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AGGIES TAKE SEVEN IN NINE

ORVALLER, Ore. (AP)—Coach Bob Hager and his Oregon Aggie basketball team have returned from their successful barnstorming tour of California. The quintet played nine games on the trip, winning seven and dropping two. Hager is optimistic about his team's chances in the coming conference schedule. "The team is much improved from the experience gained," he said. "They came through the hard schedule without injuries of any kind and should be in top form for the conference opener against Gonzaga January 15."

OREGON FIVE HOME

THE GENE, Ore. (AP)—Back from a barnstorming trip in California, the University of Oregon basketball team is turning its thoughts to the coming contest with the Multnomah athletic club of Portland. The university players will leave here Friday for Portland.

A check-up of the scholar revealed that Jost, guard, would not be ineligible as at first rumored, though Gillenwaters' will in all probability be kept from participation this season because of his grades.

The team which will probably line up against Multnomah will be Oberberg, center; Holman and Powers, forwards; Jost and Westgren, guards.

Each sport has some particular feature which is typical of that amusement. For years in boxing the introduction of anywhere from 14 to 26 fighters was the custom before starting the main bout.

At first it was interesting to get a glimpse of the real celebrities of the ring. However, it got so that every "ham-and-egg" fighter in the country was clamoring to be introduced and usually got away with it.

Instead of being interesting, the stunt began to be ridiculous. The fans, in order to have their fun out of it, would yell in pure mockery, "Speech," "Speech" as each fighter was introduced.

Fighters as a rule are not gifted linguists, so the wall of a crowd for a speech generally fell on deaf as well as cauliflower ears.

UNIQUE SPEECH

Along these lines Scotty Mon-both, former manager of Johnny Dundee, who is now handling Kid Kaplan, told me an interesting yarn.

Scotty once had in his stable a peculiar fighter by the name of Sammy Marino. He was known as the original sphinx. Either native dumbness or a natural disinclination to talk caused the fight fans to wonder if he was both deaf and dumb.

Whenever he was at the ringside the fans, purely as a joke, would demand that he be introduced and then they would clamor for a speech as he was dragged into the ring.

Marino would always back away without even so much as a smile or a wave of the hand. But the fans were insistent, hoping some day he would break the silence and give them a real laugh.

It so happened that one evening he gave the fans the shock of their lives. Instead of backing through the ropes to the floor, he removed his cap, lifted his hand for silence, cleared his throat and spoke thusly:

"Ladies and gentlemen! I fight anybody my heavy, winner take 'em everything."

No doubt this speech was inspired by the Ring Lardner school of English, which is nothing if not original. After that the fans were willing to let him continue his activities to fighting.

CARDINALS BUY PITCHER

NEW YORK (AP)—Sale of pitcher Walter Huntington, former University of Pennsylvania athlete to the St. Louis Cardinals was announced Monday by the New York Giants. No other players were involved in the transaction. Huntington came to the Giants in 1923, but did not pitch until the following season.

Wringer Mangles Woman's Hand

MOSKOW, Idaho—Mrs. William Marsh, winner of Moscow, caught her right hand in an electric clothes wringer yesterday. Her fingers were drawn into the wringer to the thumb and the thumb forced backward, tearing the skin loose and pulling the ligaments out. She was taken to the Grinnell hospital.

Resolved:

THAT as usual I spent more for Christmas this year than expected, I will start saving NOW in order to meet the coming requirement.

UNITED STATES NATIONAL BANK

Gridders Seek Hockey Honors



Many members of Dartmouth's undefeated football team are also trying out for a berth on the hockey outfit. Here are three of the trio stars, McPhail Lane and Hardy reading from left to right in the order named. Lane was one of the highest scorers in college ranks. Each is reported to be a star at the puck-shooting business.

BUCKAROO FIVE TO PLAY JOSEPH TOMORROW NIGHT

PENDLETON, Ore. (Special)—The Pendleton high school basketball team will make their first home stand of the year Thursday evening against the Joseph, Ore. team. Joseph is reputed to have a speedy five and one that will give the local hoopers a real workout.

On their barnstorming trip the Buckaroos broke even, winning from Clarkston, Washington, 29 to 25, and losing to the Lewiston, Idaho, high school five by the score of 23 to 17.

Austin Landreth, principal of the high school, and a former basketball star, handled the team on the barnstormer but Coach Butler has now returned from his vacation spent in the east and will again take over the reins.

GERMAN SPRINTER SAILS

HAMBURG (AP)—Hubert Hone, Germany's champion sprinter, sailed for America Tuesday to compete in a series of indoor meets.

Jake Schaefer Takes Lead in Title Contest

CHICAGO (AP)—Young Jake Schaefer, challenger of the world's 152 lb. middle championship, won the first 500 point bout in the 1500 point match with Edouard Horremans, Belgian, the champion. The score: Schaefer, 500; Horremans, 275.

Horremans did not strike his stride until his eighth and last inning when he ran 243, the high run of the night. In his first seven turns at the table, he was extremely nervous. Schaefer played with far more precision and deliberation than in any of his recent appearances. He reached triple figures only twice, however, in the second inning when he counted 135 and in the sixth when he counted 125.

Postal Receipts Gain

SALLEM, Ore.—Postal receipts at the Salem postoffice for 1925, showed a gain of 11 per cent over the previous year, according to John Farrar, postmaster. During 1925 the receipts were \$194,224.50 as against \$174,459.73 for 1924.

COVE SCHOOL ISSUES PAPER

COVE. (Special)—The first issue of the Cove high school paper appeared December 24. This is the first time in the history of the Cove school that a paper has been edited by the students and the student body is working hard to make it a success. The name of the paper is "Cove's Spot." It is published semi-monthly by the senior class. The members of the staff are: editor, Laura Richards; assistant editor, Willard Peck; business manager, Gordon Mills; news editor, Thomas Anderson; social news editor, Ruth Hertzford; comic editor, Zela Gaffney; sports editor, Everett Williams; reporter, Howard Gassett; advertising, Ethel Daron.

Purdy Estate \$450

SALLEM, Ore.—Will E. Purdy, at one time candidate for governor and subsequently as aspirant for a seat on the federal shipping board to succeed George E. Chamblin, left an estate of \$450, according to letters of administration filed in the probate court here. Mr. Purdy was survived by a widow and nine children.

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SPORT NEWS

BRANCHLINE TEAMS COMING

Inability to clear the high school gymnasium of formaldehyde fumes last night after 24 hours of fumigation resulted in the postponement of the scheduled high school annual basketball game until a later date, yet undecided upon.

The Tigers have played two out-of-town teams practice games, winning both, but have yet failed to show the form that Coach Thornton Bennett is working toward. North Powder and Cove were both decisively beaten but as neither is rated as a strong team, this early in the season, it is felt that the blue and white ability has not yet been thoroughly tested.

Several strong teams. From present dope Joseph, Baker, Pendleton, and possibly Union and Wallawa will be the strongest teams in the district, and whether La Grande will rank with those

Billy Evans Says:

Often one snappy remark will get an umpire out of what otherwise might be a very unpleasant situation.

It is customary for every umpire to have his jinx ball club. The Athletics have always been a hoodoo team for Emmett Ormsby. When he has any trouble it is invariably with the A's.

At the time the A's had lost 19 straight and any club was to be cracked at. There was the usual kick and the continued shouts from the bench: "Well, you lost that one for us."

After listening to it for an inning, Ormsby quietly walked to the bench and remarked: "You can blame that one on me when you get back to Philadelphia but you are going to have a tough time explaining the other ten."

The retort courteous hit a tender spot and had the desired effect—silence. The Athletics may have thought a lot of things about Ormsby but didn't express them.

CHOICE REPARTEE. Baseball is filled with choice bits of repartee. Some of it, however, wouldn't make a bit in our best family newspapers. Sports which have more than two or four players as contenders offer greater opportunities for the expression of one's feelings. That is why wise-cracks fly thickest in baseball and football, rather than