

Sporting and Athletic News

HOOP SCHEDULE FOR COMMERCIALS

Classy Teams Entered in the Local Hoop League; Many Stars

Ogden's Commercial Basketball League will start play at the Ogden High school Wednesday, January 14, according to plans adopted at a meeting of the managers of the various clubs in the business office of The Standard last night. Four teams have entered the league and each aggregation will play six games during the season.

Two games will be staged each Wednesday night, the first contest starting at 7:30 o'clock and the second at 8:30 o'clock. With the winner of the local league announced at the completion of play the winners of the Salt Lake and Logan Commercial leagues will clash for state honors.

Team Players Unlimited. An unlimited number of men will be carried by each team until January 23. After January 23 each aggregation will be allowed eight players excluding the manager. Coach Malcolm Watson of Weber Normal will handle the reins of the league. He will be the official at all of the games and will also settle all disputes and other questions which may arise. Watson is a former hoop star and knows the game from every angle.

The league consisting of four teams—Ogden Standard, Scowcrofts, Buchmiller-Kaplan and Southern Pacific Shops, will see some of the fastest and best players ever developed at the local schools in action. Webb, Lindsay, Couch, Schade, Nye, Wilkenson and other noted hoopsters will represent the various teams. At this writing, picking the winner is out of the question but from present indications the teams seem evenly matched.

Season Schedule.

Wednesday, January 14—Scowcrofts vs. Buchmiller-Kaplan; Southern Pacific Shops vs. Ogden Standard.

Wednesday, January 21—Buchmiller-Kaplan vs. Ogden Standard; Southern Pacific Shops vs. Scowcrofts.

Wednesday, January 28—Scowcrofts vs. Ogden Standard; Buchmiller-Kaplan vs. Southern Pacific Shops.

Wednesday, February 4—Scowcrofts vs. Buchmiller-Kaplan; Southern Pacific Shops vs. Ogden Standard.

Wednesday, February 11—Scowcrofts vs. Southern Pacific Shops; Buchmiller-Kaplan vs. Ogden Standard.

Wednesday, February 18—Buchmiller-Kaplan vs. Southern Pacific Shops; Ogden Standard vs. Scowcrofts.

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Informal Reception for Harvard Gridders

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Jan. 6.—Harvard's reception to her returning football heroes when they complete their transcontinental journey here tonight will be informal but decidedly enthusiastic, according to undergraduate leaders. Students and members of the alumni will meet the players at the south station, Boston, and after a brief period of songs and cheers will escort them to the college.

SEATTLE HOCKEY TEAM AFTER WORLD TITLE

Coast Championship Won Last Year and Montreal Champions Tied for Honors

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 6.—Hockey players of the Seattle Metropolitan team hope this winter to repeat their performance of one year ago when they won the Pacific Coast Hockey Association championship and tied the Montreal "Fleisch Frenchmen," the champions of the east, for the world title.

Last season was Seattle's second championship year, the local team having won the pennant in 1917. Since the association was organized in 1912 Victoria has won the title twice, New Westminster once, Portland once, Vancouver twice and Seattle twice.

Seattle, Vancouver and Victoria are the three teams in the association this year. Spokane, Portland and New Westminster have had teams in the league in the past.

Hockey fans are wondering if "Cyclone" Taylor, the bald-headed Vancouver veteran, will again win the individual scoring championship. Since 1912 Taylor has held the honor five times. "Neway" LaSondie, now with Montreal, won the title in 1912 when he played with Vancouver. In 1913 it was won by Dundardale, Victoria, and in 1917 by Bernie Morris, of Seattle.

The 1920 lineups follow:

Seattle—Holmes, goal; Rowe, (C), left defense; Rickey, right defense; Walker, rover; Riley, center; Foyston, left wing; Nichols, right wing; Murray, spare.

Vancouver—Lehman, goal; Duncan, left defense; Cook (C) right defense; Harris, rover; Taylor, center; Roberts, left wing; Skinner, right wing; W. Adams, spare; J. Adams, spare.

Victoria—Fowler, goal; Laughlin, left defense; Gense, right defense; Johnson, rover; Dundardale, center; Meeking, left wing; Oatman (C) right wing; Kerr, spare; O. Laughlin, spare; Patrick, spars.

Campaign for Big Stadium to Open

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 5.—A campaign for the construction in Exposition Park here of a stadium large enough to accommodate participants and spectators of athletic events of the importance of the Olympic games will be started in Los Angeles soon, according to Robert Weaver, president of the Southern Pacific branch of the A. A. U.

If the campaign is successful, Mr. Weaver says, the stadium probably will be dedicated to American soldiers killed during the world war.

Nebraska Schedules Many Games for 1920

LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 6.—Dr. James T. Lees, faculty member of the University of Nebraska athletic board, tonight announced the 1920 football schedule as far as it has been arranged. It comprises games which will pit the Nebraska eleven against teams from the Atlantic and Pacific coasts. The schedule is as follows:

October 2, Washburn College of Kansas at Lincoln; October 9, open; November 6, Penn State at Penn college; November 13, Kansas at Lawrence; November 20, Michigan Agricultural college at Lincoln; November 25, Washington State college at Lincoln.

AD SANTEL HAS MADE A WONDERFUL RECORD

Champion Defeated but Once During Ten Years of Mat Work

When Jack Harbertson clashes with Ad Santel, world's light heavyweight champion at the Alhambra theatre Thursday evening, he will meet the best man in the United States in that class. Santel has established a wonderful record during the past ten years, having been defeated in but one contest out of several hundred.

Santel started his career at Chicago, in 1907. Three years later he copped the world's title and since that time has successfully defeated all comers. In many instances Santel has gone out of his class and defeated the best in the heavyweight class. He holds victories over Jess Westergaard, Cutler, Klapham, Strangler Lewis, Plestina, and many other world known stars. He has defeated Plestina twice and holds a draw in a third contest.

Joe Stecker, aspirant for the world championship in the heavyweight division, and former champion, is the only man in America that has pinned Santel to the mat during the past ten years.

Defeats All Comers.

From coast to coast Santel has met and defeated all in his class. In his bout with Harbertson he expects to add another victory to his belt of victories. Both men are in first class shape and the bout should be a thriller.

In his workout at the Eagles' gymnasium last night more than 200 people were in attendance to watch the champion go through his various exercises. He wrestled fifty minutes during the evening, meeting Art Chester, Idaho middleweight champion, Rex Buchman and E. Holmes. Chester and Santel put up a pretty exhibition. This event lasted 30 minutes, the other two bouts being of ten minute duration.

Workout at Eagles' Gym.

Santel will workout at the Eagles' gym this evening and will hold a light workout tomorrow afternoon prior to the contest Thursday. He is now in tip top shape and expects to make the weight easily on Thursday. Both Harbertson and Santel will weigh in at the Alhambra theatre at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Both men have agreed to make 175 pounds. If either of the men fail to make that weight a forfeit of \$500 will be in order.

Jack Harbertson is working out daily at the Pingree gymnasium for his match and is reported in first class condition. Harbertson has established a great record during his career as a mat star and is out after a victory over Santel. Harbertson stated today that if defeated in his match it would be because Santel is the better man. January 8 is the date, Alhambra theatre the place—and the world's championship wrestling title in the light heavy class is the prize for the winner.

Moose Card Party

Tuesday evening, Jan. 6. Everybody welcome.—Adv.

RUTH REFUSES TO PLAY WITH YANKEES

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—The most popular indoor sport in New York today was guessing how much the New York Americans paid for George H. (Babe) Ruth, the home-run monarch. The nearest approach to anything of the nature was the admission of Colonel Jacob Ruppert, the Yankee's president, that he understood an offer of \$100,000 for Ruth was refused last summer by Harry Frazee of the Boston club. Sporting writers estimate the price paid from \$125,000 to \$150,000.

Followers of the national pastime recalled that it was not so many years ago that the baseball world was staggered at the news that the New York Giants had purchased Rube Marquard for \$11,000. Since then the sale of diamond stars has mounted even faster than the high cost of living. Until the sale of Ruth yesterday, the record price was \$50,000 paid by Cleveland for Tris Speaker and \$50,000 by the Chicago Americans for Eddie Collins.

In commenting on the purchase of Ruth, Colonel Ruppert said: "This is our answer to those who would like to drive us out of baseball. We entered into negotiations for the famous player in pursuance of a definite policy to give the club's loyal following in New York an aggressive, strong, well balanced team."

Babe Ruth Sends Telegram
BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 6.—Babe Ruth today sent the following telegram to John Igoe, his business manager here: "Will not play anywhere but Boston. Will leave for the east Monday." Igoe said Ruth had invested his money in the cigar business here and naturally would desire to be in Boston as much as possible.

There was some adverse criticism of the sale from the local fans among whom Ruth's prowess with the bat has made him immensely popular.

Harry Frazee, owner of the Red Sox, declared the club too valuable to be dependent on the services of one player. He would not name the amount received for Ruth, but declared that it was "stupendous" and that no other club but New York could afford to pay such a sum. The money received, he said, would enable him to purchase much needed strength for the Boston club and place it again in the running for the pennant honors.

Often a man's character would be unable to recognize his reputation if they were to meet.

Wright's

A GOOD PLACE TO TRADE

Men! Now's The Time To Buy Clothes

Four hundred men's suits and overcoats go on sale tomorrow morning. These are all brand new clothes—all wool fabrics—most of them hand sewed. Here are suits and coats worth from \$45 to \$60. The sale price will be \$35.

Ask any clothing man how clothing prices are going to be for next spring and fall—if he tells you the truth, he'll tell you that there will be big advances even on the present prices. The clothing offered in this sale is selling for less than the wholesale prices for next fall and next spring.

The men who buy for themselves suits and overcoats at this sale for \$35, with a view of using them this winter and next, are going to save themselves a lot of money.

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Washington to Build a Stadium in Units

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 5.—University of Washington's student body is planning on building a concrete athletic stadium capable of seating approximately 30,000 people.

Two football fields and a concrete oval will be in the stadium, according to present plans. It will be built on a campus hillside overlooking the canal between Lake Washington and Lake Union.

Seattle commercial organizations are urging that the stadium be built as they say the city needs such a structure to accommodate big meetings and productions.

According to rough estimates, the stadium will be built in units, each unit costing about \$100,000.

New Baseball League for Old Northwest

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 5.—Organization of a new baseball league, to rise in the territory formerly covered by the old Northwest League, will be undertaken at a meeting of baseball men to be held here early this month.

Six cities, Vancouver, B. C., Victoria, B. C., Seattle, Spokane, Tacoma, Great Falls, Mont., and Butte, Mont., will be in the league when it opens its

Londos Wins Title From Bill Demetral

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Jim Londos of Greece, defeated William Demetral, the Greek heavyweight catch-as-catch-can wrestling champion in a contest for the title last night. Londos pinioned his opponent to the mat with a double scissors hold after wrestling one hour and forty minutes and twenty seconds.

The contest was rough and the referee cautioned the men many times. Demetral obtained a toe hold which he held for ten minutes but Londos refused to admit defeat and succeeded in squirming out of it.

Wladek Zbyszko, of Poland, threw George Stranbel of Belgium in seven minutes and eighteen seconds with a

schedule, according to present plans. Later Everett and Wenatchee, two Washington cities, may be taken in.

"Bob" Brown, leading baseball advocate of Vancouver, and John Barnes, pioneer Seattle baseball club owner, are leading the movement for the establishment of the new league.

Protection has been secured from the National Association of Minor Baseball Leagues for the territory covering the various cities. Brown announced in Vancouver recently.

Decision to attempt to organize the new league was made by Brown when Vancouver's application for a berth in the Pacific Coast Baseball League was denied.

Coming Ring Battles

The following are some of the most important battles scheduled for the rings of America in the near future, arranged in date order and with number of rounds:

January 7. Frankie Mason vs. Joe Farrell, at Camp Grant, ten rounds.

January 12. Fred Fulton vs. Frank Moran at Newark, N. J., eight rounds.

January 15. Benny Leonard vs. Johnny Kilbane at New Haven, Conn., twenty rounds.

January 16. Sam Langford vs. Bob Devere at Providence, R. I., fifteen rounds.

Some men have a regular Sunday morning attack of homesickness when the church bell rings.

Wesley E. King Named Republican Organizer

Henry Welsh, chairman of the State Republican committee, has announced that Wesley E. King has been appointed Republican club organizer for Utah. Mr. King's appointment is now on the way, having been issued by the national committee, division of Republican clubs, of which Fred Stanley of Chicago headquarters, is western director. Mr. King will organize clubs throughout the state. The clubs will be organized with the view of advancing the party as a whole, rather than as a means of supporting any individual. Mr. King was formerly state chairman of the American Legion and was also on the national and state committees of this organization. He recently resigned of these positions, however, that he might be free to act in the capacity of State Republican club organizer.

A Christmas hint makes more furor than a dish, when it is dropped.

"Crocodile Tears" are sham tears, or hypocritical sorrow. The crocodile was supposed to make moans and thus draw unsuspecting travelers into its power. Shakespeare says:

Gloster's show Beguiles him as the mournful crocodile. With sorrow snarls relenting passengers.

Wealth and happiness are not always on the best of terms.

THE GREATEST SPORTING EVENT THAT HAS EVER COME TO OGDEN

World Championship Wrestling Match

HARBERTSON VS. SANTEL

THURSDAY EVENING

JAN. 8

SANTEL

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11:30 a. m. to 1:30 p. m.; 4:30 p. m. to 6:30 p. m.; 7:30 p. m. to 8:30 p. m.

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Ringside ... \$4.00 and \$5.00

Main Floor and Loges (unreserved) ... \$3.50

Balcony (unreserved) ... \$2.00

Main floor loges ... \$5.00

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