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**SPORT NEWS**

**BAKER COACH  
SELECTS TEAM**

(By Scoop)  
The fat's in the fire.  
Coach Glindeman, of Baker, has selected the Eastern Oregon all-star team with an all-star high school football team with eight players on the first team.  
And that isn't all.  
Two more Baker men are on the second team, which would indicate that Baker must at least have 10 football players that are individually better than anything else in this section of the state.  
Once a football coach in Eastern Oregon picked a similar all-star team, naming seven of his men on the first team and a handful on the second.  
History repeats itself and throws in an extra good measure.

Here's Glindeman's choice, read 'em and weep.  
**First Team.**  
Left end—T. Duff, Baker.  
Right tackle—Whittier, Baker.  
Left guard—McCard, Baker.  
Center—Strand, La Grande.  
Right guard—Cox, Union.  
Right tackle—Adrian, Baker.  
Right end—G. Duff, Baker.  
Quarterback—Cundiff, Baker.  
Right half—Hines, Baker.  
Left half—Hutton, Pendleton.  
Fullback—Payne, Baker.  
**Second Team.**  
Left end—Sherrill, Pendleton.  
Left tackle—Johnson, Wallawa.  
Left guard—Minnis, Pendleton.  
Center—York, Baker.  
Right guard—Smutz, La Grande.  
Right tackle—Hughes, La Grande.  
Right end—Mannary, Baker.  
Quarterbacks—Glas, La Grande.  
Left half—Clark, Halfway.  
Right half—McKennon, La Grande.  
Fullback—Johnson, Pendleton.

Now the writer wonders just how Glindeman is able to switch the best line plunging fullback Eastern Oregon has seen in several years of high school football into a guard position. That's what he does with Cox, of Union.  
How can he put Strand, of La Grande, at center when Strand hasn't played center this year? If he felt duty bound to give La Grande a first team man, why didn't he let Cullen play center?  
Glindeman has a wonderful selection of ends—three of the best in Eastern Oregon. It must be so because he places the Duff brothers on the first team and Mannary at end on the second. And grid fans all over this section of the state have been remarking that probably the weakest ends in the Baker football machine were the ends.  
To the writer, it looks like Glindeman just barely looked over his own backyard fence to make the selection.

G. L. "Seaty" Dutton will announce his all-star team in tomorrow's Evening Observer. Despite Glindeman's selection, La Grande, Baker, Pendleton, Union, Wallawa, Enterprise, and others look toward Dutton as the man who picks the team that comes nearest to being official. Dutton's selections in the past two years have been impartial and a man has to actually earn his laurels before gaining a position on his eleven.

Although the writer doesn't know, he is willing to wager that Baker places more men on Dutton's team than any other eleven, which is as it should be. But he's also willing to wager that Baker doesn't get three ends on the first two teams—and that Cox, of Union, doesn't have to play in the line when the mythical team lines up for first down.

**LOGGING ROAD SURVEYED.**

CONDON, Ore.—Condon is using over the new logging road now surveyed 20 miles south of town. This road will tap a big belt of yellow pine timber lying mostly in Wheeler county.  
It is not known whether the lumber company will saw its logs in the timber or put in a mill here. It is thought that no matter where the sawmill is located there will be a planing mill in Condon.  
The road builders are negotiating for right of way with parties whose land the line is to go through. The road will cut up some valuable ranches in the immediate vicinity of Condon and will then run through a rough canyon, ending at the Maddeck ranch on Thirty-mile. From there smaller roads will be run into the timber.

**School Dance Hearing Set.**

SALEM, Ore.—Whether Salem high school students will be allowed to hold dances in the school auditorium is the question that will be considered by the school directors at a meeting to be held next week.

**Billy Evans Says:**

**FORWARD PASS.**  
When the football coaches gather in New York for their annual pow-wow, the forward pass is sure to come up for such discussion.  
While attending the Penn-Cornell and the Army and Navy games, I had the good fortune to meet about a score of the country's leading grid coaches.  
The Army and Navy game is annually the melting pot. Most of the coaches admitted it was the only game of the year they really enjoyed.  
With their season over, none are present for scouting purposes, they are simply there as spectators to view the game and spectacle.  
And take it from me, regardless of the caliber of the teams, the Army and Navy game is always just a little bit different, the greatest of all football shows.  
Getting back to the coaches' opinion of the forward pass, I found there was much said for and against it.

**CUBBY PLAY.**  
Realizing that the forward pass has largely been responsible for the popularity of the game, the coaches are loath to take a definite stand against the play. However, the general impression is that there should be a curbing of the practice.  
One of the leading coaches related to me the facts in a rather unusual game in which his team had taken part and was held to a tie, even though it actually gained three times as much ground as the opposition.  
Neither team scored in the first two periods. In the third period, the team coached by my informant, took the ball on the kickoff and in just 12 plays carried it across the goal line without once losing the ball.

The forward pass is almost entirely the trick, but had the misfortune to lose the ball on a fumble on the 10-yard line. An opposing player picked it up and rased to midfield before being downed.  
On the first play a forward pass was tried. The ball was thrown to a player, caught by an eligible player, who rased the remaining 20 yards for a touchdown.  
**BIG GAMBLE.**  
Thus in two plays, requiring about one minute to complete, the team which had been on the defensive all afternoon, through the medium of a fumble and a forward pass, scored a rather cheap touchdown and evened up the count.  
Coaches do not believe there is the same amount of effort and ability back of one fumble touchdown to equal the results of the other touchdown, gained on 12 straight plays without once losing the ball.  
A majority of the many coaches with whom I talked, hold the opinion that the forward pass made too much of a gamble out of the game. It is their contention that the indiscriminate tossing of the ball robbed football of much of its strategy, just as the home run mania killed off inside baseball to a great degree.  
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**He's Winner**



Meet Wilbur Tibbets, Harvard's great little distance runner, who won a heart-breaking race from Loucks of Syracuse in the recent intercollegiate cross-country championship in the east. His best Loucks by a scant yard in one of the most thrilling finishes in the history of the event. Tibbets covered the six miles in 29 minutes, 24 seconds.

**HUSKIES END GRID SEASON**

SEATTLE (AP)—The University of Washington football team which won the Pacific Coast conference championship this year is not to represent the Pacific coast in an annual gridiron classic at Pasadena, Cal., on New Year's day. It was decided at a meeting of the board of control of the university here Sunday.  
Before the board of control meeting, members of the Husky squad held a meeting to discuss the question. Darwin Melanest, graduate manager of the Associated Students of the University of Washington, announced that a small majority of the players favored participating in the contest. Had the players unanimously favored the game the board undoubtedly would have sanctioned their entry. Melanest said. President H. C. Howe of the Pacific Coast conference has wired Washington's decision and has been asked to name another team to represent the Pacific coast.

**Meanwell to Conduct Basketball School**

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Ore. (Special)—Marking a distinct advance in the athletic progress of the west, Dr. Walter E. Meanwell, head basketball coach at the University of Wisconsin and called the "Miracle Man of Basketball," will conduct a coaching school at the university next summer, according to announcement by Fred L. Stetson, director of the summer session.  
Meanwell is regarded as the outstanding basketball coach in America. His record at Wisconsin is considered one of the marvels of modern athletics. His teams have won 155 games and lost only 23; placed first eight times and were never below third in their conferences in eleven seasons. Thirty-one members of the all-star team out of a total of 65 in 13 seasons have been from Meanwell's teams.  
A two weeks school, consisting of intensive courses for high school and college basketball coaches will be conducted by Meanwell. The basketball wizard has been giving coaching courses with Knute Rockne at Notre Dame and Alieoconin in which more than 550 coaches have attended.

Dr. Meanwell is the originator of the pivot and short pass, five-man defense style of play, which in its variations is the basis for most of modern basketball. Meanwell methods and technique have been copied by the several thousand coaches who have attended his various summer courses since 1912.  
**TROJANS DEFEAT OREGON AGGIES IN FINAL GAME**  
LOS ANGELES (By the Associated Press)—The football eleven from the University of Southern California showed perhaps its best performance in closing the Saturday city coast schedule Saturday by playing the powerful squad from the Oregon Agricultural college completely off its feet in a 28 to 0 game. The lopsided victory was a complete surprise to even the most sanguine Trojan supporters. The Trojan scores were made in the second, third and fourth periods, and were due to their ability to smash the Aggie's line flat when necessary. The visitors failed to solve the Trojan passing attack.

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**Tulane's Star Guard**



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**RETURNS TO HOT LAKE**

HOT LAKE, (Special)—Miss Mary Evans, technologist at the Hot Lake Sanatorium, has returned to the Lake after a vacation of six weeks. Miss Evans spent part of this time in Phoenix, Ariz., where she had been supervisor of the Deaconess hospital before coming to Hot Lake. After she left Arizona she went to California and remained a visit with friends and relatives there with inspection of some of the larger laboratories.

**MEDFORD DEFEATS SALEM**

MEDFORD, Ore. (By the Associated Press)—In a brilliantly played and fiercely contested football game here Saturday afternoon, Medford high school, champions of southern Oregon, defeated the Salem high school team, champions of the Willamette valley, 15 to 3, before a crowd of 5000 people.

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**POTTSVILLE WINS TITLE**  
CHICAGO (AP)—Pottsville, Pa., won the national professional football championship Sunday by defeating the Chicago Cardinals here, 21 to 7. The Cardinals could have claimed the national title without meeting the easterners. The post-season game, however, was ordered to definitely settle any dispute.  
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