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LEGION MEN OF COUNTY TO BE PENDLETON'S GUESTS

BIG SMOKER FOR BOYS IS IN EAGLE-WOODMEN AT 8 P. M. TOMORROW

Eighteen Rounds of Boxing and Two Wrestling Bouts Will Feature Celebration to Mark Close of Membership Drive.

Pendleton will witness its first boxing smoker in many moons tomorrow night when the local post of the American Legion presents to the legion men of Pendleton and Umatilla county a card consisting of four boxing matches and two wrestling bouts. The big affair will take place in Eagle-Woodmen hall and the crowd will begin to assemble at 8 o'clock.

The labor of more than a month will bear fruit with the ringing of the gong tomorrow night. There will be three four-round preliminaries between local boys or boys from nearby towns which promise to whet the keen edge the appetite of the former doughboys, gobs and devil-dogs for the main event, a six-round set-to between Battling Hardy, of California, and Henry Kreiger, of Portland.

Both Kreiger and Hardy, the latter signed on in place of the elusive Danny O'Brien, are comers and are anxious to put the other man to sleep. Both boys have been boxing around Portland and are endeavoring to break into the limelight as headliners on the

Portland boxing commission cards. Kreiger arrived here yesterday looking fit for his bout, as he has been in training with some of the best boys in Portland.

The preliminary between Andy Jensen and Kid Williams promises to be as classy as the main go. Jensen won seven hard fights with the A. E. F. and is a good man at his weight. Williams has been training hard for his match and his local backers declare that he has the punch that will reel Jensen. Both boys are expected to put up a scientific exhibition as well as mixing it considerably.

Have Masked Marvel
Ed Williamson, local boy, has signed to go four rounds with the Masked Marvel. The identity of this gentleman seems to be veiled in mystery but the committee vouches for his ability to fight. Buddy Stevens quite a favorite in local fistie circles, is one of the parties to the third preliminary, having agreed to take on Bone Bender at 120 pounds. Stevens is quite a clever man with his dukes and they say he will meet his equal in Bender.

Ray McCarroll, bulldozer and wrestler, will furnish the thrills on the mat when he takes on Louis Gensek for one fall and follows with Ed Hayes, the big Indian. McCarroll is well known throughout this section and his appearance on the mat again is expected to recall old times to the boys who will be in the audience.

All Legion Men Wanted
Every man in the county who belongs to the American Legion, has applied for membership in any of the four posts, or is eligible to apply and will sign up tomorrow evening, is invited and expected to be present. There will be 15 or more auto loads of service men from the west end, the local committee men were promised last Monday, while Helix, Pilot Rock,

Athens and Weston are expected to send in all the men they have. A special car to the afternoon train will bring in those from Milton-Freewater post.

Not only will there be the athletic events at the smoker but the committee promises several other interesting stunts to make the evening one to be remembered. The big event will be in the nature of a celebration at the close of a week of campaigning for new members and is expected to bring together all the boys of the county who wore the uniform of Uncle Sam and returned victorious.

FOOTBALL RULES BOARD WILL MEET IN GOTHAM FIRST TIME SINCE WAR

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—The first annual meeting of the Intercollegiate football rules committee to be held in several years has been called here Friday, March 12. During the war there were no formal meetings of the committee.

Important suggestions on radical changes in the rules are to be discussed. These include a rule to have the goal kicking following a touchdown made from scrimmage formation, narrow the width of the goal and numbering players.

An Exchange That Is No Robbery
If I were of the "central" misses And a chap was pleading for some kisses, I'd have him "waiting" on his knees And then I'd whisper, "Number, please!" —Cartoons Magazine.

SPORTS

STANFORD HAS CINCH ON BASKETBALL TITLE

Leland Stanford university strengthened its grip on the top rung of the Pacific Coast conference percentage table by again defeating the University of Oregon at basketball, 29 to 18, while W. S. C. was winning from the University of California at Pullman. The Cardinals with but four more games to play, appear safely in the lead for the title now.

Oregon switched its lineup entirely in hopes of breaking the losing streak against the invaders. Bill Steers and Eddie Durio played at guard, while Jacobberger was shifted to center. Lynn McCready, a veteran of many games went forward and worked with Captain Lind.

At Pullman the state college came back strong and won from the Bears 21 to 27, with a last minute rally that netted them two baskets. The teams broke even in their two game series, California having won the first contest by a good margin.

The Oregon Aggies found Idaho too much for them in a game at Corvallis and succumbed to the Gem State squad 20 to 21. Hunter at forward for Idaho scored 20 points alone. Stanford university tonight and Saturday in coast conference games.

BUCKAROOS WILL PLAY AT LA GRANDE TONIGHT

Pendleton high school gets its second baptism of basketball tonight when the boys meet La Grande on the enemy's floor in the Union county city. This will be the third game of the season for the green and gold, a long vacation having been taken because of illness.

The team will trot out on the floor tonight under the tutelage of a new coach, Ted Preble, local automobile dealer. Preble took hold of the squad two weeks ago and the boys already have a win to their credit over the young men's team from the city. According to those who have seen the high school five in action, they can unwork a lot of basketball if they want to.

The boys left here this morning feeling confident that they could take Shrimp Reynolds' squad down the line tonight. If they fail, they will have another chance next week when La Grande comes here for a return game. The squad which accompanied Coach Preble this morning consisted of Jone Terjeson, captain; Charles Cahill, Ted Strangum, Dick Lawrence, Edwin Kirtley, Ben Simonton, Omer Atkinson and Richard Neil. The first five named make up the first team.

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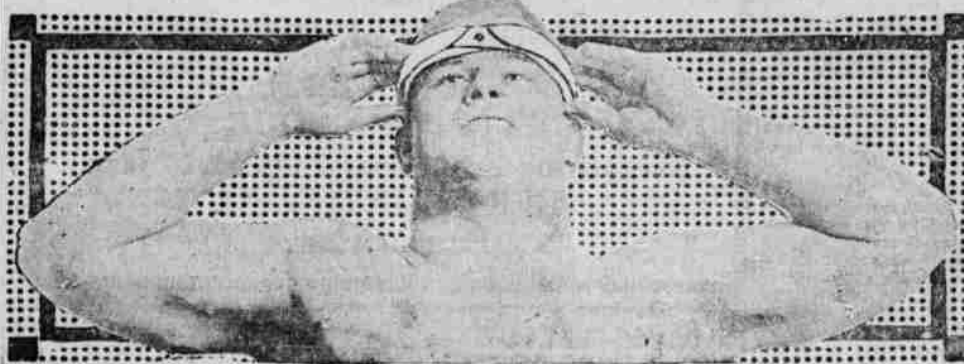
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MARIN PLESTINA

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ATTEMPTED "WET" COUP IS STALLED IN HOUSE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—An attempted "wet" offensive stopped short in the house today and the "dry" won a complete victory. An amendment to a legislative bill introduced by Representative Igoe, which would have repealed the Volstead prohibition enforcement law July 1, was beaten by a vote of 89 to 78. Igoe took the "dry" by surprise when he introduced the proposal but they hurriedly marshalled their forces and adopted a closure rule to shut off the debate and then defeated the measure.

NEEDS OF FORESTS OF INLAND EMPIRE UNDER DISCUSSION

BAKER, Feb. 27.—Needs of the forests of eastern Oregon and Washington are being discussed at the meeting of supervisors, representing the Wenatchee, Minam, Whitman, Walla, W. C. Ochoy, Deschutes and Umatilla National forests, which opened in Baker Friday. Attending are J. C. Kuhns of Walla Walla, Wash.; M. J. Billings of Walla Walla; W. W. Cryder of Pendleton; N. G. Jacobson of Bend; V. V. Harpham of Prineville; G. D. Brown of Lakeview; F. C. Reid of Republic, Wash.; R. M. Evans of Baker; and T. E. Jones and John Irwin, deputies, and Walter L. Dutton, grazing inspector of the Whitman and Minam forests with headquarters in Baker.

Each forest representative has presented his budget of needs for funds from the 7921 allotments of government money. E. N. Kavanaugh, assistant district forester, P. P. Brundage, O. A. Waha, W. R. Osborne, T. M. Tulliet and John Guthrie, all representing the district office of Portland, are present. This is the first time that a convention of supervisors from this district has ever met outside of Portland.

"WEALTHY" HUSBAND INSISTS ON DIET OF MUSH AS ECONOMY

EUGENE, Feb. 27.—Instead of marrying a rich man last April, Mrs. David G. Smith of Springfield asserts that she discovered that her ardent 35-year-old lover was long on promises but not much on fulfillment. Shortly after their marriage, she says, he insisted on her eating mush three times a day as a matter of economy. She is asking the court to relieve her of her aged husband and to give her the house and lot he promised if she would marry him.

REPLY TO PREMIERS IS RECEIVED BY WILSON

LONDON, Feb. 27.—President Wilson's reply to the allies' communication in response to his recent Adriatic note, was delivered to the council of plenipotentiaries this afternoon. The council immediately began a discussion of the note it is learned. It is understood it deals exclusively with the Adriatic situation.

YAKIMA INDIAN CHIEF DEMANDS ALL TREATY RIGHTS BE RESTORED

YAKIMA, Wash., Feb. 27.—Chief Tennenhook of the Yakimas, recently freed for fishing at Prosser dam, in

violation of the state game laws, is still on the warpath and has sent out runners to tribes of the state, calling a great council to meet at Yakima to frame a protest and send a delegation to wait upon Governor Louis E. Hart asking that the treaty rights of the Indians be restored even if an amendment to the statutes must be passed.

The Indians will review all game preserve laws in their plea and will show that the white man's irrigation ditches are killing millions of fish each year while the poor Indian is fined \$10 if he spears a few for his starving children.

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