

SPORTS

PORT ANGELES TO ENTERTAIN DOUGLAS FIVE

Jack Henson Boosting for Old Home Boys — Alaskans to Greet Islanders.

When the Douglas High School basketball squad reaches Port Angeles next Thursday, it will think it is halfway back to Alaska, if the plans of Jack Henson, former Douglas resident and at all times booster for all manner of sports, pan out. Henson is now on the staff of the Port Angeles News and for sometime has been organizing a real party for the boys from his old home town.

In addition to the basketball game, there is lined up for the boys a Sourdough reception, dance, feed, and some cheechako girls for the Islanders, 'n everything to make them feel at home except the town pump and the Douglas fire hall.

A recent issue of the Port Angeles News gave the following account of the plans:

"The Douglas, Alaska High School basketball team will play the Roosevelt High team of this city on Thursday night, February 28, on their tour of Puget Sound after completing a victorious year in South-eastern Alaska. They will play Sequim High on Wednesday night, February 27.

"The 'Gold Diggers,' as they are called in the north, consist of a squad of six high school boys with their coach, Mr. Foster. Of the six boys, five of them were born on Douglas Island, Alaska, and several of them are taking their first trip to the States.

"This game promises to be one of the greatest interest. It will be more or less one of education, showing that even in what is thought by many people to be the frozen northland there are children being born, raised and finishing their education who have never seen what is known to them as the 'Outside.'

"Sourdoughs in Port Angeles are making preparations to entertain the boys from the north while in the city. Inquiries instituted have discovered that Alaskans are as thick in this city as fleas on a mammoth. It is planned to have every former Alaskan in the country, if possible, to attend the basketball game, and dressed in their best muckluks and parkas, go to a reception, supper and dance afterwards.

"Sourdough women are anxious to demonstrate their ability as cooks and will furnish the grub for the supper. The men will do the heavy looking on and shake their feet at the dance after the game. It is planned to have only Alaskans at the dance, with a few cheechako girls and of course, the Port Angeles basketball team.

"So this is a call for Alaskans to show the spirit that has made the north famous for its hospitality. These boys are going back to Alaska next Saturday morning and there will be an endeavor made to impress upon their minds that there is some hospitality also in Cheechako Land.

"People all the way from Ketchikan to Nome called up yesterday and left their names and addresses and all were enthusiastic over the plan and any who have not already called are asked to call Jack Henson at the Evening News, phone 42, at once."

B. B. SUPREMACY OF NINE COUNTIES AT STAKE THIS WEEK

CHENEY, Wash., Feb. 26. —The basketball supremacy of nine counties in the Inland Empire will be decided at the fourth annual inter-scholastic tournament which will be held here under the auspices of the Associated Students of the State normal school, Feb. 28 and 29 and

March 1. Twelve teams will compete, it was announced. Three counties in Idaho, Kootenai, Shoshone, and Bonner, and Adams, Grant and Stevens counties in Eastern Washington will send individual teams, while three other counties, Spokane, Lincoln, and Whitman, will be asked to send two teams each, due to the large number of first class teams in the three later counties.

FOUR SYRACUSE OARSMEN RULED AS INELIGIBLE

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Feb. 26. —Lynn Waldorf, for the last two years oar No. 6 of the Syracuse University varsity crew, has been declared ineligible for crew this season because of scholastic conditions. Waldorf passed all of his work, but was found short of the necessary extra credit points to be eligible for athletics.

Rice, stroke of the 1923 Freshman crew; Erickson, oar No. 5, and Gordon, oar No. 7, are in the same boat, also having been declared ineligible.

BOYER IS FIRST DRIVER NAMED IN SPEEDWAY EVENT

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 26. —Joe Boyer, wealthy Detroit speed devotee and one of the most skillful and daring of automobile race drivers, is the first pilot announced by the Indianapolis Motor Speedway for its twelfth annual 500-mile International Sweepstakes on May 30. Boyer will drive a Duesenberg Straight Eight for Fred S. Duesenberg.

TRANSMIT THOUSAND WORDS IN A MINUTE; NEW DEVICE IS MADE

LONDON, Feb. 26. —Striking evidence of the advancement made in invention during 1923 is found in the recent exhibit of telegraphic and other instruments at the British Imperial College of Science and Technology. The most notable development is in telegraphy; delay in submarine cabling has been largely eliminated by utilizing the action of light on selenium, which responds so rapidly that the signal sent out is recorded even before the full current has passed over the wire.

A magnetic telegraphic speed recorder is shown, capable of speeding up messages to 1,000 words a minute. This is effected by the current of the incoming signal passing through coils contained in a rapidly revolving iron drum and turning it into a magnet for a brief space, thus attracting a light piece of iron, shaped like a brake shoe. This operates a fine syphon tube charged with ink, causing it to record the signal on the paper tape as it flies past it.

Another exhibit is an "undulator," or an instrument used in high speed wireless telegraph, capable of printing on an endless strip of paper up to 300 words a minute.

Another device which appealed to laymen and professional is the complicated photographic apparatus for taking motion pictures at the rate of 5,000 a second.

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PUT UP FIGHT ON EVENTS AT NEXT OLYMPIAD

Europeans Trying to Read Out Sports Where American Athletics Have Cinch

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. —Gradual, though steady, improvement in the class of European athletics and elimination of certain events in which the United States happened to be particularly gifted, was attributed by Amateur Athletic Union officials as the answer to the fact that America's Olympic supremacy, hitherto perennial, is threatened at Paris.

The improvement is healthful, they say, and as such, finds favor here, but they make no secret of the fact that the elimination of the events referred to caused an acute twinge between the shoulderblades. The events so affected were the standing high jump and broad jumps and the fifty-six pound weight.

America Cleans Up
They were the occasion for a blanket cleanup for the Americans until the 1920 games at Antwerp, when they were read out of the Olympic program by the international federation.

"Before that it was not unusual for Americans to make the first three places in all these events," one official said today. Ray Every could be relied upon to win both jumps as easy as egg-bake, and we always had two or three other men almost as good. Later Every passed on, but his place was ably taken by the Adams boys, Platt and Ben. Somehow or other, the Europeans showed no aptitude for the standing jumps, although they tried hard to develop good men.

Supreme in Weights
"It was the same with the fifty-six pound weight, in which Matt

McGrath, Pat Ryan, Pat McDonald and others were supreme. It has been declared off the books for the meet at Paris this year and McDonald and McGrath, who would have scored heavily, would have been hard put to score at all in the other weight events, owing to the fact that they are getting along in years.

According to this man, the international federation climaxed these events on the plea that they lacked general interest and he is fair enough to admit that there is some truth in the statement. However, he also intimates that the same holds true in archery, rifle shooting and other competitions that now hold places on the program.

RUBIEN EXPECTS O. K. ON CHARLEY PADDOCK SHORTLY

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. —Frederick W. Rubien, secretary of the A. A. U. declared that he had every reason to believe that Charley Paddock, star sprinter, would be reinstated within a short time.

"Paddock is preparing a statement for us and we will take action as soon as it is received," Rubien declared. "His case will be decided by 'mail' vote."

NOTICE CALL FOR SCHOOL BONDS.

Pursuant to the terms of the Juneau School Bond Issue, notice is hereby given to John McCloskey holder of bonds numbered 31, 32, and 33; to C. Hiernoth holder of bonds numbered 34, 35, 36, and 37; to Elizabeth C. Clark holder of bonds numbered 38 and 39; to I. N. O'Meara holder of bond numbered 42; and to Mrs. N. B. Cox holder of bond numbered 44, that the said bonds are hereby called in for payment on March 1st, 1924, that all interest on said bonds will cease on above date. Bonds should be presented on above date to the City Clerk at his office in the City Hall.

JOHN A. DAVIS, City Clerk.

WASHINGTON U TRIMS OREGON

The following are scores of games of basketball played last night: Washington U 29; Oregon 22. Oregon Aggies 28; Washington State 20.

HUSKIES WRESTLE OREGON TO 54-26

EUGENE, Ore., Feb. 26. —The Washington University Huskies defeated the Oregon wrestlers last night by a score of 54 to 26.

VERNON BASEBALL MEN START SPRING STUNTS

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 26. —Spring training opened here today for the Vernon Baseball Club with 26 of the players of the squad working out.

YOUNG STRIBLING IS LOSER IN 6 ROUNDS

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 26. —Jim Vattery won the decision last night over Young Stribling in a six-round contest.

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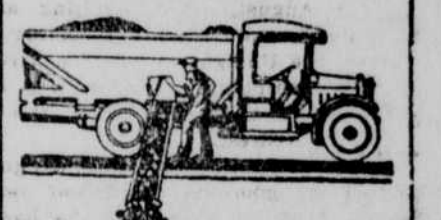
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