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### Vines Wins From Lott in Chicago

CHICAGO, Dec. 30 (AP)—Eliot Vines, the Pasadena, Cal., youngster who holds the national singles tennis championship, is still making those rousing figures for victory, and Chicago has given charity about \$10,000 to see his latest one.

After losing the first set, 3-6, to George Lott of Philadelphia, at the Chicago stadium last night, Vines rallied just as he did to win the national title from Lott last September, and took the next two, 6-3, 10-8. The match was the feature of a charity tennis card that attracted about 7,000 spectators.

They played on an improved court made of roofing material, and what with frank hope and uncertain footing, the donors to charity saw a sensational match.

**Emerald Mines Long Lost**  
The so-called Choateville emerald mines of ancient Egypt were lost in the Middle Ages and were not found again until the Elizabethan century.

### TULANE DEFENSE MOST IMPRESSIVE

#### Undefeated Southern Champion to Face South- ern California Friday.

By Paul Zimmerman  
(Associated Press Sports Writer)  
PASADENA, Cal., Dec. 30 (AP)—Both Southern California and Tulane may be forced to haul out a lot of new offensive tricks when the two football teams run afoul in the seventh annual rose tournament game New Year's day if defensive data of the contesting eleven does not speak falsely.

The invading Greenies from New Orleans, bent on preserving the south's unbeaten record in Rose bowl play, boast the more impressive record in this department, but whether the green wave can stare off Troy's wanted power remains to be seen.

**Comparisons**  
Tulane held its eleven opponents this season to 53 first downs, an average of five a game, whereas Southern California allowed 64 in ten games for a 6.4 average.

Five touchdowns were chalked up against the Greenies and six against the Trojans. Each allowed three on passes. The rest came from running plays.

St. Mary's completed only two passes over the walls of Troy in Southern California's home defeat, yet both were good for touchdowns. The other aerial score came in the fading minutes of the 44 to 7 victory over Washington, when Coach Howard Jones had his third and fourth string players on the field.

Washington State scored on a reverse play, similar to one which netted the Chicago a touchdown over the Greenies a few weeks later. The other two crossings of the Southern California goal were engineered by Notre Dame, on a plumb through the line and on a lateral.

**Five Against Tulane**  
Mississippi A. and M., Louisiana State and Georgia each scored a touchdown since on passes while Washington State capitalized on two Tulane fumbles with deceptive running plays to account for the other two marks against the green wave. Members of both teams contem-

ed rugged workouts today. The Trojans will drill secretly at Boward field, Los Angeles, and then come here to remain until time for the game. Tulane will take its final serious workout at Tournament park. The two teams polish off tomorrow with signal drill on the Rose bowl turf.

Three special trains brought over 300 rooters from New Orleans yesterday including Mayor T. Semmes Walmsley and three members of the city council, Fred A. Eshart, Joseph E. Shelby and A. Miles Pratt. The Greenie band, cheer leader, and the scrub team of twenty were also in the group.

### EASTERN TEAM STRONGER ON POWER PLAYS

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30 (AP)—With the annual East-West football game two days distant, football fans in this region were looking forward to a contest of power against footness of foot and ability in the passing game, with the power favored to win.

Convinced that the eastern team, with a forward wall composed of giants and the hard hitting Hinkle and Russell to plough through the holes they tear, is vastly stronger than the western aggregation on plays before the ends, westerners who hope for another victory are pinning their faith on wide open and aerial plays.

That the west will rely on the air to a considerable extent was confirmed in practice yesterday. Mason and Toscani were the key men as Coaches Lacey and Bible drilled their men in an aerial attack designed to overcome the ground gains the players coached by Kerr and Hanley are expected to make.

The eastern backs continued to develop a system of reverse, spinners and power drives calculated to smother the western defense.

**Love and Hate**  
Love penetrates to the very depths of human feelings, being in its very nature akin to eternal and all-seeing wisdom. Hate, on the other hand, is clever and sharp-eyed, and trends near to things like a short-sighted man, and sees only details.—Otto Braun.

### CANTONWINE AND COUNT TO MEET

#### Return Match Scheduled For Jan. 5 — Police Ga- zette Rules to be Used

Howard Cantonwine, Iowa heavyweight wrestler, versus Count Ermak, the Russian member of the Russian nobility during the czar's reign.

That is the headline Promoter Ray McCarroll announces for La Grande fans for next Tuesday evening, Jan. 5, at Eagles hall.

And this time, instead of Australian white rules, the old Police Gazette rules will be in operation, and Cantonwine and the count will have two hours of grappling in which to settle their private mat feud.

The two met here on Dec. 19 and Harbovy took the first fall in the second round. Then in the third, both went down when Cantonwine weakened as he hoisted the Russian from his feet, and it was a double knockout, the match ending in a draw. Both men were out cold, and the wrestlers were no less surprised than the fans when they came to and fought out what it was all about!

Neither of the two has ever been defeated on a La Grande mat, but after next Tuesday night, it is reasonably safe to say that one of the two spotless records will be smirched with defeat.

Both men are clean wrestlers, resorting to tactics frowned upon by the majority of fans only when forced to by unscrupulous opponents.

The match Dec. 19 was fast and furious, and the referee was called in more than usual roughness. Before the last match, Cantonwine was generally favored to defeat the count, but rumor has it that the two will go on the mat here next week even-

### WALTER PIERCE IS NOT THROUGH WITH POLITICS

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The people just decided that I could milk cows better than run affairs of the state. But I am not through with public life. When asked if he would enter the congressional race in the second district, the Democratic leader replied he was undecided.

In his address, the former governor discussed national issues, including unemployment, the gold standard and the credit situation. He advocated that the federal government guarantee all bank deposits in federal banks and the states in state banks. He favored increasing the world's money supply by accepting bimetalism.

**SPEAKS AT WALLA WALLA**  
WALLA WALLA, Wash., Dec. 30 (Special)—History reveals Woodrow Wilson as one of the four great presidents of the nation. Walter M. Pierce, former governor of Oregon, declared Monday night before an audience of 100 men and women which had gathered in honor of the seventy-fifth birthday anniversary of the war president. The ex-governor, backed by the Washington, Lincoln and Roosevelt.

### 1931 RAINFALL SHORTAGE HERE MORE THAN INCH

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Grande's 1931 rainfall, with a shortage of 3.47 inches for eight of the 12 months, and a surplus of 4.13 for four months, ranging from 37 of an inch for November to the normal 41.19 for the year. About a half inch of rain fell in the past 24 hours.

The figure of 3.47 inches is arrived at, not by including the unofficial averages for January, February and July, but by proving with the government official average, and the use of the official averages for the other nine months of the year.

**PORTLAND HAS SURPLUS**  
PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 30 (AP)—For the first time since 1927 Portland has a surplus in annual rainfall.

Rain last night and early today put the 1931 total above the normal 41.19 inches for the year. About a half inch of rain fell in the past 24 hours.

The temperature dropped to 36 degrees this morning and in the higher spots of the city the rain was mixed with snow and sleet.

Snow fell in the Columbia river gorge today, heavily at Hood River, and moderately at Cascade Locks and Grand Dunes, Wash.

The weather prediction was for rain and lower temperatures tonight and Thursday.

### HOT LAKE PERSONALS

By Mrs. Harriet MacDonald  
(Observer Correspondent)  
**HOT LAKE (Special)**—Mrs. M. Anderson, of Walla Walla, proprietor of a fur shop of that place, is taking a rest at the sanatorium during the holiday season.

Mrs. C. E. Newton, of Nyssa, is a recent arrival in the hospital. August Berger, of Duluth, Minn., connected for over 20 years with the Edward Hines Lumber Co. of Burma, is a patient in the hospital.

Christmas was suitably observed at the sanatorium. A tiny Christmas tree was placed in every room in the hospital and the boys were gay with evergreen and holly. Conspicuous among these decorations was a huge holly wreath in the lobby, a gift from Mrs. W. A. Skene, of Astoria, a former patient. A special dinner was served in both the sanatorium and hospital. Many went home for the weekend, but those who stayed felt that they had a

### Some Bad News for Tommy Loughran



These were telling blows that "King Lesinsky" (with his back to the camera) was landing when this picture was taken in New York's Madison Square Garden. The gambles were telling Tommy Loughran, his opponent, worse bad news about his heavyweight ring aspirations. Loughran made three trips to the canvas during the ten-round bout, and was out-pointed by Lesinsky, the Chicago youngster whose real name is Harry Krakow.

pleasant Christmas after all. Margaret Crew and Mrs. Irene Barker were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Bishop for dinner on Christmas day.

Mrs. Sarah Caspar, the hospital dietitian, is spending the Christmas vacation with her daughter at Yakima, Wash.

On Wednesday night of last week, 15 or 20 young people of the Epworth league of Union gave a delightful program of Christmas carols and Rev. R. C. Lee made a most interesting talk. The effort made by this group, who came out on a most stormy night to entertain their friends at the Lake is deeply appreciated.

H. Schwelke, of near Hot Lake, brought his small son, Harold, to the hospital on Monday with a badly injured hand, the result of an accident with an axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard O'Brien and Warren of Poodosa, visited at the Warren Gilbert cottage over Christmas and the weekend.

W. E. McCall, of McCall, Idaho, is spending a few days at the sanatorium.

Miss Florence E. Johnson, of the Normal school staff at Monmouth, is taking her Christmas vacation at the sanatorium, resting and taking the baths.

Ralph Robinson, of O. S. C., has been at the Lake making one of his periodical visits for testing dairy cows.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Abbot, of Nyssa, Ore., paid the sanatorium a brief visit last week.

Mrs. C. W. Thompson, of La Grande, who had the misfortune to fall and receive a very severe fracture of the right ankle on Christmas day, was brought to the hospital for surgical care. Although the injury is a painful one, Mrs. Thompson is now resting comfortably.

S. A. McDonald, of Pendleton, accompanied by Mrs. McDonald, returned to the hospital on Christmas day. Mr. and Mrs. McDonald conduct the McDonald school of music in Pendleton and are prominent in musical circles in that place.

Mrs. M. Anderson delighted the Women's Bible Hour group on Sunday with an account of her visit to Palestine. Using a map of that country as an outline, she gave a most graphic impression of that wonderful journey.

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### Committee Will Make an Inquiry Into Fatalities

By Herbert W. Barker  
(Associated Press Sports Writer)  
NEW YORK, Dec. 30 (AP)—A committee of the American Football Coaches' association will investigate the causes for the nearly 50 lives the game cost in 1931.

Dr. Marvin A. Stevens, of Yale, will head the committee, created at the coaches' annual session here yesterday. Stevens, as newly elected president of the association, will appoint the other members.

Burt Ingwersen, former coach at the University of Iowa, reporting on possible rules changes, said discussions with 50 coaches had indicated they were "well satisfied with the rules as they are."

He made no specific recommendations for changes, evidently believing the rules committee would adequately deal with the situation when it meets in February.

**Plenty of Suggestions**  
But no sooner had Ingwersen finished than his brother coaches fired one suggestion after another for rules changes designed to make the game safer.

John Heisman would abolish all massed interference, eliminating the use of linemen to head interference on end sweeps.

Glenn S. (Pop) Warner, of Stanford, in a letter read at the meeting, would prohibit the use of hands by a defensive lineman on the head and neck of an opponent. He insisted also that hard helmets and hard leather pads were more of a threat than a defense.

Sessions today and tomorrow of the National Collegiate Athletic association will close the meetings.

### O. S. C. CAGERS DOWN OLYMPIC QUINTET, 28-26

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30 (AP)—Oregon State college's basketball quintet defeated the Olympic club 28 to 26 in a fast game here last night. The game was won in the last two minutes of play when Lewis, lanky Beaver center, put his team ahead with two long shots. The club led 15 to 11 at the half.

### IDAHO WINS MISSOULA, Mont., Dec. 30 (AP)—

Idaho started off a closing Montana threat to take the first game of their

two-game basketball series, 44 to 41, here last night. With the Vandals leading by six points at the opening of play, the Grizzlies made a shift in their lineup, which enabled them to fight on even terms the remainder of the first half. Idaho led 26 to 20 at the half.

**Correct**  
Little Tommy had just started to school. When he got home his uncle was there, and Tommy told him he had received 100 iq arithmetic. His uncle said to him in a teasing voice, "How much would seven roses, three roses, and two roses make?" Whereupon Tommy hesitatingly replied, "A bouquet."

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