

CAYLOR PICKS "STAR CAST"

DEARTH OF GOOD ENDS IS REMARKED.

Line Is Strongest Ever Introduced in Eastern Oregon.

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- CAYLOR'S ALL-STAR TEAM PICKED.**
- * Bohnenkamp, La Grande, c.
 - * Easterbrook and Finch, Baker *
 - * guards,
 - * McColloch, Baker, lt.
 - * Snider La Grande, rt.
 - * Johnson, Wallowa, re.
 - * Herbert, le.
 - * Huff, Baker, q.
 - * Hinderman, Pendleton, full.
 - * Fennell, Pendleton, lb.
 - * Powers (with apologies to
 - * Huntington) rh.
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Coach Glen Caylor of the La Grande high school has selected his choice of the all-star football players in Eastern Oregon schools. In the line there are few faces not put forth in other selections, though considerably switched. Mr. Caylor brings forward Snider as a tackle because of his weight, speed and splendid running style, and puts Finch of Baker at guard from tackle.

From tackle to tackle Caylor has the best arrangement of any yet presented, for he has the powerful men of the district in it, and there never has been or will there ever will be a better line than this would make. Little commendation need be said about these men—they are all peers in their places.

Ends Are Weak.

"Nowhere is there a real end in Eastern Oregon," says Caylor. "Lefel and Garrity are as effective defensively as any of them, but lacked experience, and after one has picked Johnson of Wallowa he is stumped. For this reason I would shift a mighty good halfback, Herbert, of Baker, to the end position. He is the best of the bunch for that position although he is naturally a half back. Fennell of Pendleton has a shade the best of it at halfback and Herbert has played end so it is consistent to change them thusly. I haven't seen Huntington of The Dalles, play, but he is evidently supreme in Eastern Oregon. However, I must give Powers the place from my observations. Of Hinderman there is no dispute. The quarterback position is a delicate one, although Huff of Baker makes the best consistent consistent showing. Except for Geddes' susceptibility to injury he would outstrip them all; he runs his team well, handles punts perfectly and runs a beautiful interference. He was hurt so often that he got no consistent chance to perform for the critics. I would not be afraid to send this star team against any aggregation in the state, after a little drilling with the ends. There were no ends who did not make bad blunders this year in critical games. Lefel and Garrity came nearer, in one season's work, to playing their positions correctly than any others, yet they are too young in the business for this team. There is a heap of good line material, and I am optimistic enough to think that I have arranged them in the order that the greatest good would result."

BOHNENKAMP CHOSEN THRICE

Local Linesman Obtains Place on Majority of Teams.

Hal Bohnenkamp, former center, now tackle on the La Grande high school team is chosen for a position on a majority of the all star team selections in Eastern Oregon. He is switched from tackle to guard by the Pendleton coach, and put back to his old position at center by the Baker coach. This last selection is probably the wisest one as he has not had the experience at the tackle position to be well rounded out on both offense and defense. At center there is nothing than can approach him.

The selection of the Baker coach is:

- First Team.**
- Huff, Baker, L. E.
 - McColloch, Baker, LT.
 - Russell, Pendleton, LG.
 - Bohnenkamp, La Grande, C.
 - Easterbrook, Baker, RG.
 - Finch Baker, RT.
 - Jordan, Pendleton, RE.
 - Simonis, Baker, C.
- Second Team.**
- Fingelburg, Baker, LE.
 - F. Southwick, Wallowa, LT.
 - Taylor, Baker, LG.
 - R. Miller Baker, C.
 - Murphy, Wallowa, RG.
 - Snider, La Grande, RT.
 - McDonald, Pendleton, RE.
 - Tulley, Wallowa, QB.
 - Fennell, Pendleton, LT.
 - H. Miller, Baker, FB.
 - Finley, Baker RH.

To remind them of bygone days a number of local sportsmen of Teutonic blood sat down to a good old-fashioned hasenpfeffer and German noodles at Herman Roesch's establishment last night. Herman reports that not even the ends of the noodles were left. A few were initiated into the secrets of this delectable viand and a "feed" of like vitals is booked for the near future. The Jack rabbit that ran down the streets the other day is said to have put the idea into the head of Herman.

BASKETBALL NEXT.

Enterprise Anxious to Arrange for Game With Fast Bunch.

Formation of an active basketball team to represent the Y. M. C. A. should be rushed. Already other club teams are forming, among them an all-star aggregation at Enterprise. Sportin' enthusiasts of the city of Enterprise have organized a basketball team. It is composed of ex-college stars and is in the field for match games. This was the information conveyed to the Observer in a letter by R. B. Hamilton of that place. Graduates of Whitman, the O. A. C. Iowa, the U. S. C. and other well known schools are in the line-up. They are out for blood and wish to capture La Grande scalps. Local enthusiasts should communicate with the manager of the team.

Bedient is Some Pitcher.

Hugh Bedient of Boston, who held the Giants to three hits in one game and stood in the breach for the Red Sox in that final struggle, struck out twenty-four men in a twenty-two inning game when a boy only eighteen years of age. The story comes from Pittsburgh that just before that he refused a dollar to pitch for a team, thinking his services worth \$2 at least, but finally compromised for \$1.50.

Walter Camp Camps on Job.

Walter Camp, Sr., is on the job daily at Yale field, and if tradition counts for anything Yale will profit by his service to Captain Spalding's eleven. In the old days if Camp kept away from a Yale team because some captain thought he was big enough to run things himself it was considered a golden opportunity for Harvard or Princeton to administer a beating to the Elis.

Gets Bonus For Not Smoking.

If Outfielder Dan Moeller of the Washington Americans doesn't smoke during the 1913 league season he will come in for a \$200 bonus from Manager Griffith. And if he does smoke his contract will be cut just that much. It's a pipe, not cigarettes, in Moeller's case.

BASKETBALL IN WATER.

New Game Proposed to Supplant Rough Rugby Polo.

A new game—basketball in the water—is to make its first appearance this winter. The sport will embody the game of Rugby polo without the objectionable points and will have all of the good points of basketball. It will be known as "basket polo."

Norman Cox, swimming instructor of the Chicago Athletic association, is the author of the new game and has framed a set of rules for it.

Twelve players, according to the rules six on a side, will engage in the game. The area of the playing pool will be not less than 40 feet long and 20 feet wide nor more than 100 feet long and 50 feet wide.

Baskets fourteen inches in diameter on a background four feet high and 4 feet wide, will form the goals. A tow line which shall not be more than five feet above the surface of the water (or more than eight and one-half feet from the bottom of the pool at the shallow end).

Points will be made by allowing three points for a field goal and one for a goal from a free trial. The game will be played by halves of twenty minutes each.

NAVY UNCOVERS WONDER.

Name, Leonard; Weight, Only 142; Speed, Lightning.

Leonard, the lightest man on the Naval academy squad, has been doing some brilliant work in the back field during practice, and his ability as a runner, coupled with the fact that he is distinctly the best punter on the squad, makes him sure of playing against the Army team.

He weighs but 142 pounds, but has the greatest amount of natural half-back ability of any Navy player this year.

Pittsburgh's Trio Made Great Record.

Fred Cucke, Hans Wagner and Tommy Leach were members of the Pittsburgh team for thirteen years. They first came together in Louisville when that city held a franchise in the big circuit. This trio three combined made 5,905 hits out of 19,043 times at bat, stole 1,159 bases and accepted 16,539 chances out of 17,538.

LAST CHANCE TO SEE "THE COUNT OF MONTE CRISTO" AT SHERRY'S TONIGHT.

O'CONNELL IS COMING THE 18

HUNDRED DOLLAR SIDE BET ALREADY ARRANGED.

Purse of Two Hundred Dollars Is Guaranteed by Promoter.

A purse of \$200 has been hung up for Eddie O'Connell and Ed Warner to wrestle for—the division yet to be stipulated—when these men meet Dec. 18 in a two out of three fall proposition, or a straight finish fight. In addition to a \$100.00 side bet has been posted and more is contemplated. O'Connell last evening accepted the final details in a telegram to Promoter McLeod and the match will be staged at the Opera House on the 18th of this month. Those who saw the handicap event will admit that the two men can put up a good scrap and with two or three hundred dollars hanging in the balance, the men should and will no doubt, put the matter to a finish go. Of course the outcome will not effect the championship as Warner is not of equal weight. The wrestling fans have wanted these men to meet under such terms ever since the high class performance of a week or two ago, but McLeod has now made the match certain. Warner is training at top notch speed for the match, and it will be as classy an event as Eastern Oregon has yet seen, barring none. O'Connell is welterweight champion and Warner is a middleweight man.

Ben H. Jackson, a wrestler known throughout the northwest, writes the Observer from Turner, Washington, that he has Packey McFarland groomed for a two out of three fall match and is anxious to hook up with Warner. "I would put up a side bet out \$100.00," says Jackson in his letter, "and winner take 75 per cent of the gate money. McFarland weighs 175, and I can guarantee him to be O. K." McFarland is Jackson's pupil. "If the fans want such a match after the O'Connell-Warner go I will be perfectly willing to take the responsibility," said McLeod today when shown the letter. "It is up to the fans entirely—if they want a match such as either of these two or both to be staged during the winter months, every month or so, I am perfectly willing."

FREAK FOOTBALL SCORES.

Say, did you note the freak football scores recently—the baseball score by which Virginia Military Institute beat Kentucky State, 3 to 2? Of course that was a field goal for Virginia and also a safety which gave Kentucky the two points.

Another was the Oklahoma-Kansas score, 6 to 5—a touchdown for Oklahoma and a failure to kick the goal. A field goal and the two points obtained from a safety gave Kansas her five points. And this under the 1911 rules, where scoring was going to be so very easy!

LEDOUX SEEKS TROUBLE.

French Bantamweight Champion Anxious to Fight America's Best.

Another foreign champion pugilist has arrived in America for the purpose of trying to capture the world's championship in his class by defeating the American title holder. This fighter is Charles Ledoux, the bantamweight champion of France, who has been fighting for three years, during which time he has engaged in fifty-five battles, fifty-four of which he won by a knockout.

Among the victims were Jigger Stanley, the English bantamweight champion, whom he stopped in seven rounds, and Joe Bowker, another good English bantam, whom he knocked out in eight rounds. Stanley got a decision over Ledoux in a twenty round bout in England before the Frenchman put him away in the second battle.

This is the only time that Ledoux has ever been defeated. Ledoux was taught boxing by Frank Erne, the retired ex-lightweight champion of America. The little Frenchman says he came to America to fight Johnny Coulon for the bantamweight title and that he could make 116 pounds at the ringside without any effort.

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LAST DAY OF E. E. Kirtley's

Reduction Sale

With the Boxers.

Albany, N. Y., is to have a new boxing club soon to be managed by a local promoter.

Bob Moha now tips the scales at 221 pounds, and will no longer be able to box in the middleweight division.

Greek N. C. Brown, the Chicago middleweight, is going to have another try against Jack Dillon at Columbus, O., Dec. 16.

Theatrical engagements will keep champion Willie Ritchie busy until next May, and then he will be ready to talk fight again.

Abe Attell, like Battling Nelson, refused to retire from the boxing game. Abe now wants another chance to box Ollie Kirk, the St. Louis featherweight.

Harry Donahue, of Pekin, Ill., who recently held his own in a 10 round bout with Packey McFarland, is in New York looking for a muss with some of the Gotham lightweights.

Johnny Dunfee has been offered \$1,200 to meet George Kirkwood in New York Dec. 10.

Boxing promoters in Paris are finding it a hard job to sign a scrapper to meet Bill Papke.

A majority of the fight fans are of the opinion that Ad Wolgast never will be able to regain the lightweight championship.

For the second time Willie Ritchie's manager, Bill Nolan, has produced a rightweight champion. Nolan was will open a hotel.

formerly the manager of Battling Nelson.

All arrangements have been completed for the 26-round bout between Owen Moran and Jim Driscoll, scheduled to take place in London January 27.

Boxing was resumed in Grand Rapids the other night for the first time in five years, or since the Harry Lewis-Mike Ward bout, when Ward died.

Tom Sharkey who used to exchange wallops with the best of the heavyweights, is about to forsake New York for San Diego, Calif., where he will open a hotel.

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