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FRENCH RUNNER FINISHES FOURTH

Paul Keller Beaten in Newark by Edwards, Nordell and Thompson

By Herbert W. Harley (Associated Press Staff Writer) NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 10 (AP)—The American debut of Paul Keller, French 800-meter champion, has proved no more of a success than that of his compatriot Seraphin Martin, world's record holder at the same distance.

Keller, with no previous experience in running indoors or on an un-banked track, finished no better than fourth in a special 1000 yards event in the Seton Hall college game, here last night.

Lacking knowledge of how to handle himself on the turns where he was badly jostled and handicapped in addition by an injury to his right foot, the Frenchman never was a contender in the race which Phil Edwards, flying negro star from Hamilton, Ont., won in the fast time of 2:17.9-10. Frank Nordell, New York university freshman, was second and Charlie Thompson of New York third.

Nail Ripped Off. In an early jam the nail on the big toe of Keller's right foot was ripped off and the Frenchman was limping badly at the finish. The injury was painful but not serious and Keller will go through with the balance of his engagements in this country.

The 1000 yard special was the highlight of the meet but there were several other events of more than ordinary interest. Bill Bruder, Newark A. C. dash man, conquered Ira Singer, New York university, and Leigh Miller of Canada, in all three races of the sprint series. Bernie McCafferty, Holy Cross quarter miler, ran the Waldron 600 yards in 1:14.4-10 to beat Eddie Roll, Newark A. C., and avenge a victory the Newark speedster scored over him last year in the same event.

Moore Wins Again. Gus Moore, of the Brooklyn Harriers, turned in his sixth consecutive triumph of the season in the two mile handicap in which Leo Lermond, Boston A. A. distance ace, could finish no better than fourth.

The next big track meet of the Eastern season will be the Meadowbrook club games at Philadelphia Thursday night. Martin, who finished third in an invitation half mile at the Millrose games here Saturday night, will run in a special 660 yard event.

Keller's next engagement is in the mile or the 1000 yards at the Boston A. A. games at Boston Saturday night.

AUSTRALIAN MAT KING WINS TILT

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cut horse with one of those flying tackles Scamman made famous and after three more of them, knocked out Donovan for the deciding fall and the match.

Time of Falls. Mull's time in the second fall was three minutes 17 seconds, and the time of the third fall was one minute 35 seconds.

The preliminaries were good, the two McCarroll youngsters opening up with a two-round boxing exhibition. Then McHugh and Hall fought three rounds to a draw, giving the fans plenty of action.

The last event before the headliner was a blindfold match between five sluggers, the wild antics of the unswerving scrappers keeping the mob of fans in side-splitting laughter.

Roy Farnam refereed the preliminaries and Ray McCarroll handled the main event.

New plans for extension work at Michigan State college contemplate sales organizations to help farm women market home produce.

Will Open Golf Course During Month of March

The private golf course, located at Lone Tree and owned by R. V. Copesey, will be open for play not later than Mar. 15, if the weather remains favorable, he announced today.

At present workmen are grubbing sagebrush from the course and half of a large quantity of finer grade sand is on the ground. Mr. Copesey plans to rearrange the course, install new sand greens to be not less than 60 feet in diameter, and worked up with a higher grade of dirt, which will allow for a smoother putting surface.

Willow trees are to be planted at some of the tees and more salt grass is to be planted. Forty pounds already have been sown.

Mr. Copesey has purchased a ruddy house on one of the courses, which he has hauled to the course to replace the one that was burned last fall. He expects to increase the size of the building after it is installed on the course.

The No. 1 hole will be in five par and the No. 9 will be located where No. 4 now is placed. There will be more water hazards, according to present plans, providing a sportier course.

OREGON DROPS GAME MONDAY TO COUGARS

PULLMAN, Wash., Feb. 10 (AP)—Washington State defeated Oregon 37 to 31 here last night in a thrilling basketball struggle, featured by an inspired rally by Oregon in the closing minutes of the game. With the score 33 to 31 three minutes before the end of the game Washington State called time out, recovering their equilibrium. The State's attack steadied down and Oregon's scoring spurt was stopped.

Now down 20 to 9 in their favor at the half, Washington State pulled up twelve more points before Oregon unleashed its rally. Stevens opened the fireworks with two long field goals. Eberhart, Collins and Roberts each added two baskets as the rally progressed. Washington State resorted to stalling, but had difficulty in holding the ball. Hunter Gordon, Pullman's sensational center, was high man with 15 points with his teammate, Art McLarney, all-coast guard playing a fine game. Eberhart and Roberts, Oregon centers, started for the Webfoots, the former scoring 19 and the latter eight points.

The teams meet again tonight.

GRID CAPTAIN GETS FORM WRESTLING ON MAT SQUAD

STILLWATER, Okla. (AP)—Chester Dotter of Stillwater went out for wrestling to learn timing, and thus become a better football player.

It worked for Dotter as named captain of the 1931 Oklahoma Aggie gridiron squad.

At the same time he gained considerable skill in the mat game. This season he represents his school in the 175-pound division, helping defend the national championship owned by Aggie grapplers.

FIGHTER BIKES 400 MILES AFTER FUNDS FOR FAMILY LONDON (AP)—Benny McGhee walked nearly 400 miles to get a footstool toward fame and fortune, particularly for his family.

Benny is 21 and sturdy and in 1928 was the amateur bantam champion in all Scotland.

Now ready to meet all comers in the featherweight class, he walked here from Glasgow to do so. Benny's family—his father, mother and six children—live on about \$10 a week, he said, because of the depression in the Clydebank shipyards.

That's why Benny wants fortune before fame.

A bill to be proposed in the Minnesota legislature will seek to prohibit the serving of lunches in drug stores and other places where they are side-lines.

A FAST STEPPER

—By Pap



MEET MISS STELLA

WALSH OF CLEVELAND THE HOLDER OF A FLOCK OF WORLD'S SPRINT RECORDS AND NATIONAL TITLES



Farrell Teaching British Champion

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., Feb. 10 (AP)—Miss Diana Fishwick, British woman golf champion, is taking some lessons from Johnny Farrell, former national open champion, here prior to her invasion of Florida tournaments.

Already Johnny has shown the English girl a neat trick about playing to the green. As most British golfers do, Miss Fishwick usually plays a pitch and roll shot to the green but that is not so successful in Florida because of the sandy soil.

A full pitch with plenty of back spin is the desired way to get on the carpet on golf courses in this state, and in her first game in America, Miss Fishwick picked up the knack nicely.

Crippled Athlete Graduates in June

REDDING, Cal., Feb. 10 (AP)—Robert Cunningham, 17, crippled football star of the Shaasta Union High school, will be graduated next June with honors because three girl students didn't forget him during the months he was in a hospital.

Instead of taking him candy and flowers, Misses La Verne Larsson, Mary Grinnel and Elaine Hildreth brought him his daily class assignments. With their aid he was able to keep up his class work.

His student friends promoted benefit dances and shows and with the proceeds paid a portion of Cunningham's hospital expenses. He was injured in a football game last fall.

Whitman Defeats College of Idaho

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Feb. 10 (AP)—The College of Idaho lost their first Northwest conference basketball game here last night to Whitman college 60 to 49. The score at the rest period was 34 to 17 for the Missionaries. Miller, forward, and Jones, center, both of Idaho were leading point getters with 18 and 13 respectively. The teams play again here tonight.

Nearly 10,000,000 tons of coal and coke were shipped to the Duluth-Superior harbor at the head of the Great lakes in 1930.

Shift No Issue For Meeting On Football Rules

CHAMPAIGN, Ill., Feb. 10 (AP)—The shift will not be an issue, and there will be no radical alteration of football rules, was the belief of Coach Bob Zuppke of the University of Illinois, as he headed for Aberdeen, N. J., today to attend the annual meeting of the rules committee.

"Coaches feel generally that the present rule satisfactorily governs the shift," Zuppke, who is a member of the advisory committee, said, "and most of them think the rules should be left alone."

The committee on rules of the coaches' association, based its report to the annual meeting on a questionnaire sent to coaches generally.

"One hundred eighty-two favored retention of the point after touchdown, which 89 favored abandoning it. More than 200 coaches favored removing the power of officials to award or take away a point after touchdown for infraction of rules, and that the penalty provided should be enforced. A large majority also thinks the offensive team should have the privilege of running with a recovered ball."

The other two members of the advisory committee are Dr. Jock Sutcliffe of the University of Pittsburgh, and Dan McGugin of Vanderbilt.

Arthur The Great Admits He's Flop

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 10 (AP)—There is—and this is by his own admission—one thing in which Arthur "What-a-Man" Shires is no good.

Arthur, who topped his ever-growing list of activities by making a speech before the Lions club yesterday, said he still pondered over why two major baseball leagues could get along without him. He's a first rate ball player, he said, quite something as a boxer doing good in professional basketball, and "I'll knock 'em cold with a bunch of stories I'm writing for a newspaper."

"But," the great Art confided, "as an actor in Hollywood, I was terrible."

Of 184,000 grade pupils in Oklahoma public schools, 99.4 per cent were promoted last year.

Joseph Hobbs, 87, Civil war veteran of Spokane, Wash., has read the Bible 14 times in 80 years.

Lomski, Manley Battle Tonight

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 10 (AP)—What "fistic fans believe to be a "natural" will be seen here tonight when Leo Lomski, Aberdeen light heavyweight and George Manley, former Denver locomotive engineer meet in a 10-round main vent. Seldom has a boxing match promised more thrills.

In the semi-final, Frisco McGale will meet Swede Nelson, Vernonia, logger.

Manley lost a very close decision to Charley Bellanger, Winnipeg.

WOMAN SUPERIOR? NEW YORK, Feb. 10 (AP)—The male of the species may not like it but Joseph Smith, Hunter college fencing coach, says:

"Women-if trained properly, can beat men at fencing because they are naturally quicker and think faster. Since fencing is a game where skill consists of anticipating the next move of your opponent, women, their minds acting faster than men, have the advantage."

Hansen Wins From The Utica Panther

SEATTLE, Feb. 10 (AP)—Charley Hansen, Seattle heavyweight, won the eight round main wrestling event here last night from Joe Malcewicz, Utica panther, on a foul in the fourth round. While Hansen was out on his feet, Malcewicz boosted him over the ropes, the referee ruling it a foul, giving Hansen a fall. Hansen heaved Malcewicz over the ropes in the sixth, knocking him out, but the Utica panther crawled back into the ring at the count of 19.

Gets Ten Years For Passing Bad Checks

ROSEBURG, Ore., Feb. 10 (AP)—Richard Avery, a "three-time loser" at Oregon state prison, was yesterday sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary when he pleaded guilty to charges of passing worthless checks. The county did not try him on the habitual criminal charge.

Avery escaped from the temporary jail here two years ago while awaiting sentence on a check charge. He was captured in California last month.

JOSEPH PERSONALS

By Maida L. Stevenson (Observer Correspondent) JOSEPH, Ore. (Special)—Mrs. George Gray left Friday for a month's visit with her sister, Mrs. Fred Laubsch, at Pendleton.

Elmer Hogoboom returned Wednesday from Walla Walla where he and Mrs. J. Hogoboom had gone a few days before to visit Mr. Hogoboom's mother, Mrs. William Cordner. Mrs. Hogoboom remained for a longer visit.

Joseph High school basketball boys went to Union Friday and lost the game to Union by a few points.

Melvin Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eckley Davis, of Enterprise, was in Joseph Saturday calling on friends. Mr. Davis was for a while employer in a local barber shop but had to give up his position because of sickness.

Mrs. Charles Stanley, who has been at the Wallowa hospital for several weeks where she underwent a major surgical operation, returned to her home south of town Saturday.

Mrs. F. D. McCully went to La Grande on Saturday to meet Mr. McCully and also to do some shopping. They came home the same evening.

Mrs. M. L. Persing and baby daughter came in Thursday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Gaulke. Mrs. Persing lives in Tacoma.

Mrs. Margaret DuBois and Mrs. George DuBois expect to leave in about two days for Portland where they will make their home. Miss Ruth DuBois teaches in the Joseph school and will not leave until after school closes.

Prof. Whitman, Miss Maida Caldwell and Miss Margaret Fisher attended teacher's institute at Wallowa Saturday.

Terrel and Norma Gray went to Lostine Saturday to visit their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Paige. Joseph basketball town team went to Wallowa Friday evening where they played a close game. The score was 23 to 21 in favor of Wallowa.

ALICEL PERSONALS

(Observer Correspondent) ALICEL, Ore. (Special)—Harvey Ruckman made a business trip to Perry last Saturday.

R. L. Hardwick was a recent business visitor at Lower Cove.

Frank Webb, of Hot Lake, recently visited friends in this community.

Bob Ballet, who is residing at the Ed Clark home, has a large class of music students. Mr. Ballet goes to La Grande every day to teach his students there besides giving Irma and Irene Clark lessons at their home here.

Mrs. Cecil Lovell, of La Grande, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Mel Stewart this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Moss and daughter, Janie, were recent guests of Frank Thorpe near Alicel.

Anna Pratt and Bessie Westenskow, of Imbler, were guests of Mrs. W. A. Bushman one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chick Cleaver have moved to Meacham where they expect to reside permanently as Mr. Cleaver has employment with the state highway department. They left Sunday for their new home.

The small son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lovell, who has been ill of whooping cough, is reported to be somewhat improved. He is at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Randall, of La Grande, and Mrs. Randall's mother, Mrs. A. A. Brown, of Alicel, motored to Cove one day last week and visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Stackland. Mrs. Stackland is also Mrs. Brown's daughter.

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CHICAGO (From Observer, Thur., Feb. 8, 1909) The council held its regular monthly session last evening. Mayor J. D. Slater being absent on account of a special session of court, Councilman Gardiner presided.

A contract for cutting 50,000 hewed ties has been let by the Denver and Rio Grande railway to Grider and White, the ties to be loaded at Spring Spur, Glover, Kamela and Hilgard this coming summer.

A pretty wedding reception was tendered Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Stodard, who were recently married in Salt Lake City, by Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Nibley, parents of the bride.

TEN YEARS AGO

(From Observer, Wed., Feb. 9, 1921) Gently falling rains and warmer temperature this morning is rapidly melting the foot of snow which fell yesterday afternoon and evening.

A marriage license was issued yesterday afternoon to Earl A. Ren and Emma Hofman, both of this city. Bird Frasier purchased a home on North Fourth street this week.

ONE YEAR AGO (From Observer, Sat., Feb. 8, 1930) The Bucks and Tigers staged another of their famous athletic contests last night and Pendleton came out on top, 21 to 13.

A baby girl was born last night to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Eberhardt (Margaret Donovan).

A request from Russia for a large amount of data on farming has been received by the secretary of the Kansas board of agriculture.

The superintendent of a rural school near Shawnee, Okla., tunes in desired radio programs for all rooms by a master control system.

Over Night News

(By The Associated Press) Domestic

Washington—Courtroom, Ohio—Tentative jury is chosen to try Mal S. Daugherty on charges growing from Ohio state bank failure.

Miami, Fla.—Crew of 25 from steamer British Chancellor, aground at Callinas Point, Colombia, picked up from small boats by steamer Tokoa.

Washington—Hoover asks \$500,000 appropriation to expedite deportation of aliens here illegally.

Indio, Cal.—Mob drives 25 Filipino vegetable farm workers out of Coachella valley district.

Washington—Mrs. Longworth and Mrs. Gann, seated at same table, applaud skit depicting burial of their hatchet.

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