

# M'GOUGH'S SCHOLASTICS START TODAY FOR BOZEMAN STATE HIGH-SCHOOL CHAMPIONSHIP WILL BE DECIDED FRIDAY AFTERNOON

## PRACTICE TONIGHT IS VARSITY'S FINAL STUNT

MONTANA WORKS ON HOME GRIDIRON FOR LAST TIME THIS AFTERNOON.

## SMEAD MAY NOT PLAY

Wonderful Fullback May Not Accompany Team to Coast on Account of Injury—Other Men Ready to Fight Gonzaga to the Last Ditch.

Tonight the 1912 varsity will practice on Montana field for the last time. One more home workout and the team is off for Spokane and then for Salem, where it will disembark on Thanksgiving day. Last night Coach Philson gave the men their last scrimmage and today signal practice will probably occupy most of the time of the team. The team is in splendid condition, with the exception of Smead, who is still out of the game with a bad knee. Ten of the regulars will appear in the game against Gonzaga and it is expected that Smead will be in shape to play against Willamette.

In Smead the varsity has lost its best man, outside of Captain Hornblaser. As a ground-runner Smead is the best man on the team, with the exception of Owsley, and on defense he is in a class with the husky captain. In Utah he made a splendid impression. He was the only man able to gain consistently in the game with the Mormon Aggies and was a whole team on defense. His red head was at the bottom of every play, no matter where it went. In Salt Lake it was the same story. There he harked himself against the speedy, heavy Utah back until he had to be taken from the game, and when he was led off the field the crowd in the stands rose and gave him the heartiest cheer accorded to any player on that field. If he is able to play in the Thanksgiving day game it will mean a lot to the team. If he is out, the loss will be a big one.

Yesterday the coaches had made up their minds to leave Smead behind. The doctor who is caring for him said that if he played he might injure himself permanently, and, although any player on the squad would gladly have given up his place to "Buck," the coaches decided that with only 15 men on the squad every man would have to be fit. So it was decided. But yesterday Smead showed marked improvement, and if he continues to get better he will go with the team and play in the final battle of the season.

Reports from Gonzaga are not very encouraging. The college has the best team ever and Montana will have to play gilt-edged ball from start to finish. But the varsity is going over there "feeling for fight." Two years ago a team that represented the varsity, but did not include Hornblaser, Winstanley, nor Little, the three brightest stars in the regular lineup of the year, was trimmed by a score of 37 to 5, Deschamps making Montana's only touchdown. The defeat of Montana's varsity was widely advertised by the Spokane collegians. This year the men plan revenge.

As to the team in Salem little is known. The varsity men are not worrying much about that game. They are preparing first to beat Gonzaga. It is a cinch that Gonzaga will have to have a good team to stave off a heavy defeat, for the Montana players are going to Spokane with the same fighting spirit that marked the invasion of Mormonland.

The team that is to make the trip has not yet been named. The varsity will probably line up as follows in Spokane: Gault and Weidman, ends; Hornblaser and Klebe, tackles; Day and Duens, guards; Craighead, center; Owsley and Deschamps, halfbacks; McCarthy, quarterback, and Roman, fullback.

## FRENCHMAN WINS.

Sydney, N. S. W., Nov. 20.—In what was scheduled to be a 15-round fight today at the end of the 14th round Eusebio Balboa of France was given the decision over Eddie Sanders, an American fighter, after inflicting severe punishment on the American. The fight had to be stopped on account of the severity it had reached at this stage by the police. Both men are under engagement to Hugh McIntosh.

## AN OLD INDIAN REMEDY

S. S. S. is one of the oldest of medicines; it was prepared and used by the Indian Medicine Men hundreds of years ago in the treatment of all blood disorders. Of course it did not then bear its present name, but the formula for compounding it was just what it is today, and its results then as now, entirely satisfactory to those who used it. S. S. S. is made entirely of roots, herbs and barks without the addition of a particle of mineral. It is the widest known and the best acting blood purifier before the public today. This great remedy cures Rheumatism, Catarrh, Sores and Ulcers, Skin Diseases, Scrofula, Specific Blood Poison and any and all blood infections and impurities. No one need fear to use S. S. S. It is perfectly safe for any system, and its fine vegetable tonic effects especially recommend it to all weak, debilitated persons who may be in need of a blood purifier. S. S. S. goes into the circulation and removes every particle of impurity, humor or poison from the blood. S. S. S. acts most pleasantly and beneficially on the stomach, assists in toning up the digestive members, and contributes in every way to the blessing of strong robust health. Write for free book on the blood and any medical advice you wish. S. S. S. is sold at drug stores.

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## UNCRIPPLED LOCALS TO ENEMY'S LAND THIS MORNING

MISSOULA JUNIOR ELEVEN OFF FOR PEA CITY IN SPLENDID SHAPE.

## INJURED MEN ALL RIGHT

McSpadden and Stone Are in Condition Once More, and Lineup That Has Been a Winner Will Front up for War Unchanged.

The Missoula high school team leaves this morning on Northern Pacific train No. 4, to play Friday afternoon the Gallatin county high school football team for the championship of the state. All the boys of the local squad are above par in their studies and eligible to play. This means that an uncrippled team will go over and that the best that the high school can turn out will be in the game. The boys are all in fine shape no one having been hurt this season with the exception of Jones, McSpadden and Stone and the latter two are fully recovered from their injuries. The team will line up as it did in the game with Butte, these same boys having played the whole season together. Coach McTough was unable to say last night who would do the umpiring at the game, but said that it was certain that Dockstader of the Agricultural college would referee.

The boys who make up the team are: McSpadden, center; Earheart, and Orr, guards; Duquette and Scherck, tackles; Whaley and Kemp, ends; Anderson, quarter; Stone and Jones, halves; Mahrt, full; Matthews, Lansing, Murphy and Stret, substitutes.

## TIP O'NEILL OPPOSES ANY OUTLAW LEAGUE

Chicago, Nov. 20.—Rumors that certain clubs in the American association and Western league are planning to become "baseball outlaws" and form a new league were confirmed here today.

President O'Neill of the Western league admitted that discussion of the proposed league had been going on for weeks and that the matter took concrete form at a meeting of the league in Milwaukee last week.

It is said that clubs are to be established in Chicago, Minneapolis, Indianapolis, Milwaukee, Kansas City, Omaha, St. Joseph and an eighth city yet to be selected.

"I want it understood that I am in no way connected with the project. I am opposed to 'outlaw' leagues," said O'Neill.

## CLAGSTONE A CANDIDATE.

Boise, Nov. 20.—Paul Clagstone, defeated in the primaries for the republican nomination for governor by 15 votes, has announced his candidacy for the United States senate to succeed the late Senator Heyburn. Clagstone is allied with the so-called progressive branch of the republican party.

## PARROT WILL SWEAR OUT OF SEASON LIKE AS NOT

"The parrot is a bird of class," says T. B. Kane, continuing his series of lectures of faunal subjects, he has one fault. He has a tongue like the one in which human beings and he learns to swear with surprising fluency. The parrot, however, is not gifted with a gift of propriety and will curse as readily when the minister comes to call as when the plumber wanders in with his bill and you meditate manslaughter. That's the chief objection to the parrot.

AS you were:  
The parrot is a bird of class;  
They keep him in a cage;  
He learns to talk with greatest ease  
And swear when in a rage.

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DEFEATS MORNINGSTAR, 500 TO 276, IN A GAME THAT IS FEATURELESS.

## LOSER LACKS CONTROL

Tournament Ends With Hoppe the Winner and Slosson, the Veteran, in Second Place—Yamada Ties With Morningstar for Third.

New York, Nov. 20.—Willie Hoppe retained his title as champion of 18 1/2 ball line billiards by defeating Ora Morningstar in the final game of the championship tournament here tonight by the score of 500 to 276.

Neither man played up to expectation, although Hoppe at times gave an excellent exhibition of his ability, making runs of 85, 77 and 74. Morningstar was unable to keep the ivory under control. Score: Hoppe, 500; average, 22 16-22; high runs, 86, 77, 74.

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Hoppe won first place in the tournament, having six wins to his credit and one game lost. Second place went to Slosson, who won five games and lost two. Morningstar and Yamada, the Japanese, tied for third place, each with four games won and two lost.

## AS IT LOOKS

Dialogue downstairs: "Is life worth living?" "Oh, it all depends upon the liver." (Business of roughhouse.)

Let's take a peep into the future with the Helena Independent. The Bozeman Chronicle opines that the Union association is about to disintegrate, dissolve and go flney. But why? Missoula is already signing up new men for its team. Great Falls is willing to go on, Maurice Wells declared in Butte that he would handle the Helena team in 1913. Cooley sold his cafe to devote all of his time to baseball. Boise wants in. Ogden, at least, hasn't given any notice of abandoning its club, and Butte talks favorably. How could things look more auspicious during the radiator baseball season?

Wayne Johnson has broken out of the reservation once more. He arrived in our midst yesterday equipped with a brand-new set of cheaters, hoping, undoubtedly, to improve his game at billiards.

We notice with ill-concealed amusement that the towns that are signing the Union association to immediate perdition are the ones that hope to break into a possible state league.

Kid Murray's idea of nothing to do is to be in the employ of Jim McCann, Tubalcan's weekly source artist. The Kid figures that Jim wouldn't be very good pay, we allow.

Joe L. Markham in the Billings Journal rehearses the salary-limit situation and then dumps the whole blame onto the magnates for not sending a representative to Milwaukee, O. K. and complete.

Salt Lake Telegram: Coming right down to cold facts, the Union fans would not stand for class D ball with a \$1,200 salary limit if such a restriction were rigidly enforced. Perjured affidavits, hardly hinted at during the seasons of 1911 and 1912, would be necessary. With a \$1,650 salary limit last season, practically every team in the league failed to remain inside this amount. Every club has reserved its players and to get inside a \$1,200 limit would necessitate the signing of reserved players at about one-half their 1912 salaries. Would the players stand for it? Would it be possible to sign 12 such men as Perrine, Devereaux, Bauer, Huelsman, Murphy or any others for that matter at \$100 a month for a five months' season? Not on your life. There are many reasons why the Union should be allowed at least \$500 a month increase. The great big reason is that the Union association is about the only organization of its kind in the country that has been able to collect 50c and 75c for its daily games, and the other is that the circuit lacks but a few inhabitants of being eligible to class C rating. If two more towns are added, as is hinted on some sides, class B rating will be within reach, and it would settle matters, but as it is, \$1,200 would prove to be a huge joke.

That's Bratz's idea of it. In a succeeding paragraph he suggests that if a \$1,700 limit were secured and lived up to, this would be a regular little league.

Down south, namely in Salt Lake, they're wondering if the Young Miller, who is trying to get a mat engagement in Butte, is Walter Miller of St. Paul. We guess that isn't, but we think we know just who it is, but we prefer to be mysterious about it.

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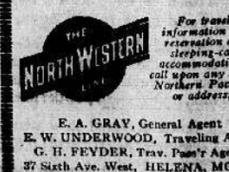
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