

### CUBS DOING WELL DESPITE INJURIES TO THREE STARS

#### Chicagoans Forge Half Game Ahead of Braves, Though Cuyler, English and Burleigh Grimes Out of Game

By GAYLE TALBOT.  
(Associated Press Sports Writer)

For a team shot with injury and illness, the Chicago Cubs have managed thus far to get around surprisingly well in the National league.

They were a half-game ahead of the Boston Braves today and they made their upward surge with three of their greatest stars, Hazen Cuyler, Elwood English and Burleigh Grimes out of the lineup.

Newcomer Delver, Lance Richbourg, obtained from Boston, has been filling Cuyler's outfield spot in fine style, and Bill Jurges has done so well at shortstop English will have a hard time jarring him loose.

Each knocked around two runs yesterday as the Hornshymen rang up their fifth straight win at Pittsburgh's expense, 8 to 4. Pat Malone had a bad first inning, in which the Pirates banged him for four hits and as many runs, but he settled down to allow them only one blow the last eight frames. He and Richbourg each hit a home run.

As the Boston Braves were held indoors by cold weather, the victory puts the Cubs in front.

Reds Trim Cards.

The one other National league tilt saw the Cincinnati Reds battling to keep away from their old basement berth, slug out a 6 to 4 win over the Cardinals.

The American league leadership also changed hands, the Yankees squeezing ahead by the process of remaining idle, while the Detroit Tigers dropped a 4 to 3 decision to Chicago.

Wes Ferrell limited St. Louis to five hits in registering his fourth straight victory, 7 to 1.

The cold wave that has curtailed the major league program this week held on at New York and Philadelphia. Walk Johnson, between the furies in New York, predicted his Washington Senators would win the flag.

### PORTILLO GIVEN SEVERE BEATING

SEATTLE, April 28.—(AP)—Tony Portillo, Seattle Mexican, has fought Freddie Steele, sensational Tacoma welterweight, four times but he probably won't ever want to meet him again.

In a six-round bout here last night Steele went a barrage of smashing straight lefts at Tony that bounced him to the canvas three times, cut his upper lip severely and battered him soundly in every stanza to win a gold belt, emblematic of the mythical Pacific Northwest welterweight crown.

"Young" Freddie, Oakland Filipino, didn't last long with Able Israel, Seattle bantamweight, in a scheduled six-round fracas. A terrific left to the stomach in the second sent Freddie down for the count.

Paul Delaney, Seattle middleweight, was awarded the decision over "Tiger" Devilla, Los Angeles, in the fourth round of a six-round go.

### FARMER-LABOR LEADERS NAMED

OMAHA, Neb., April 28.—(AP)—For the second straight campaign, Frank Elbridge Webb of San Francisco, will carry the presidential banner of the farmer-labor party. His running mate this year will be Mayor Jacob S. Coxey of Massillon, Ohio. Webb headed the party ticket in 1928.

Webb was given the nomination last night by the party's convention after a fight to have himself accredited as the delegate from California.

The convention adopted a national platform blaming the gold standard for present economic conditions and calling for the placing of the banking and currency system in the hands of the federal, state and local governments, instead of under private ownership.

### SPEARS SLATED FOR DUAL ROLE

MADISON, Wis., April 28.—(AP)—Dr. Clarence (Doc) Spears, new head football coach, today appeared in line to succeed Irvan Uteritz as director of intercollegiate athletics at the University of Wisconsin.

Uteritz was transferred back to his old post as assistant football coach in charge of the backfield, at his own request yesterday. University officials indicated Spears might assume the dual role of director and head coach.

Spears, who left the University of Oregon to come to Wisconsin, was given an enthusiastic welcome at a banquet last night.

Broken windows glazed by Trowbridge Cabinet Works.

### BASEBALL YESTERDAY

Coast League.			
Hollywood	R. H. E.	8 9 2	
Portland	R. H. E.	3 8 1	
Page and Basler; Prudhomme, Orwoll and Fitzpatrick.			

National.			
Missions	R. H. E.	1 6 5	
Seattle	R. H. E.	2 8 2	
(11 innings.)			
Briggs and Hoffman; Haid and Botarini.			

American.			
Oakland	R. H. E.	1 8 0	
Los Angeles	R. H. E.	5 9 0	
Thomas and Gaston; Herrmann and Campbell.			

### How They Stand

National.			
Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	9	3	.750
Boston	8	3	.727
Philadelphia	6	5	.545
Pittsburgh	6	7	.462
New York	5	6	.455
Cincinnati	5	8	.385
St. Louis	5	8	.385
Brooklyn	3	7	.300
American.			
Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	9	4	.692
New York	7	3	.700
Washington	8	4	.667
Cleveland	8	6	.571
Chicago	5	8	.385
Philadelphia	4	7	.364
St. Louis	5	9	.357
Boston	5	9	.350
Coast.			
Team	W.	L.	Pct.
San Francisco	15	6	.739
Hollywood	14	9	.609
Portland	13	10	.565
Los Angeles	12	10	.545
Sacramento	12	11	.522
Oakland	9	13	.409
Seattle	9	14	.391
Missions	5	15	.250

### HOLLYWOOD TRIMS PORTLAND, 6 TO 3, TO EVEN LAURELS

(By the Associated Press)

Six of the eight Pacific Coast league club warmed up today with the honors evened, while Los Angeles stole half an edge with one win and no defeat in the series with Oakland yesterday's scores:

Hollywood 6, Portland 3.  
Seattle 2, Missions 1.  
Sacramento 4, Seals 3.  
Los Angeles 5, Oakland 1.

Hollywood got five runs in the fourth, which were enough to win, but added another to double the count over Portland.

The Missions fought among the tribe's wigwams - 4 innings before yielding to Seattle 2 to 1. Burns scored the winning run.

Camilli's homer won for Sacramento over the San Francisco Seals, although the home team got 11 hits to the Seals' nine.

Hitting by State figured strongly in the Angels' victory over Oakland, his bludgeon bringing in four of the southerners' five runs, one blow being a homer.

### FAN AIDS JONES DISPOSE OF FOE IN MAT BATTLE

PORTLAND, Ore., April 28.—(AP)—Henry Jones, veteran Utah welterweight, aided by a ringside fan with a lusty wallop, caused the defeat of Bulldog Jackson, Klamath Falls two out of three falls, here last night. Jackson not only lost the third and deciding fall, but took a bad beating in the bargain. They split the first two falls Jones taking the first in 21 minutes, 5 seconds with a whip wristlock and Jackson taking the second in 16 minutes, 9 seconds with a hammerlock.

Jones' shoulder was so badly wrenched he was forced to give up. He asked an additional five minutes, which Jackson refused. Jones' left arm was useless when they resumed, and Jackson started for another hammerlock, but Jones crashed him to the floor with a shoulder butt.

As Jackson attempted to regain his feet, Jones rushed him again, both going through the ropes in a tangle. While Referee Harrington tried to pry them apart, a spectator grabbed Jackson around the waist, pulled him to his feet and sent him down with a blow to the jaw. Jackson was so weak and wobbly, it was easy for Jones to dump him with a body slam. In the meantime, the spectator who had done the damage, disappeared.

Don Leroy DeLaum, 225-pound Frenchman, got over his first Portland start when he pinned Ronald Blake, 220-pound bewiskered giant from Hollywood, two out of three falls with body slams.

Harry Demetral took one fall and the decision from King Elliott in the curtain raiser. He used a body slam.

### MAT AMATEUR MEET FOR FINALS TONIGHT

PORTLAND, Ore., April 28.—(AP)—Pacific Northwest Amateur union wrestling titles will be decided here tonight.

First and second round bouts in the annual wrestling tournament were disposed of here last night. Semi-final bouts begin at 8:00 o'clock tonight.

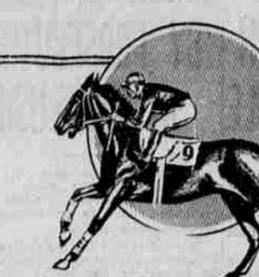
Forty-eight bouts were run off last night, wedding the field of 92 contestants to 32.

### Ketchell Kayos Negro in First

SAN FRANCISCO, April 28.—(AP)—A sudden left to the jaw sent Terris Hill, 150-pound Los Angeles negro, to the floor for the count and terminated his scheduled 10-round fray with Wesley Ketchell, 164 pounds, Salt Lake City, after two minutes of fighting here last night.

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### HORSESHOE AGES TO EXHIBIT SKILL ON LOCAL COURT

Medford and valley horseshoe heaver, who think they know a thing or two about the art, will have opportunity of seeing a pair of masters perform here Thursday, May 5, when Guy Zimmerman and C. E. Jackson of Iowa will give an exhibition at the DeVoe courts at 2:30 p. m.

The two are known as the world's best exhibition horseshoe pitchers, and both boast a long string of state and interstate titles. Jackson is a son of Frank Jackson, former world champion. Zimmerman holds a record of 38 ringers in 12 shoes pitched, and Jackson has a record of 39 ringers in 40 heaves.

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### —By Pap



### BEAVERS DEFEAT BEARCATS, 20-19

CORVALLIS, April 28.—(AP)—Scoring 11 runs in the sixth inning, Oregon State college defeated the Willamette University baseball team, 20 to 19, here Wednesday, taking the odd game of the three-game series. Willamette got 20 hits and the Beavers 15.

R. H. E.  
Willamette 19 20 5  
Oregon State 20 15 3

Batteries: Erickson, Diescher, Paul and McCann, Commons, Hough; Rit-

### GUN CLUB DIRECTORS PLAN FRIDAY MEETING TO DRAFT ACTIVITY

Directors of the Medford Gun club will meet Friday evening to formulate plans for 1932 activities. The members hope to bring the state shoot to this city and possibilities for success of such an event will be discussed tomorrow. The state

shoot would bring to Medford 75 or 100 marksmen from various sections of the northwest to remain here for three days.

The past year was a successful one for the club, members announce, and they plan to make the coming season even more profitable. Last year the organization was responsible for bringing many shooters here, who left considerable money in the community and carried back to their respective cities a favorable story of Medford.

The local Gun club grounds, it was pointed out yesterday, are second to none on the Pacific coast, in equipment and natural advantages offered trap shooters.

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At 6:20 Mr. T. N. Green arrived from the office. At 6:30 Mrs. Green served a dinner consisting of a roast, baked potatoes, freshly baked apple pie and a number of other things that require from one to two hours to cook.

Mrs. Green has no maid. What could her secret be?

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