches; third, Moores, O. A. C., 5 feet 4 inches.

50-yard high hurdles—First, Coates, O. A. C., 0:7 1-5; second, Kerrigan, M. A. A. C.; third, Fletcher, P. U.

Pole-vault—Gilbert, P. U., 10 feet 3 inches; second, Swann, O. A. C., 10 feet 2 inches; third, Oscar Kerrigan, M. A. A. C.

220-yard run—First, Fredell, 0:24 3-5; second, Gammie, M. A. A. C.; third, Greenhaw, O. A. C.

One-mile run—First, O'Connor, 5:13 2-5; second, Currin, O. A. C.

Running broad jump—First, Coates, O. A. C., 20 feet 11 inches; second, O. Kerrigan, M. A. A. C., 19 feet 4½; third, Moores, O. A. C., 19 feet 3½ inches.

Owing to the great number of contestants, heats had to be run in the different races. In the 50-yard dash, Fredell, Kerrigan, Williams, Gammie

and Gearin were winners of the heats. In the semi-finals Smithson won out, and the final resulted in a victory for Smithson.

In the shot put, Jackson of O. A. C. was easily first. The shot used was one of unusual size, and most of the contestants were unable to put it.

Bilodeau won the half mile, but Fletcher was easily the better runner, and would undoubtedly have won it, had he not been boxed. Everybody expected to see Coates win the hurdle races, and he again demonstrated his ability as a hurdler; he was easily the best athlete on the field. In the 440 yard run there was considerable of a "howl" made by Corvallis, who claimed that one of their men had been fouled. The matter, however, was amicably settled, Gearin being declared the winner. Gilbert easily won the pole vault, and it was evident to all that he could easily have done better.

One of the best races of the day was the 220 yard dash. The men ran along parallel lines and on account of the curves some were placed ahead of the others. It was a neck and neck race between Gammie and Fredell.

O'Connor easily won the mile, running an extra lap, and yet beating the field. The High School easily won the relay race with the Behnke-Walker Business College. The relay race between the 8th Battery and the Y. M. C. A. was closely contested.

The best relay race of the day, was the one between Columbia and Corvallis. It was a see saw up till the last moment, when Corvallis pulled ahead and won out.

Archbishop Christie was at the games and presented the medals to the winners.

Points Scored:

O. A. C.	46
M. A. A. C.	27
C. U.	11
P. U.	9
Y. M. C. A.	6

Total 99

The schools entered were:—Dallas College, Pacific University, Oregon Agricultural College, Columbia University, Y. M. C. A., M. A. A. C., Portland High School, 8th Battery, Vancouver, Behnke-Walker Business College, 4 Parochial Schools, 15 Grammar Schools.