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SPORT NEWS

Coach Gives Line-Up For Enterprise Grid Contest

La Grande High School by Few Points Over Eleven Doped to Win Enterprise.

(By Scoop)

Coach Lester MacTavish today announced his lineup for the football game with the Enterprise high school team here tomorrow afternoon, which will close the 1923 season.

Ends, Lynch, and either Williams or Price; tackles, Moore and Laker; guards, Rigg, and either Banks or Hughes; center, Hammond; quarterback, either Gimmer or Stuart; fullback, Gorily; halfbacks, Sherwood and either Jacobson or Kerr.

Kerr has at present an injured knee which may possibly keep him from the game tomorrow. "Gums" chance for the general's job was augmented considerably during the Wallowa game and it is possible that he may be chosen to start the game. Smith has been improving consistently of late and may be given a chance at guard in Hughes' place.

La Grande Should Win.

According to dope, providing the wet, muddy, rainy weather continues, La Grande should win by three or four touchdowns, providing the team works up to expectations.

"We will have to rely upon the line-smashing game almost entirely if the inclement weather remains in evidence," said Coach MacTavish today. "La Grande will present to Enterprise's team tomorrow a [illegible] machine and although we are not sure of winning in the least, we are hopeful that the Blue and White team can close the season with a victory."

Improvement has been noticed regularly in the work of the team. At present the team looks very well but even so, a few faults still remain to be corrected. More "talking it up" would help during the game. It plays pep and zip into the team and helps quite a bit to keep every man on the eleven doing his best all the time. Speaking of pep, another thing that has been noticeable during the recent games is the many delays that occur when the team is driving down the field for a touchdown. The drive usually starts off with plenty of vim but nine times out of ten something happens to slow up the drive and gives the opposing team a chance to stop it or force La Grande to punt. Many times this is due to calling time out—which is one time above all others when the offensive team should not do so. Then injuries often occur that halts it, but that is not the fault of the team. When a drive begins it should not slow up until the goal is crossed or the biggest value of the drive is lost.

Members of the backfield aren't "picking 'em up and laying 'em down" as they should either. Especially on going through the line, the backfield has often been swerving sideways, losing their speed and plunge due to this, when only the hand of an opponent would graze him.

All in all everything looks rosy for a victory.

The game will start at two o'clock on the high school field.

Bucks Play Baker Team Thanksgivng

PENDLETON—Baker high school will furnish the grist for the Buckaroo mill Thanksgiving day in the last game of the season in Round-Up park and from the way the Bucks hit the ball in Saturday's go with Union that grist should be ground exceeding fine when the Pendleton machine has done with the Baker gridsters. Baker apparently would as leave not play the game but will be held to their contract due to the fact that it is impossible for the high school authorities to secure a better attraction for the day. Baker should put up a fair game provided they have profited at all by the trouncings they have experienced this season.

According to an announcement made by Coach Taylor the struggle will start promptly at 2 o'clock. 1:30 had been considered as time for the contest to commence but it was believed that the later hour would coordinate better with Thanksgiving dinners.

The Pendleton team will be in the best of shape for the final set-to of the season and will be hard to stop after their triumph over Union last week. Harold Hatten is back in suit and may see action for a few minutes, although Coach Taylor does not want to take any chances with him as he is a star basketball player and will be a big factor in the success of the Pendleton hoop squad if he is not injured.

Wallowa was anxious to get the Pendleton game on Thanksgiving but due to the fact that La Grande gave them a trouncing by a 25-0 score Saturday on their own field it was figured that they would not be as good a drawing card as Baker.

Baker Expects Defeat.

BAKER.—The high school is sending practically a second string football team to Pendleton and incidentally to the worst drubbing of the season, so announced Principal Knight and Coach King this morning when asked concerning Baker high school's chances of winning over Pendleton next Thursday. Eight men of the first string lineup are out of the game for the season on account of their staying away from practice, while others are out because of injuries.

Baker school officials endeavored to have the game cancelled with the Pendleton bunch, because of the conditions that exist in the local school, and suggested two possible teams for Pendleton to meet instead of Baker, but word was received from the Pendleton school officials that they would just as soon meet the Baker second team for the reason that Baker would draw a crowd while the two that were recommended by Baker would not be financially profitable for the Round-Up town's aggregation. However, if Baker's second team should hold the first string lineup of Pendleton, it would be a miraculous feat. Needless to say the high school boys are expecting a good drubbing Thursday.

Those who will make the trip tomorrow via bus are: Carson, Burford, ends; Waddill, Strayer, tackles; Welling, Hansen, guards; Ostrom, center; Shaver, Hill, captain, halfbacks; Moody, quarterback; Hendryx, fullback.

Substitutes, Duff, McKittrich, Jenkins, Fosterling and possibly Adrain.

FIRPO EXPECTS TO WIN TITLE IN 1924

NEW YORK. (AP)—Luis Angel Firpo expects to return to the United States next year with "500 per cent more pep" and capture "for his beloved country" the world's heavyweight title he nearly toppled from Jack Dempsey's head last September at the Polo grounds.

This declaration was contained Tuesday in a cablegram received by Tex Rickard from the Argentine heavyweight.

Firpo's cablegram follows:

"Heartiest regards from my home country. My left arm is improving continuously and I am sure I will be able next summer to beat all the stars of the heavyweight class. Will have 500 per cent more pep and conquer heavyweight championship for my beloved country. Give my respects to Muldoon and the boxing commission."

LOCAL PUGILIST TO FIGHT IN ABERDEEN

Bus Bairie, local pugilist, has been signed to fight Billie Morrow at Aberdeen, Washington, December 10, in a six round semi-final match on a boxing card arranged there, according to announcement today.

Bairie has been training daily here and will leave for Aberdeen late next week, it is expected.

CREW OF JAPANESE FREIGHTER AWAIT ARRIVAL OF HELP

CORDOVA, Alaska. (AP) — One member of the Shinkoku's crew was drowned after the vessel hit Montague Island, was the report late Tuesday. The rest of the crew are said to be clinging to the vessel and the island awaiting rescue.

Release Suspects

BUSHNELL, Fla. (AP)—The three D'Autremont suspects have been released. They are not the men wanted.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for the improvement of Improvement District No. 123, within the City of La Grande, Union County, Oregon, is now in my hands for collection and that same may be paid at any time within ten days from the 28th day of November, 1923, without penalty, interest or cost, and each owner is hereby notified that on application to the undersigned within ten days from the 28th day of November, 1923, which is the date of the first publication of this notice, they will be allowed to pay such assessment in ten annual installments, the first installment thereof being due and payable on or before the 28th day of November, 1923. If application is not made as above specified, the whole amount is due, payable and will become delinquent on the 8th day of December, 1923. The assessment roll is as follows:

No.	Owner	Block		Lot	Amount
			WILLIAMSON'S ADDITION		
1.	Wm. Miller	22		5	$ 71.76
2.	Wm. Miller	22		6	71.76
3.	W. H. Bohnenkamp Co.	22		7	71.76
4.	W. H. Bohnenkamp Co.	22		8	71.76
5.	La Grande Inv. Co.	23		2	64.31
6.	Isabell Hartvigsen	23		3	36.51
7.	Isabell Hartvigsen	23		4	47.21
8.	Isabell Hartvigsen	23		5	57.91
9.	Ore. Home Protective Assn.	23		6	67.35
10.	O. W. R. & N. Co.	26		1	47.75
11.	O. W. R. & N. Co.	26		2	46.53
12.	O. W. R. & N. Co.	26		4	56.02
13.	O. W. R. & N. Co.	26		5	65.46
14.	Thos. H. Moore	26		6	71.76
15.	Thos. H. Moore	26		7	71.76
16.	Thos. H. Moore	26	N½ of	8	35.88
17.	Thos. H. Moore	26	N½ of	9	35.88
18.	Thos. H. Moore	26	N½ of	10	35.88
19.	Thos. H. Moore	27		1	71.76
20.	Thos. H. Moore	27		2	71.76
21.	Thos. H. Moore	27		3	71.76
22.	Thos. H. Moore	27		4	71.76
23.	Thos. H. Moore	27		5	71.63
24.	Thos. H. Moore	27	S½ of	6	31.79
25.	City of La Grande	27	N½ of	6	31.79
26.	Thos. H. Moore	27	S½ of	7	26.44
27.	City of La Grande	27	N½ of	7	26.43
28.	Thos. H. Moore	27		8	42.18
29.	City of La Grande and Union County	19		4	11.29
30.	City of La Grande and Union County	19		5	43.32
			COGGAN'S ADDITION		
31.	Standard Laundry		Ex. E. 90 ft. of	2	1,028.45
32.	A. B. Conley		E 90 ft. of	2	55.55
32.	E. H. Reisland		Commencing at the southeast corner of Block 3, Coggan's Addition, running thence northwestly along the line of said Block 85 ft.; thence northeasterly in a line at right angles to the last described line 120 ft.; thence southeasterly on a line at right angles to the last described line 85 ft.; thence southwesterly 120 ft. to place of beginning		692.03
34.	F. W. Hambel	4		3	634.30
35.	W. L. Lane	4	NW 63.1 ft of	4	636.90
36.	A. J. Pliss	4	SE 38 ft. of	4	329.83
37.	Shumate & Warmholts	4		5	559.71
38.	Flora A. Last	4	NW¼ of	6	147.40
39.	Chas. Norby	4	SE¼ of	6	106.61
			CHAPLIN'S ADDITION		
40.	Mrs. Grace P. Streiff	110		7	65.82
41.	Mrs. Grace P. Streiff	110		8	76.13
42.	Claud L. Damerell	110		9	96.06
43.	Claud L. Damerell	110	W½ of	10	57.22
44.	Ada B. Phy	110	E½ of	10	57.22
44.	Ada B. Phy	110		11	872.16
45.	Kansas Hawley		Beginning at a point on the north line of Adams Avenue at a point 85 ft. northwesterly from the southeast corner of Block 3, Coggan's Addition; running thence at right angles northeasterly 110 ft. to the southwest line of the alley in Block 110, Chaplin's Addition; thence at right angles northwesterly along said alley to the southeast corner of Lot 13 in Block 110; thence at right angles southwesterly along the south line of Lot 13, Block 110, a distance of 110 ft. to the north line of Adams Avenue; thence at right angles southeasterly to point of beginning.		205.27
46.	O. P. Harrison	110	E. 17.3 ft. of	13	38.74
47.	Sawyer-Holmes Merc. Co.	117		8	35.78
48.	Sawyer-Holmes Merc. Co.	117		9	35.78
49.	Sawyer-Holmes Merc. Co.	117		10	35.78
50.	Sawyer-Holmes Merc. Co.	117		11	35.78
51.	Sawyer-Holmes Merc. Co.	117		12	35.78
52.	U. S. National Bank	117		13	35.78
53.	U. S. National Bank	117		14	47.71
54.	Julia H. Holmes, All	118			858.73
55.	O. W. R. & N. Co.	119	Portion of lot 1 south of Joseph branch		18.02
56.	O. W. R. & N. Co.	119	Portion of lot 2 south of Joseph Branch		24.10
57.	O. W. R. & N. Co.	119	Portion of lot 3 south of Joseph Branch		33.21
58.	O. W. R. & N. Co.	119	Portion of lot 4 south of Joseph Branch		46.29
59.	O. W. R. & N. Co.	119	Portion of lot 5 south of Joseph Branch		63.82
60.	O. W. R. & N. Co.	119		6	71.62
61.	Juliette C. Montgomery	119		7	71.62
62.	Juliette C. Montgomery	119	Portion of lot 8 not traveled as road		61.88
62.	Juliette C. Montgomery	119	Portion of lot 9 north of road		25.81
64.	Juliette C. Montgomery	119	Portion of lot 9 south of road		24.07
65.	O. W. R. & N. Co.		Right of Way, Joseph Branch		2,803.73
66.	O. W. R. & N. Co.		Main line Right of Way		3,213.64
67.	City of La Grande's		Portion of Island Avenue		5,473.45
68.	City of La Grande's		Intersection at Jefferson and Hemlock		1,635.76
			Total Assessment		$22,143.59

J. E. STEARNS,
Recorder of the City of La Grande, Oregon.

Nov. 28-1t.

GIBBON PEOPLE MAKING READY FOR HOLIDAYS

GIBBON (Special)—Saturday night Guye Hayes and wife gave a dance. An enjoyable time was spent after which a good supper was served. The party had the aspect of a Thanksgiving affair with plenty of turkeys in evidence.

Mrs. W. D. Bonifer entertained a crowd of young people Tuesday evening. The evening consisted of music, dancing and the serving of a delicious luncheon.

David Boyd is beaver trapping in partners with Walter Bonifer for the winter. Mr. Boyd has a turkey ranch over in the Pilot Rock country. He has 60 turkey hens and seven Toms. The Thanksgiving turkey market is reported excellent.

Evelyn Williams, who has been going to school in Pendleton, has returned to her home.

Hugh Raby went to Pendleton Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin spent the week-end in Pendleton.

Mrs. James Waters came down to spend a few days with her husband, Mr. Waters. She also visited with Mrs. Mae Wells.

There was a good dance at Ed Hayes' home on the Holiday ranch last evening. A big crowd attended and a fine supper served.

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New Shoes	$5.00 - $8.00 - $10.00
Boy's Shoes	$2.50 - $3.00 - $4.00

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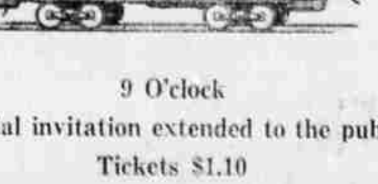

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