Bend High Plays Klamath Here Friday Evening

ILLNESS AND INJURIES HIT LOCAL SQUAD

The Pelican cagers are off in a cloud of dust. Scarcely a week after Christmas vacation in which practice was held the basketeers are turning their attention to Bend high. With good new material on hand but only two veterans back from last year, the outlook is none too bright. Klamath, however, has a hard-fighting team and may be the dark horse of the conference.

The league season, as far as the K. U. H. S. is concerned, gets under way at 7:30 Friday night against the Bend quintette in the high school gym. Another game will be held same time, same place, with the Bend aggregation Saturday night.

First Defense

The team has been having a vigorous workout daily since its return to school. Coach "Dutch" French has been drilling the squad here on the fundamental of both offense and defense. French teaches a fast-breaking offense and a man-for-man defense with the opposing players picked before the game.

Bend plays a five-man set defense and a five-man offense.

The Klamath outfit will go into the fracas with Bend at a disadvantage because Triplette, star forward, is out with the flu. Wakeman has a wrist and knee injury and Crawford has a bruised leg.

Bend Has Veterans

Bend has four lettermen back from last year, while Klamath has three including Triplette, from Hood River.

"If Center Ray Allen casts away some of the excess lead and we don't have any more injuries or illness, we will have a good team," quoted "Dutch" French.

The coach stated that he was thinking of putting Jack Knight in at center.

Probable Lineup

The probable starting lineup for Friday night is as follows:

Wakeman, f; Triplette or H. Pernel, f; Allen or Knight, c; Swigert, g; Crawford, g.

The conference season for the Pelicans follows:

January 9, Bend at Klamath.
January 10, Bend at Klamath.
January 16, Klamath at Medford.
January 17, Klamath at Medford.
January 23, Klamath at Grants Pass.
January 24, Klamath at Grants Pass.
January 30, Klamath at Ashland.
February 6, Klamath at Bend.
February 7, Klamath at Bend.
February 13, Ashland at Klamath.
February 20, Medford at Klamath.
February 27, Grants Pass at Klamath.

Ted Thye Loses But Decision Unpopular

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 8, (AP)—Referee Chet Wiles stopped the wrestling bout between Howard Cantonwine and Ted Thye last night and awarded the match to the former Iowa football star on a foul after Thye had spilled Cantonwine several times with his wristlock, finally throwing him out of the ring. They had been at it hammer and tongs for 26 minutes when the bout was stopped and the decision was anything but popular with the crowd.

STICKERS

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Can you find a word in the English language that contains the five vowels, in alphabetical order? Each vowel must appear but once, and in the order shown above, but other letters may be in between them. 8

Practice by Note to Bowling Success

BY AL DEMAREE
(Former Pitcher, N. Y. Giants)

The same thing that makes a man proficient in baseball, golf, tennis, billiards, ice hockey, boxing or any other sport, is what makes him a good bowler, and that is simply practice. After a man knows the fundamentals of a sound bowling game, it is then just a question of how much time he can devote to it.

The once-a-week bowler who bowls four or five games every seven days cannot hope to average much more than 150. In order to jump into the 180 average or better class it is necessary to bowl three or four night a week with an occasional practice session when your game is sour.

Bowling is no different from any other sport in this respect. Everything else equal, it is the fellow who practices and perfects his game who becomes proficient.

Altamont Teachers Win From Opponents

Proving their ability to come back and win, players of the Altamont Teachers basketball club won a game from the Cannibals, a women's team of this city, by a score of 40 to 10 in the Altamont gymnasium Tuesday night. The Cannibals were the victors in a clash between the two teams last year.

The Altamont line-up: Forwards, Ethel Fenwick, Berle Short Stella Bowne; guards, Jewel Howard, Marjorie Reeder, Winnifred McCornack; substitute, Hazel Rawlins.

EARTHQUAKE DRIVES PEOPLE FROM HOMES

QUEBEC, Jan. 8, (AP)—The principal topic of conversation in many parts of the province today was an earthquake which sent inhabitants rushing from their homes, toppled books from shelves and stopped clocks.

The tremor was felt here, in Montreal, and in many villages shortly after 7 p. m. yesterday.

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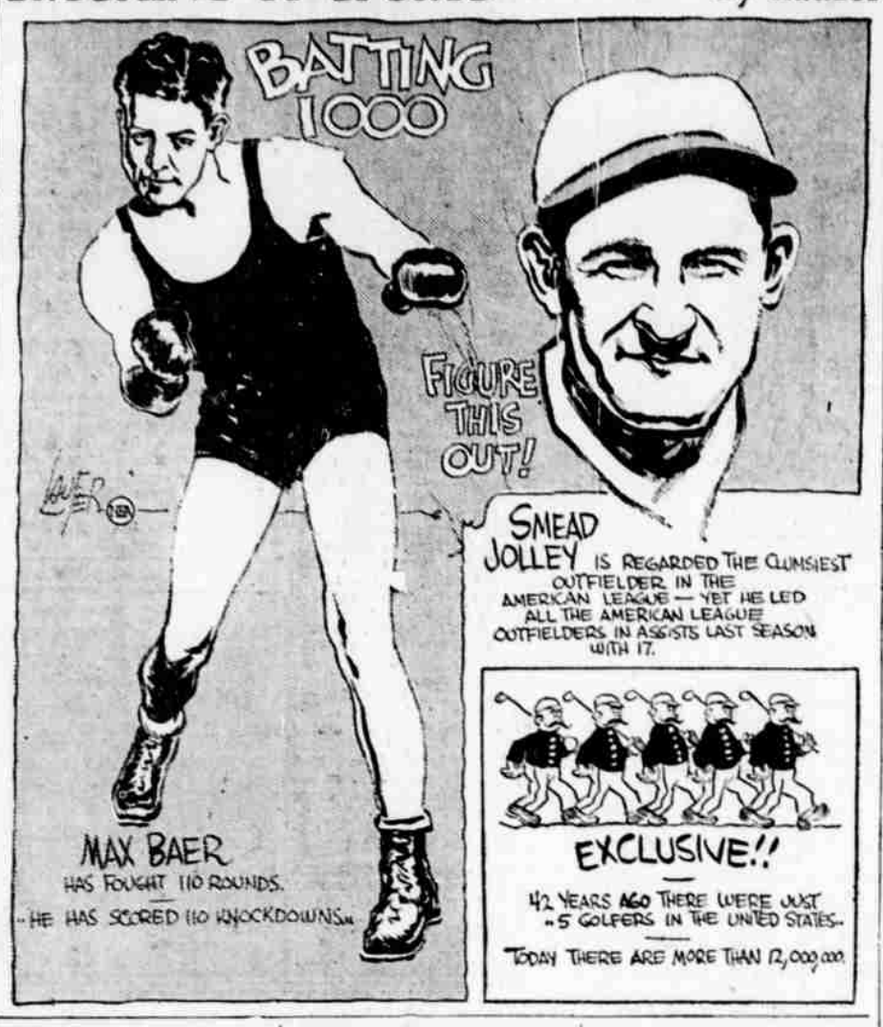
YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

The letters at the top, when properly arranged, form the swastika, famous oriental symbol of "Good Luck," shown in the circle.

BRUSHING UP SPORTS - - - - By Laufer



STRIBLING IS SURE OF BEING IN TITLE BOUT

NEW YORK, Jan. 8, (AP)—A shroud of silence enveloped the great heavyweight muddle today while all concerned awaited the arrival of W. L. (Young) Stribling and his manager, "Pa" Stribling, the key men in the question of who will fight whom for what championship. The Striblings are due this evening to get the conferences started all over.

No matter who may fight or where next summer's championship battle may take place, it seems certain Stribling will be one of the men in the ring. With Schmeling barred in New York, the Madison Square Garden management began to move yesterday in the direction indicated by the State Athletic Commission—toward a battle between Stribling and Jack Sharkey, the winner to be recognized as heavyweight champion. At the same time, Nate Lewis, Chicago stadium matchmaker, went about his preparations for signing the Georgian to meet Schmeling in Chicago.

Lewis, Sidney Strotz, president of the Chicago Stadium Corporation, and Joe Jacobs, Schmeling's manager, wound up a long conference early yesterday morning and departed to make up for lost sleep without making any announcement but it was presumed they had been attempting to find their way out of two tangles that may interfere with the proposed Chicago bout. One concerned the poll the National Boxing Association is now conducting as to whether the heavyweight title shall be declared vacant, but it seems likely that the German will be given a period of grace if he shows signs of arranging for a title defense.

The other involved the contract the Madison Square Garden Corporation now holds, calling for Schmeling to defend his title first in New York under Garden direction. Jacobs holds that the commission's action in depriving Schmeling of title recognition voided the contract.

Girls With Short Tresses Win Over Long Haired Boys

CHICAGO, Jan. 8, (AP)—The short hair versus long hair basketball series started a year ago between the Taylor Trunk girls team of Chicago and the House of David five of Benton Harbor, Mich., has been decided in favor of the bob-haired girls.

The Trunks last night defeated the Israelites, 19 to 8, in a preliminary to the Chicago Brooklyn American league game. The girls had a lead of 12 to 5 at the half and continued to improve their advantage.

They met four times last year, each winning twice.

SURE FIRE

CUSTOMER: Haven't you anything you could guarantee to waken me early in the mornings?

CLERK: Yes, but I don't think his mother would like parting with him.—Passing Show.

City Basketball Officers Named At Meeting Last Night

Last night at the city basketball meeting, L. A. "Pop" Varnadore was elected president, W. A. Joplin vice-president and Ed Arthur secretary-treasurer. The meeting was well attended and the interest keen, with the outlook for a big season good in a basketball way.

The meeting was held at the Klamath Sporting Goods store, with the Weyerhaeuser, Keno, MacMarr Stores and the Lawson Bengals represented. The above teams are entering the league and are ready for play at the present time. Two more teams will find room in the league if they make their application during the following week. One possible entry is known as the L. C. W. team, which will be organized in the next few days.

Team representatives present were: E. G. Karns, Keno; W. A. Joplin, MacMarrs; Pop Varnadore, Weyerhaeuser, and Ed Arthur, Lawson's Bengals. These men and Mr. Oliver form the executive committee that will form and uphold all rules and regulations. Mr. Arthur will draw up a constitution and submit it at the next meeing. A schedule will be arranged and entrance and forfeit fees will be collected and referees selected at this meeting.

The City league will furnish two balls for play, a score keeper and a publicity man for all games. There will be one regular meeting each month and special meetings called when needed. The next meeting will be Tuesday, January 3, at the Klamath Sporting Goods company at 8 p. m.

NORTHWEST HOOP SQUADS OPEN SEASON

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 8, (AP)—The 1931 Pacific coast conference northern division basketball race will start tomorrow night with the University of Oregon meeting the University of Washington at Seattle and Oregon State college tangling with Washington State college at Pullman. Second games will be played Saturday night.

Washington will start the season with a hope of capturing its fourth successive northern division championship. The Huskies won the title the last three years and are believed to have one of the strongest quintets in Washington's history.

Washington State College finished in second place last year and has a veteran lineup back for duty this season.

Coach "Hec" Edmundson of Washington said he believed Washington State and Oregon State were the teams to beat to win the championship this year.

The Washington State-Oregon State series is expected to decide which team will give Washington the most trouble. The Huskies came through 12 pre-season practice games undefeated and appear on paper as the strongest aggregation in the circuit.

The University of Idaho, the other school in the northern division conference will swing into action Monday night against Oregon State.

BOWLING SCORES

In the Recreation league last night Goodyear Tires took three points from Charlie Schaal's team; 20-30 club broke even with Montgomery Ward Co.'s team, and Murphy's Barbers split the four points with New City Laundry.

The scores:

20-30 Club

Pape	127	126	165	418
De Spain	108	112	121	341
Bangelt	173	140	130	443
Van Fleet	121	169	169	459
Totals	529	547	585	1661

Montgomery Ward

Vunk	126	128	124	378
Foskett	157	124	113	394
Moore	107	132	136	375
Morrow	133	128	105	366
Handicap	60	48	49	157
Totals	583	560	527	1670

Goodyear Tires

Bennett	148	149	169	466
Prechtel	179	163	181	543
Brenner	160	182	182	524
Zapp	139	178	212	529
Handicap	23	23	23	69
Totals	649	695	767	2132

Connolly Bros

Bussman	142	157	176	475
Parmalee	169	183	158	510
Schaal	187	136	162	485
Driscoll	170	171	193	534
Totals	668	647	689	2004

Murphy's Barbers

Orrell	156	154	153	463
Guse	169	163	150	482
Gove	154	155	169	478
Casper	131	209	201	541
Totals	610	681	673	1964

New City Laundry

Watts	146	151	170	467
Kiger	130	141	154	425
Vran	152	169	146	467
Johnson	119	82	128	329
Handicap	77	77	77	231
Totals	624	620	675	1919

In the Automotive league Ostendorf Motors had a close race with Andy's Super Service, but managed to squeeze three of the four points on the win side; Acme Motors took Buick Garage in for three points; Balsiger Motors had no opposition, but bowled their game for the Locke Motor Co. to shoot at.

The scores:

Acme Motor

Smith	168	132	147	447
Simmons	139	184	143	466
Robinson	117	108	123	348
Crawford	138	133	159	430
Rawlins	140	122	141	403
Totals	702	679	713	2094

Buick Garage

Oliver	148	122	145	415
Gyger	167	157	127	451
Clark	129	112	125	366
Hauger	114	76	86	276
Grondahl	94	120	157	371
Handicap	37	37	37	111
Totals	689	624	677	1879

Ostendorf Motor

Colburn	129			129
Ostendorf	132		171	303
Brubaker	140	118	120	378
Ross	200	183	189	572
Prock	169	134	121	451
Daley	181	189	147	517
Handicap		17	12	29
Totals	849	770	760	2379

Andy's Super Service

Bennett	158	164	187	509
Prechtel	160	160	165	485
Zapp	176	173	198	547
Benner	185	115	147	447
Warner	146	114	84	344
Handicap	4			4
Totals	829	736	783	2348

Balsiger Motor

Moore	182	178	157	517
LaPrarie	194	166	151	511
George	169	155	121	445
Patty	136		147	283
Balsiger		141		141
Totals	860	804	722	2386

Locke Motor

Postponed.

BASKETBALL PLAYS and PLAYERS

BY EVERETT S. DEAN
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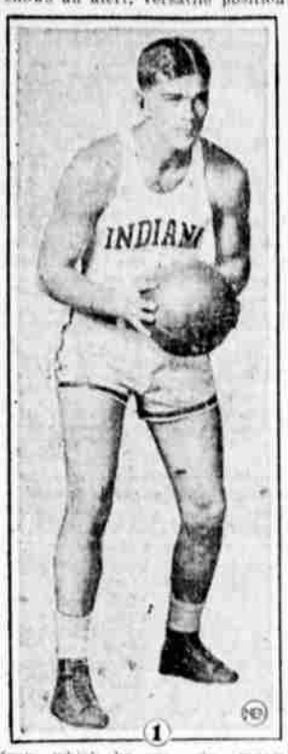
M'Cracken, Indiana's All-Conference center is shown here demonstrating the start and finish of good form in executing the bounce pass. Picture No. 1 shows an alert, versatile position



from which he can do many things.

The bounce pass is used mostly to get a pass through the front line defense to a teammate behind a defensive man any place on the court. To execute this play correctly, the passer must use a good eye-feint, in order to prevent the guard from anticipating the play. There

should be a complete follow through of the arms and body as shown in the second picture. The bounce pass can be used effectively in any style of offensive play.

The underhand pass is most suitable to the short pass, criss-cross style of offensive which calls for a crouched position of the body. This pass is good because it is short and accurate, safe from interception, and insures possession of the ball a longer period of time. The pass is aimed waist high and should carry on a level not more than 15 feet in length.

Hook passes have a place in any team's offense because they are most effective in the corners. This is a hard pass to master but it is worth the effort.

The push pass is one of the most versatile because it is quick and hard to guard. The first picture demonstrates good form for this pass as well as the bounce pass. This pass is the team pass of many teams.

TOMORROW: Pennsylvania system.

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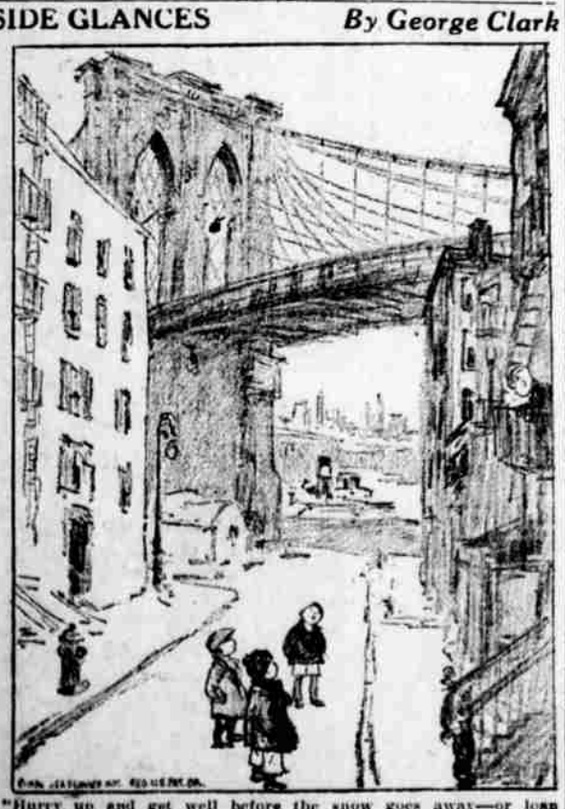
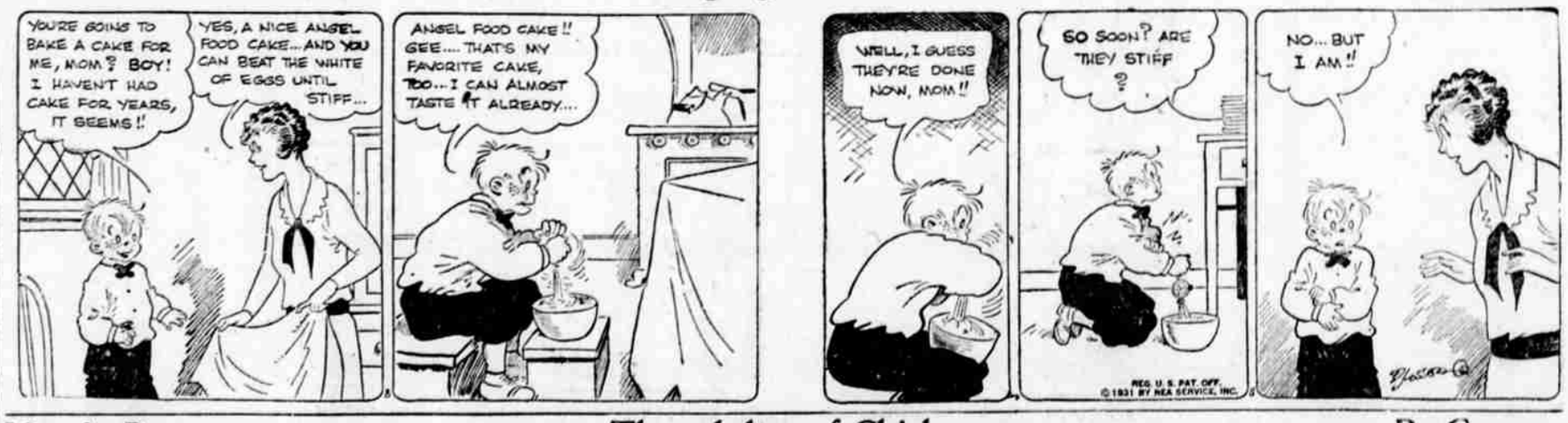
SIDE GLANCES By George Clark



"Hurry up and get well before the snow goes away—or load up your sled."

Freckles and His Friends — Helping Mother! — By Blosser



Mom'n Pop — Thoughtless of Chick — By Gowan