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TUESDAY PROGRAMS

The National Broadcasting company program for Tuesday night follows: 8, orchestra; 8:30, bridge lesson; 9, 'The Man Higher Up'; 9:30 to 10, Rounders. KGO—Oakland (284.4m-750kc) 6:30, dinner concert; 8, N. B. C. KEX—Portland (329.5m-1250kc) 5:30, children's hour; 7, orchestra; 8, studio program; 9, musical program; 10 to 12, dance frolic. KFI—Los Angeles (463.3m-640kc) 6, program; 7, detective story; 7:30, vocalist-pianist; 8, N. B. C. 9, program. KFO—San Francisco (422.3m-710kc) 6:30, dinner orchestra; 8, N. B. C.; 9, feature hour; 10 to 12, dance orchestra. KGA—Spokane (249.7m-1150kc) 6:30, musical program; 10 to 12, dance music. KFR—San Francisco (45.4m-600kc) 6:10, stamp collectors; 7, entertainment; 9, Piggy Wiggy program; 10 to 12, dance orchestra. KJL—Seattle (248.6m-850kc) 6:30, dinner concert; 7:30, soprano solo; 9, vaudeville program; 10 to 12, dance orchestra. KPQA—Seattle (447.5m-670kc) 6:30, studio program; 7, old-time trio; 8 to 10, N. B. C. KOIN—Portland (319m-940kc) 6, dinner concert; 7:15, orchestra; 8, bugs and poultry; 9:10, studio vaudeville feature. KOMO—Seattle (296m-940kc) 6:15, varied program; 8, N. B. C.; 10, musical program; 11:30 to 12:30, orchestra. KGW—Portland (431m-610kc) 6, dinner concert; 7:45, book club; 8, N. B. C. KFH—Spokane (370.2m-810kc) 6, concert orchestra; 7, old-time dances; 8, N. B. C.; 10 to 12, dance music.

WALKING TESTS SOBRIETY LONDON (AP)—Walking up stairs and down again is a good test for drunkenness in the case of motor car drivers who are on the border line, Godfrey Carter, lecturer in forensic medicine at Sheffield university, told the royal institute of public health.

Mussolini has sent over a "minister to Chicago." Well, something had to be done about that town.

HUSKIES DEFEAT AGGIES 29 TO 26

Washington Wins Northern Title—Southern California Leads in South

Table with 2 columns: Section (Northern/Southern) and Standings (W, L, T, Pct.) for various teams like Washington, Oregon, Idaho, etc.

This Week's Schedule Monday—Oregon Aggies vs. Montana at Missoula. Tuesday—Oregon vs. Washington State at Pullman; Stanford vs. California at San Francisco. Wednesday—Oregon Aggies vs. Idaho at Moscow; U. C. L. A. vs. Southern California at Los Angeles. Thursday—Oregon vs. Montana at Missoula. Friday—Oregon Aggies vs. Washington State at Pullman; Stanford vs. California at San Francisco. Saturday—Oregon vs. Washington at Seattle; Idaho vs. Montana at Missoula; Stanford vs. California at San Francisco; U. C. L. A. vs. Southern California at Los Angeles.

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 20—Defeating Oregon Agricultural college, 29 to 26, at Seattle Saturday, University of Washington won the championship of the northern section of the Pacific coast basketball conference. The Huskies have only one more game to play—against Oregon at Seattle next Saturday, but even should the Web-footers win that game and the two other remaining contests on their schedule, they would still be a game behind the Huskies in the final tabulations.

In the south, Southern California just about sewed up the title. The Trosans easily defeated Southern Branch in a free-throwing contest, 45 to 35, and now lead their division with five victories and one defeat. The champion Bears have won three and lost three and are in second place. The Bruins and Cards are out of the running.

Regular play in the conference concludes with this week's games, in which all the teams will be seen in action. California and Stanford will play a three-game series, while Southern California and U. C. L. A. will meet twice.

Oregon and the Oregon Aggies each have three more games to play, as has Montana. Idaho and Washington State have two more contests.

Should Southern California lose both games to U. C. L. A. and California win all three contests from the Cards, then the Trojan-shufflers' contest would be postponed a couple of weeks ago because of an epidemic of infantile paralysis on the Calif. campus, will have to be played to decide the winner in the south. A single victory for the Trojans, or a loss to California, will give Southern California the title.

VIRGINIA HORSES DECREASE

RICHMOND, Va. (AP)—While the blooded horse still holds high rank in Virginia, his poor relations are passing out of the picture. The state had only 294,098 horses on farms in 1927, lowest number since 1878.

THE FALL OF A CHAMP



So! Genial Gene's traditional indifference to the admiring sex has taken the K. O. from a little blonde cutie, has it? Here's the photographic answer. She's petite Helen Husbach, of Milwaukie, sojourning with her parents at Miami Beach, Fla., where Turney is in training.

Norway First, U. S. Second in Games At St. Moritz; Olympic Prizes Given

ST. MORITZ, Switzerland, Feb. 20 (AP)—The rugged athletes of Norway have successfully defended their Olympic winter sports championship. The United States finished second and Sweden third. On the final day of competition the American contingent won the bobleigh final yesterday. William Fish landing first place and John Heaton second. The sleds jumped over the ice at a sixty-mile an hour clip. Heaton registered the fastest descent in a glide down the chute with a time of one minute, 28.78 seconds which is only ten seconds behind the world record for the length held by Mortimer of England.

The others in the bobleigh event finished as follows: Third, Paul Kilian of Germany; fourth, Gramajo of Argentina; fifth, Hope, Argentina; sixth, Ernest Lambert, Belgium.

In the figure skating championship for couples the American team of Beatrix Loughran and Sherwin Badger placed fourth.

Prizes awarded ST. MORITZ, Switzerland, Feb. 20 (AP)—Olympic winners in the winter sports carnival just closed were crowned champions and awarded medals at an impressive ceremony in St. Moritz stadium last evening.

Members of a brass band became breathless playing the Norwegian national anthem six times, the Star Spangled Banner and the national tunes of Sweden and Finland twice.

When the graceful Andrea Joly and the stalwart Pierre Brunet, of France, skaters, were called to the presidential stand, the band struck up the Marseillaise. Ear-breaking, heart-rending cacophony resulted. The spectators gasped, then smiled and finally puffed.

"Can't you play the Marseillaise?" Franz Reichel, secretary

POWDER, HAINES TO BE 6TH TEAM

La Grande, Baker, Union, Joseph and Willowa Already in Tournament

The selection of basketball teams to play in the fifth annual district tournament at Eugene Mar. 1, 2 and 3 continues with five of the eight decided and another to be determined tonight. The following five teams are already sure of entering the championship games: Joseph, Willowa, La Grande, Baker and Union.

Next Monday, Feb. 27, district officials will gather here at 5 o'clock in the evening for the purpose of drawing for places in the tournament, according to J. D. Towler, of the district board. Incidentally, Mr. Towler reports that there has been some misunderstanding as to how the vote was conducted in awarding the tournament to Union. Union won from La Grande by a vote of 12 to 6, and neither the La Grande nor Union schools voted. The district board and its members had nothing whatever to do with the selection. Mr. Towler says, adding that the schools eligible for competition alone cast votes.

460 Auto Camps In Oregon Last Year

ROSEBURG, Ore., Feb. 20 (AP)—The state convention of the Oregon Auto Camp association convened here this morning with a large attendance. In addition to the Oregon auto camp owners there were delegations present from the California and Washington associations, all of the officers of the California organization being in attendance as visitors.

Reports this morning brought out the fact that the number of auto camps in Oregon has grown from 241 in 1925 to 460 in 1927.

BREAK ACCIDENT

SALISBURY, Ore., Feb. 20 (AP)—Unaware that his two and a half-year-old child was on the running board, Mel Koester, of Barlow, drove from his home towards Canby Monday morning. The youngster fell from the vehicle after riding nearly a mile, was picked up by passing motorists and taken to a doctor's office at Aurora, where it was found by his mother who had come after help when she missed the child. Bruises, cuts and a bad fright were the only injuries received by the youngster.

INCOME TAX FACTS

No. 1 The vast majority of taxpayers are married persons and therefore are entitled, in addition to the personal exemption and a credit for dependents, to a further credit of 25 per cent of the tax on their earned net income. Correctly to compute this credit, the taxpayer first must compute the amount of tax which would be payable without the earned income credit. From the amount of the tax 25 per cent is to be deducted, the balance being the amount of tax due.

Earned income is defined as wages, salaries, professional fees, and other amounts received as compensation for personal services actually rendered. However, all net income up to \$5,000, whether actually earned or not, is considered earned income for the purpose of the 25 per cent credit. A taxpayer may have received in 1927 a salary of \$2,400 and from a real-estate transaction a net profit of \$2,600. Nevertheless the entire \$5,000 is considered as earned income. The tax payable in such cases is computed as follows:

Table showing tax calculations: Net Income \$5,000.00, Less personal exemption \$500.00, Balance taxable at 1 1/2 per cent \$4,500.00, 1 1/2 per cent of \$4,500 \$67.50, Less 1/2 of \$2,500 earned income credit \$125.00, Income credit \$192.50.

Meat Production Declined In U. S. During the Year

WASHINGTON (Special)—According to the annual estimates of meat production and consumption prepared in the bureau of animal industry, the total production of meat in the United States during 1927 declined 373 million pounds in comparison with the preceding year, the totals being 17,245,000,000 pounds for 1926 and 16,872,000,000 pounds for 1927. The decline was wholly the result of the restricted supply of beef. It occurred, too, notwithstanding a substantial increase of 352 million pounds in the pork supply. In other words, the increase in pork was insufficient to offset one-half of the deficit in beef. Actually the decrease in beef amounted to 632 million pounds, or 3 1/2 per cent. Lamb and mutton production was practically the same in both years. A decline of 290 million pounds in the total meat available for consumption in 1927, together with the normal increase in population, accounted for a decrease of 2 1/2 pounds in the per capita consumption of all meats, which fell from 142.8 pounds in 1926 to 139.3 pounds in 1927.

It has been so long since you won an Olympic event we had forgotten it," replied the Swiss-German bandmaster blantly.

Wrestling Title Will Be Decided Tonight, St. Louis

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 20 (AP)—Here the rosters start crowing in the dawn of tomorrow, the world's heavyweight wrestling throne will have a legitimate occupant for the first time in seven years.

Ed "Strangler" Lewis and Joe Stecher two of the foremost grapplers of the heavyweight division, each claiming the title, will wrestle to a finish here tonight to settle their dispute over the championship. The prospects are that the match will draw 185,000 to 190,000, a record "gate" for wrestling.

With three preliminary matches to precede Lewis and Stecher are scheduled to settle down to their task about 10 p. m. If the match lasts as long as most contests of major importance, the first rays of tomorrow's sun may be streaking through the windows before either register the required two falls.

There has been little or no betting on the outcome of tonight's match, although Stecher, because of his frequent matches in St. Louis has been installed a slight favorite. Neither will have a weight advantage. Lewis intends going into the ring weighing 225 pounds while Stecher expects to scale about 225.

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STAGES LEAVE FROM LAGRANDE DEPOT

Wallowa Coach Co. Leave—La Grande for Joseph 8:45 a. m. 4:00 p. m. Connect with All Points West. Blue Mountain Transportation Co. Leave—La Grande for Baker, Boise 11:25 a. m. La Grande for Baker only 4:35 p. m. La Grande for Pendleton 10:30 a. m. 3:45 p. m. (Connections at Pendleton for Walla Walla and Pasco)

Advertisement for Travel by Motor Stage, featuring a motor stage illustration and contact information: For information call MAIN 799.

Advertisement for BANKERS LIFE COMPANY, Des Moines, Iowa. Established 1879. Reports Another Record-Breaking Year. NEW record gains in funds set aside for dividends to policy holders. Total Income \$15,183,541.09. Total Assets \$103,615,053.81. Gains in Nineteen Twenty-Seven. Total Resources and How Invested. Total Resources Listed Are Held by the Company for the Following Purposes.

Advertisement for Chesterfield cigarettes, featuring the slogan 'Too Big a Job' and 'IN 13 MONTHS... NEARLY A MILLION MEN HAVE CHANGED TO CHESTERFIELD!'. Includes an illustration of a man and a pack of cigarettes.

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