



ANOTHER ATHLETIC VICTORY.

Pacific College Athletes Spring Surprise by Defeating Pacific University in Field Meet.

The Pacific College boys surprised themselves, and their competitors more, in winning a dual track and field meet from the university athletes at Forest Grove last Saturday. The probability of defeat never dampens the ardor of the Quaker lads who never hesitate to tackle the best of them, and in this case their hardihood brought such satisfactory results as were hardly expected.

The meet was won by the score of 62 to 55, just close enough throughout to make it thrilling. The result could not be told definitely until the last event had been pulled off. A good crowd of supporters accompanied the Newberg team, and all unite in saying the contest was the best they had ever seen. The Forest Grove people admitted that they were confident of victory, but were given some jolting surprises, particularly in the jumps, high hurdles and half mile run.

In the broad jump Earl Kenworthy did things to the crack athlete, Peterson, and Cecil Hoskins, Russel Lewis and Kenworthy took everything in the high jump as a sort of special offering.

In the short runs Wilfred Pemberton crowded Peterson to the limit, there hardly being daylight between them at the finish of the hundred yard dash. In the 220 yard hurdles, the finish was close and spectacular and the Newbergers declare Pemberton was winner by a foot as does also Dwight Coulson, one of the judges, but the other judges decided against him.

Lyn Clough sprung a surprise in the high hurdles, defeating the P. U. hurdler, Prideaux. The two men went over the hurdles together in perfect time, making the prettiest kind of a race, Clough winning out easily in the short sprint at the end of the course.

Roy Mills made a hard race in the mile for Fletcher, the P. U. runner, finishing a close second. Considering that he is but sixteen years old he is looked upon as the coming mile runner in these parts.

As was expected, Macy led his competitors a killing pace in the half mile run, easily defeating them.

Hodson upheld his reputation as a point winner, coming out of the fray with two firsts and a second.

This is the third victory Pacific College has won over Pacific University in athletics this year, the other two having been in football and basket ball, and the boys are correspondingly happy. This closes the track season for the collegians and their attention from this on will be given to baseball.

The events in Saturday's meet were won as follows:

Mile run—Fletcher P. U., Mills P. C., Johnson P. C.; time, 5:04.

100-yard dash—Peterson P. U., W. Pemberton P. C., R. Robinson P. U.; time, 0:10 2-5.

High jump—Hoskins, Lewis, Kenworthy, all P. C.; height, 5 feet 2 inches. Shot put—Hodson P. C., Lawrence P. U., Peterson P. U.; distance, 33 feet 8 inches.

220-yard dash—Peterson P. U., W. Pemberton P. C., Maris P. C.; time, 0:23 2-5.

Pole vault—Hodson P. C., Ferrin P. U., R. Pemberton P. C.; height 10 feet.

120-yard hurdles—Clough P. C., Prideaux P. U., Hoskins P. C.; time, 0:17 2-5.

Hammer throw—Lawrence P. U., Macy P. C., Mason P. U.; distance 106 feet 6 inches.

Broad jump—Kenworthy P. C., Peterson P. U., Macy P. C.; distance 20 feet 8 inches.

Discus throw—Lawrence P. U., Hawthorth P. C., Kenworthy P. C.; distance, 96 feet 10 inches.

Half mile—Macy P. C., Brown P. U., Fletcher P. U.; time, 2:07.

220-yard Hurdles—Prideaux P. U., Pemberton P. C., Mason P. U.; time, 0:27 2-5.

440-yard dash—Peterson P. U., Hodson P. C., Clough P. C.; time, 0:55.

Oregon Horses to the Front.

Oregon and the Pacific Northwest states produce the very best horse and with the good stallions in our midst and better bred mares increasing in number it will not be long until this section will be noted for the good qualities of its horses. Already we have sent some good material down the Grand Circuit, and

this year two of the most promising trotters in America will race down the big circuit bred and raised in this section. Horses bred and raised here seem to have more stamina and will power than the average which makes them most desirable when possessed of other racing qualities. This spring five of our well bred young stallions were bought and shipped to distant points, two going to Canada, two to Indiana and one to Illinois. All these stallions were bred in Oregon and possessed qualities that attracted the eye of outside horsemen. This is only the beginning of what will happen if we continue along intelligent lines in our breeding operations and development.—Rural Spirit.

Of Interest to Citizens of Yamhill County.

Vine W. Pearce, present county judge of this county, and candidate for election on the democratic ticket was born in Polk county, this state, forty-two years ago, and is therefore a native son of Oregon. Mr. Pearce grew from infancy to the age of 24 years on the parental farm and is therefore a farmer by birth and education.

Mr. Pearce's two year's efficient service as deputy sheriff of this county and his constant devotion to duty, and uniform courtesy extended to the public during the period stand out prominently as a most fitting testimonial to his clerical and business accomplishments, and tribute to his personal integrity. This candidate has been a careful student in the study of law during a number of years, and is conceded by those who know him best to be well qualified from the legal standpoint for the duties of the office. He has never applied for admission to the state bar. Doubtless Mr. Pearce's election would be followed by a careful, business administration of the office, and marked by undeviating effort on his part, to see justice done without fear or favor.

A Parent's Plea.

The following lines were sent to this office by a reader of the Graphic:

My little boy is eight years old,
He goes to school each day,
He doesn't mind the tasks they set—
They seem to him but play.
He heads his class at raffia work,
And also takes the lead
At making dinky paper boats—
But I wish that he could read.
They teach him physiology,
And, oh, it chills our hearts
To hear our prattling innocent
Mix up his inward parts.
He also learns astronomy
And names the stars by night—
Of course he's very up to date,
But I wish that he could write.
They teach him things botanical,
They teach him how to draw,
He babbles of mythology
And gravitation's law;
And the discoveries of science
With him are quite a lard.
They tell me he's a clever boy,
But I wish that he could add.

—Life.

CORRESPONDENCE.

West Chehalis.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Buchanan visited over night with H. M. Dix and family last Saturday.

Grandpa J. T. Carter and family spent Sunday with their son-in-law, Geo. Vanoose and family.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Christenson, of Amity, came down Tuesday. Mr. Christenson and his brother-in-law, Mr. Bergstrand, have taken a job of hauling wood from the Sears place to town.

Geo. LaFlemme and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Van Osdel.

Mrs. Wm. Smith, of Portland, came down Saturday for a few days visit with her husband's relatives.

A. Bartholomew and family spent Sunday with H. M. Dix's.

Springbrook.

Zim Mills and Grant Heater shipped the first strawberries Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Ella Mills Niswonger left for her home in Washington Tuesday morning after a two weeks visit with relatives and friends. Her brother Lewis went home with her, expecting to see

cure work there.

Rev. H. Goukl spoke here Sunday evening on the amendment to the Local Option Law.

The Canning Co. has given their building a coat of paint lately, improving the appearance of their plant.

Chehalis Center.

Miss Mabel Paulsen has come home from Portland lately.

Miss Margaret Hammer has been on the sick list.

Mrs. Lizzie Chamberlin and young daughter, of Portland, were out on a visit last week.

Ernest Everest is afflicted with Job's comforters.

Miss Gena Lowe came home from Portland and the young folks gave her a surprise party Friday evening at her home.

Master Harold Weaver gave a picnic party Saturday afternoon. The boys and girls met at his home, then went into the woods near by and, after having a delightful time playing games, Mrs. W. R. Carter passed around sandwiches, cake, lemonade and oranges.

The prayer meetings, which are being held Sunday evenings, are very interesting. All are invited to attend them. F. L. Harford leader next time.

The Beaver Button.

The Beaver button which will hereafter officially designate Oregon industry, has been taken up by all the commercial organizations of the state. Brilliantly colored green and white buttons, bearing the officially adopted insignia of the manufacturers of the state, who are to hold a great carnival of display, May 19 to 26, at Portland, are being sent out from headquarters by the thousands, and every man, woman and child in this state, who wants a memento of the inauguration of the "Made in Oregon" annual exhibition, may send their name and address to D. C. Freeman, secretary, Portland, and receive a button.



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