

Yost Declares Football Evils Mostly Due to Administration

VETERAN COACH CONDUCTS QUIZ AT CONFERENCE

Explanations of 'Over-Emphasis' Vary—Most Leaders Have Vague Ideas On Some 'Evils.'

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Fielding H. Yost, athletic director of the University of Michigan, says he learned a lot about the so-called "evils" of college football while he was in New York this week attending meetings of the National Collegiate Athletic association.

Michigan's veteran leader went out in an inquisitive frame of mind. He wanted to know what was meant by some of the terms used recently. These included "over emphasis of football," "give the game back to the students," "spectacle" and "commercialism."

Yost said he found over emphasis of football had the following explanations:

- "Schools, largely in the east, have training camps."
- "Schools begin practice in August or early September."
- "Too long schedules of too many games."
- "Overstressing of an individual by the press."
- "All over America on wheels."
- "Three to five hours practice."
- "Spring practice at which the coach drew men from other sports."
- "These," said Yost, "all are matters of administration and largely are the problems of a few schools centered in an unorganized section of the country, where each school wishes to do as it pleases."

"The coach can change all the above items of over-emphasis except newspaper over-stressing of individuals or should himself be changed."

SAINTS DEFEATED BY SAMS VALLEY

SAMS VALLEY, Ore., Jan. 3.—(Sp.)—Basketball fans here scanned the county papers for a report of the game here Tuesday night, which to Sams Valley people was of much importance since it was a victory for the locals against St. Mary's boys, who had won last week in a very one-sided game over the Talent high school team, and were disappointed not to find it.

Val Singler's boys played well, nevertheless our boys won by a score of 34 to 29.

The game between the seconds was also won by the locals. The little fellows of the second team had little chance as they were far outclassed in height and weight by the local seconds.

STATERS DEFEAT GONZAGA CAGERS

CORVALLIS, Ore., Jan. 3.—(AP)—The Oregon State basketball team added another pre-season victory to its long list of wins last night when it defeated Gonzaga, 41 to 20. The Staters led, 29 to 14, at the half and ran up nine points more before the Spokane visitors could score again.

Fazans, playing center for Oregon State, went on a scoring spree, making six baskets in the last half for high point honors of 16. Le-Yeak took high for the visitors, with 12. Coach Gill used a lineup without Ballard and Lewis, his two high scoring stars, who are out with illness.

4 THOROUGHBREDS BURNED IN STALLS

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Four thoroughbreds were burned to death early today at the fair grounds race plant which was opened for the new racing season on New Year's day.

The racers lost were Little Minister, Luscinate and Ballot On, the three owned by W. H. Fizer's stable, and a fourth horse, Honey Grove.

With Rod and Gun

By Ernest Rostel and Dick Green



When hunting is not so good and fishing holds no attraction, due to cold weather, people of the Klamath region take to their skates and skis, forming big all-day and evening parties on the snow and ice. Perhaps nowhere in the Klamath section is there more enthusiasm in winter sports than in Chiloquin, where up until a day or two ago ice-skating was the main source of enjoyment. A cold spell of several days had caused ice to form over a foot thick on the surface of the Sprague river and skating parties found their way to a point beyond the river mill where the stream is wide.

While Chiloquin is on the Indian reservation, there are perhaps more white people than Indians in the town of 1900 souls, and most of the parties are made up of the former.

Included among the outstanding skaters of the Chiloquin area is Henry Wolf, a former Medford resident, who has quite a number of relatives in this section. He is at home on the ice and with a fast pair of skates can make remarkable speed, much to the envy of the inexperienced. Miss Ernesta Flury, another former Medford resident, is included in Chiloquin's list of skaters. Ice-skating is not a sport every year in that section. Last year a breeze was blowing when the water was freezing and the ice had a rippled surface, making it unfit for skating.

Plans are underway in Klamath county to effect the organization of several ski clubs and efforts are being made to inspire Medford residents, fond of winter sports, to form a club as well. Tony Castle at Fort Klamath is the prime mover for the clubs, the purpose of which is to give further impetus to interest in snow sports, the climax of which in the Klamath region is reached with ski races to Fort Klamath in February. A number of Medford persons have been approached on the organization of a local club, but so far no action has been taken. Plans of the Klamath clubs call for construction of a big ski jump on which the more adept will be able to disport themselves. Several carloads of Medford residents are in the hills most every Sunday and find their way up the Crater Lake highway and into the Crater Lake national park, where the snow is said to be more suitable for skis. However, when snow is fairly deep skis are placed in use around Union Creek, where ropes are attached to cars and the skiers are pulled over the frozen white. In view of the general interest in winter sports here, it is thought probable a club will soon be formed.

GOOD MITT CARD BEING LINED UP FOR ELKS RING

The story is often told in Medford of a local hunter who on a hunting trip a season or so ago, became separated from his party and became lost. After having been alone several hours, his anxiety for food became strong. The only living thing he saw was a woodpecker. He shot it with his rifle and ate the meat raw. However, he soon learned such action was unnecessary as he was back with his party before darkness overtook him. He blamed his anxiety to inexperience in the woods.

Fights Last Night

(By the Associated Press.) New York.—Patsy Charles, Belgium, outpointed Jack Remnick, Canada. (10). Ralph Flencello, New York, knocked out Johnny Grosso, Mt. Vernon, N. Y. (11). Tony Galante, Orange, N. J., knocked out Phil Mercurio, New Rochelle, (21). Ad Warren, Chapel Hill, N. C., and Ernest Gehring, Germany, drew. (10).

St. Louis.—Eddie Shea, Chicago, knocked out Andy Martin, Boston. (2). Hughy Graham, Utica, N. Y., outpointed Davey Abad, Panama. (12). Tommy Grogan, Omaha, outpointed Eddie Han, Poland. (12). Jackie Brady, Syracuse, N. Y., technically knocked out Joey McDill, Chicago. (13). Mickey Cohen, Denver, and Mike Dundee, Rock Island, drew. (4).

Pittsburgh.—Young Rudy, Charleroi, Pa., knocked out Billy Bally, Mt. Clemens, Mich. (12). Lakewood, Fla.—Charlie Von Reeden, New York, outpointed Happy Aaberton, Indianapolis. (10).

Five thousand new shade trees will be planted on New Orleans streets and avenues during 1931.

LOCALS DEFEAT CRESCENT CITY CAGERS 28 TO 16

Third Period Rally Ices Game—Ashland Wins, 17-16 From University High of Eugene.

Medford defeated the Crescent City high school basketball team on the home court of the Foresters last night, 28 to 16, a third period rally putting the game on ice for the locals, Caldwell, Hughes and Shiel led in the scoring for the Burger squad.

The same teams play again tonight. The University high of Eugene was defeated last night by Ashland, 17 to 16, in a hotly contested game, that was not decided until the last minute of play.

Next Friday night the Medford team will play its first game of the Southern Oregon conference, meeting Grants Pass at Grants Pass.

The Josephine county team was defeated, this week by Crescent City and University high, and has practically the same team as last year. Beasie, the center, is a big boy, and the Grants Pass squad center their offense around him, figuring on his height getting the tip-off. In the Eugene game, he was somewhat restrained by the activities of the Eugene center, and did not get the tip-off any more than the law allows. Ashland also has a tall center in Howell, and both schools put great store in them.

The drilling of the Medford team the coming week will be the hardest of the season, and it is expected that some polish will show up in the team work. Instead of the flashes. The Grants Pass squad in accordance with custom, is "laying for" what they call the "Bear Creek boys."

BOWLING COLUMN

Taking the second and third games by handy margins, the Telco bowling team defeated the Medford Domestic Laundry five in their City Bowling league match last night on the Nat alleys. Bill Heath of the laundry men was high in single game with 192, while Billy Holth high match total with 492 in the three games.

Medford Domestic Laundry				
Newland, Noel	169	157	152	478
Watson, J. V.	182	154	140	476
Colman, Irish	118	119	120	357
Heath, Bill	143	192	133	467
Fabrick, Glen	144	141	131	416
Totals				763 676 2194
Telcos				
Blyth, L.	140	173	179	492
Barton, Bob	130	166	142	438
Crawford, J. E.	110	146	172	428
Halleck, H.	147	157	129	433
Dellisle, Andy	129	153	144	426
Totals				656 785 2627

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Preparations are progressing for the big Elks smoker next Thursday night at the Elks temple with a good card being arranged by Herb Owen, matchmaker for the Medford Boxing commission. Only Elks and invited friends will be permitted to attend. Each member may bring two friends.

The first bout will present Red Hansaker, Ashland, 150 and Red Sheppard, 148, of Oakland, Calif. These two boys are fast with their gloves and fans can look forward to some hot action. Jud Wilson and Gentleman Jim Jacobs, 147, Eugene, will appear in the second bout and the third bout will present Paul Abbott, Ashland, and Jack Wilson, Klamath Falls. Other details are to be announced later.

STRANGLER LOSES FALL TO AN AUTO

GLENDALE, Cal., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Ed "Strangler" Lewis will not do any wrestling for the next two or three weeks. The old ring warrior is laid up from injuries but he received them in an automobile accident—not a bout.

The mover toward sanity, so-called, will be hunted when teams like Notre Dame, Southern California, Alabama and New York University, all of which have tied considerable success in the last few years, enter protests against the alleged over-emphasis.

Schaaf Sets Sail

—By Pap



ERNEST SCHAAF
—ANOTHER FORMER SAILOR FROM BOSTON WHO HAS HIS EYE ON THE HEAVYWEIGHT CROWN !!

GO ON—SLUG WITH HIM—HE CAN'T HURT US !!

NOW THAT HE'S IN SHARKEY'S STABLE HE HAS THE BENEFIT OF JACK'S ADVICE !!

SPORT SLANTS

Just when it looked as though things were peaceful and under good control, the Chicago Stadium broke loose with conversation about offering Max Schmeling a \$500,000—not pesos, yen or guilders, but dollars—for a title match with Young Master Stribling.

Of course no one in the boxing business in 1931, least of all the Chicago Stadium, has the slightest idea of paying that much currency to Der Maxie or anybody else for fighting the whole crop of heavyweight contenders on the same night. It is not being done under existing box-office conditions.

Nevertheless, Chicago may take the main go of the new year's heavyweight program right out of the jaws of the New York fight weary unless a compromise program is agreed upon in the Big Town. There is no enthusiasm whatever for a return match between Schumling and the erratic sailor, Jack Sharkey, however much Jack may be entitled to a chance to redeem himself. He already has missed too many of these chances to quit the cash customers.

Stribling, by his performances within the past year in beating Carrera, VonPorat, Scott and Griffiths, has at least won his way to the semi-finals of any heavyweight contest. It seems likely the agile Georgian will have an opportunity to fight his way into the final.

The resignation of Noel Workman, former Ohio State backfield star, as Iowa State's head coach, followed by the longest hard-battle campaign on record, Iowa State dropped 15 consecutive games in two seasons, a record among major colleges. The team's last victory was over Grinnell in the opening contest of the 1929 season, and it hasn't had a "break" since.

Despite good material, including a real star this year in Capt. Maynard Bessie at tackle, Iowa State failed to break its funk. If it wasn't an injury, it was a long run by the opposition that kept victory out of the team's grasp. Games were lost by the closest of margins but lost, anyway, and a shake-up became inevitable at the end of a season in which the boys failed to win a single engagement.

New York University's "Daily News" can't see any cause for an outcry against football. It regards gridiron success as a symptom of the times, failure as the cause of criticism.

"Rutgers," Lehigh, Yale and Princeton are among the eastern colleges that have decided the Great Monster Football," says the student paper.

Rutgers was defeated by almost every major opponent. Yale was defeated by weak Harvard and outplayed by Princeton. Lehigh went through one of its worst seasons. Princeton won only one game.

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billis read: "Lost plane—If you saw or heard an airplane over this locality on Thursday morning between the hours of 3 and 5:30 a. m., please get in immediate communication with Pacific Air Transport, Medford, Ore."

Within a few minutes after word was received from Cunningham, the news of his safety was contained in an extra edition published by the Mail Tribune and broadcast over KMEM, the Mail Tribune-Virgin station. On New Year's day KMEM sent out quite a number of calls asking for information if the plane had been heard by persons in the section where it was thought he had come down. One of the calls resulted in a woman walking several miles to a telephone to call the airport to say she thought she had heard a plane over her place early in the morning. She lives some distance from Roseburg.

Rescuers Overcome. MIDVALE, Ohio, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Seven rescue workers, overcome by gas while searching for five trapped miners in number 4 mine of the Midvale Coal company here today, were brought out of the workings unconscious by other rescue crews. Physicians said they all will recover.

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