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LA GRANDE MAY BEST PENDLETON

Two-Game Series to be Played Here This Week-end; Umattilans Expect to Win

The La Grande high school basketball team will play a series with Pendleton here on Friday and Saturday. Pendleton, at present, is expected to receive the championship of eastern Oregon, but if La Grande and it is not at all unlikely, can win the series here then the blue and white will be back in the race with a good chance to win.

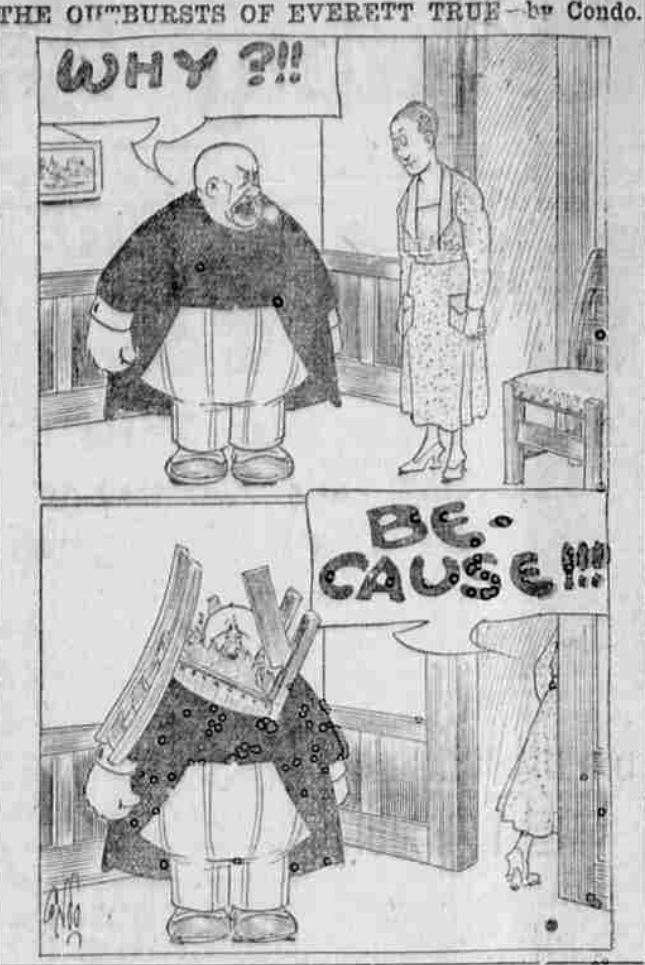
La Grande has received two set backs this year but have won every start on the home floor and if they can make a clean sweep of the series with Pendleton then the outlook will be very bright.

Pendleton has a very strong team this year but there is several things to be taken into consideration in this week's games. La Grande will have the advantage of playing on her own floor and will have the spectators' support behind them, which is bound to improve the morale of the team and they also have a much better outlook with several men back on the squad that were injured and unable to play earlier in the season.

La Grande's lineup this year is strong in every point but one. Housh at forward, though a fast player, is too light to set the best route against a larger team. Coker and Bean at guards have shown some of the best checking in eastern Oregon this year and are also experts in the art of dribbling. Many baskets have been made by these two fellows this year by getting the ball under the opponent's basket and dribbling it to the other

end of the floor. Metcalf at center is a steady, heady player and is a sure point maker against any team. Captain Lynch, at forward, is the fastest player on the team and in nearly every game electrifies the audience with some phenomenal shots.

Coach Lodel has been somewhat handicapped this year in two respects. The team was practically a green team to start with, only three lettermen on the squad, and the right at the first of the season two men were injured and another only joined the squad recently. A negative amount of practice is held responsible for the loss of the first game with Union and with the team in its present condition, Pendleton will have a hard fight to annex the two games to be played here this week.



THE OUTBURSTS OF EVERETT TRUE—by Condo.

The M. & M. Co. began cutting ice on their pond Monday morning. Though their pond is not nearly as large as that of the P. F. E., the work is considered of good consequence to a smaller crowd of home men. Mr. Johnson supplies all local needs. Ernest Simons of Wolf creek buying and putting up 60 tons in anticipation of a rush in ice wagon next summer.

Ted Gilkison and Goldman Anthony of the P. F. E. force, each had the misfortune to be picked below the knee with an ice pick the first day of the ice harvest, causing them to have to take a layoff.

North Powder was on the map shipping day, five carloads of fat beef cattle being shipped to the Portland market. Three carloads were sent out by Morser and McPhee and two by James Wilson, Sr.

Friends of Jasper (Jap) Hoats will be pleased to learn that on Tuesday, January 17, he received a serious if not fatal fall from a horse, which he was riding after stock on the Carnes' place, where he has lived for several years. He was cared for at the ranch overnight, brought to town the next evening and taken to the Baker hospital the following day. His injuries are of such a serious nature that but little hope is held out for his recovery.

ICE CUTTING HAS STARTED

NORTH POWDER, Jan. 24.—Herman White, manager for the P. F. E. at this place has opened up the large ice ponds and with a crew of about 100 men is filling the ice houses and getting ready for later shipment by the carload to distant points. The ice has attained a thickness of 11 inches and the cold weather now on is ideal for the proper harvesting of the ice, which will keep the crews busy for at least three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Luney, formerly of this place, but later of Burnt River, are visiting at the home of Mr. Luney's parents this week.

Frank McPherson was confined to his home last week with a severe attack of La grippe, but is able to be out again at this writing.

C. J. Forstrom of Portland arrived in North Powder the first of the week to look after business affairs.

W. V. McGrath made his usual weekly trip to Baker Tuesday with his dray for merchandise supplies.

The Haines H. S. B. boys played a return game with the North Powder H. S. team here Saturday evening. At the close of the game the score stood 23 to 17 in favor of Haines. On account of having to pay hall rent the local boys do not practice as much as is necessary, which is a great handicap when they play against a team having plenty of practice.

Mrs. Bessie Waltz was a Baker visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Windom Carnes, who have been living in town all winter, have moved to their farm, west of here, to make ready for spring work.

A small number of ladies were entertained at cards on Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. H. S. Slater and Mrs. W. Pearson in honor of the latter's sister, Mrs. R. H. Dicks, who expects to leave for Portland soon to make her home.

Miss Lula Mulkey, who has been the house guest of Mrs. Oscar Jacobson the past week, returned to her home in La Grande Sunday.

Dr. Levitt returned from a short visit to Arlington Monday morning. Several town people attended the necktie and apron party given by the Wolf Creek Grange at their hall on Wolf creek Thursday evening. Ladies attending brought well-filled baskets which sold well, far exceeding the sum they expected to raise.

The progressive dinner party given by the "500" club the evening of the 18th, was voted by all to be the most popular entertainment they have had this season. After partaking of the various courses at the different homes, they concluded the affairs of the evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. White by playing "500" and having still more refreshments. C. E. Hutchinson won high score and was rewarded aluminum ware for a prize.

McCauley was 75 years, 5 months and 24 days old at the time of her death January 18, 1922.

She leaves her husband, two sons and three daughters with a host of friends to mourn her loss. The family all lived near her, Mrs. Wm. Banton, Mrs. Andy Elliot of Union, and Mrs. Oscar Crossen of La Grande. The two sons, William and John McCauley of Ladd Canyon. Mrs. McCauley was a lovely Christian lady of the best type. She spent her life for her home and loved ones. She had been an invalid for almost a year, much of that time confined to her bed, but she bore it all with prayerful patience ready to go when the call came. Rev. Jones preached the funeral. She was buried in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

The Out-Together club met with Mrs. Chas. Lofland last week. Quite a number of ladies were out and a good time enjoyed by all present. An interesting business meeting was followed by a nice lunch served by the hostess. Mrs. Lofland was appointed chairman for the party to be given next month. The next meeting, January 26, will be at the home of Mrs. Johnson.

Miss Sybil Mufsholland was a weekend visitor with Miss Helen Peobler last week.

Roy L. Couch has purchased a DeLoe light fixture and has it installed in his home with heater combined. He also has lumber on the ground ready to remodel his house.

Wm. Banton is slowly improving at the Hot Lake sanitarium. He hopes to be able to come home as soon as the weather gets better. He has had a seige of it with his arm and we sincerely hope it may not give him any more trouble.

Mrs. Ben Cotner is at home again after spending several days at the home of her sister, Mrs. Jacobson in town.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Miller drove to Haines last week to visit Guy Miller and see the sheep.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Titus attended Grange in Telococet last week and Sunday in Union with Mr. Titus' mother.

Mrs. A. E. Peobler and her committee, Mesdames Couch, Hawley, Herford and Miss Etta Banton entertained the members of the club and their friends in Peobler Brothers' hall Wednesday evening of last week. Their entertainment was fine during the evening. They presented two scenes during the evening that had taken much extra time and practice and were greatly appreciated by all those present. One was "Home Sweet Home," the other "Old Oaken Bucket." Games were played and after lunch those who wished enjoyed dancing. They served fine refreshments and all went home feeling more than pleased. Mrs. Peobler deserves much credit for her able management.

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WELL ATTENDED GRANGE AFFAIR

(Special to The Observer) LADD CANYON, Jan. 24.—Quite a number of people from our neighborhood attended the program at Grange hall last week. All report a fine time and good entertainment.

Mrs. Anna Bather is having serious trouble with her ears.

Martha Duff was born in Ireland July 25th, 1842. She came to America when just a child, with her father and grandmother. She was united in marriage to John McCauley in Court Hill, N. Y., February 23, 1865. She lived with her husband almost 56 years, being among the pioneers of Oregon. Mrs.

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