

# OUTLOOK FOR JAPAN BRIGHT

TOKYO (AP)—While Japanese trade conditions during the first half of the present year were not all that had been hoped for, and the industrial situation just now is extremely bad, the authorities in the official report of the department of commerce and industry state that no pessimism need be

entertained for the future. The report shows that during the six months 22 articles out of 20 chief exports of the country increased in value over the corresponding period of last year and only eight articles decreased in value. The report states that raw silk valued at 234,843,000 yen exported during the first half of this year shows an increase of 70,812,000 yen over the corresponding period of last year. Cotton cloth exports totaled 199,547,000 yen, an increase over the corresponding period of last year of 40,385,600 yen. Among exports which decreased in value from the corresponding period of last year are cotton fabrics, which totaled 22,718,000

yen so far this year, a decrease of 5,044,000 yen from the year before. Silk waste and floss silk exports totaled 11,158,000 yen this year, showing a decrease of 1,284,000 yen from 1924. Marine products, machinery, beans, buttons, iron, and beer also decreased in export value. As to imports, the first half of this year witnessed an increase of 14 articles out of 26, compared with the corresponding period of last year, and 16 articles showed a decrease in value. Among the imports which increased in value are raw cotton, totaling 601,070,000 yen, showing a rise of 56.20 per cent, or 214,568,000 yen, over 354,502,000 yen of the corresponding period of last year. Wool imports totaled 24,832,000 yen during the first half of this year, an increase of 42.76 per cent or 25,728,000 yen over a year before. Woolen fabric imports this year totaled 35,850,000, an increase of 3,421,000 yen over a year before. Rice and brass imports totaled 65,796,000 yen this year, an increase of 64.49 per cent, or 25,587,000 yen, over the corresponding period of last year. Beans, bean cake and crude sugar imports also increased in their volume and value.

The fluctuation in imports is far larger than the increase or decrease in exports, which is responsible for the adverse trade balance.

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Silk exports were favorable this year, due to the continued active demand for this class of goods in the United States, and cotton fabrics and yarn exports were also supported well, despite the recent anti-foreign agitation in Shanghai and other parts of China.

### Rhodes Trustee Named

LONDON, (AP)—The following have been appointed trustees of the Rhodes Scholarship fund: Premier Baldwin, Geoffrey Haysman, editor of the Times; Sir Douglas Hoag, attorney general; E. A. L. Fisher, warden of New College, Oxford; E. J. Pearson, director of the Bank of England.

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We are going to discuss the Bill question soon as they capture a town whose name we can pronounce.



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## BAKER'S GRID OUTLOOK ROSY

BAKER, Ore. (Special)—The outlook for the Baker football team this fall is very good and is causing no uneasiness to Coach Gilmendean, who for the second year will direct Baker's destiny on the gridiron.

The football season looms up in the minds of all the high school boys at the approach of the fall term which begins September 8. It is usually a head long affair, the last game in the fall and during the spring and summer months, but this year has been an exception, the first in the last five or six years. Those who played last year have been living football, thinking football and talking the game incessantly for the first time in years. The scrubs likewise have not been left out, they too have been playing the game all the fall.

At this time last year the prospects were poor, and the season's record, although far from discouraging, bore out such views. Then the purple and gold had nothing on which to even start the foundation of a team. Coach Gilmendean was left the big job of building an entire new team from scratch

to tackle on the line and the four backs.

### Material Is Good.

The material left from last year is very good as regards the backfield. Three Baker has Hines, Payne, McCord, Cundiff and Manary, all of whom played football last year, or some time in the past. Urban Manary will probably fill well into a backfield position, although he has not been in suit for two years. He started at end position two years ago and if not placed among the backs will probably take his old position at the end of the line.

Hines and Payne form a double threat machine which cannot be overlooked. Both run well with the ball and may be depended upon to play a good passing game. Hines is without doubt the best passer among the Baker players, and it would be safe to say that he is one of the best in the eastern Oregon district. Cundiff played at quarter last year but with several new men coming in from the grade schools and elsewhere the competition for pilot of the team will be keen.

The line will have several vacancies that will be hard to fill. The loss of Herbert Brown and Shephardson will leave room for tackle, while the graduation of Ostrom will leave the center position open. A center who can step into the place and do equally as well in the short time available. The ends are well taken care of, with Duff and Manary. Real guards and tackles are caus-

ing no small amount of trouble to Gilmendean, for all last year's line-men are gone. The building up of the material is a slow and perplexing task.

However, there are several who showed real ability at times last year when they were in the play. These men will fill the gaps in the line: Tom Duff, Adrian Kemper, York and Whittier. The last mentioned was on the varsity squad last year and was a tower of strength to the Baker team. His appearance is doubtful this year but is looked forward to.

### Coach Is Ready.

Coach Gilmendean is on hand and will start practice with the opening of school on the 8th. In speaking of the prospects he says, "Prospects are certainly bright. I believe that I will have one of the best winning squads in a number of years. They have been thinking the game while out of school and off the field, which indicates experience to start the battle with real vigor and vim."

The schedule, complete except for one date, is as follows:  
Oct. 2—Open.  
Oct. 10—Prater at Baker.  
Oct. 17—Union at Baker.  
Oct. 24—Baker at Pendleton.  
Oct. 31—Baker at Walla Walla.  
Armistice Day—The Dalles at Baker.  
Nov. 21—Baker at North Powder.  
Thanksgiving Day—La Grande at Baker.

## Pumpkin Ridge School Opens

The Pumpkin Ridge school opened this week with Ida B. Cornish as teacher. The new "Course of Study" for elementary and high school grades has been received by the county school superintendent and is being sent out to the teachers. Two large boxes of new library books are in the county school superintendent's office waiting to be distributed over the county. Miss Cornelia Marvin, state librarian, requests every community that can take care of a traveling library to do so and see that good books are in reach of our boys and girls. If you are interested, just write to Oregon State Library, Salem, Oregon. The County Fair at Elgin is announced for the 24, 25, and 26 of September. Some boys and girls are going to have some fine exhibits there as well as the grown up folks.

## Collection of Ancient Rome To Be Reproduced in Movies

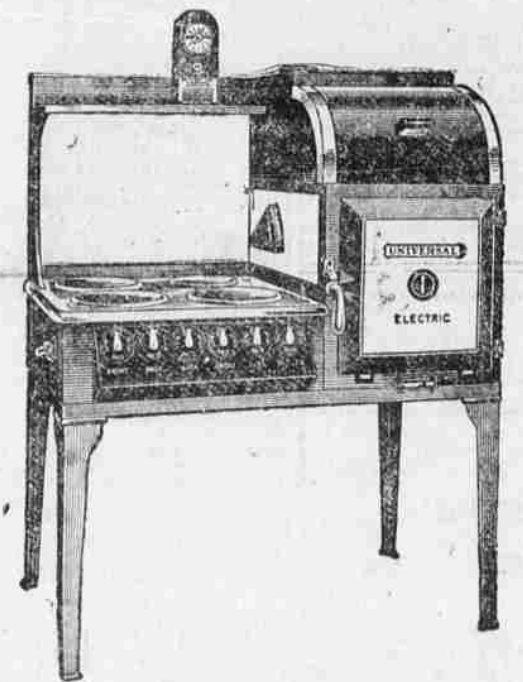
CULVER CITY, Cal. (AP)—A reproduction of the great collection of the ancient Romans, said to be one of the largest "sets" ever constructed for a moving picture production, is being built on a 50-acre lot here at a cost of \$200,000. Plans call for 15,000 actors to appear in the scenes. We want to live ten ripe old men as we can worry about more rising generations.

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