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## SPORT NEWS

### TIGERS RESPOND TO TRACK CALL

### Half a Hundred High School Athletes Turn Out Monday

Some half a hundred La Grande high school athletes, desirous of winning a letter this spring, turned out last night when Coach In MacKenzie sounded the first track call of the season. In the list was several regulars, around which the 1927 Tiger team will be moulded.

Coach MacKenzie put the boys through a light workout last night, only enough to begin loosening up the muscles. Wednesday night he expects to have the track in good condition and will begin pushing the lads a little more.

At present both the track and fieldmen are going through the same work and the two groups will not be separated before next week.

After that the workouts will become strenuous in preparation for the opening of the interscholastic season April 16 when Baker high will probably come to La Grande. This date has not been absolutely agreed upon but has been tentatively arranged.

**Class Meet April 9**  
Before the Baker meet the annual class meet will be held, probably on April 9.

One other dual meet is on the schedule, Pendleton vs La Grande at Pendleton. This will probably be held on April 23.

The Union county meet, for both high school and grammar school athletes is tentatively scheduled for April 30 at Union and will be followed by the annual East Oregon meet at Baker on May 7.

**State Meet May 14**

A week later the first annual Oregon state high school track and field meet will be held at Corvallis with O. A. C. sponsoring the event. Winners of first places in the Eastern Oregon events will be invited and there is a possibility that the Eastern Oregon winning team might be allowed to go, but these details have not been completely worked out. There has been some speculation locally as to just what course will be followed in sending out invitations to the state meet but it is almost certain that all first place winners in district meets will participate.

### WOLVERINES CLAIM COLLEGE TANK ACE

**ANN ARBOR, Mich.**—The best swimmer yet developed in an American college is Paul Samson, an foot four captain of Michigan's swimming team. In the opinion of Matt Mann, Michigan's tank coach, Samson has made five marks this season which beat the accepted college records. He has done the 40-yard swim in 18.1 seconds, the 100 yards in 53.6, the 220 in 2:17.2, and the 440 in 5:06.8. He was the only double swimmer in the 1926 Big Ten meet, winning the 220 and 440 yards.

### STEEPLECHASE DRAWS MANY AMERICANS

**LIVERPOOL, Eng.**—Applications for seats indicate that more Americans than ever before are coming over for the Grand National Steeplechase on the Liverpool Racecourse at Aintree March 25.

The principal hotels claim all available rooms have been taken and "could have been let many times over." Continental visitors are coming in large numbers, and King George will have a box.

### Canadian Maple Leaf Comes to the Front in Latest Sport Circles

**NEW YORK, Mar. 22.** (AP)—The Maple Leaf may not have forever victoriously over athletic fields, but within the past year at least the Canadian emblem has been conspicuously triumphant. The dominion has set the pace in some of the fastest fields.

At such spectacular winter sports as hockey and speed skating Canada has more than held her own. Hockey is the dominion's national sport and its Montreal Maroons are the present world's professional champions. The Ottawa Senators also have set most of this winter's pace in the National Hockey league, the "big league" of the game.

### Best Skater

Meanwhile Charles Gorman of St. John has just lifted the international outdoor speed skating crown in the championships on American ice at Saranac and Lake Placid, while a Toronto girl, Lella Brooks, ranks high among the women skaters.

But these conquests are more or less traditional, so that it is the Canadian prominence in such other sports as boxing, track and swimming that attract attention. No ring figure such as the lithe, handsome French-Canadian, Jack Delaney, needs and introduction. George Young, the 17-year-old Toronto swimmer, exhibited a rare combination of courage, nerve and

### Pendleton Grid Team Is Holding Spring Training

**PENDLETON, Ore., Mar. 22.**—The first three days of spring football work at the high school found the 1927 Huskies gridiron aspirants going through everything from dummy tackling to real scrimmage play. Coach Quinn plans to have his eleven ready to settle down to actual formation work in the fall with short preliminary attention to basic fundamentals.

Spring football practice will give the aggregation experience in the new brand of play the coach will employ. The shift, which has practically been ruled out by the rules committee will not be used this year by Pendleton as in the case with many high school and college grid teams who find the pause before the play too long.

A feature of the spring training will be a contest between the 1927 aspirants and the graduates of the 1926 eleven.

### BARSTORMING BIKES PRIZE RING TITLES

**NEW YORK.**—It is getting decidedly dangerous for champions and other boxers with reputation to "tour the sticks" or go barnstorming.

Fidel Labara and Pete Latzo, to say nothing of other stars, can testify that setups aren't what they used to be.

Latzo, touring the wide open spaces of Texas, struck a tarantula in Dallas, one Clyde Hull, who mauled the welterweight title holder all over the ring and won the newspaper verdict. The title was not at stake.

Labara, shortly after clinching the world's flyweight title by trouncing Eddy Clark at Madison Square Garden, accepted a match with Tony Vaccs, Boston bantam. Tony and Fidel on the floor early in the fight and won the decision.

### PITCHERS GET TIPS FROM WICK GRIFITH

**TAMPA, Fla.**—Clark Griffith has deserted the Washington presidential box for the playing field. The head of the Senators, who, however, is a president instead of a vice president, was a great pitcher 25 or 30 years ago and has not forgotten the tricks of the trade. He has been showing some of the young Washington pitchers how to hold base runners close to the bags, or, even better, how to catch them if they become too venturesome.

### YANKEE ROOKIE CUTS WOOD FOR TRAINING

**ST. PETERSBURG, Fla.**—Paolino (Zeudis), the wood chopper of the Yankees, may have a rival in baseball. James Wiltse, a young pitching recruit from the Eastern League with the Yankees, has been chopping wood all winter to keep in condition for his major league trial in the spring.

Wiltse, whose home is at Ravena, N. Y., tried several training stunts, but finally until he hit upon wood chopping as the most effective. Wiltse, however, was fully afoot in contrast with the Spanish boxer who worked in his bare feet.

### JUST A BALLOON

**NEW YORK.**—Big sea monster off Cape Charles, Va. At least some of the passengers on the steamship Basteros thought so till the thing that excited them at a distance proved to be wreckage of a sausage balloon which had escaped from Lansey field.

### Women Score

Iconi Grosse of Toronto, in indoor as well as outdoor competition, has proved herself one of the fleetest of feminine sprinters, a holder of several world's records. Until Charley Paddock breezed his famous "100" in 5 1/2 seconds last year Cyril Coates, a Canadian, was among the joint holders of the world's record of 3 3/4 seconds for the century.

Canada has no carmen quite up to the prowess of the famous Hansons of bygone days, but has a potential champion in Joe Wright, Jr., husky son of a noted father, whose coaching efforts have been divided between Toronto and Philadelphia waters. Wright was victorious over the American national champion, Walter Hoover, last season.

## BEFORE MINE

### WEDNESDAY'S PROGRAM

**KEX**—Portland (447m-671kc) 7 to 8, dinner music; 8 to 9, KEX dance band playing popular numbers.

**KOAC**—Corvallis (280.2m-1670kc) 7, business talk; 7:30, building a home; 7:45, mining talk; 8, studio program.

**KGO**—Oakland (361m-820kc) 6, Dem's Little Symphony orchestra; 8, farm program; 9, University of California charter day banquet program.

**KFI**—Los Angeles (467m-640kc) 6:30, women's quartet; 7, Ray Fisher's Original Victorians dance orchestra; 7:30, crime address; 7:45, Helen Guest, ballad singer; 8, program by Calnet string quartet and male quartet; 9, Gleason quartet; 10, classic music by Sunset instrumental quartet.

**KGW**—Portland (491m-610kc) 6 to 7, dinner concert; 7, utility service; 8, concert; 9 to 10, concert.

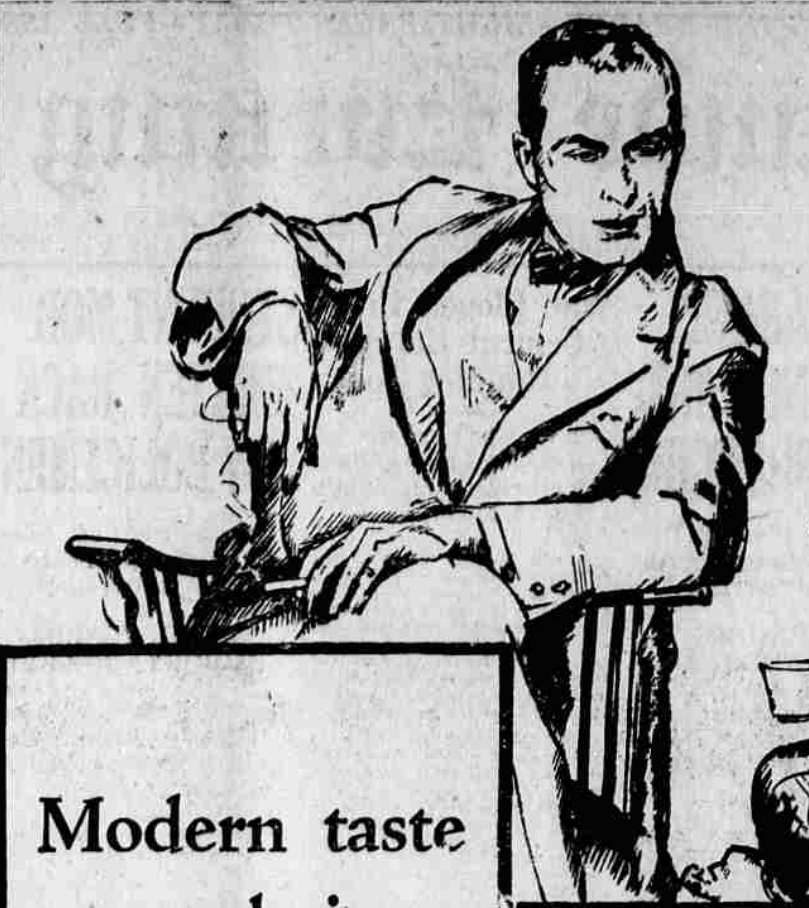
**KPD**—San Francisco (425m-700kc) 6:30 to 8, orchestra; 8 to 9, musical program; 9 to 10, "chickering hour"; 10 to 11, States Restaurant orchestra.

**KYA**—San Francisco (399.8m-750kc) 8 to 9, services, Old St. Mary's church; 9 to 10, program, Hazel Huff; 10 to 11, Herb Meyer-juck's Cliff hotel dance orchestra.

**KON**—Portland (319m-540kc) 6 to 7, dinner concert; 8 to 9, KOIN radio players; 9 to 10, studio program; 11 to midnight, Jerry Reed's dance orchestra.

**KTAH**—Oakland (302.8m-590kc) 8 to 9, mezzo-soprano, pianist, tenor; 9 to 10, Harry J. Waters' saxophone band.

**KOMO**—Seattle (306m-580kc) 8, farm talk; 8:15, Totem broadcasters; 8:30 to 10:15, musical program; 10:15 to 12:30 a. m., Totem broadcasters.



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### The Garden

#### WINDOW BOXES

Thousands of city folk have no other opportunity to grow flowers than is afforded by a porch or window box. Yet thousands overlook this opportunity. Failure is easy, of course, and no one likes to fail. But success with a window box is also easy if a few simple precautions are taken, and one flower will bring joy into the day as well as a thousand.

The best flowers to grow in window boxes, where sun can be given at least part of the day and unobstructed air and light throughout the day, are free flowering annuals. Among these petunias have come in recent years to be unequalled. Their colors are excellent; they are fragrant and thrive with little care, producing flowers from July until frost arrives, without cessation. Hot, dry weather has no terror for the petunia, provided it can be watered occasionally. And this one family has a remarkably varied assortment of types.

In a red brick building, which describes most of our apartments, one does not add a decorative note when red flowers are planted in a window box. The best color for such a location is blue, and the flower which was invented, it would seem, for such a situation is the balcony blue petunia. This is a rich velvety dark blue, of trailing habit and will drape from the window box in a pleasing festoon of green and blue. Balcony Queen is blue with white blotches, also of trailing habit.

The small flowering type of petunia, of which the best known variety is Rosy Morn, will do better than any other flower in making a bed of color throughout the season.

The large flowering petunias have fewer blossoms than the small flowering type; but one of them is worth a good many of the others. The double large flowering and plants of California strain are especially attractive for their fringed petals and color blends. It is difficult to select a petunia in which one will be disappointed.

If geraniums be chosen for the window box, the pink varieties will be found more pleasing in the long run than the reds. Beaute Potitovine, a semidouble pink, is in a class by itself. Such a pink in combination with the dark blue of balcony blue petunia, or lobelia heading queen, will serve well.

Where orange and yellow are permissible it is difficult to find a better flower than the climbing nasturtium, which may be grown from seed. Argentum is an excellent window box plant; Alyssum provides a white border which is always dependable and in very sunny locations zinnias may be grown. Good soil and good drainage are the important points. The soil should allow excess water to drain off quickly but remain yet like a sponge; and as a rule it should be allowed to dry pretty well between waterings.

### UNION PERSONALS

**UNION, Ore.** (Special)—Miss Nettie Georatan, a senior in the Union high school, who has been ill of the flu for some time, was taken to Hot Lake Tuesday with what the physicians believed was either pneumonia or an abscess.

Practically all the members of the senior class in the local high school attended the sessions of the conference at La Grande on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

The commercial club is making arrangements to entertain the O. A. C. cadet band members when that aggregation passes through this city on Mar. 27. The band boys will be met at Union Junction by a string of local cars and brought to Union where they will be given a lunch at the Union hotel. Then in the afternoon they will give a concert in the school gym, after

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