

### NEW FISH WAY AT GOLD RAY DAM ORDERED

PORTLAND, May 24.—The state fish and game commission at its monthly meeting ordered a new fish ladder constructed at Gold Ray dam and also ordered that dams in all wide streams be provided with two ladders. It has long been known that fish coming up a stream on the opposite side from a fishway injure themselves and are never able to find the opening that has been provided for them.

Commissioner Hughes and Master Fish Warden Clanton were authorized to investigate the plan to build new fishways over the Umpqua and the South Umpqua dams at Winchester and Anson Ross respectively.

Game Warden Finley made an announcement at the meeting that the game and fish boards of Washington Oregon and California are to meet jointly sometime this summer to take up the work of conservation and protection along the coast and to discuss the enforcement of the Weeks-McLean federal statute protecting migratory birds, as it will pertain to their states.

Finley also reported that his department had just finished taking 1,000,000 Rainbow trout eggs at Spencer creek in Klamath county, and that 2,000,000 trout are being fed at Rogue River. Two million trout are ready to be delivered to the streams of the state from Bonneville hatchery and they are to be sent out in the fish car beginning next week.

Trout eggs are also being taken at three places on the upper Deschutes, at the McKenzie river and at Strawberry and Olive lakes in eastern Oregon.

J. F. Hughes of Salem was elected chairman of the board. B. E. Dugan of Hood River, who was appointed by Governor West to succeed C. K. Cranston, Pendleton, was elected secretary. George H. Kelly was re-elected the fifth member of the board.

### YAKIMA RIVER HIGH FLOOD STAGE FEARED

ELLENSBURG, Wash., May 24.—The Yakima river is higher today than any other time this spring, due to warm weather in the Cascades and melting snow. Residents along the river bottom are uneasy as the water is now within a few inches of the top of the banks. The mountains north and west of the city are rapidly losing their white covering.

### KEELEY CURE EXPERT NOW WHISKEY TAX COLLECTOR



Colonel W. H. Osborne of North Carolina can't get away from whiskey—not that he takes it inside. But much of his life has been spent with it about him, and he is going to spend four years more surrounded by it. In fact he is to be the most important whiskey man in the United States. For many years the colonel, unlike many other North Carolina colonels, whom the whiskey habit had gripped so strongly that they could not break away. In other words, he was head of the Keeley cure establishment of his state. Now he has stepped into job of commissioner of internal revenue, and he will spend his time collecting the federal tax on whiskey and fighting the moonshiners of his own and other states.

With Eppa Riskey, Jr., repeating his 1912 performance, Charley Doolin's pitching staff is about the cutest bunch of flingers under the big top.

### BUD TO MAKE IDEAL CHAMPION PREDICTS COURT

By Court Hall.

Our Bud has once more made good, even surprising his most ardent admirers by the easy way in which he handled Mandot. All of Mandot's cleverness went for naught, Bud gave him no chance to display it and so it will be with the rest. I have always wanted to see Bud go up against a first class boy who possessed cleverness. My wish has been gratified, and I see nothing to stop him from being champion, if once he gets a chance at Rivers or Ritchie. That if it is a big word and you may depend that Rivers and Ritchie will stay away from Bud until public clamor compels one of them to fight him. Of course Frankie Edwards may find some one in the meantime who can stow Bud away. Frankie has some great dope, but it is all ways on the other fellow and Frankie must not be taken too seriously.

What a difference it has made in the championship for July the Fourth in Bud winning over Mandot. McCarey had Rivers promise to fight in Los Angeles while Eddie Graney had Ritchie for San Francisco. Bud and Rivers would draw a \$40,000 house at Vernon, but Graney is using Bud's name in whipping McCarey in line to release Rivers from his promise to fight in Los Angeles, so he, Graney, can pull off the championship contest in San Francisco. Rivers knows if he don't get Ritchie, Anderson will. In all probability the affair will end in Rivers and Ritchie being matched and Bud will have to wait until Labor day before he gets his chance of the championship, and then he may be sidestepped for whoever is champion is liable to pick easier game.

Bud's reputation as a fighter and a big drawing card is made. His rise has been sensational and has been made in four months time. Bud will make an ideal champion, he has a better punch in either hand than Nelson ever possessed, and is by far more scientific and headier fighter. In all of Bud's fights he manages in some manner in making his opponent fight to suit him. Besides he has proven that he can stand the gaff which is a very essential part in the boxing game. Bud showed at every stage of the game that he was Mandot's master, something that Rivers failed to show in two round bouts, and believe me Rivers knows Bud can beat him, for Rivers will never stand the punishment that Mandot did. Rivers may do a little better than Mandot did at infighting. Rivers in his fight with K. O. Brown and both fights with Leach Cross seemed to tire after a few hard rounds. Bud will have Rivers so tired in ten rounds that he can easily finish him. We must take our hats off to Referee Eytan, his judgment when to stop a fight is invariably correct, and when one remembers that a referee's decision has to be given instantly, it only makes Eytan's work all the more remarkable, in stopping a contest to prevent the loser from receiving further punishment, on the verge of a knockout.

### BOY CHANGES NAME AND INHERITS MILLIONS

SEATTLE, Wash., May 24.—Deciding the case on a cold question of law, Judge French changed the adopted name of Henry Barelay Perry, five years of age, to that of his paternal grandfather, Henry Francis Shoemaker, a retired banker of Altoona, Pa. Incidentally the decision involves \$2,000,000 in cash. This amount was promised the boy if he took the Shoemaker name. His mother Mrs. Beatrice Barelay Perry, resisted the attempt to foist her divorced husband's name upon son, and lost. The boy however, will continue to live with his mother and foster father, Dr. Richard W. Perry.

### GARNETT COREY WINS DECORATION PRIZE

The Garnett-Corey Hardware company received the first prize of \$10 for the best decorated store and window during the recent Odd Fellows' convention. The window represented Rebekah at the well and was backed by a desert scene. The McBride store won the second prize of \$5 and the Wonder store the third of \$3. The committee was made up Mrs. A. L. Palmer of Baker City, W. A. Wheeler of Portland, and A. W. Bowersox of Albany.

It Looks Good. A glance at the tax roll of Josephine county for the present year would indicate that our taxpayers are in a healthy financial condition, the payments being made better than on the average year, with a small percentage of delinquents.—Rogue River Courier.

### JACK BRITTON, WHO HAS FRIGHTENED TWO CHAMPIONS



Jack Britton, the Chicago lightweight, who has beaten every one he met in the ring in the last year, except Paekie McFarland, and his manager, Dan Morgan, have been trying for months to get either Willie Ritchie, the American lightweight champion, and Freddy Welsh, the British lightweight champion, into the ring with him. Neither will listen.

Welsh was in New York for some weeks after his return with the English title and Britton went after him.

### BUD TO PITCH FIRST BALL FOR SUNDAY'S GAME

The undefeated Central Point baseball team will play the undefeated Medford team Sunday in Medford for a side purse of \$500. Knowing that a game with Central Point would arouse enthusiasm among the fans, Manager Miles had for some time been trying to fix a date. The Pointers guarantee to bring a crowd of 250 along with them and a record bunch of rooters is looked for.

Another feature aside from the crowd and the side bet is the fact that Bud Anderson, "Pride of Medford," and next lightweight champion, will pitch the first ball. Mr. Hurd, whose prowess has been heard of before the season will then relieve Bud of the tediousness of pitching the remainder of the game. McIntyre and Wilson will be the battery for the visitors and it is significant that they forgot a little squabble they had with the Point management and volunteered to work in this game for the sole glory of getting a crack at the strong Medford bunch.

### PLAN TO IMPROVE PACIFIC HIGHWAY

VACOUVER, Wash., May 24.—Governor Lister and party, consisting of members of the state highway commission, and others, are in Vancouver today after having traveled over every mile of the Pacific highway from Blaine, Wash., on the Canadian line, to Vancouver, the southern extremity of the state.

The party traveled in automobiles with the exception of seven miles, between Woodland and LaCenter, near here, where it was necessary to use wagons.

The governor stated that there was \$119,200 available for expenditure in improving the Pacific highway from the south line of Pierce county to Vancouver and the trip was taken for the purpose of ascertaining where the money could be expended to the best advantage. The inspection of the highway from Olympia to Blaine was made two weeks ago.

### ADVANCE SALE OPENS FOR EDDIE FOY AT PAGE

The advance sale of seats for Eddie Foy, to appear at the Page Monday night, opened this morning at the box office. The sale opened at 10 o'clock and by 11 o'clock indications were that a packed house will witness the performance. The Foy show is one of the largest on the road and is one of the best of its kind.

### LEVY ARRANGING DETAILS OF BATTLE AT FRISCO JULY 4

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 24.—Joe Levy, manager of Joe Rivers, arrived here in response to a message from Eddie Graney to talk over the details of the proposed Rivers-Ritchie championship bout on July 4. That there will be much bickering before all the terms are decided upon is a foregone conclusion, as 1913 Nolan, the champion's manager, never overlooks a chance to "get something on" the other fellow. The financial end of the match is practically settled, Nolan having accepted terms on Ritchie's behalf and the terms offered Rivers by Graney while the latter was in Los Angeles having been acceptable to the Standard. It is probable, however, that Tom McCarey will have to be "seen" for having released Rivers.

The weight and referee are the two most important matters to be settled and over each a snarl may be expected. Rivers is a natural lightweight, 133 ringside being easy for him, while Ritchie, despite his frequent assertions to the contrary, does not like the legitimate lightweight limit.

### ELKS AT WALLA WALLA TO DEDICATE NEW TEMPLE

WALLA WALLA, Wash., May 24.—The Elks' temple recently completed here at a cost of \$125,000 will be dedicated tonight. Several hundred of the authorized herd are here from Washington and Idaho cities to witness the ceremonies.

### MARRIED.

Horace Turpin and Beula McDonough were quietly married Tuesday, May 20, at high noon, by Rev. Bandy of Jacksonville, the ring ceremony being used.

The marriage took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. McDonough of Rich, after which the guests were served with a delicious wedding dinner, prepared by the mother and others of the family.

The groom is the son of Charles Turpin of Medford, but is at present foreman of a ranch above Talent where they will make their future home.

The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McDonough and is highly esteemed by all who know her. She has spent most of the past four years in Medford, where she has made many friends.

### Fair Weather for Sunday.

PORTLAND, Ore., May 24.—Weather forecast: Oregon and Washington: Fair west tonight and Sunday; showers east portion tonight or Sunday.

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