

THURSDAY GAME STARTS AT 1 P. M.

Benson Poly Footballers to Battle Klamath High Boys Thanksgiving Day

For the first time in the annals of athletic history of Klamath county a Portland team will play on the local gridiron.

Word was received this week by Principal Paul Jackson, from the coach of Benson Polytechnical school of Portland, asking for a game in Klamath Falls on Thanksgiving day. The game has been accepted, and since that time the boys have been put through stiff training to get them back in football trim from which they were released several weeks ago.

The game will be called promptly at one o'clock in order to give others a chance to enjoy their Thanksgiving dinner at the usual afternoon hour.

Benson Poly, as she is called in Portland league circles, rates fourth among the eight high schools of Portland, and is placed in the 500 column. She sports exceptionally good athletic equipment and her student body funds are in such condition that she is able to make the southern trip without a definite guarantee.

Benson's center is rated as an all-star man in Portland circles.

Scheffer of Medford will referee the game, Ed Clark of Klamath Falls will umpire, and H. J. Hendrickson of Merrill, head linesman.

The general admission charge to the game will be fifty cents, sponsor tickets will be recognized, and students with their student body tickets will be admitted for fifteen cents, as well as grade schools.

Walker Is Backed To Retain Title

NEWARK, N. J., Nov. 24.—Odds of 2 to 1 are being offered that Mickey Walker retains his world's welterweight title in his 12 round bout with Sailor Friedman of Philadelphia here Wednesday night.

Although the sailor's science and rugged ring craft are being touted, Friedman would have to put the champion away, or be indisputably fouled before he could win, for decision bouts are not permitted here.

A knockout by Walker would spoil the chances of a return bout over the 15 round route to a decision.

Both boxers have completed training and are taking matters easy. They weigh in Wednesday.

Railway Fares Are Cut for Holidays

A holiday excursion rate for Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Years is jointly announced by the railroads. The round trip rate will be one and one-third, the regular one way fare, where the one way fare does not exceed \$30. The Thanksgiving rate will be in effect on tickets sold November 24 to 26 and have a return limit to December 1.

Carloadings Show Prosperity
Railroad freight car loadings for the first 42 weeks of 1925 have been the greatest of any corresponding period on record, indicating general prosperity over the country. This enormous traffic has been handled with fine efficiency by the railroads. The net operating income of all the class I roads for the first eight months of 1925 represented a return of 4.65 per cent on the property investment. Western carriers earned a return of 3.62.

Stabilizing Railroad Employment
Stabilizing of railroad employment has been occupying a great deal of attention by railroad executives. Success along this line will be helpful in stabilizing general prosperity. In 1923 the low point of employment was 1,779,516 employees in January, and the high point was in August with 1,973,505 employees, the maximum variation for 1923 being 193,989 employees. In 1924 this fluctuation was reduced to 85,917 employees.

Another shipment of pretty robes and kimonas at Bee Begin's Dress Shop, 129 So. 7th St. N20-25

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