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For any \$25.00 Suit or Coat in the house

of this store to make a clean sweep of the stock twice a year, and as our steadily increasing business has demanded larger and larger quantities of clothing in Boise and is looked forward to by thousands of people in and tributary to Boise. This opportunity for Suit or Coat in the history of Idaho has such a Clearance Sale been started with such stocks to back it up as we are showing. In addition to our clearance sale, and over 300 Overcoats and Slip-ons.

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\$30 Suits and Coats .....	\$20.00	\$40 Full Dress Suits .....	\$26.50
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We place on sale for quick action 100 pairs men's Corduroy Pants, all sizes, at the pair ..... \$1.35

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We place on sale for quick action 50 dozen Ferguson-McCanney Soft Shirts, all sizes—Blue Chambray, White and Fancy, with Military Attached Collars; every Shirt guaranteed ..... **45c**



### CHICAGO GIVEN SEVERE BEATING BY OREGONIANS

Wendell Phillips High School Overwhelmed by Washington High School Eleven at Portland.

Portland, Dec. 28.—The Washington high school football team of Portland today defeated the Wendell Phillips team of Chicago by the score of 39 to 0. Chicago succeeded in making yardage on only three occasions, twice with straight football and the third time by a forward pass. The Chicago team was overwhelmed, being unable to withstand the terrific line attacks made by the Oregonians. Left End Blanchford and Halfback Pettybridge were the only Chicago players who showed any technical knowledge of the game. The Washington back field players tore through the Wendell Phillips line for gains from four to 20 yards, and was only forced to punt once during the entire game, and that punt resulted in a touchdown, as Quarterback Cummings fumbled the ball, and it was recovered on the three-yard line and shoved over on the next down. Washington depended on straight football throughout the entire game, with but four exceptions, when they tried forward passes. The Phillips team tried several formations, which were new to the western football fans, but they all failed.

**Gun Club Shoot Today.**  
A gun club shoot will be held at Hull's gulch this morning by members of the Boise Gun club. All members of the association are requested to be present. The report circulated that only certain styles of magazine guns could be used is erroneous. The club officials announced last night that any magazine gun will be permitted.

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Red Rose Music at Sampson's. D-28

### PUTS BLAME ON SLIPPERY FIELD

Coach of Wendell Phillips Team Has Excuse for Defeat at Boise.

The icy condition of the field at Cody park is blamed by the Wendell-Phillips high school football team for its defeat by Boise, according to the reports given out by Coach Moulton at Portland immediately after the arrival of the Chicago team there. The Chicago coach insists that his team outplayed Boise, a statement that gridiron fans here will consider with amusement. Here is the story: "The slippery, icy field was absolutely the only reason for our defeat by Boise high football team Christmas day," said Coach C. M. Moulton of the Wendell Phillips high football team upon the arrival of the Chicago champions last night. "We outplayed the Boise boys in every department of the game and had the ball on the Boise five-yard line three times in the first quarter. Twice we lost the leather on forward passes and the other time we fumbled, but all three times we got the ball to the Boise end of the goal through our aggressiveness. "The forward pass, which won the game for the Idaho eleven, was made in a bad place for us. The crowd was not kept off the field, and the pass was made at the edge of the spectators, which seriously handicapped our chances to break up their play. "We were also much outweighed, Boise having a team nearly 20 pounds heavier than our best lineup. We weigh about 150, while they tipped the scales without trouble at 160 pounds. On any kind of a field, except a slippery one, we could have won without trouble, as our plays and speed would have bewildered them on a dry playground."

Missouri Girl, the big hit, at Sampson's. D-28

**An Idea for a musical comedy!** exclaimed one manager. "Something in the way of a plot?" "No. But I know how to get a letter of introduction to a man who might put up money to run the show."

Hospital Commissioner Shutt urges St. Louis to buy farms for aiding treatment of drunkards and convalescents. Adv. 17  
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### SPORTING WORLD LOOKS FORWARD TO COMING YEAR

New Champions Will Be Developed and New Stars Will Take the Place of Old Ones.

New York, Dec. 28.—To get a chance at developing new champions, springing sensations in baseball, and generally turning the sport world upside down, the year 1913 could not have chosen a better time to be born. No one is too popular as a new champion, and the question now uppermost in the mind of sport followers is the possibility of new leaders to overwhelm those of 1912, and set new records. Among the fighters three new titles may be acquired during the coming year. Nineteen twelve saw the passing of Champions Ad Wolgast and Abe Attoll. Johnny Kilbane, Attoll's conqueror, appears head and shoulders above the other featherweights, but Willie Ritchie, the new lightweight champion, has a field of exceedingly good men after him. In the middleweight division, not a fighter has been developed during the past year worthy of wearing the crown of the late Stanley Ketchel. Klaus, Papke, McGorty and Mike Gibbons appear the best in their class, but there is no real champion. Johnson is Eliminated. Jack Johnson still stands the champion of the heavyweights. He will probably never appear in the ring in this country again, however, because of the public feeling aroused by the airing of his private life. From the crop of "white hopes," a man worthy of being called the new champion may be developed in 1913. John Coulton may retain his title in the bantam division for the year. In baseball, the new year has a big chance of developing surprises in the National league. Evers, Chicago; Huggins, St. Louis; Tinker, Cincinnati, and Stallings, Boston, are all four new managers. Tinker, Huggins and Evers are entirely untried. Frank Chance, formerly the Cub leader, will pilot the New York Highlanders, and with these switches, the fate of the old champions, the Giants and Boston Red Sox, is made uncertain. If the new year develops on great leaders the standing of the ball teams in their

respective leagues may be entirely upset. In Football World. Harvard's best, which gained the football championship of the east for 1912, will likely prove good enough for 1913. Wisconsin's victories in the west were equally impressive. Of the individual champions in the principal lines of sport, probably only Jim Thorpe, the wonderful Indian, is certain of holding his place. Thorpe's performances in track and field work will likely stand for years. Tris Speaker of Boston and Larry Doyle of the Giants were voted the most valuable baseball players in the big leagues, but, as they displayed Sculte and Cobb, so may new leaders be developed in 1913. Charles Brickley has been generally considered the greatest football player of the year. His wonderful kicking may gain the title for him a second time. The new year's biggest sporting task is to develop a man to beat Frank Gotch. Baggage Transfer. Call us if in a hurry. Peasley Transfer & Storage Co. Phone No. 73. Adv.

**Land Office Filings.**  
The following entries were filed in the federal land office yesterday: Lloyd J. Caldwell, Wilson, township 1 north, 4 west; 1 north, 3 west; 1 south, 2 west; right of way. Elsie Wiley, Boise, desert, lots 3, 4, south half northwest quarter, section 2, township 1 south, range 3 east, 147.84 acres. William Reader, Weiser, homestead, southwest quarter, section 34, township 3 north, range 2 west; 160 acres. Albert L. Mahoe, Boise, northwest quarter, northwest quarter, section 26, township 2 north, range 3 east; 40 acres; homestead. Nellie R. Watts, Boise, homestead, lots 2, 3 and 4, southwest quarter, northwest quarter, section 3, township 21 north, range 1 east; 149.99 acres. Hannah L. Jones, Caldwell, homestead, north half northeast quarter, section 15, township 3 north, range 3 west; 80 acres. Carl Emil Johnson, Boise, homestead, southwest quarter, section 1, township 5 south, range 4 east; 160 acres.

**Still Holds It.**  
"Mrs. Jipes, I think I have heard you say you have a cousin in the regular army. He is an officer, I presume?" "Yes; he holds some responsible position, but I don't exactly know the nature of it. When he wrote to me last he said he was in the guardhouse—whatever that is."

"Pa, what is an alibi?" "An alibi, son, is proof that you were not at a certain place at a certain time. You probably won't need an alibi until after you are married."

### M'CARTY IS VERY CONFIDENT THAT THE BELT IS HIS

Big Fighter Expects to Put Palzer Away in Short Order at Fight on New Year's Day.

Los Angeles, Dec. 28.—"Just see that there's plenty of rosin in the ring in the first round, so that when I hit Palzer he won't slide through the ropes," was Luther McCarty's good-night request to Promoter Tom McCarty tonight, as the big Missourian started for his bed. McCarty's remark is a sample of the confidence that prevails in the camps of both heavyweights who will battle at Vernon Jan. 1, for McCarty's diamond belt, emblematic of the championship of the world. This confidence, according to ring experts, who have closely watched the men, is not of the usual before the battle material, but is based on a real belief on the part of each that he can beat the other fellow. Betting on the mill is surprisingly brisk. More money already has been wagered than on any match in recent Los Angeles ring history, with the possible exception of the Rivers-Wolgast affair last Independence day. Much "fotrelan" money is rolling in a majority of this to be placed on Palzer. All is being covered by avid Los Angeles fans, most of whom apparently favor Luther's chances. No one has yet asked for better than even money. The general opinion is that McCarty's reputed sore hand is not so badly injured as his camp followers appear willing to have outsiders believe. The conqueror of Jim Flynn spent the day playing about his camp, clad in the picturesque cowboy habiliments he affects, and leading two sorrow looking stray dogs he had picked up about the beach. Both fighters expect to box before record crowds at their camps tomorrow. If your watch passes through our repair department and does not give satisfaction we will give a new movement in exchange. CON W. HESSE, Jeweler, Adv.

### SHRADER WANTS ANOTHER MATCH

Thinks He Will Be Able to Prove Superiority Over Jack Gillis.

Al Shrader, the Salt Lake boxer who lost to Jack Gillis at Forest Park Friday night in 10 rounds of fast fighting, is anxious to meet Gillis again and declared yesterday that if he could secure a match he is confident that he could show fans that he was entitled to a decision. The matter was taken up with Mickey Morton, the local promoter. There is a possibility that the two boys may be able to get together for a second mill during next month. "I believe that I was entitled to a draw Friday night in my fight with Gillis," said Shrader yesterday. "I was scheduled to go on with Kelly, but at the last minute Kelly backed out on the grounds that there was not enough money in the house. Regardless of this fact I stated that I was willing to go on with any one who would enter the ring. Gillis accepted the offer. "I had been training with Gillis and knew his condition. I wanted to see fans given a show for their money and decided that I would not go too strong during the early part of the mill. I followed out that determination. However, during the latter part of the fight I changed my tactics and started to drill into Gillis. "Anyone who was at the mill knows this to be true. I had Gillis hanging on during the ninth round and could not get away from him. I do not want to make a howl about the mill. Gillis and I are good friends but I believe that nothing better than a draw could have been given under the circumstances."

**"THE ONLY WAY."**  
To My Friends and Patrons:  
Under the slogan "The Only Way," Hurt nobody, kill nobody and be fair with everybody. Under this banner, we have labored and certainly have cause to feel much gratified, and are very thankful for the patronage given us during the year just closing. And, while we always use the slogan under quotation mark, we note that some do not. However, we say, May the essence of the words, in the sense used, permeate every home and dwell in every heart. Very truly yours, C. C. GRIGSON, 210 Sonna Building. Adv. D-29

### WILSON IS HERE TO MEET MEAD IN TEN-ROUND FIGHT

Heavyweight Battle Will Be the Next Attraction in the Boxing Line at Forest Park.

The next boxing card in Boise will be a genuine heavyweight match between Paul F. Wilson, a well known traveling salesman, who aspires to be the champion belt holder, and Charles Mead, the Salt Lake "white hope," if the plans of local fans interested in the event go through. Wilson dropped into Boise last night. He is a traveling mountain, carrying 215 pounds, well distributed, and looking the part of a genuine Luther McCarty. He wears one of those cheerful road smiles and is confident that he will be a real card in this city if the big mill goes on. "I mean business," said Wilson last night as he smiled broadly, tilted his hat on the back of his head and gently shoved forward a well formed, heavy and determined looking jaw. "Take it from me, I am in the game to stay, and our match here will be the real thing. Mead is some fighter, but I have an idea that I have a shade on him. I expect to take up negotiations immediately with local promoters. Wilson has a handshake that feels like the grip of an earthquake. It's a mighty good thing and a wise precaution to have your mit examined under an X-ray by a specialist after he paws it up and down. He is well met, confident of his ability and anxious to show what he can do. Charles Mead, the "white hope," is due to arrive tonight or tomorrow. He weighs 295 and looks the part of a real hit. "Big Bill" Mambut, one of the largest men who ever decorated the Salt Lake police force or swelled the brine of the great salt lake when floating about on its surface, is also thundering toward Boise. He stopped over in Rupert to look around, but is bound for the Idaho capital as he is interested in the Wilson-Mead match.

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