

High Hoopsters to Play Henley Friday

Breaking into the league schedule of Klamath county high school basketball games, the first encounter of the season will be played on the Henley floor when the Klamath Falls boys tackle the farmer lads in what promises to be a red hot contest.

With a title to defend, Klamath will probably show more than the usual pep at a first league game and Henley's spirit at the initial battle will be nothing short of spectacular if the enthusiasm of past years makes itself manifest.

"Dutch" French, red-and-white coach, has prophesied nothing for his men, but hopes for the best. He has a quintet of experienced maple trotters and what they don't know about the leather sphere and the hoop, the 1927 rule book doesn't either.

Zed Barnes will return to his old position at center and around him will pivot two easy going, sure-fire guards, Angus Walsh and Frank Hall. Captain Barnes is flanked on the other side at forward by Jack Orell, of no mean ability, and a man old at the game, Howard Pruitt.

To discuss French's subs would be to hand them the same enthusiastic line as granted the regular five. "Just as good as my first string," is the way French put it about the seven men who will make the trip. Herbert Dennis at center will replace Barnes in case the unexpected happens. Forwards include Don Soule, Wayne Whitney, and Bob McMillan. Guards embrace Harold Olson, Carl Berryman and Donald Barker.

Who will referee the first game of the season has not yet been learned.

A preliminary girls' game is scheduled for the first round.

Sam Agnew Signs With Coast Seals

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 11. (U.N.)—Sam Agnew, one of the real veterans of organized baseball, will start the 23rd season of his diamond career with the San Francisco Seals this spring.

Sam who has played for St. Louis, Boston and Washington in the American league, returned to the Pacific Coast league after going to the majors from here previously.

Agnew today signed a seal contract for 1927, but will be a second string catcher for the first time since dropping back from the American league six years ago.

Catalina Island Swimmer Injured

NEW YORK, Jan. 11. (U.N.)—Friends of Lotta Schoemmel, New York swimmer who is now at Santa Monica preparing to enter the Catalina channel swim received word Tuesday that she had been injured in a boating accident off Hermosa beach.

A rowboat capsized, according to Mrs. Schoemmel's telegram, and the swimmer sustained a painful injury to her leg. The accident, however, will not prevent her entering the Wrigley contest.

MEXICAN MINISTER DENIES ALL CHARGES

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in that country, and on the other hand, they affirm that the application of the Mexican laws in the matter of petroleum will result in the ignoring of prior right legitimately acquired by American citizens.

"Any person familiar with the strength of Mexico, as compared with that of the United States and everybody knows this fact, will understand it is absurd to suppose that Mexico wishes to face the United States in a military way."

"Mexico is not bound with any other country nor has any agreement which may compel her to unite her strength or her interests with those of other countries. Neither will she voluntarily go to war with any country, excepting in the case of self-defense, should she be the object of aggression, because then she would have the inevitable duty of doing her utmost to maintain her independence. The above consideration would be sufficient to show that such charge is groundless. But furthermore, it is evident that Mexico has no interests whatever in Nicaragua nor political views of any kind. Nor any aims of territorial expansion nor any Mexican properties of commercial interest to protect. Therefore Mexico in this regard has nothing to do in that country and naturally she only entertains spiritual feelings akin to all the countries of the same culture."

"The reasons that prompted Mexico to recognize the government of Mr. Sacasa have already been set forth by President Calles in several statements published by the press. This recognition was based in a principal of justice and respect for constitutional order of the other countries, such attitude, however, not even has the credit of being her own, but agrees with the same policy followed by other nations."

Jews Outstanding Basketball Stars

NEW YORK, Jan. 11. (U.N.)—For many years John J. McGraw, manager of the New York Giants, has been deploring the absence from his line-up of "a great Jewish player."

It is not that Muggsy wished to paraphrase some and say "one of my best players is a Jew." He merely was figuring upon how tremendous a box-office attraction a Semitic home-run hitter would be in a city like New York.

Jewish ballplayers have come, but have gone about as fast. The national pastime does not seem suited to their race.

Another sport has come to the fore this past year, however, in which Jews are outstanding stars. This is basketball, which was taken up by 15,000,000 players during 1926.

When as many people play basketball as pay to watch football, the comparative popularity of the two sports is all in favor of the former. Basketball is probably the most popular indoor game, and with the fact in mind that more people play it than play baseball, golf, soccer (in the United States) tennis or parchesi it may be recognized as nearly, if not quite, our national pastime.

Jewish players take naturally to the game. They apply themselves, and they will take chances. Nat Holman of the Original Celtics, the best basketball team in the country, is a Hebrew. So is Chick Passon, who leads the scorers of the American Basketball league with 147 points in 14 games. Dave Banks and Benny Borgeman of Fort Wayne are two more, and they are stars.

And the Cleveland Rosenblums are the best team in the middle west. Perhaps John McGraw will turn his attention to basketball.

FOUR BADLY INJURED

OREGON CITY, Jan. 11. (U.N.)—Donald Lucas was perhaps fatally injured, and Mrs. Rupert Hall, Mrs. Noble Cover, Mrs. Laura Eruse suffered less serious injuries Monday night, when a southbound Southern Pacific passenger train struck an automobile in which the four were riding, at a city intersection.

PRICE BREAD DROPS

NEW YORK, Jan. 11. (U.N.)—The price of bread reached pre-war levels when a large chain grocery placed a 22-ounce loaf on sale at eight cents.

Friends of patients and the general public are welcomed at Klamath Valley Hospital, where the comfort of the sick is the first consideration.

Fugazy to Build Big Fight Arena

NEW YORK, Jan. 11. (U.N.)—Humbert Fugazy the Italian sports promoter who has kept in the limelight by competing unsuccessfully for the service of Gene Tunney, announced Tuesday the start of work upon an arena which will equal Rickard's Madison Square Garden.

Known as Fugazy's arena, the structure will be located in Brooklyn on a plot 476 by 200 feet.

Cost of the new arena, which will seat between 25,000 and 30,000 people will be approximately \$6,000,000 the promoter announced.

Fugazy will be president of the company.

"In every way," said Fugazy, "the new arena will be just a little bigger and better than Madison Square Garden."

Lincoln Film to Be Shown Here

"Abraham Lincoln," the picture which has been the sensation of the movie world, is to be shown at the Liberty Theatre, today.

"Abraham Lincoln" was more than two years in the making, and at times as many as 2,500 people appear in the cast. It deals with the life of Lincoln from his birth, through his boyhood, the presidency and the strife of the Civil War, depicts the surrender of Lee and shows life in Washington after the war and finally his assassination.

The production has been hailed as an artistic and dramatic sensation by the national press and is generally conceded to be one of the most important pictures ever brought to the screen.

George Billings, considered to be a perfect likeness to the famous national hero, plays the title role, and Ruth Clifford is seen as Anne Rutledge. Nell Craig is Mrs. Lincoln. These are the principal figures in the remarkably fine cast.

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"Baited Trap," which comes to the Orpheus Theatre today, furnishes perfect proof that Ben Wilson's early training has stood him in excellent stead and that Ben himself knows all there is to know about the gentle art of picture making.

It's a Western—but what a Western! To begin with the sets are lavish in the extreme, the action never lags for a second, the story is a gripping one, and the supporting cast which includes such prominent personalities as Neva Gerber, Al Ferguson and "Fangs," the dog star, is capable in the extreme. All in all "The Baited Trap" is a well-nigh perfect production.

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