

# CROWDS CHEER PASADENA TOURNAMENT OF ROSES

# KILLS SELF ON WEDDING EVE

## Torpedo Liner; Americans Die

## BROWN MEETS W. S. C. ON PASADENA GRIDIRON

Big Crowd Sees Elevens Clash on Muddy Field, Which Slows Up Players

BROWN			
Player	No.	Wt.	Position
Butner	44	176	L.E.
B. Ward	36	185	L.T.
Staff	30	190	L.G.
Sprague	28	176	C.
Maxwell	32	204	R.G.
Tarnum	38	214	R.T.
Weeks	42	184	R.E.
Purdy	2	155	Q.
Pollard	10	155	L.H.
Andrews (C)	8	163	R.H.
Saxton	20	177	F.

  

WASHINGTON			
Player	No.	Wt.	Position
Loomis	9	179	R.E.
Brooks	7	172	R.T.
Fluhack	3	184	R.G.
Langedon	4	178	C.
Finney	5	180	L.G.
Clark (C)	2	181	L.T.
Zimmerman	1	180	L.E.
Durham	12	150	Q.
H. Boone	10	170	R.H.
Biangs	14	169	L.H.
Diets	8	178	F.

Looking like black demons after five minutes of play because of coming in contact with the soft mud, the Brown university and Washington state college teams battled at Pasadena today before one of the largest crowds that ever witnessed a football game in California.

"Real eastern football weather" was the way one old-time football player expressed himself.

The field, which was inches thick with dust a few days ago, was a soft mass of mud, sawdust and shavings. It was cold and wet in the stands, but after playing a few minutes the players became warmed up to their task and the fans forgot the many discomforts.

It was a battle between the east and the west. Each team has been trained by an eastern coach, still the play looked entirely different.

### OFFICIALS SEE GAME

There was little difference in the weights of the teams, Brown averaging a little less than five pounds to the man heavier than the Washington school.

While thousands of fans watched the work of the players, hundreds of Southern California football officials keenly watched the work of Walter Eckersall as referee. Some of the officials have been inclined to resent the bringing of an eastern man to this city, figuring that it makes it appear that the local officials could not handle the big contest.

Because of the muddy condition of the field both teams were slowed up considerably. It was hard to get around the ends.

### BALL IS SOGGY

The ball also became heavy and after the first quarter it was hard to kick it properly. Coaches of both the clubs said their players had few fumbles during the past season.

The stands were divided into different rooting sections. In the Brown division there were 1100 seats reserved. All the big eastern universities were represented in the stands. Nearly all of the alumni of Pacific coast colleges were rooting for the Washington state college team, figuring that it was the west against the east.

Not only did the muddy field prevent the players from playing their fastest game but they also were unable to pull off many of their favorite trick plays.

## FLOAT AND FIGURES SHOWN IN PASADENA NEW YEAR PAGEANT



## WATCHMAN KILLED IN FILM PLANT FALL

Falling into the basement of a new building under construction at the Lasky Film company, Vine and Selma streets, Hollywood, William Rose, a day watchman at the place, was killed today when his head struck the concrete floor.

Rose, according to the report made to the police, was walking his rounds in the new building and slipped on a wet rafter. He fell fifteen feet into the basement. His head struck the concrete, fracturing his skull.

## Rain Halts Tennis Play at Long Beach

LONG BEACH, Jan. 1.—Rain caused a postponement of the tennis matches being staged by the Southern California Tennis association on the Hotel Virginia courts today. Several doubles matches were to have been played, but these were postponed and they probably will be played in Los Angeles Tuesday.

## SAINTS VS. ORANGE A. C.

ORANGE, Jan. 1.—The Santa Clara University basketball team will battle the Orange Athletic club quintet here tonight.

## U. S. CONSUL DIVER VICTIM IS REPORT

LONDON, Jan. 1.—Carrying American Consul Robert M. McNeely and two other Americans, Charles H. Grant and Edward Rose, a school-

## 100,000 SEE FLOATS IN REVIEW

Brilliantly alive with millions of flowers, the twenty-seventh annual Tournament of Roses pageant marched through the center of Pas-



## WILL OFFER RYAN REDUCED CONTRACT

Jack Ryan, one of the star pitchers of the Pacific Coast league, is to be tendered a contract that will call for a greatly reduced salary, according to information going the rounds today.

Ryan wanted to sign a contract at the close of last season, but the club and the player could not agree on terms. Ryan was drawing a big salary and because of the lower monthly limit it will be necessary to reduce him.

## Patterson Ready to Line Up Tigers

With the advent of the New Year, Ham Patterson, manager of the Vernon Tigers, will start lining up his team. A number of new faces have been added to the Vernon roster, but it is not certain all of them will be asked to report for the 1916 season.

Right to left, float from LaCanada with bevy of girls. Howard von Buelow at Spinning Wheel, and Gene Douglas. Below, Hazel Snyder as Santa Monica. Rushed to Herald by Maxwell "25" Automobile.

boy, the British steamship Persia of the Peninsula and Oriental line has been submerged and sunk in the Mediterranean in the vicinity of Alexandria. The ship carried a small cargo, but had 150 first cabin passengers and 150 other passengers. She was sunk with only time to lower four lifeboats. Details of the loss of life have not been made known, but it is expected to be very heavy. The majority of passengers and crew are said to have perished. The Persia sailed from London for

dena from Orange Grove avenue to Tournament park today. The pageant was witnessed by a crowd estimated to be 100,000 persons and appeared to be as great as any preceding year, despite the drizzling rain that fell. The floats were magnificent in artistic splendor and were superior, the judges declared, to those of any preceding year. The great volume of brilliant orange and yellow blossoms and the large number of poinsettias that were used

## Entries for First Day's Racing at Tia Juana Track

FIRST RACE, selling, six furlongs—Bredwell 104, Error 107, Frill 102, Gertrude B. 97, Quien Sabe 104, Sweetdale 109.  
SECOND RACE, selling, six furlongs—Pala Lable 112, Princess Industry 97, Sonada 99, Tallow Dip 104, Thistle Belle 102, Tom Franks 109.  
THIRD RACE, selling, three furlongs—Cantu 112, Hannis 95, Ida Lavinia 112, Little Birdie 107, The Feller 114, Uncle Jimmy Gray 107, Vignola 104, Wiltrudes 102.  
FOURTH RACE, inaugural handicap, six furlongs—Baby Lynch 100, Be 106, Rash 113, Schulerberg 92, The Busy Body 111, Yorkeville 116.  
FIFTH RACE, selling, six furlongs—Caro, Nome 103, Colors 96, Harr-Wood 116, John Hurie 103, Silver Moon 101, Simpsilla 110.  
SIXTH RACE, selling, one mile, 3-year-olds and upward—Brando 109, Gimli 107, Myki 114, Singletoe 106, Suawance 109, The Monk 109.

## SWEETHEART SOBS AS TOLD OF FIANCE TAKING OWN LIFE

On the eve of his marriage to a pretty Los Angeles girl and with all plans for the wedding ceremony for tomorrow complete, Police Chauffeur A. S. Olberg, driver for Assistant Chief of Police George Home, committed suicide today at his home, 1368 East Twenty-first street, by shooting himself in the head and heart.

Miss Anna Finerman of 2768 West Pico street, his fiancée, fainted when she learned that Olberg had ended his life. She could give no reason for killing himself.

### HAS BEEN DESPONDENT

The wedding was arranged to take place tomorrow at noon at the girl's home. For several days Olberg has been despondent, according to other drivers at Central station. Yesterday afternoon Assistant Chief Home found his chauffeur crying in his car while sitting across the street from Central station on First street.

"Olberg has complained to me several times in the last few days that 'someone was trying to get his job,'" said Chief Driver Frank Shreiner.

"I gave him a day's vacation ten days ago when he announced his engagement. At times he appeared to be happy, and then he would complain that an effort was being made to fire him. I knew of no such effort."

"Yesterday evening when Olberg left work he was told by Assistant Chief Home that he need not report for duty today and that he could have all day Sunday off duty because he was going to be married."

"He was one of the best drivers in the department. Assistant Chief Home told me that Olberg had acted queer, but I did not think much of it." Olberg was recently assigned to drive a woman attache of the district attorney's office to juvenile hall, and when the woman's dress caught in a piece of wire in the machine and tire, he broke down and cried. The occurrence was reported at central station, but no attention was paid to it.

"When this happened Olberg claimed that some one had purposely stuck the wire in the cushion of the automobile to catch the woman's dress to 'get him in bad,' but I told him to forget it," said Shreiner.

Officers at central station and other police chauffeurs with whom Olberg had worked had planned a subscription list to purchase him and his bride a wedding present. Today it was stated that the money subscribed would be used to purchase a floral decoration for his casket at the funeral.

At the home of Mrs. Irene Weber, 1368 East Twenty-first street, where Olberg had made his home for the

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## LATEST NEWS

ONLY ONE ACCIDENT AT TOURNAMENT  
Only one accident marked the Pasadena tournament parade. Police Officer H. R. Collins was thrown from his horse at Orange Grove avenue and Maryland avenue shortly before noon. His right leg was crushed beneath the horse and a small bone in his foot fractured. He was treated at the Pasadena receiving hospital.

HEAVIEST SNOWFALL ON RECORD HITS CAPITAL  
SACRAMENTO, Jan. 1.—Three inches of snow, the heaviest fall since the government started taking reports in Sacramento, fell here. Bobsledding and snowballing furnished great sport. The snow was general throughout northern California, Kennet reporting 13 inches.

## 100-DAY RACE MEETING OPENED AT TIA JUANA

TIA JUANA RACE TRACK, Jan. 1.—Military Mexico assenting and lending its good will with the presence of Governor Esteban Cantu and his staff, the Lower California Jockey club's \$200,000 plant was thrown open this afternoon. And forty-five minutes later, 2:15 o'clock, Starter Harry Morrissey sent a field of six 3-year-olds and upward, from the barrier, bent on accomplishing the six-furlong dash in the speediest time practicable. Thus actual racing was once again presented within distance where Southern California can grasp it. The track itself is a little better (CONTINUED ON PAGE TEN)

## Prize Winners in Rose Pageant at Crown City

Here are the awards of prizes in the Pasadena Tournament of Roses today:

- Class A, civic floats—Santa Monica, South Pasadena, Pomona, Burbank, Eagle Rock, Glendora.
- Class B, automobile floats—Pasadena Realty Board, Elks, D. M. Linnard, proprietor of the Hotel Maryland.
- Class C, automobile float for two—Carlos Doane, Pasadena; no others.
- Class E, commercial floats—Municipal Light plant, Pasadena; Universal City, Pasadena Clearing House.
- Class F, floats in general—County forestry department, Whittier State school, Navy league.
- Class G, historical or representative floats—Grant Orth, Pasadena; American Nursery, Pasadena; Charles Prince, Pasadena.
- Class I, tallyhoes—Mrs. Anita M. Baldwin, Hotel Maryland.
- Class J, tallyho, four-horses—Hunt-

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