

LACK OF RESERVES IS OREGON'S ONLY HANDICAP

COACH M'EWAN HAS CAPABLE FIRST SQUAD

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Eugene (P)—The University of Oregon football team hasn't many weaknesses but the one which stands out most of all is its lack of reserve strength.

John J. McEwan, like all other coaches, is endeavoring to build a championship machine and barring injuries may accomplish the trick this year.

Coach McEwan will be able to send an all-experienced eleven on the field of battle but will be hard pressed for capable substitutes in cases of an emergency, especially at the guard and tackle position.

The probable lineup against Pacific university next Saturday in Eugene will be Stadelman, center; Lillie and Shields, guards; Colbert and Christensen, tackles; Archer and Wood, ends; Kitzmiller, quarterback; Moeller, fullback; and Mason and Donohue, halfbacks. Charles Williams, a negro veteran, may get the call over Donohue if he recovers sufficiently from a tonsil operation. All have had varsity experience except Moeller, who was out of school last year but who is considered an "ace in the hole" by McEwan.

Other than this powerful combination, the Oregon coach has little to draw from. Eric Forsta, a freshman last year, could relieve Stadelman but he is a bit green. Sy West and Ted Parke are the second string guards but they lack experience. West is a sophomore and Parke a member of last year's second squad. The tackle reserves are Marion Hall and Irvin Schulz. Hall is a letterman and Schulz a graduate from the Freshman squad.

Jack Erdley, a 180-pound fleet-footed youth, is pressing Wood hard for his position and may land before the season is over. Erdley was a freshman last year and is developing fast. McEwan has a lot of other candidates for the end job but not a lot of class.

INDIANS DEFEAT LINCOLN HIGH

Portland—Successfully completing a forward-lateral California pass, which caught the Rainiers flat-footed, the Chemawa Indians Friday afternoon defeated the Lincoln high school here 6 to 2. The winning play was put over with scarcely 40 seconds to go, in the final period.

Lincoln made their two points on a safety in the third period when a Chemawa punt was blocked behind the goal.

The Indian's teamwork showed a vast improvement over their initial performance, with Meacham, McGriff and Hart reeling off long gains.

San Francisco (P)—Opening football skirmishes in widely separated sectors Saturday will sound the season's call to far western followers of the great American college sport.

First games of 1929 will feature three coast conference eleven's against opponents of lesser rating. Stanford's gridiron strength will be tested by the west coast army service team. Oregon Aggies try out their play on Willamette while Montana goes into action against the Anacondas, a club team.

Stanford's Cardinals appear to have the toughest assignment of the day, despite the imposing array of gridiron splendor assembled by Coach "Pop" Warner. The service squad, experienced and mighty, includes in its personnel, Lieut. Louis Hammack, guard on the West Point army team last season.

Whitman college and Cheney normal clash at Walla Walla, Wash., in the only other game of any consequence along the coast.

SAINTS BUCKLE DOWN TO FOOTBALL PRACTICE



The "Blue Ghosts" of St. Mary's, Cal., make a trial gallop with the ball. Left to right: Boyle, halfback; Pitchford, fullback; Simas, quarterback; Stennett, fullback.

EASTERN LEAGUE SHAM BATTLES

By the Associated Press
With more than two weeks of sham battles remaining prior to the big fight for the title, the Athletics and the Cubs are moving toward the world's series in exactly opposite manners. Working on the theory that the best rest is a hard day's work, Joe McCarthy is keeping his regulars at their accustomed posts as the hirelings of Cornelius McGillicuddy take their ease upon the bench—or even away from the park altogether.

It's children's day almost every afternoon at Shibe park now, and from the capers some of the juveniles are cutting. It might be inferred that the Mackmen will boast a strong freshman squad in 1930. The Athletics won in ten innings 2 to 1 over the Tigers.

Wesley Ferrell checked a late Boston rally in the game at the Fenway and Cleveland won by 4 to 2. A wild throw by Goose Goslin in the fifth enabled the Browns to shade Washington by 1 to 0. Alvin Crowder winning and Myles Thomas losing.

The Pirates stopped the Braves by 10 to 3 at Pittsburgh in the only National league game. Lloyd Waner hit a homer with two on, and Lester Bell retained for Boston with the bases empty.

BAN ON HUNTING NOT RESCINDED

Although rain was falling Saturday in the Willamette valley there was no hope for an immediate rescinding of the governor's order against the opening of the hunting season.

P. A. Elliott, state forester, said he had a telephone message from Klamath Falls that there had been no rainfall in that district.

"There will be no lifting of the ban on hunting until there is a general rain," Elliott said, "and there has been no general rain yet."

Elliott said that the rescinding proclamation has been prepared by the governor, but will not be made effective until the forester gives the governor the word.

PLANS COMPLETED FOR SHOTGUN MEN

Although threatening weather is expected to put a slight damper on activities, plans were going ahead as scheduled Saturday in anticipation of the fifth annual State Fair shoot which will be held Sunday at the Salem Trapshooters' club grounds. Attractive cash prizes and trophies have been offered for winners in the various events and trap artists from various parts of the state are expected to take their positions during the day on the firing line.

GIRLS ARE DOUBLES, EVEN NAME AND AGE

Houston, Tex. (P)—This is what Eleanor Rich and Eleanor Rich have in common.

Their names are the same, they weigh the same, and they were born within two hours of each other—one 40 minutes off Broadway and the other in Houston.

Although they are no relation, both have Cherokee Indian fathers. The father of one once worked for the father of the other.

One is a police station telephone operator, the other a Y. W. C. A. secretary. They met only recently through a young man who phoned one for a date, and was connected with the other.

Budapest (P)—Because of farm distress and the unemployment situation the government is trying to find outlets for surplus man power, especially in the United States. Local newspapers made much of the fact that at a farm exhibition in Louisiana this spring Andras Szany, a Hungarian, won first prize for early strawberries.

Accident May Force Jockey Into Idleness

Lexington, Ky. (P)—Earl Pool, one of the oldest jockeys in the west, who is under contract to Auvall Baker, suffered a fracture of the right kneecap while dodging the flying heels of Marone Manor, a two-year-old he was scheduled to ride at the Lexington track and it was feared he would never ride again. Physicians attending him say a stiff knee will be inevitable.

Pool rode current to the two-year-old filly championship of the United States last year, and before that had ridden many champions.

BARNARD TALKS FOR ATHLETICS

Philadelphia (P)—The Athletics look like a real baseball outfit and the American league is not worrying over the probable outcome of the world series argument with the Chicago Cubs, declared E. S. Barnard, American league president, who dropped off here to see Bonnie Mack and a couple of ball games. He saw quite a few Mack rookies in action, but said he knew what the regulars could do.

"The Athletics made it a runaway race," Barnard said. "They have played such great ball we don't see how any other club can defeat them in a series."

LA COSTE ENGAGED TO FRENCH GOLFER

Paris (P)—The engagement of Rene LaCoste, famous French tennis "musketeer," to Mile. Simone Thion de la Chaume, equally famous French golfer, was announced Saturday.

Rene LaCoste generally is regarded as one of the two best tennis players in the world, the other being Henri Cochet, also of France. Mile. Thion de la Chaume won the French women's title in 1926 and 1927 and in the latter year the British women's championship as well.

DAMNED BY A LINCOLN Cohasset, Mass. (P)—Among this town's prized possessions are three dams built by Abraham Lincoln's great-great-grandfather. The dam-builder, Mordecai Lincoln, was the third son of Samuel Lincoln, one of historic Cohasset's pioneer settlers.

Nearly 1,000 acres in Brazil have been planted to bananas by an American company.

VETERAN HORSE TRAINER IS ILL

New York (P)—Critically ill from a stomach complaint, Sam Hildreth, veteran trainer for the Rancocas stable of Harry F. Sinclair, is a patient at the Fifth avenue hospital. He is 66 years old.

Hildreth has been ill for more than a year but refused to take a rest from his duties until early in the August meeting at Saratoga Springs. Then the veteran trainer retired to his home at Stromboli farm, near Jobstown, N. J. For a time his health showed improvement but three days ago he suffered a relapse. He was removed to the hospital here Friday.

Hildreth's reputation as a handler of horses became nationwide in the early part of the 20th century. Among noted thoroughbreds trained by Hildreth were Zev, Fitz, Herbert, Novelty, Stromboli, Friar Rock, Grey Lag, Mad Hatter, Kai Sang, Mad Play, Silver Fox, and Mollison, the last named being one of the best two year olds of the current season.

BECK LOOKS LIKE MILLION DOLLARS

"Johnny Beck looked like a million dollars against Sacramento Friday," enthused Stan Lalmson Saturday morning after having witnessed the former Senator moundsman turn back the Solons 10 to 4 in the first game of a double header at Portland. "He went into the game hardly warmed up with the score 4 to 0 against the Ducks and with a man on second. However, he came through in great style and retired the next two batters on pop flies."

"Two of the hits the Sacramento players secured off Beck were decidedly scratchy. Good natured Johnny looked mighty sweet to me and he's sure headed for the majors."

THREATENING RAIN POSTPONES TENNIS

Owing to threatening weather, the tennis matches which were to have been played between racket wielders of Bend and Salem Sunday at the East Center street courts, were called off Saturday morning.

While the weather shows signs of clearing, those in charge of the tournament decided it was too risky to have the central Oregon team make such a long trip and then not be able to play. An effort will be made to stage the meeting at a later date.

LIQUOR CHARGES NET FINES, DALLAS COURT

Dallas—Leon Gilbert and William Widmer were arrested near Independence and brought before Judge Huthens Friday. Gilbert pled guilty on a charge of drunkenness and was fined \$25 plus costs, and Widmer was fined \$50 and costs on a charge of possession of liquor.

BEAT HARRIS IS DESIRE OF SENATOR CLUB

Providing the old gent with the sprinkling can is willing, what is billed for one of the best baseball games of the season, and probably the last, will be played at Olinger field Sunday afternoon, beginning at 2:30.

The principals in that affair, which is in the nature of a fifth effort to beat Pitcher Harris, will be between the Senators and Mount Scott. To date this slim hurler has succeeded in hanging a jinx on the locals that they seem unable to slip off. But with Ralph Coleman on the mound and fortified with the bats of several good sluggers, Manager Frisco believes this last determined drive will succeed in turning back the old pitcher who seems to be able to beat the solons no matter with what aggregation he teams with.

A change in the line-up is in prospect as the result of the injury to Rentrow last Sunday when he received a badly sprained ankle while playing against Montavilla. Erickson, one of the luminaries of the Southwest Washington league, is scheduled for his initial appearance with the Senators. The shortstop berth is scheduled for this youth who is touted to be a real slugger.

If Salem can get over Mount Scott Sunday, they will have ended the season without a defeat and no play-off will be necessary. Should they win there is a strong possibility that a challenge will be sent to the Portland city league for a championship series.

EUGENE GRAPPLER DEFEATS SAMPSON

Eugene, Ore. (P)—Wildcat Pete, Eugene grappler, needed only 34 minutes to dispose of Bobby Sampson's own specialty, were used by Pete to such advantage that the southerner was unable to return for the second fall.

Earl Ware took Del Avery to the mat for the only fall of the preliminary in ten minutes with an arm stretch. Both are Eugene boys.

High School Football Men Begin Work Monday, Chances Undetermined

What Salem high school's prospects on the gridiron for the year will be this year will remain somewhat in doubt until after the first week of preliminary practice, Coach Hollis Huntington predicted Saturday.

Faced with the handicap of a start two weeks later than the majority of high school teams of the state, the players will have to buckle down to strenuous work right from the start, if they are to make any kind of an early season showing, the coach states. Several teams have already played one game and some two, particularly the Portland outfits, while Chemawa, one of Salem's principal rivals for Willamette valley honors has been defeated once and won one contest during the month.

The coach, returning to the game after an absence of several years will find a team considerably weakened by graduation. Many of last year's star performers have passed on to institutions of higher learning. The incoming material is a matter of conjecture.

First workout will be held Monday, but the chances are that besides getting the boys equipped little or nothing will be done.

Hold overs from last year's team include Bob Kelly, full back, Charles Kelly, quarter, Woolley, Pettit, Joe King and Elgin, backfield, and Wright, Hardman, Adams and Golden in the line.

One of the likely candidates coming up from junior high schools is young Sugai, who played sensational ball with Parrish last year despite the fact he had had no previous experience.

FOOTBALL RESULTS

Kelso 6; Jefferson (Portland) 0. Vancouver 18; Centralia 6. Aberdeen 25; Silma 6. Grant (Portland) 18; Hillsboro 6. Chemawa Indian school (Salem) 6; Lincoln (Portland) 2.

BARNERS ARE HOME

Amity—Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Barner and daughters have returned from a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rosencran at Amboy, Wn. The Rosencran family were residents of Amity several years ago.

Glasgow has a wave of auto fatalities.

JOHNNY BECK TURNS OAKLAND BACK, 10 TO 4

By United Press
San Francisco's drive for the second half championship was temporarily halted Friday when the Mission Reds downed the Seals, 3 to 2, in a pitching duel. Herman Pillette was on the mound for the Reds and Curt Davis for the Seals. The Seals are now tied with Hollywood for first place.

Hollywood split a double header with Los Angeles but regained its position at the top of the league. The Stars took the first game, 6 to 4, but were given a sound beating in the final when the Angels ran roughshod over them for a 15 to 7 victory in the second game.

Portland was tied with Los Angeles for fourth place as result of taking a double header from Sacramento. Johnny Beck, Salem youth, saved the Beavers in the first game, his team mates garnering a 10 to 4 win. Deck replaced Chesterfield in the second inning after the Solons had scored four runs.

In the second game "Spud" Murphy, who twirled for Bend, Ore., last year, held the Beavers until the fifth inning when he was nicked for a pair of hits and three runs. Casarcilla pitched for Portland. The final score was Portland, 4; Sacramento, 3.

Oakland won its third game of the series with Seattle, 3 to 2. Lammack was hard hit in the second and third innings. Craghead held the Indians but was nicked for nine singles.

NATIONALIST SCORES

Hollywood, Calif. (P)—Young Nationalist scored a technical knockout over Clayton Goyd in the second round of their fight after Goyd had gone down three times. Ray Pelky also scored a technical knockout over Al Kotze in the fourth round of a scheduled six round semi-wind-up.

GUESTS AT BOOTH HOME

Amity—Mrs. Will Martin of Independence and Mrs. Vernon Martin of Willamina, were guests Thursday at the J. W. Booth home in this city. Mrs. Will Martin is a twin sister of Mrs. Booth.

HOW THEY STAND TODAY

	W.	L.	Pct.
San Francisco	51	35	.593
Hollywood	51	35	.593
Mission	50	36	.581
Los Angeles	49	37	.570
Portland	49	37	.570
Oakland	42	44	.488
Sacramento	30	56	.349
Seattle	22	64	.256

VISITORS ARRIVE

Dallas—Miss Elone Grant is here this week end visiting at her home. She is teaching school at Montgomery, near Peede.

Prefer Ediger, from Inman, Kansas, arrived at the home of his cousin, John S. Ediger, on the Hawthorne highway near Dallas, Friday for a visit of a month.

Traveling baths for sheep under the care of experienced shepherds who would see that the animals are properly cleaned, have been demanded by the Chamber of Agriculture of Gloucester, England, who wish the duty of keeping the wool-bearers clean taken from the local police.

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