

### EGAN AND MOE IN DEL MONTE MATCH PROVIDE THRILLS

DEL MONTE, Cal., Jan. 26.—(AP)—California won all three four-ball matches from the Oregon golfing aggregation today in the opening play at Pacific Beach of an important 26-hole tournament.

Charles Weaver and Fay Coleman defeated Don Mac and Chandler Egan one up in the most closely contested battle of the day. Johnny McHugh and George Ritchie defeated Frank Dolp and Russell Smith six and five. Jack Nevills and Dr. Paul Hunter defeated Eddie with O. E. Willing eight and six. Dr. Willing arose from a sick bed to take the place of his substitute, Paul Murphy, at noon.

Neville, who has won the crown of California amateur golf champion five times, played well today. He registered numerous birdies and was able to sink many long and difficult putts. His teammate, Dr. Paul Hunter, also showed a noticeable improvement in form.

With him, Oregon captain, played beautiful golf and was forced to carry most of the burden in the match.

### GONZAGA BEATEN IN ROUGH GAME

PULLMAN, Wa., Jan. 26.—(AP)—Washington State college came from behind late in the first period to defeat Gonzaga University, 33 to 29 in a rough and tumble non-conference basketball game here tonight. Five men were thrown out of the game on personal fouls. The score at half time was tied at 14.

### FRANKLIN HANDED AWFUL WALLOPING

EUGENE, Ore., Jan. 26.—(AP)—The Oregon Freshmen defeated Franklin high school of Portland here today, 29 to 12. Oregon led 16 to 0 before Franklin made its first basket. After this time Spiker Denier, Oregon Fresh coach, ran his second and third teams. The score at the end of the half was 26 to 4.

### STANFORD ROUTED BY GOLDEN BEARS

OAKLAND AUDITORIUM, Cal., Jan. 26.—(AP)—After a disastrous first half, the University of California basketball team came back in the second half here tonight to sweep the Stanford University five off their feet and score a 41 to 22 victory.

### PACIFIC COAST HALL MOGULS ELECT WILLIAMS



Harry Williams, right lower, was reelected president of the western baseball circuit for two years at a meeting of league directors in Los Angeles. Seated, left to right, Tom Turner, Portland; Lou Moreing, Sacramento, and Williams. Standing, Charles Graham, San Francisco; J. H. Patrick, Los Angeles; William Klepper, Seattle; Wade Killefer, San Francisco; J. C. Ewing, Oakland.

### DEMPESEY TO GIVE FIRST ENTRIES IN LEGALIZE BOXING SELF A TRYOUT KENTUCKY DERBY IN TERRITORIES

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Jan. 26.—(AP)—Jack Dempsey, ex-heavyweight champion turned promoter, next week will take to the road to condition himself, if his business of preparing for the Fitzling-Sharkey fight here February 27 will permit.

Dempsey announced his plans to take to the road today, but he repeated previous declarations, in answer to queries, that he doesn't know yet whether he will return to the ring.

He added that the road work will be for the purpose of testing the condition of his body. That after he has tried himself out, he said, he will be able to decide upon any future plans as to fighting.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 26.—(AP)—Nominations for the Kentucky derby to be run at Churchill Downs, May 18, have already begun to arrive at the local office. Some of the more prominent entries accepted to date include John L. Combs, Jr., Roanoke, Ky., and Karl Fiedl, Samuel D. Riddle's two sons, O.K. Man O'War, Battleship Grey and Shipmaster, and C. G. Knebelkamp's McGonagle. The entry list closes February 6.

### FLEET FINN WINS WITHOUT EFFORT

BOSTON GARDEN, BOSTON, Jan. 26.—(AP)—Paavo Nurmi, the Finnish track marvel, won the two-mile invitation race in the last time of 9 minutes 12 seconds here tonight in the Proulx Memorial meet at the Boston Garden.

Nurmi ran nine opponents into the ground and finished three quarters of a lap ahead of his countryman, over Anderson, Gus Meade, of the Brooklyn Harriers, was the third, more than a lap behind Nurmi.

BOSTON, Jan. 26.—(AP)—The Herbert L. Ewing, four-masted schooner, which was a thing of beauty when built 19 years ago at a cost of \$139,000, has been sold at auction for a paltry \$1500. And the purchaser acted largely from sentiment. Old salts were high in tears.

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### PENSION BUREAU MOVES TO HALT FILIPINO ABUSE

WASHINGTON.—(AP) Illegal activities of pension agents in the Philippine islands has made it necessary for the government to send inspectors there on indefinite tenure to put down the abuses.

There are 2500 American pensioners in the islands. A house appropriation committee was told that pension bureau officials "think the government has been robbed and a good many applicants have been robbed by persons acting as pension agents in the Philippines."

One inspector has been on the ground for some time. The interior department appropriation bill provided for the dispatch of two more.

In some instances, it was found, widows in the Philippines were deprived of half of a \$1000 back-pay check by a pension agent.

One difficulty is that United States postal laws do not apply in the Philippines.

STOCKTON, Cal., Jan. 26.—(AP)—Mourning of a Gypsy fellow over the death of John Miller, "the King," precipitated a near riot here last night. Five policemen and three deputy sheriffs ejected the nomads from the emergency hospital and later from the morgue where the body was taken.

Miller fell dead while en route from the city center just outside town to the emergency hospital. He was carried to the hospital by some of his followers and some 20 others rushed into the room as a physician was examining the body to see if the man was dead.

Later they followed the body to the morgue, begging the privilege of taking it back to camp. When the coroner refused, they offered him \$20 to allow six of them to stand guard over the coffin. The coroner declined, but told two of the leaders they could remain.

Tribesman said Miller was born in Brazil and had a fortune of about \$3,000,000. They said they would take the body to Washington, D. C., for burial.

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### INITIATE PLANS FOR SKI SPRINT

Along the annual winter sports carnival in conjunction with its big feature the Crater Lake-Klamath ski race will not be held until February 22. Washington's arrangements are already under way in preparation for that big event, which as last year will attract a large delegation of Medford and other valley people as well as many from all parts of the Pacific coast.

Already, according to Paul Wright, who heard the news in the Union Creek territory last week, a number of San Diego, Cal. men who are enthusiasts in winter sports, are at Klamath camp of Ft. Klamath for this event and will remain until it takes place. They will participate actively in the ski race and other contests and have about a month to put in practice.

The carnival doings will be held on Crater Lake Club ski grounds just outside of Ft. Klamath, where work will be begun this week on building the new circular mile race track.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Jan. 26.—(AP)—Pilot Frank Harbor of the Boeing Air Transport and his two passengers, forced down in the snow 25 miles north and east of Elko, Nev., were rescued by a party of ranchers this morning, said a dispatch received by Boeing officials here.

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PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 26.—(AP)—A 200-gallon still and 210 gallons of whiskey were seized by police in a raid on an east side residence today. George O. Bates was arrested. He had a water bill of \$1500, charged with manufacture and possession of liquor.

RASTIA, Corsica, Jan. 26.—(AP)—Six times sentenced to death by default, Francaise Marie Castelli, one of the worst surviving Corsican bandits, has been laid low.

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