

A DELEGATE FROM ALASKA

A Bill to Provide One Introduced in the Senate.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.) WASHINGTON, May 22.—A bill providing for the election of a delegate from Alaska to the House of Representatives was introduced into the Senate today. A bill establishing an assay office at Tacoma has been favorably reported by the finance committee.

POTTER ON THE ASTORIA RUN

The T. J. Potter, owing to the Hassalo being on the ways for repairs and the Harvest Queen being chartered for so many excursions the latter part of the month, will be pressed into the service between Portland and Astoria, by the O. R. N. Company. The T. J. Potter will go on the Astoria run May 29, 30 and 31. On the latter date the O. R. N. Company will run an excursion to all beach points at a round-trip rate of \$2.50, good to return Sunday night.

POSTOFFICE ROBBED

(Journal Special Service.) OREGON CITY, Or., May 22.—Deputy Sheriff Jack is just back from Milwaukie, where the postoffice was robbed of \$120 last night. The burglars broke into the rear window and pried the money drawers open. No stamps were taken.

CRAWFISH SCARCE.

Crawfish are a scarcity in Portland at present. All the restaurants, hotels and cafes find it impossible to fill orders, and it is just now that the most requests are made for this delicious crustacean. For the last week the supply has been short, and now it is almost impossible to secure crawfish in the city.

The greater supply comes from Meadow Lake, although some are found in the rivers near. Small-sized crawfish can be

got from the Willamette river and Johnson creek, but are so small that they are not particularly desirable. The shortage is caused by the prevailing high water, the natural result of the warm spring weather. This cannot last much longer.

DEATH AND DIRE DISASTER

(Journal Special Service.) CHICAGO, May 22.—Death, disaster and terror, say the stars, will continue to astound the world this year, according to L. G. Key a local astrologer. The disasters of the next few months, he says, will be appalling.

The months of June and July will be filled with calamities. There are to be terrific storms and many lives will be sacrificed. Saturn is in his own sign and disaster is bound to scatter over the earth.

HARD LUCK

(Journal Special Service.) NEW YORK, May 22.—On returning to his home in Monroe street with news for his wife and six children of success in finding employment after two months' idleness, Thomas Kilty found three Italians "shooting craps" in front of his house. He kicked the dice into the street. The Italians were infuriated by the unlooked for interruption. They drew knives and revolvers and in a moment Kilty lay dead on the stairway. One of the men was arrested.

TO COMPLETE BATHS.

Work is progressing on the new free swimming baths at Supple's shipyard, on the east end of the Morrison-street bridge. The baths will be composed of four scows, joined together, the swimming pool being located in the center, and will be 100 feet long and 32 feet wide. The tank will be built of lattice, which will enable the water to run freely in and out of the pool. The pool can also be lowered for deep water or raised when children are in bathing.

A float 54x27 feet, upon which the office and refreshment rooms will be located, is nearing completion, and the two long floats, 12x100 feet, upon which the lockers and dressing-rooms will be placed, is also well under way. The two floats will contain about 40 lockers and dressing-rooms. Fifty feet has been left on these floats for the use of spectators and as a resting place for the bathers. The baths will be completed in a few weeks.

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REPUBLICAN TALK FEAST.

Judge Williams addressed a meeting of voters in the First ward last night. There were other speakers besides the Judge, but he did most of the talking. He went very minutely into local issues. He read from the Congressional Record of 1895, showing that he had introduced the first resolution into that body from which eventually grew into the existing body of anti-Chinese legislation.

FISH IN SLOUGH.

All the sloughs on the East Side are gradually filling up and the small boys are happy. The number of fish coming into the sloughs are increasing rapidly, and numerous fishing parties are being made up. Carp and catfish are the most plentiful, and some of the fishermen return home with large strings. The fish are not the most desirable article in the food line that can be procured, as they are of the kind commonly known as the "sewer" variety. The sloughs under the East Morrison and East Washington street elevated roadways were lined with fishermen yesterday.

WHAT ARE THE WILD WAVES SAYING?

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The FIELD OF SPORT

Baseball

Championship Baseball. Pacific Northwest League. Friday, 8:30 P. M. Grounds, 24th and Vaughn. Butte vs. Portland. Admission, 25c. Grandstand, 35c. Game played, 8:30.

Baseball

Baseball. Baseball.

It was a small but enthusiastic crowd which witnessed the baseball game yesterday between the University of California team and the Multnomah amateurs. The game was a splendid one—far better than some played this season on the professional grounds. While errors were quite numerous on both sides, this was to be expected, and did not detract from the interest taken in the game.

While the visitors shut Multnomah out by a score of 30 to 0, the latter team played in very hard luck. Time and again they would reach second and third only to die there when their side retired.

Whiteseid and Stott, Multnomah's battery, showed up excellently, and it is doubtful if the U. C. boys will have to contend with as strong pitcher and catcher during all the rest of their ramblings over the Northwest.

Overall, the big pitcher from Berkeley, is a good one. He has a splendid delivery and fields his position well. He gets the balls over with lightning rapidity, and his curves are very deceptive. He is well assisted by catcher Green, a freshman in the university.

night, so he will be on the grounds today to lend strength and advice to the team.

After the champions had batted Duke Carter out of the box, Bal Brown, the Athena amateur, was put in for a try-out. Taking into consideration that it was Brown's first appearance in professional company, he did better than could be expected. He struck out the first two men who faced him, and when he gets over his nervousness and gains confidence in himself he will prove a good addition to the team. Brown leaves for home today, where he is under contract to play until after July 4. After that he will join Butte.

PORTLAND.		A. H. R. H. P. O. A. E.					
Muller, I. F.	5	2	4	0	0	0	0
Deisel, S. S.	4	0	2	2	7	0	0
Van Buren, C.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A. Anderson, 2b	4	1	1	3	4	1	0
Hupp, 3b	5	2	2	0	1	1	0
Treadway, r. f.	2	2	14	3	0	0	0
J. Anderson, r. f.	4	0	1	2	0	0	0
Vigneux, c.	4	1	2	3	1	0	0
Engle, p.	4	1	3	5	1	0	0
Totals	39	11	15	27	21	3	0

BUTTE.		A. H. R. H. P. O. A. E.					
Kane, 1b	4	2	0	9	1	1	0
Zentz, I. F.	4	0	0	1	0	1	0
Warlock, c.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marshall, 3b	4	0	2	2	2	0	0
McIntyre, s. s.	4	0	1	2	3	0	0
Treadway, r. f.	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Ward, 2b	3	0	0	1	3	1	0
McHale, c. f.	3	0	1	2	1	0	0
Carter, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brown, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	2	5	24	13	4	0

WIGGS STILL WINNING.

Wiggs' strong pitching and the good support he received won a close game from Spokane yesterday. The summary:

SCORE BY INNINGS.	
Spokane	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Helena	0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Totals	1 3 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

WON ON AN ERROR.

Seattle played a very poor game yesterday, but won on an error. Johnson gave two bases on balls in the first, and Klop followed with a two-base hit. In the second Johnson threw the ball away trying to make a double play, and two more runs came home, enough to win the game. The summary:

SCORE BY INNINGS.	
Seattle	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Tacoma	0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Totals	1 3 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

THE KING'S PLATE.

TORONTO, Ont., May 22.—When the flag fell at Woodbine this afternoon it ushered in what promises to be the banner meeting in the history of the Ontario Jockey Club.

The Queen's plate, the oldest turf event in America, this year becomes the King's plate, his Majesty King Edward continuing the gift of 50 guineas which Queen Victoria instituted nearly half a century ago.

Though the name is changed and there is another donor of the guineas, the conditions of the race are the same, and it certainly has lost none of its attractive-

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ness as is evidenced by the large crowd of visitors here from far and near.

The meeting begun today is to continue nine days, during which time \$3,000 is to be distributed in prizes.

The new races this year are the Coronation stakes, a sweepstakes for Dominion-bred 2-year-olds with \$500 added; the Hurlingham cup for polo ponies, the Athol purse for home-bred hunters and the Prince of Wales' steeplechase, a new name for the Red Coat race, in which professionals are allowed to ride.

THE BIG FIGHT ARRANGED.

It now looks as if the Century Club of Los Angeles has lost the Jeffries-Fitzsimmons fight after all. The two big fellows met at San Francisco yesterday and came to an agreement regarding their meeting and practically decided to accept the offer of a 'Frisco club which offered them 70 per cent of the gross receipts.

MISCELLANEOUS SPORTS.

The dual field meet between the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club and the University of Oregon will be held tomorrow afternoon, if the weather conditions are favorable. From a comparison of the personnel of the two teams the chances of victory appear evenly divided, but the more ardent members of the local club declare that the wearers of the red and white will turn the tables on the collegians and erase the memory of last year's defeat.

The Oakland and Sacramento baseball teams, of the California League, played a 15-inning game yesterday, the score standing 4 to 4, when darkness caused a postponement. It is believed that this beats the record for number of innings.

The University of California baseball team left over the Northern Pacific this morning for Victoria, B. C., where games will be played tomorrow and Saturday.

H. Freeman, the Portland crack cyclist, is still being heard from in the East. At the Coliseum Park bicycle track, Washington, D. C., last night, the principal event was the 10-mile heat race, motor paced. The first and second heats were won by Freeman, beating W. S.

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Fenn, of New Haven, Conn. Time, 15:38 4-5, and 15:25. Freeman made a new paced mile record for the local track, finishing the distance in 1:26 2-5.

Owen Ziegler has landed that Joplin match with Rube Ferra. Owen agreed to stand the chance of a percentage deal, while Buck Montgomery, to whom the fight was first offered, insisted on a substantial guarantee.

Poor Dal Hawkins has seen his day and should retire from the ring now. For the second time recently he was knocked completely out by Perry Queenan at Seattle last night. It took the latter only nine rounds to turn the trick.

Poet Breaks Out Again.

The janitor-poet who does time twice a day, in cleaning up the offices of the Denver & Rio Grande and the Rio Grande Western lines had another attack of the poetic affluents. He took away City Ticket Agent Russell's bouquet the other day and left a "poem" in its place. This morning he perpetrated the following, for which he has not as yet been arrested:

"Ye gods! of greatest science,
New regions to explore,
Flowers in a bottle
Was never seen before.
Inventions you can hustle,
My dearest Mr. Russell,
"G. P., the Poet."

Russell will send "G. P., the Poet," a bunch of cold slaw for the lapel of his coat, plucked from the chrysanthemum gardens of some Japanese gardener, to allay the fever that seems to be consuming him.

Almost a Knockout.

Borem—I'm something of a mind reader.
Miss Hitten—Indeed!
Borem—Yes; I can usually tell at a glance what a person thinks of me.
Miss Hitten—Wonderful! But don't you find it awfully embarrassing?—Chicago News.

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