

HOWDY, MEET Chestnut Charlie

We Ought to Beas Him, He's Such a Nut.



NOW FOR A LITTLE MUSIC AGAIN!



NOW WHEN I SAY KAZAM—LOOK FOR TH' BIRDIE



KAZAM!



YOU OUGHTA KNOW THIS JULIUS—WHOM DO THE MERMAIDS MASH? HA-A-A



WHY, THE SWELLS OF THE OCEAN!

A Page of Timely Sports and Amusements

Edited by Eddie Peters

FINAL BALL GAME OF SEASON TOMORROW

Baseball fans will probably have their last chance of the season to see a good game Sunday. The Hopkins Athletic club, Valley league champions, and the Smelter club, title holders in the City league, will come together in a final clash for the city pennant.

Today's Games May Decide the Title

BY H. C. HAMILTON. Unless Press Correspondent. NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—With the Phillies and Dodgers carded by Charles H. Ebbetts to resume their struggle for the National league pennant this morning in Brooklyn, the weather man continued his capriciousness by favoring the big football card scheduled today.

SIGNAL SNIPING IS BIG HELP IN PENNANT RACE

(The third of four articles telling how the Brooklyn Robins are winning their way into the world series, written by Harold Johnson, who was on the Brooklyn bench during several games to get the real inside dope on how they are doing it.)

BY HAROLD JOHNSON. BROOKLYN, Sept. 30.—All's fair in war, love and baseball! I never realized, though, the importance signal stealing played in baseball until Manager Wilbert Robinson consented for me to sit on the bench with his Brooklyn Robins, prospective National



JACK COOMBS

league champions and principals in the game. In Jack Coombs, Chief Bender and "Stuffy" McInnis, the old Athletics boasted of three master minds in the black art of getting the signals of an opposing team. Coombs, in addition to being one of the mainstays of the staff, is the man who calls the turn now for Brooklyn. He reads the brain of the enemy pitcher with uncanny accuracy and his findings are imparted to the other Brooklynites. The Dodgers don't rely on swiping signals, but it helps. To the fan, it's a weird, mysterious code that flashes from Robinson to his athletes in their mad pennant dash.

Eastern Grid Teams Are Off in a Rush

(United Press Licensed Wire.) NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—With a gentle push a week ago to give it impetus and with a mighty shove today to send it rushing down the fall weeks into November, football will be given an honest-to-goodness send-off all over the country.

Tight Game At Stadium

The junior and senior teams at Stadium Hi are evenly matched. They battled for more than an hour Friday afternoon, and the game ended in a 7 to 7 score. It was one of the tightest and prettiest contests seen in the bog bowl in years.

The second game of the season at Lincoln, between the sophomores and freshmen, resulted in an overwhelming victory, 45 to 0, for the sophs.

With Tacoma Amateurs

By Billy Carns.

Leigh Neff, amateur ball catcher, has just returned from a vacation trip to Ellensburg. With a companion, he made the trip in his livviver in seven hours, and reports that the roads are tip-top.

The Tacoma Teamsters, managed by Jay "Fat" Callender, will go to Seattle tomorrow to play the Teamsters of that city. Each team having won one game, they cross bats in Sunday's game to decide for all time the championship.

Tono and Olympia will play the last game of the season at Olympia Sunday to decide the title of Southwest Washington.

Al Libke, the "modern Venus" of amateur baseball, has returned from Oregon, where he was catching his brother, Fritz.

Andy Nelson, star Moose pitcher, who broke his arm this week, is getting along nicely and says that he will see the games at Russ Hall's farm Sunday for the city title.

One of the most popular baseball players in Tacoma, in the estimation of all amateurs, is Allen Browne, captain of Gamble's White Sox team. He's a mighty fine fellow, and a good ball player.

U. of C. Uses Fake Formation

Under Andy Smith, the University of California football team will use a lot of fake formation stuff this fall. Smith has the men coached to feint toward one end, jump back into position quickly, and then slam bang some other spot in the line.

Harvard used this system to some extent, and it was Haughton's knack of covering his point of attack that so bewildered Yale in the big game last fall. Yale possessed enough power to push the Singer building out of plumb as proved by its showing against Princeton. But against Harvard the Blue didn't know where to exert this power, and the result was a disastrous wallowing.

Possibly Eddie Mahan collaborated with Head Coach Smith in installing the system at California. Mahan and A. B. Ziegler, all-American linemen at Pennsylvania in 1906 and 1907, are assisting Smith with the tutoring.

FOOTBALL MATCH ON

Tacoma's first football game of the season is being played at the Stadium this afternoon between the South Tacoma Athletic club and the Submarine Sailors' team from Bremerton. The S. T. A. C. team is composed of the following players: Reid or Shaughnessy, lf; Johnson, yt; O. Jensen, lg; Crawford, c; Vauder or Robinson, rg; Shumake, rt; Todd or Nelson, re; Pollen or Parker, pb; Shiel or Farrell, lb; Nevers, rb; Nelson or Holmberg, rfb.

RAIN STOPS BIG GAME

EBBETTS FIELD, Brooklyn, Sept. 30.—A driving rainstorm which had threatened throughout the day broke over Ebbetts Field in the middle of the second inning of the Brooklyn-Philadelphia game, submerging the diamond, and temporarily burying the hatchet between the two contenders.

Two games will be played today. Alexander the Great will be sent back against the Dodgers in at least one of the games. Neither side had scored when yesterday's game was called off.

PANTAGES

"JUNIOR FOLLIES" ROMAIN FIELDS "THE CRIMSON STAIN—NO. 4 AND FIVE OTHER ACTS"

Buckley-Tacoma Stage Co. Leave Tacoma Leave Buckley 10:00 a. m. 8:00 a. m. 8:30 p. m. 12:30 p. m. 8:00 p. m. 6:00 p. m. *Except Sat. and Sunday.

Dr. W. F. Blair 952 1/2 Pacific Avenue Tacoma, Wash.

Peters' Piffle advertisement with cartoon illustration of a man at a desk.

If the city council had used football tactics in tackling the budget this week, it might have accomplished a whole lot more in half the time.

The fellow who tried to bean a referee with a water bottle on the night of the Welsh-Anderson fight in Seattle was being properly rebuked. He must have pulled a terrible boner, if Seattle "called" him for it.

We cordially invite Charley Herald and Charlie McKee of the Tacoma theater management to keep up the good work. Somehow legs in the movies never did impress us as much as those in a regular, high-class chorus. The theatrical season has opened propitiously.

We know exactly 7,864 men in Tacoma who think that County Detective Fred Shaw, head of the booze-crushing squad, has the softest job in this part of the country.

Has anyone a clue to the whereabouts of the old-fashioned gink who earned his meat and potatoes by checking bicycles outside the ball park?

And also, where's the goof of the olden days who used to come into the office and threaten to whip the sporting editor because his middle initial was wrong?

Advices from the east indicate that efforts are being made to put wrestling on its feet. It's been on the public's corns for some time.

Charlie White was fined \$10 in Chicago for speeding. He should have been fined \$10,000 in Colorado Springs for blocking traffic.

Eggs are going up. More good campaign material for Charles Hughes.

Certain fellas prefer boulevards and parks, but the bowling gentry are satisfied with alleys.

Having studied the grand old dope on the two pennant races, we gather the impression that all that remains to be done is to bury the dead.

Hughy Jennings and his dashing Junglers have discovered that the Red Sox are hole proof.

With the South Tacoma Athletic club, the Tacoma A. C. Spencer's Outlaws all playing a good brand of football this season, gridiron fans in Tacoma aren't likely to suffer from the school board's edict against inter-city games. There's not likely to be much interest in the high school contests, though.

WHERE TACOMA IS AMUSING ITSELF

THEATERS TACOMA Leo, Jan and Mischel Cherniavsky in concert, next Friday evening.

PANTAGES Romaine Fielding in drama; "Junior Follies;" other classy vaudeville.

Film Houses COLONIAL "The Victory of Conscience," with Lou Tellegen; Lasky.

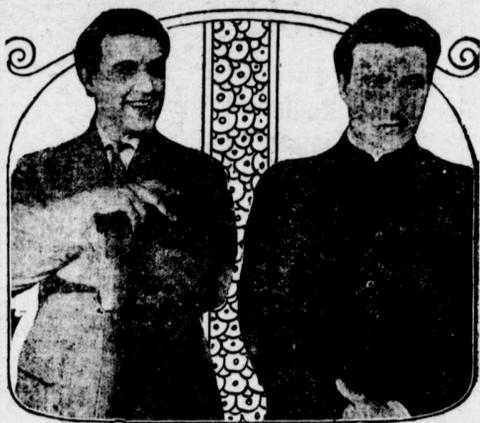
APOLLO Metro feature, "The Upheaval," with Lionel Barrymore.

HYPODROME "The Crook Detective," Fantomas feature.

REGENT "Gretchen, the Greenhorn," with Dorothy Gish; Triangle.

MELBOURNE "Three Weeks," with Madeline Travers.

Farnum Jumps Through Fire and Smoke in Tense Scene



Dustin Farnum, as he appears in "The Parson of Panamint," his latest Lasky photoplay, which opens a four day engagement at the Colonial Sunday.

One of the most thrilling scenes ever filmed is found in "The Parson of Panamint," which comes to the Colonial tomorrow, with Dustin Farnum. The scene shows a church in flames. Through a perfect holocaust of fire the figure of the parson appears high up at the belfry window. Slowly he lowers a panic-stricken deacon to safety. Meanwhile the heat of the burning structure drives the rescuer to the very edge of the window, and then all hope is lost—the rope has burned through just below the window ledge. So intense is the realism that the spectator is frozen with horror to see the parson launch himself into space and plunge down, down through the smoke and flame.

Hippodrome Books Theda Bara In Her Film Triumph, "The Serpent"



"THE SERPENT" WILLIAM FOX PRODUCTION

Miss Bara is said to have one of the best roles of her career in this photoplay, which comes to the Hippodrome Sunday. Theda, that most famous of all screen vipers, is given emotional opportunities in "The Serpent" that she realizes to the fullest extent and when this big feature opens at the Hippodrome Sunday for three days, the admirers of Theda Bara will see her in a role that she says is her favorite. The play deals with Vania Lazar, a beautiful daughter of a Russian serf, who, trod beneath the heel of a grand duke, bares her fangs at all mankind. It is an absorbing dramatic story of a woman's revenge.

"PURITY," RIVAL OF "INSPIRATION," WILL OPEN AT THE APOLLO

A feast of beauty of unusual richness is promised next week in the photoplay in which Audrey Munson, the beautiful Panamapacific model, appears in daring poses.

This rare artistic feature has created a sensation throughout the country, and everywhere shown has drawn packed houses.

Audrey Munson jumped into fame when she posed for a great many statues which attracted world-wide attention at the Panamapacific exposition. Her figure is said to be the most perfect that artists have yet been able to copy.

In "Purity" Miss Munson is shown in even more daring poses than in "Inspiration." Her beauty of figure and face predominate throughout the big production.

Tacoma—Olympia—Aberdeen LEAVES CENTRAL BUS STATION, 8:30 A. M. RETURNING LEAVES ABERDEEN 4:30 P. M.

SEATTLE ROUTE Steamers Tacoma and Indianapolis for Seattle

NORTHEAST TACOMA BUS Special trip, leaving Hagbo Box Factory 9 a. m. and leaving Tacoma 4 p. m.

THE BIG STICK BATTLE

Table with columns: American League, Player, Ab, Hits, Pct.

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LOCATE BUD IN MONTANA

SEATTLE, Sept. 30.—Bud Young, former U. of W. football star, did not take the position as teacher in Bellingham, as he intended doing, but instead has located in Montana. This was the word received here today, following a report that he was mysteriously missing.

Young did not notify the Bellingham school authorities of his change of plans, which gave rise to rumors that he had disappeared.

COAST LEAGUE

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