

SEASON OF 1921 GREATEST IN HISTORY OF GRIDIRON.



More records were broken and more were made during the 1921 football season than any other year in the history of the sport. Never before was there as good playing witnessed as was seen during the past year. Colleges, prep schools and universities throughout the country report that the past season was their biggest ever. By many football was thought to have reached its pinnacle of popularity during the 1920 season. The past year, however, has shattered all suppositions and has surpassed all previous records. The most notable and curious achievements made on the gridiron were made by individual players. It is said that the backfields on an average were the strongest ever assembled. There is much truth in this. For example, in 800 intercollegiate game there was only four instances where a player crossed the goal line for a touchdown after catching the kickoff. The players seen above, representing the North, East, South and West, made the most spectacular plays of the year.

county, on the south slope of Mt. Hood, one has atmospheric conditions 3,752 feet higher than Salem. Pendleton has an altitude of -620 feet, 932 feet higher than Salem. Baker is located at an altitude of 3,471 feet, this being 3,333 feet higher than Salem. Cities with the highest altitude in the state are as follows: Silver Lake in Lake county, 4,496 feet; Lakeview in Lake county, 4,950 feet; Crescent in Klamath county, 4,452 feet above the sea level; Andrews in Harney county, 4,100 feet and Austin in Grant county, 4,250 feet above sea level. Astoria with its 24 feet above sea level, has the lowest altitude in the state of all cities. Florence located on the sea coast west of Eugene, has an altitude of 75 feet. Portland is 57 feet above and Marshfield, 40 feet above sea level. Toledo is 75 feet above the sea, and the Wallace orchards, 173 feet above, or 35 feet higher than Salem.

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Moslem Situation is Reviewed by H. A. Khan

AHMEDABAD, British India, Dec. 26.—In his presidential address at the all-India caliphate conference here, H. A. Khan re-

viewed the Moslem situation throughout the world. He said that Asia Minor on one side and India on the other, were the two extreme links in the chain of a future Islamic federation. He complimented the Turks that their victory over the Greeks had smashed British diplomacy. Britain alone, he said, stood in the way of a real solution of the near-eastern question. India wanted peace not only if it safeguarded the rights of citizenship and national honor. He charged that the government had committed inhuman atrocities at Malabar under martial law. There is talk of organizing a "Father-and-Son" get-together movement. Anything like the get-together movement that had the woodshed for its habitat?

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Highway Traffic Halted In Southern California

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 26.—Highway traffic throughout southern California was seriously impeded tonight through storm damage, 11 bridges in various sections being washed out or closed as a result of the storm of the past week. In Los Angeles the total rainfall for the storm was 5.76 inches, 50 of an inch falling in the past 24

hours, bringing the seasonal total to 8.02, compared with 2.93 for the same period last year. Heavier rainfall was recorded in southern California below Los Angeles. The swollen streams washed out temporary repairs in several bridges which went out in the early part of the storm. Train and stage service to San Diego was suspended today when highway and Santa Fe railway bridges were washed out.

ASSOCIATION TO RECEIVE MONDAY

Program of Music and Athletics Scheduled by Y.M.C.A. Men

Although there was no special program of Y. M. C. A. activities yesterday, the association headquarters will take on an entirely different aspect next Monday, for on that day there will be a special New Year's program presented. Already all lodges and churches have received invitations to attend the open house next Monday when there will be continuous entertainment from 2 o'clock in the afternoon until 8:40 in the evening.

For those who have an interest in athletics, there will be a series of games in basketball, volleyball and biffball. There is also scheduled a volley and biffball game between the Kiwanis and Rotarian teams, and one between the state house employees and the bankers. And then there will be music for those who are artistically inclined. During the afternoon light refreshments will be served by the Y Mothers' club from 4 o'clock in the afternoon until 9:30 in the evening. Carlis Abrams is chairman of the social committee that will have charge of the afternoon's program.

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If one travels in and direction from Salem, excepting north, the traveling is up hill. This is in accordance with the altitude records of the United States weather bureau. Altitude above the sea level has much to do with the general temperature of a city, and for this reason, the temperature of Salem, 133 feet above, Astoria 24 feet above sea level, and Klamath Falls, 4,100 feet altitude, will naturally differ greatly in temperature, due to altitude as well as other causes. For instance, Albany is 74 feet higher than Salem, and during the record breaking of weather in December of 1919, Albany's lowest temperature was 15 below, and the lowest for Salem reported

to the United States bureau as six degrees below. This was on the night of December 23, 1919. On the day before Christmas of 1919, during the same cold wave, Astoria recorded official weather as one degree below, while Klamath Falls reported 16 below. Going to Portland from Salem, one travels down hill 81 feet, as Portland has an altitude of 57 feet above the sea level. Going to McMinnville from Salem, one travels up hill 16 feet. From the capital city to Eugene, is a gradual up hill pull as that university city has an altitude of 449 feet, 311 feet higher than Salem. It is also up hill driving to Corvallis from Salem, as the college town has an altitude of 266 feet, placing it 128 feet higher than Salem. Mt. Angel has an altitude of 347 feet higher than Salem. At Government camp in Clackamas

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