



GRIDIRON GUESSER PICKS CALIFORNIA, OREGON SATURDAY

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NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—(AP)—Without benefit of counsel, this department ventures the following comment, valuable or otherwise, on this week's football schedule:

Oregon-Oregon State.—Oregon, California-Washington.—Some far western critics call Washington the best team on the coast, but California, unbeaten, has done everything asked of it so far and gets the nod here.

Southern California - Stanford.—Stanford and write your own ticket.

Idaho-Washington State.—W. S. O. Fordham-St. Mary's.—The invading Gaels get this doubtful vote.

Princeton-Harvard.—Without forgetting Princeton's defeat vs. Yale a year ago, the Tigers should win this one about as they please.

Minnesota-Iowa.—The choice must be Minnesota, given a dry field the Hawkeys will be dangerous as long as Oze Simmons is in the lineup.

Notre Dame-Northwestern.—All the material for the well known upset is here. Northwestern is improving with every game and earned its first major victory at Illinois' expense last week.

Notre Dame, benefit of Andy Pilney, will need to fight against a serious let-down after the sensational triumph over Ohio State. All of which still adds up to Notre Dame in this corner.

Louisiana State-Mississippi State.—L. S. U. seems to rate slight edge.

Penn.-Navy.—This vote goes to the Quakers.

Georgia Tech-Auburn.—One of the South's toughest games with Auburn getting the call, faintly.

Chicago-Ohio State.—Chicago probably will be the innocent bystander.

Wisconsin-Purdue.—The Boiler-makers.

Illinois-Mich.—Michigan doubtfully.
Michigan State-Marquette.—Strictly on the toss of a coin. Marquette.
Tulane-Georgia.—Georgia.
Tennessee-Mississippi.—Tennessee in a close one.
Columbia-Syracuse.—A flier on Columbia.
Yale-Brown.—All blue, especially Brown.
Penn State-Villanova.—Villanova.

ELK HUNTING SEASON FROM NOV. 10 TO 19 ORDAINED FOR STATE

PENDLETON, Ore., Nov. 8.—(AP)—Oregon's big game hunting season when elk may be stalked and killed, will be from November 10 to 19, the state game department announced today.

The department designated checking stations and mapped out areas in which the big animals may be taken.

Open territory includes all of Baker county except the portion lying southwest of the John Day highway; Walla Walla county north of the base line and west of the Imnaha river; all of Union and Umatilla counties except approximately 20,000 acres in the Mt. Emily game refuge; and the portion of Grant county lying north of the middle fork of the John Day river and east of the Pendleton-John Day highway.

Checking stations are Pendleton, La Grande, Milton, Pilot Rock, Urich, Troy, Dale Ranger station, Long Creek, Blue Mountain ranger station, Unity, Baker, North Powder and Enterprise.

Checking began today and all hunters must check in and out. No one will be allowed to enter the area to establish a hunting camp before.

Guns used must be at least 30 caliber or use cartridges with not less than 150 grains of powder. Every party must have ropes for hanging up carcasses and adequate transportation for skin animals.

Special Communication of Medford Lodge No. 103, A. F. & A. M., Friday, Nov. 8, at 7:30 p. m. Work in the F. C. degree. Visitors invited. FRED PURDIN, W. M. GEO. ALDEN, Secy.

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FANDOM AT RANDOM

By Dick Applegate

When Eugene high school refused to play Medford here on the 19th they had several good reasons to present. For one, they already had a game scheduled for that date with Roseburg. Roseburg had already agreed to cancel their game and let Eugene come to Medford but Eugene didn't care to do that. Which, of course, is their own business. The natural reaction here will be to say that Eugene didn't want to try conclusions with the Tigers for fear of a defeat, but that may be a bit unfair.

At any rate, they're not coming here to play, and Medford still has an open date on November 16. There remain several alternatives. One is to play Eureka, Cal., a team that wants a game on that date, and one which has always drawn a good crowd here. Eureka has been an exceptionally clean opponent in the four years of competition. However, Coach Bowerman is perfectly justified in preferring to play an Oregon team for the purpose of throwing light on the state title situation.

Another alternative is to play the

Myrtle Point aggregation, also undefeated and untied. The Myrtle Point team is composed of large and aggressive players and they have made the going hard for other teams in their own circuit after years of steadily taking beatings. If they finish their season undefeated it is still probable that very few schools from upstate will consider their claims as state champions unless they meet and defeat a team of the caliber of Medford. The game is not an impossibility.

Offers have been made to Pendleton high, with a really strong team, and to McLoughlin high of Milton-Freewater, way up on the Washington border. Those two teams meet Armistice day and Medford would like to meet the winner. The game might be prohibited by the expense involved, but that might be worked out. It is unfortunate that football is not arranged as is basketball, so that there is no long discussion when the season is over as to the championship. As the system now remains, Medford must eliminate or be eliminated by one of the undefeated teams in the state, and then hope that the state athletic association will allow them to play a post-season game for honors. Pendleton has suggested that Portland be ignored, they having held the ace card in the championship deck long enough.

It would probably cost in the neighborhood of \$600 to bring either of the two northeastern teams to Medford,

and the Medford team can't afford that. In the Salem game, which drew the best crowd this year, the local school cleared a little over \$400. Where to get the extra \$200 is the question. Perhaps the merchants of the city would underwrite the venture. They have done so at various times in the past, and we feel that they would come to bat for the team if Pendleton or McLoughlin high schools can be signed for a game.

Some time ago Supt. E. H. Hedrick of the city schools expressed repugnance at erecting a wooden fence around the new athletic field at the senior high school on South Oakdale avenue. Since a fence must be put around such a plant if the school is to have any means of collecting revenue from spectators at athletic events, plans were considered whereby the ugly board fence might be eliminated.

The final plan decided upon is an excellent one. A thorny hedge of pyracantha bushes will be planted just inside the present board fence, in a trench of specially prepared soil, and allowed to grow. The present fence is mounted upon iron railings and when the hedge is of sufficient height and denseness, the board fence will be scrapped and a steel mesh one substituted. The hedge will be kept trimmed.

During the fall of the season the orange berries of the pyracantha will be out, adding not a little to the beauty of the plant. As pyracantha is equipped with long, sharp thorns,

very few will feel intrepid enough to crawl through it to sneak into a game. With a painted grandstand to harmonize with the colorings of the hedge, and a turf gridiron, Medford will have one of the most attractive fields in the state.

'ROBOT' SAVICKEY DECISIONS CURRERI

Jess Joe Savickey, 128-pound "mechanical man" from South Fork, won for himself the lightweight championship of the Medford CCC district when he defeated Sammy Curreri, 133, of Indian Creek, in the main event on the Elks-CCC fight card at the Elks temple Thursday evening.

Savickey has been unofficial champion since injuries took Stan Stockton, China Flats, out of the active boxing list. Curreri won the Pocatello district title in a tournament in that district during the past summer and was recently transferred here. The two were put together last night with the Medford title at stake. Although Curreri showed a lot of class, Savickey's steady, boring tactics proved too much for him.

Both Bill Supek of Coos Head and Tiger Curran of Oak Knoll were on the casualty list Thursday and could

not appear for their scheduled fight. Curran injured his hand in training and will be out of the running for several weeks. Supek suffered an injured hand when he got a piece of steel in it while working. The injury is only temporary, however, and he will make the trip to Portland to compete for the Medford district in the amateur boxing tournament November 19 and 20.

In a spectacular bout booked as a special feature on last night's card, Frank ("Windmill") Hupp, 155, Oak Knoll, defeated Robert ("Racehorse") Roberts, 163, Gasquet.

Herb Walger, 145, Prescott, defeated Howard Clippell, 130, Gasquet, in another good bout. Walger has just arrived in the district with the new company at Roxy Ann.

Merle Case, 168, Gasquet, took a hard-earned decision over John Clacon, 170, Indian Creek. Bill Carey, 141, Oak Knoll, lost to Garvis Young, 140, Agness.

Harry Clifton, 125, Agness and Steve Granzky, 124, China Flats, went three fast rounds to a draw. Max Lombardo, 117, Oregon Caves, defeated John Rosell, 119, Prescott. Al Franklin, 128, Oak Knoll was given the nod over George DeWitt, 125, Indian Creek.

An eight-man boxing team is being organized to make the Portland trip. The fighters will probably leave Medford Sunday November 17.

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Coach Bill Bowerman of the Medford high school, in a telephone conversation with Eugene high school authorities Wednesday, learned that Eugene will not come to Medford on November 16.

"They can't pay us \$450 expenses to make the trip to Eugene, and they won't come here for that figure, so we'll just have to forget it," Bowerman stated. The Tiger mentor is now angling for a game with the winner of the McLoughlin-Pendleton game Saturday, or with Myrtle Point, all three undefeated and untied to date.

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