

# California's Athletics

## BY HERBERT HAUSER

### Yachts to Sail Around the Farallones

#### Second Trial for the Phillips Cup Will Take Place Today

The second trial for the Phillips cup for the Farallone yacht race will take place today with the same entrants as started last Saturday. While it is not expected to be foggy today, the prospects for much wind are not bright. The Martha claimed to have reached within a mile of the rock, while the yawl Iola, which had done good work during the day, up to the time it quit the race (at about 5 o'clock) had a better position, northwest of the Farallones. Had there been a good breeze Ward would have been among the leaders.

It is to be hoped that the San Francisco club will decide to have the race earlier next year so that a good breeze may be depended upon. The following are the time allowances:

Yacht	Club	Time allowance
Martha	San Francisco	14:19
Yawl	San Francisco	14:21
Yawl	San Francisco	14:22
Yawl	San Francisco	14:23
Yawl	San Francisco	14:24
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### New Orleans to Enter Fight Game Again

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE CALL  
CHICAGO, Sept. 25.—New Orleans is once more a bidder for the best fights obtainable. This time the fights are to be taken out of the city and decided across the river, in a new arena now being constructed in McDonoughville, La., the West Side athletic club controlling the place.

Information is given out by O. B. Schoenfeld of New Orleans, who is in this city to get a line on some of the best fighters, that he will like to match Packey McFarland for a bout in the new arena, but as Packey can not fill his eastern engagements because of a lame ankle Schoenfeld will have to look elsewhere.

### RESULTS AT ANACONDA

ANACONDA, Mont., Sept. 25.—Summary:  
First race, five furlongs—St. Senius won, Kiffin King second, Sir Brillar third, time, 1:24.  
Second race, five and a half furlongs—Zella G won, Sampson second, Yolo third, time, 1:32.  
Third race, seven furlongs—Spira U won, Lady Alicia second, Swede Sam third, time, 1:32.  
Fourth race, mile—Willie T won, Etala second, Silver Heels third, time, 1:45.  
Fifth race, mile—Contribution won, Miss May second, El Palano third, time, 1:46.  
Sixth race, one and a sixteenth mile—Salpaci won, Elie second, Nomasar third, time, 2:00.

### INJURED ON THE GRIDIRON

WATERBURY, Conn., Sept. 25.—Wilfred B. Marshall, halfback of the Waterbury high school football team, is in a serious condition as a result of an injury to his spinal column during a football game yesterday. Marshall's body is paralyzed from the shoulders down.

### CHALLENGE TO BALL TEAMS

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MODESTO, Sept. 25.—The Modesto baseball association challenges the winner of either the Newman game, or both, to play the Modesto Reds for a purse of \$500 to \$1,000.

### NORTHWEST LEAGUE GAMES

At Tacoma—Spokane 2, Tacoma 1.  
At Seattle—Seattle 1, Aberdeen 0.

### CAUSES SENSATION

The announcement of the compact of the 10 steamship companies for the purpose of transporting goods from the Pacific coast via the Tehuantepec route created a sensation in local business circles yesterday. The merchants residing in an effective opposition to the dominance of the Southern Pacific and the Pacific Mail steamship company. The subject was the one important item of discussion. The officers of the American-Hawaiian steamship company were besieged by parties desiring more information about the proposed plan and throughout there was a general feeling of satisfaction at the new order of affairs.

### OLD ROUTE WORTHLESS

The agreement which has existed between the Southern Pacific and the Pacific Mail steamship company has practically rendered the Panama route worthless to San Francisco shippers. Whichever way they turned, whether to land or sea, they found themselves in the grip of Harriman. So bad were the conditions that Joseph L. Bristow, former postmaster, was appointed as a special commissioner to investigate the situation, and in his report scathingly denounced the Pacific Mail steamship company for its apathy in regard to the transportation of goods by railroads, drawing the only conclusion possible that Harriman on sea had no intention of allowing competition against Harriman on land. There was even serious discussion on the advisability of putting on the Pacific coast a government line of steamships which would handle the through business in connection with the Panama railway.

The Pacific Mail steamship, since then, has not made any effort to cater to the through business. During the congestion in freight traffic last year relief came to the Pacific coast from the Tehuantepec National railway company, owned largely by the Mexican government. The Pacific Mail steamship company at that time, on account of its poor business, handled no title that the care on the Panama railroad, owned by the United States government, had to be hauled back to the Atlantic coast empty.

### NEW LINE STEPS IN

One of the most noticeable points about the new arrangement is that while the Harriman owned steamship lines have been calling loudly for a government subsidy, the American-Hawaiian steamship company has stepped in and received as much business as it could handle, thereby proving that the business was here and that there was ample opportunity for the Pacific Mail steamship company to secure it.

The subject, it is thought, will be brought up at the trans-Mississippi congress to be held here in October. The old threat that Harriman will reply to the opposition by making some other city his base of supplies on this coast, it is expected, will be whispered. Under existing conditions, however, there is a general sentiment that what the city gains from Harriman purchasing his supplies here will be less than the saving made in rates and time by the appearance of a competitor.

### Cubs Are Near Top of Column

#### Chicago Wins Two Games to Cincinnati, While Chicago Defeats Brooklyn



Captain Frank Chance and Pitcher "Orvie" Overall of the Chicago team.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—President Harry D. Pulliam of the National League issued a statement this morning clarifying the more or less muddled conditions regarding the celebrated game of Wednesday between the New York and Chicago baseball clubs. The president does not show that Chicago has made any claim, so far as the National League is concerned, of a forfeited game Thursday, and that the only upshot so far is an announcement that Wednesday's score was a tie is a formal notice by the New York club that it will appeal from that decision.

### National League

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—The Cincinnati team knocked two of New York's new pitchers at the Polo ground today and gave the locals a double headed setback, 7 to 1 and 2 to 0, with the other result of the day, leaves New York only one point in the lead in the pennant race. The pitchers who were victorious were kept down the visitors' box were Marquard, the acquisition from the Indianapolis club, who was retired from the box in the fifth inning of the first game, and Durham, whose first work in the box was of good quality, but who soon thereafter was relieved in the eighth inning by Taylor after two more runs had been scored by the visitors.

New York lost the second game through inability to connect consecutively with Durham's offerings, while McKinstry, pitching for the locals, was knocked out of the box in the second inning, when the visitors crossed the plate. McKinstry was replaced by Marquard, who pitched well, and at times brilliantly, while New York's work in the field was far below its usual form. Scores:

First game—Cincinnati, 7; New York, 1.  
New York: Durham, 7; Marquard, 7.  
Cincinnati: McKinstry, 5; Marquard, 7.  
Batteries—Spade and Schell; Marquard, Durham, Taylor, Brennan and Needham.  
Second game—Cincinnati, 2; New York, 0.  
New York: Durham, 2; Marquard, 2.  
Cincinnati: McKinstry, 2; Marquard, 2.  
Batteries—Lefield and Gibson; Chappelle, McCarthy and Bowerman; O'Day.

### American League

DETROIT, Sept. 25.—Summers pitched both games for Detroit and made his record seven consecutive victories over Philadelphia. Detroit ran the bases sensationally in the first game and this, with much better pitching, decided the second game. Summers' home run in the eighth inning was even more effective than in the regular nine innings. Detroit's generally superior hitting, Summers' pitching and the throwing featured the games. Scores:

First game—Detroit, 7; Philadelphia, 6.  
Detroit: Summers, 7; Schmidt; Kellogg and Powers.  
Philadelphia: Summers, 6; Schmidt; Kellogg and Powers.  
Second game—Detroit, 2; Philadelphia, 0.  
Detroit: Summers, 2; Schmidt; Schiltzer and Lefield.  
Philadelphia: Summers, 2; Schmidt; Schiltzer and Lefield.

### FINED FOR SHOOTING RAIL

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 25.—Dudley Gate Ward and E. Daneri arrested 8, H. Hubbard and Nick Thomas of San Francisco for shooting a rail on the Pacific coast yesterday. The men were fined \$25 each by Justice McSweeney.

### NEWS CELEBRATE THEIR NEW YEAR

Solemn and Impressive Ceremonies Mark Opening of Event in Synagogues

With solemnity and reverence, and with the glorious music that has been a part of their ritual for countless years, the coming of the Jewish new year was solemnized yesterday in all the city's great synagogues. Special services and eloquent sermons were given in all the temples, and thousands of worshippers gathered for what is one of the most significant events of the religious year.

In the Temple Sherith Israel last night the services were conducted by Rabbi Nieto, who preached the new year's sermon and opened the two days of prayer with fitting words of faith and hope. The music in this service was especially fine, a magnificent program of vocal and organ music being given for the first time. Congregation Ohabab Salome, in the Bush street temple, was led in prayer by Rabbi Kaplan, who will preach the new year's sermon at 10:30 o'clock this morning. The congregation at Beth Israel held the first new year's services in their new temple, on Geary street near Fillmore, last night, when fine speakers and excellent music helped to make the occasion impressive. Dr. Voorsanger's church, which is still without a pastor, held an adapted service. Otto Irving Wise addressing the congregation. This morning Lucius Solomons will speak in the Temple Emanuel.

Three services will be held today in all the synagogues, the morning, afternoon and evening being given over to constant prayer, interrupted only for music and preaching. The ceremonies will be practically ended this evening, but as the new year, which is the five thousand six hundred and sixty-ninth since the beginning of the world, according to the Hebrew computation, falls on the day of regular worship, certain lesser observances will be postponed until Sunday morning. Among these is the blowing of the "shofar," the ram's horn, which is ordinarily introduced into the new year's day services.

### BID BOOTY IN BOILER

Detectives working on the burglary at the store of the Abraham company, 1449 Market street, early Thursday morning recovered about \$600 worth of the stolen loot yesterday. It was hidden in an old boiler in the vault. A man who was seen near the boiler was placed under arrest and will be detained pending an investigation.

### Freight to Goldfield

A 3 day freight service (refrigerator) to Goldfield and Tonopah via Southern Pacific and Tonopah & Goldfield R. R. is being organized by members who with 49 of this city.

### Many Rugby Games on Card for Today

#### California and Stanford Varsity Fifteens Will Have Hard Matches

#### By William Umack

Rugby football games will be played today at Berkeley, Oakland, Palo Alto, San Jose and Reno. At Berkeley the California varsity team and the Barbarians will meet for the first time this year. The Barbarians will be minus the services of Eadie, their crack three-quarter, and Sams, their scrum-half. The team will be selected from Shanks, Pomeroy, Sharpe, Elliott (captain), Hamill, Phillips, Hyland, Brown, Price, Kay, Weaver, Harrison, Goff, Simmons, McWhorter, Watson, Fay, Battle and others.

The varsity will line up as follows:  
Forwards—Marward, Pany, Dillingham, Hardy Farmer, Schmitt, Davidson, Devoto, McKeown and Freeman; wing forward—Schwartz; half—Dwight; five-eighths—Douglas and Butler; center three-quarters—Cerr; wing three-quarters—Solinsky and Webster; full—Emmer.

Jones, Paul and Johns will be given a chance on the wing during the contest. At Oakland the California Barbarians are to meet St. Mary's college team. The Catholic college men are playing Rugby and since their defeat by the Stanford freshmen they have improved considerably. The lineup will be as follows:  
St. Mary's: Dulock—Hughes; three-quarter—Starett, Fink, Rordan, Grumel; halves—D. Diavela, Burke; forwards—Duggs, Captain Lacey, McNeil, Arata, Victoria, Hughes, Kelly, Smith.

California freshmen: Forwards—O. Craig, Campbell, Johnson, McKeown, McKeown, Messere, Barnett, H. Phleger, McNear, Phleger, Wilder, Wagner, Hale and Jones; wing forward—Wagner, H. Phleger, Kocina, and Douglas; five-eighths—Gibbs, Abbott, Black and Weber; center three-quarters—McCabe and Harris; wing three-quarters—Frees, McFarland, Powers and Rathbone; full—Lawton.

### Stanford University

Under the skillful management of Miss Lillian H. Underhill, the Stanford varsity football team is developing rapidly. The team is expected to be one of the best in the league. The lineup will be as follows:  
Stanford University: Forwards—H. Holman and steps have been taken to avoid any possible conflict with the local association. This was learned today by President J. R. Holman and steps have been taken to avoid any possible conflict with the local association. This was learned today by President J. R. Holman and steps have been taken to avoid any possible conflict with the local association.

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### CARNEY QUILTS THE RING

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CHICAGO, Sept. 25.—Frank Carney, the Italian boxer, who was known as "The Ring King," has quit the ring. He has been boxing for eight years and has made some money, but he regrets the game as a bit too strenuous.

### NEWS OF THE OCEAN

The Japanese steamer "Tsunami" sailed for Hongkong and way ports via Honolulu yesterday with a general merchandise cargo valued at \$104,974, exclusive of fuel. The cargo is distributed as follows: For Japan, \$67,075; for Alaska, \$1,274; for East Indies, \$4,491; for other ports, \$32,134.

### LEASERS MEET POSTPONED

On account of a death in the family of one of the members of the Park amateur driving club the meet scheduled for this afternoon at Golden Gate Park stadium has been postponed indefinitely.

### WANTS A FOOTBALL MATCH

The Phoenix football team of Alameda (average 124 pounds) challenges any team in the bay counties averaging 120 to 130 pounds. Address A. Thompson, 422 Walnut street, Alameda.

### REARRANGEMENT OF CALIFORNIA'S INTERCLASS FOOTBALL SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED

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### STATE LEAGUE BASEBALL

ALAMEDA, Sept. 25.—The Alamedas and San Francisco teams of the State baseball league will play tomorrow afternoon at Alameda. The match will be held at 3:30 o'clock.

### High School Athletics

The Bay Counties athletic league, which consists of Oakland, Berkeley, Alameda, Fremont, Lowell, Oakland Polytechnic, San Francisco Polytechnic, Mission, Colma, Wilkesburg and Sausalito, will meet today at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The contest will be held at the University of California under the direction of the athletic director, Dr. J. H. Underhill.

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### Sudden Death of Noted Baseball Man

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### TRENDLAW WINS DECISION

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 25.—Kid Trendlaw of St. Louis won the decision over Len Lauer of this city before the athletic club tonight.

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### Manufactured by the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.

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### STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION AND AFFAIRS OF THE Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company

OF NEWARK, IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY, on the 31st day of December, 1907, and for the year ending on that date; made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of California, in accordance with the requirements of Section 613 of the Political Code of said State:

### ASSETS

Net value of real estate owned by the company	\$8,661,921.85
Amount of Loans secured by mortgage on real estate	53,589,708.33
Amount of Loans secured by pledge of bonds, stocks and other securities	1,183,500.00
Loans to Policy Holders on Company's policies, as assigned collateral	13,285,697.14
Amount of cash in banks	5,187,507.54
Cash market value of Stocks and Bonds owned by company	29,704,205.49
Amount of cash in Company's office	9,115.25
Interest due and accrued	1,234,215.00
Interest due and accrued on bonds	1,938,735.25
Net amount of premium proceeds of collection of deferred premiums	1,385,713.89
Agents' Balances	42,167.94
Gross Assets	\$111,816,708.33
Deductions for losses and matured Endowments due and unpaid	4,869,341.62
Agents' Debit Balances	44,137.35
Total Assets	\$111,727,571.00

### LIABILITIES

Cash received for premiums on new policies during the year	\$2,503,296.13
Cash received for interest	14,161,074.00
Cash received for dividends	4,969,341.62
Profit on sale or maturity of ledger assets	13,564.43
Total Income	\$21,047,276.18
Cash paid for losses and matured endowments	\$6,312,151.27
Cash paid for interest	1,065,424.70
Cash paid for dividends to policy holders	1,908,643.22
Cash paid for expenses of agents	2,239,453.23
Commission paid to Agents	1,908,243.33
Salaries and wages of employees, etc.	67,009.78
Amount of notes and other obligations of officers and employees, except agents and medical examiners	884,573.19
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### DEDUCTIONS DURING THE YEAR AS FOLLOWS:

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