

# All-Conference Eleven Chosen By Northwest Circuit Grid Mentors

## McKENZIE OF W. U. UNANIMOUS CHOICE

Six football players in the northwest conference were unanimously chosen by the coaches for places on the 1927 all-conference team. One of these was a Willamette man, McKenzie, guard.

Cranor, touted by Coaches Keen, Kasberger, and Frank as the outstanding half of the conference, and named by Coach Keene as captain of his selection, failed to get the vote of Clyde Hubbard, Puget Sound mentor, who preferred one of his own men, Purvis.

Coach Cornell, of College of Idaho, has declined to take a selection of his own but assented to any choice the other coaches might make.

The end positions, with Holmgren and Wilson, were quickly filled. So were center and fullback, with Gilliam and Dillie, both of Idaho, the clearly outstanding men.

But when it came to the other places, the coaches disagreed considerably. McKenzie was chosen as guard by all for his fighting defensive ability.

Coach Keene's complete choice was as follows: Gilliam, Idaho center; McKenzie, Willamette, and Stovel, Idaho, guards; Swin, Idaho, and Warwick, Whitman, tackles; Holmgren, Whitman, and Wilson, Puget Sound, ends; Brown, Idaho, quarterback; Cranor, Willamette, and Meckelson, Whitman, halves; Dillie, Idaho, fullback.

## MYTHICAL COAST 11 PICKED BY COACHES

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—(AP)—Morley Drury, Southern California backfield star was unanimously chosen a member of the 1927 All-coast football team announced today by the Associated Press after a border to border poll of coaches, officials and sports editors along the Pacific slope.

Seventeen authorities, making their selections for the Associated Press, agreed on Drury, 13 placing him at quarterback, and four naming him for a halfback position. The Trojan captain was the only candidate receiving recognition from all.

Washington and Stanford each placed three men on the honorary eleven. Jess Hibbs, Southern California tackle, fell one vote short of unanimous choice, while Larry Bettencourt, St. Mary's great center, and captain, was selected for that position by 13 critics.

Two Idaho players, Diehl, guard, and Burgher, end, received generous recognition, but not quite enough to displace the leaders.

The all coast team: End—Phillips, California. End—Schub, Washington. Tackle—Hibbs, Southern California. Tackle—Coltrin, California. Guard—Wright, Washington. Guard—Post, Stanford. Center—Bettencourt, St. Mary's. Quarterback—Drury, Southern California. Halfback—Carroll, Washington. Halfback—Hyland, Stanford. Fullback—Hoffman, Stanford.

MOORE BEATS ROCHE  
SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—(AP)—Tom Moore, 198, of Los Angeles, won a 10 round decision over Joe Roche, 168 1/2, of San Francisco, in a fast fight at Golden Gate arena here tonight.

## ALL-NORTHWEST CONFERENCE GRID TEAM FOR 1927

(Selected by Coaches Keene, Borleske, Frank, Cornell, and Hubbard.)  
FIRST TEAM  
Holmgren, Whitman ENDS  
Wilson, Puget Sound  
Swin, Idaho  
Pollock, Pacific  
McKenzie, Willamette  
Gilliam, Idaho  
Gillman, Puget Sound  
Cranor, Willamette  
Meckelson, Whitman  
Dillie, Idaho  
SECOND TEAM  
Tucker, Pacific  
Pollock, Pacific  
Garnero, Puget Sound  
Warwick, Whitman  
Mort, Willamette  
King, Linfield  
Brown, Idaho  
Purvis, Puget Sound  
Warren, Linfield  
Agee, Linfield  
GUARDS Lackenbush, Puget Sound  
CENTER King, Linfield  
QUARTERBACK Brown, Idaho  
HALVES Purvis, Puget Sound  
WARREN, Linfield  
FULLBACK Agee, Linfield

## 110,000 People Will See Trojans Meet Notre Dame

CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—(AP)—The University of Southern California, undefeated and with only a tie with Stanford to tarnish its brilliant record this season, will engage Notre Dame on Soldier's field tomorrow, in the first eastern invasion of a California team.

The battle will be witnessed by another throng of 110,000 spectators, thus equalling the football attendance record for all time set when the army played the navy on the same field a year ago. The demand for tickets has been just as great as for the spectacular service clash, and if Soldier's field could accommodate a quarter million persons, all of them would be trying to squeeze into the stadium.

Weather indications tonight point to a mild afternoon with a temperature considerably above freezing. As a result the gridiron will be dry and fast, assuring a firm footing. The field has been well protected for a week with a coating of hay.

The Trojans, perhaps the strongest team on the coast, and possessing individual stars as well as a powerful machine, are actually engaging in more than a football game with Notre Dame. They are, pioneering among California elevens, in coming into midwestern territory to play a game and the result of this sort of inter-sectional play will be watched with interest by football followers throughout the land.

Coach Jones said he intended to start the same team that has beaten everything in sight on the Pacific coast, except Stanford. Rockne alone knows the combination which will take the field at the kickoff for Notre Dame.

But this is the probable lineup: Notre Dame Southern California Colerick . . . LE . . . McCaslin Ransavage . . . LG . . . Hibbs Cannon . . . LT . . . Heiser Moynihan . . . C . . . Barrager Law . . . RG . . . Anthony McGrath . . . RT . . . Cheving Benda . . . RE . . . Tappan Brady . . . QB . . . Drury Niemiec . . . LH . . . L. Thomas Chevigny . . . RH . . . Saunders Collins . . . FB . . . Edelson  
Time of game: 1:30 p. m., Central standard time.

## BEARCAT HOOPMEN TO START MONDAY SEATS AT PREMIUM FOR BAYES-PELZ GO

With the ending of the gridiron year, comes the opening of the basketball season for the Willamette Bearcats. Next Monday is the day, Coach "Spec" Keene announced yesterday.

"I want all freshmen who are intending to turn out for the squad to be on hand for the first practice without fail, Monday afternoon from 5 until 6 in the gymnasium," said Keene.

The object of this is to get a line on those who stand a chance of bumping the varsity players from their berths. Competent lettermen are on hand for every position except that of center, but Keene will carry a squad of twenty at home and take ten men on all trips, so there will be places open for aspiring freshmen and others. Keene has his eye on Cardinal for the center position. The way he handles the football indicates that he will be a competent hoop ball manipulator. He suffered a slight ankle injury in the game Thursday but will be in shape soon.

What the prospect is for this season's team is not a mystery. It is certain to be better than last, when it tied for the conference title. The title will be hard to corral this year, however, for Willamette may play the Missionaries two games on the small, narrow Walla Walla floor on which they are practically unbeatable. The Bearcats also must journey to College of Idaho for two games.

The trip through California will be taken during the Christmas holidays.

If Salem fans want to obtain desirable seats for the Bayes-Pelz bout next Wednesday, it will be necessary to make reservations tonight, Matchmaker Plant announced last night. The mail every day brings requests from out of town patrons for ducts, many of them seats as far as Newport. Extra seats will be put in for the event, which is expected to draw a record crowd.

It is well that a large crowd seems assured. Plant said last night, for only by big support will he be able to bring such a fight to Salem again. Pelz is a headliner who draws \$800 to a \$1000 on a fight, and is not inclined to risk his reputation as a fighter for any small sum.

Jack Wagner, Pelz's manager, telephoned Plant yesterday that his fighter would mix with Newport Brown in the main event at Portland two weeks hence, and that he would put everything into his mix with Bayes to prevent the local battler from gaining the victory, and spilling the crowd interest for the Portland go.

Bayes is working out at the armory every day, and taking steam baths to bring his weight down to 127 pounds for the fight. Both men signed an agreement to reach that weight or forfeit \$100. They will be weighed in at the armory two o'clock Wednesday. The semi-windup will be announced by Plant sometime today.

After all, the real Battle of the Century is this international chess championship meet.

## AND HERE'S A "BLONDE BLIZZARD"



Tulane University boasts a real backfield star in Bill Banker, one of the outstanding halfbacks in the south. They call him the "Blonde Blizzard," this foot-footed runner from Lake Charles, La.

## Mickey Walker Wins from Paul Berlenbach at N. Y.

COLISEUM, Chicago, Nov. 25.—(AP)—Mickey Walker, world's middleweight champion, failed to knock out Paul Berlenbach, one time world's light heavyweight champion, but had no trouble winning the decision in ten savage rounds tonight.

The match, fought in the Coliseum, drew 9,000 with gate receipts of \$52,000. Walker, conceding 11 and one-quarter pounds in weight, gave Berlenbach an unmerciful beating, winning every round.

## PORTLAND AWAITS TODAY'S GRID TILT

PORTLAND, Nov. 25.—(AP)—The Tartans of Carnegie Tech., and the big orange squad of Oregon State Agricultural college will meet here tomorrow in the first east-west football game of the 1927 season.

While neither team had a particularly successful season, tomorrow's contest is expected to be one of the best seen here in years. Both squads have been coached in the most modern football technique and reliance will be had on speed, mystery and generalship rather than on brute strength.

The Oregon State team tonight felt itself particularly handicapped with the loss of George Scott, orange halfback, who is now lying in a hospital, seriously ill with pneumonia. The loss of this 155 pounds of driving elusiveness is looked upon as a severe blow to aggie chances.

A redeeming feature is that Dave Luby, diminutive halfback with whom Scott was competing for honors in the left half of the backfield, is in perfect condition for the game.

The Carnegie Tech. team, boasting a heavy line and a lightning like backfield, arrived today. The men were in good condition, considering the long trip, Assistant Coach R. N. Waddell, said.

The game will start at 2 p. m. Speaking of happiness, it is a dividend for which an investment must be made.

## THEY'LL MEET WHEN IRISH PLAY THE TROJANS



LLOYD AND MAX THOMAS SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CARL DRURY CALIFORNIA

One of the most colorful inter-sectional football battles of the year is the game between the University of Southern California and Notre Dame to be played at Soldier's Field, Chicago, on Saturday, Nov. 26. The Thomas brothers—Max and Lloyd—and Captain Morley Drury are backfield men for the Trojans and depending upon, while Christy Flanagan and John Neimec will do their share of the backfield work for the Irish.

## JINX RULES AGAIN IN WHITMAN GAME

The malicious "jinx" Whitman's friend for eight years, performed again Thanksgiving day, this time more efficiently than ever.

The reasons for this deduction are: (1) Willamette completed 20 out of 26 passes in spite of a field literally soaked with mud, an unusual record for any team, and one which far outstripped Whitman's performance in that department.

(2) Willamette made first down 14 times to Whitman's nine. (3) Whitman scored two touchdowns on intercepted passes, two on passes, the kind Willamette's defense this year has been almost impregnable against, and one on two straight 15-yard penalties for alleged unnecessary roughness on the part of McKenzie, the Bearcat's fighting guard. Most of his scores were made on what might be termed "breaks of the game."

(4) Uninterested spectators at the game were loud in their statements that Willamette had the better team.

What is the "jinx?" Coach "Spec" Keene calls it "mental altitude." The men fight harder and try more earnestly to win than against any other team. But they seem to overdo it. There is too much tension.

"If the men had gone into the game as they would go into a scrimmage on their own field, they would have won hands down," said Keene last night; not by way of alibi, for he was loud in his praise of the Whitman team.

Willamette's chance to score early in the game was turned into a touchdown for the Missionaries. After working the ball to the 18 yard line, C. Depoe stepped back

back and passed to Mumford. Mumford was right under it with the field clear for a certain touchdown but instead of dragging the ball down, he pushed it with his hands, into the grip of Meckelson, who galloped 102 yards for the score.

Another long pass to Cardinal was intercepted by Fetters who romped 80 yards for another six points.

The Bearcats' lone score came late in the game by the process of completing seven consecutive passes, one on every play, an unusual feat.

Cranor, Willamette sophomore, who already ranks as the best halfback of the conference, played a spectacular game, unerring in passing and kicking. Lang, also, played a fine game until he was injured, and Hank substituted.

In spite of previous reports to the contrary, Whitman's line and backfield outweighed Willamette all the way through by about six pounds.

Only one man on the Bearcat squad will graduate this year. That one is Zeller. Woodworth has played four years, but as he participated in games against Washington and College of Idaho for only two minutes in his freshman year, Keene will bring his name before the conference meeting in December and endeavor to secure his eligibility for next year. McKenzie probably will be lost to the squad as he plans not to return to school. He is one of the most valuable players.

## THREE-CUSHION TOURNAMENT PLAN

The first three-cushion billiard tournament held in Salem for a long time, will open at the Bligh Billiard parlors next Monday evening, with 12 players entered.

This will be a handicap affair, and L. E. Albright is to be one of the scratch men. Some of the other players, however, don't care to take any odds, and may insist

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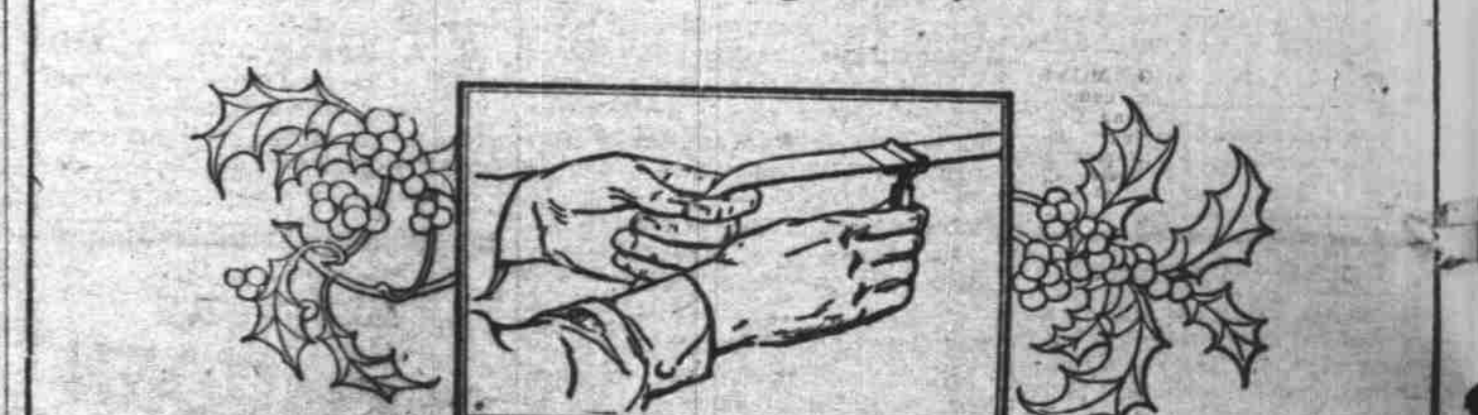
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GIRL RIVALS CLASH  
SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—(AP)—St. Mary's college and Santa Clara university, old time gridiron rivals, clash here tomorrow in their annual game. This year the teams come together on terms more even than in many years. Both have won 1927 victories over the great Stanford eleven.