

## COLD CALIFORNIA GREET'S ALABAMANS

Stanford and Team From Southland Work Out in icy Weather at Pasadena

PASADENA, Cal., Dec. 27.—(AP)—Coach Glenn "Pop" Warner, foxey pilot of the red-shirted pigskin toters from Stanford university, came to town today with those members of his outfit who don't live hereabouts anyway, and prepared to settle down to some preliminary training work which will put his squad in condition to reverse the flow of the crimson tide from Alabama New Year's day and turn it back to Dixieland.

Maybe he will and maybe he won't, said Mr. Wallace Wade, as he and his warriors, from the south, arrived back near the rose bowl from Hollywood with the routine duty of visiting the motion picture studios out of the way.

Promptly at 1:30 this afternoon Wade and his men, wondering "California" risk, romped out on the field in the Arroyo Seco, swung their arms for a while to get the blood circulating, and went through some snappy practice. Pearce and Payne alternated at center position and will be ready to play New Year's in case "Sherlock" Holmes, star pivot man from Dixie, falls to get his appendix calmed down in time for the east-west mixup. With the enemy camped on the rim of the canyon, Wade ordered all the bowl's gates locked while his field general called signals.

The red from Stanford prepared to take the field when the tide ran out. The 21 men from Palg Alto, with their chief, were greeted at the Huntington hotel this morning by alumni.

Football "low downs" said Warner would use the remainder of the week before the big game in polishing up the overhead attack and defense, in which department of the game Alabama is superior, if figures do not tie.

Betting odds stood at around 10 to 7 for Stanford, but there were sufficient arguments from the tide camp to reverse these figures. Dopesters pointed out the all-season success of the Dixie squad in forward passing and aerial defense to offset the back-field work of Warner's men.

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## FOOTBALL RULES MAY BE CHANGED

Line Shift and Huddle System Meet With Disfavor of Officials

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Radical revision of football rules including abolition of the huddle system of signalling and the line shift, was favored today by the eastern association of intercollegiate football officials at its annual meeting.

Almost unanimous disapproval of the shift because of its doubtful legality and of the great burden it placed on referees during the 1926 season, was expressed by 100 experts at the meeting.

The chief objection to the huddle was that it has tended to "slow up" games.

The officials also favored retention of the ball at the start of the second half by the team holding possession of the pigskin at the close of the first half. They would have it put in play at the spot where hostilities are interrupted by the whistle for intermission. Under existing rules, play is resumed in the second half with a kick-off.

Discarding of the five yard forward pass penalty adopted last year, retention of the point-after-touchdown, which was characterized as a "real team play" and limitation of all junior high school or elementary school games to eight minute periods, were other changes approved.

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## Athletic Group Withdraws From Olympic Federation

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Protesting alleged domination of America's participation in the 1928 Olympic games by a minority group controlled by the Amateur Athletic union, the National Amateur Athletic Federation at its annual meeting voted today to withdraw from the American Olympic association.

Presaging conflict with the A. A. U. in its own field, the federation, which claimed within its membership 90 per cent of the nation's amateur athletic activities, then adopted a program for 1927 which calls for frequent meetings in every section of the country and a more intensive development of its work along state lines.

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Portland—Newest super-power radio station starts giving test programs.

## KEARNS' SUIT GOES TO DISTRICT COURT

County Said Not to Have Proper Jurisdiction in Case Against Dempsey

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Common pleas court today granted the petition of counsel for Jack Kearns, former manager of Jack Dempsey, former heavy weight champion, for removal of Kearns' suit against Dempsey to the United States district court.

Counsel for Dempsey, who at first objected to the removal to the federal court, withdrew his opposition at the last moment. The reason for the transfer was that Kearns, being a resident of New York, and Dempsey, claiming California as his home, the county court did not have the proper jurisdiction, even though Dempsey was staying at a hotel here when served with a summons in the suit.

Kearns charges Dempsey violated a contract under which Kearns was entitled to a certain percentage of the receipts and profits of all boxing contests, theatrical engagements, or other exhibitions in which Dempsey would participate. His total claim amounts to \$519,999.98.

## O'Farrell Will Succeed Hornsby as Card Manager

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 27.—(AP)—Bob O'Farrell, catcher, was appointed late today to manage the world's champion St. Louis Cardinals, succeeding Rogers Hornsby, who was traded, to the New York Giants for Frank Frisch and James Ring.

Sam Breadon, club president, announced O'Farrell had signed a one year contract. Terms were not revealed. Bill McKechnie, former manager of the Pittsburgh Pirates will be O'Farrell's assistant and coach, the new manager and President Breadon announced tonight.

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## BEAUTY AND DRAMA IN ELSINORE FILM

"The Winning of Barbara Worth" Being Shown Last Times Today

Tense dramatic incidents, an incomparable love story, unusual scenic effects, together with an underlying strain of comedy and the graphic portrayal of desert development join to make Henry King's film, "The Winning of Barbara Worth," is playing last times today at the Elsinore theater in conjunction with an appropriate and colorful prologue of local talent.

Filmed on the great arid Black Rock Desert, the story unfolds a world of entertaining and educational features before Ronald Colman, as Willard Holmes, begins to feel sure that he has finally won the fair Barbara, played by Vilma Banky.

Ronald Colman's ride with the payroll to stop a threatened revolt of laborers in the town of Barbara, built by Jefferson Worth, Barbara's father, to compete with Kingston, is one of the high spots of the production. Over miles of barren desert and through the beautiful canyons of the Harlequin Mountains, Willard Holmes and Abe Lee rode through the night. Bandits, hired by James

Greenfield, Holmes' foster-father, waylaid the pair in Devil's Canyon. The battles distinguished by its sincerity and the excellent acting of the characters involved, resulted in the wounding of both men. This bit of action afforded Colman opportunity to perform one of the most spectacular screen feats he has undertaken in his successful career.

Vilma Banky, who as the grown-up Barbara, casts the magic spell over Ronald Colman, young easterner, and Gary Cooper, as Abe Lee, desert-bred western engineer, plays the mother of the infant Barbara in the prologue of the picture. For more than a week, with the temperature hovering around 130 degrees, the talented actress worked in the biting blasts of man-made sand storms in order that she might give the limit of realism to the part, which called for great dramatic portrayal and emotional acting.

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The program will be rendered at the Waller Hall, Wednesday evening, December 29, 1926, at 7:45 p. m. Dr. C. G. Doney of Willamette university will give the invocation. Dr. J. M. Caanse, of Kimball School of Theology, will be the guest of honor. Alden Smith will give a vocal solo. A steel guitar solo will be provided by one of the members of the Filipino string orchestra.

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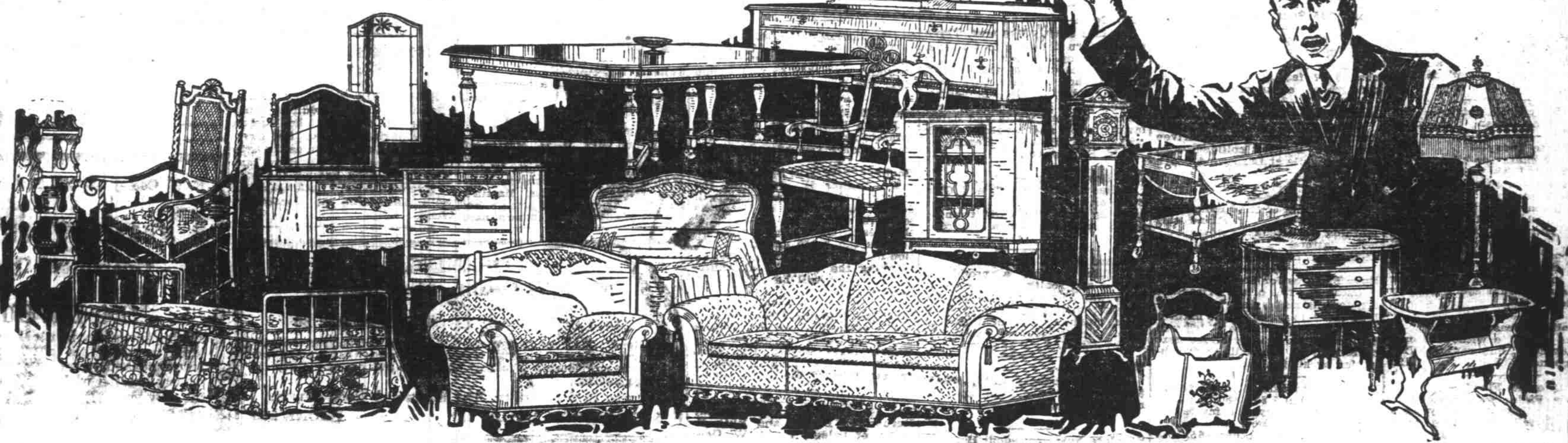
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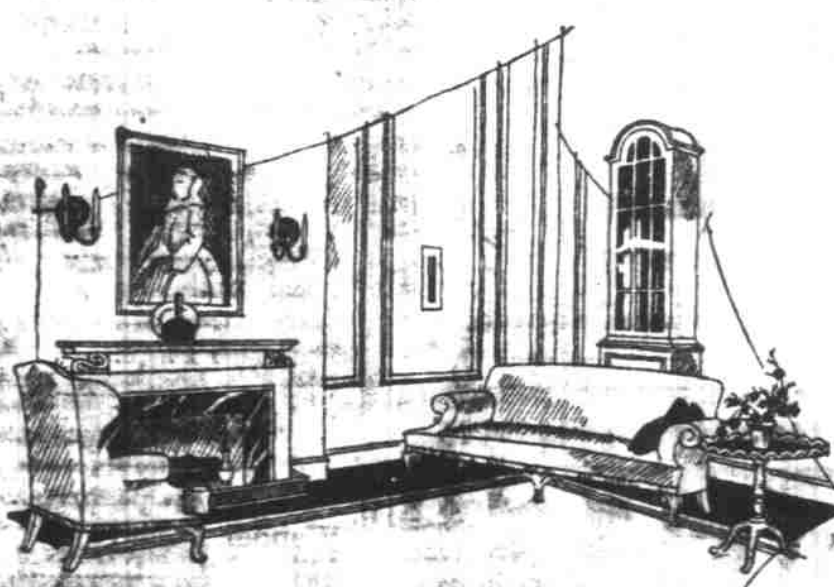
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