

Sporting News

BERNE BEARS TRIM GENEVA

After getting off to a slow start, the Berne high school Bears ran wild through the defense of the Geneva high school Cardinals and trounced the Geneva net aggregation, 53-18 in a basketball game at the Berne gymnasium last night.

The Geneva team started off in good shape and had a total of 4 points, before the Bears got out of the zero column. Finally Berne started hitting the basket from all angles and when the final gun sounded the score was 53-18.

The Berne team scored 25 times from the field and 3 times from the free-throw line while the Cardinals hit 7 times from the field and 4 times from the gift line.

Braun, veteran forward on the Berne team rang the field bell for 9 baskets while Stucky, floor guard hit the net 7 times during the game.

Hawbaker, Geneva center and star of last year's Geneva team was the star for the visitors, scoring 12 of the 18 points collected by his team.

In the curtain-raiser, the Berne Cubs, defeated the Geneva second team 24-8. The opening game was all one-sided and rather uninteresting to watch.

Lineup and summary:

Berne	Pos.	P.	G.	F.T.	T.P.
Ehrsam	F.	0	0	0	0
Braun	F.	9	0	18	
Moser	F.	4	3	11	
Meyers	C	5	0	10	
Stucky	G.	7	0	14	
Kattman	G.	0	0	0	
Totals		25	3	53	
Geneva	Pos.	P.	G.	F.T.	T.P.
Lybarger	F.	2	1	5	
Penning	F.	0	1	1	
Lough	F.	0	0	0	
Hawbaker	C	5	2	12	
Neal	G.	0	0	0	
Penrod	G.	0	0	0	
Hendricks	G.	0	0	0	
Totals		7	4	18	

Referee: Pettijohn, Bluffton. Score at half, 19-8.

Yale-Princeton Renew Old Gridiron Rivalry

Princeton, N. J., Nov. 17.—(U.P.)—Yale Blue challenged the Orange and Black of Princeton in colorful pageants of pretty girls, coonskin-clad collegians and hoarse, beaming old grads through the hospitable streets of Tigertown today, while the eleven of Captain Max Eddy and Captain Chuck Howe made ready to resume the football rivalry of the two universities, which dates back just 55 years.

Today's game against Yale is the climax of Princeton's season, and the youngsters coached by Bill Roper are primed for their greatest effort. What happens against Navy next week will not worry the sons of old Nassau, if Yale is beaten.

It was a crippled but, determined Bulldog eleven which arrived here to rest for the battle. Johnny Garvey was not among the prospective backs which Mal Stevens will shoot in against the Tigers. In his place stood Butch Loud, who was assigned to the ball carrying during the famous Eli drives inside and outside tackle.

Clash For Lead In Western Conference

Iowa City, Ia., Nov. 17.—(U.P.)—Weather conditions, as much as the relative abilities of the two teams, will have an important bearing on today's Big Ten championship battle between Iowa and Wisconsin, at Iowa stadium. A soggy field appeared likely to give the Hawkeyes the advantage.

Wisconsin, boasting the strongest aerial game of any conference team, had hoped for a fast, dry field, while the Hawks, who rely mainly on a powerful running game, welcomed the rain.

The game seems certain to decide the Big Ten championship as the rival contenders are the only undefeated teams in the loop. Iowa has a slight edge on Wisconsin, having won all of its six games, while the Badgers tie with Purdue.

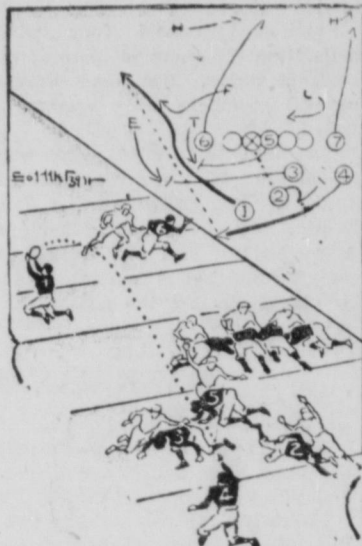
Both teams boast powerful lines and Iowa has an exceptionally powerful backfield in McLain, Glasgow, Armit, Parroh and Pape.

Purdue-Wabash Play

Lafayette, Ind., Nov. 17.—(U.P.)—Purdue University's Bollermakers meet Wabash here today in a game which is expected to provide Jimmy Phelan's team with a valuable rehearsal for next week's battle with Indiana.

G. E. Minstrel Show. A combination of fun, jokes and laughter. H. S. Auditorium, Tuesday-Wednesday, Nov. 20-21.

Glenn's Pet Used To Defeat Rockne



By SOL METZGER

"So this is County Cork!" yelled a Wisconsin halfback over a month ago when he had caught a forward pass and ran deep into Notre Dame territory, where one of Rockne's Fighting Irish boys crashed him to the sod. That upset by Glenn Thistlewaite's boys gave Wisconsin its first big kick in football since the old days when Phil King, the former Princeton quarterback, produced some great Badger eleven.

Thistlewaite is a master strategist, a man of few words. They tell me in his coaching days at Northwestern, where he earned his spurs, a slap on the back of "Moon" Baker or a mere word or two of praise would send that versatile gridironer into battle inspired. One of Glenn's pet tricks is a running pass that is shown here.

Ball is snapped to No. 2, who whirls and hands it to No. 3, the latter tearing to the left rear while No. 2 cuts down the pursuing end. No. 3 also tears to the left, his duty being to account for the other defensive end. No. 1 breaks at this same end, as though leading the interference, but cuts around him on the inside and seeks the territory that is vacated by the defensive back in that area, the latter having been lured to other parts by end No. 6 leading him astray. When No. 1 is free, No. 4 steps and pegs him a forward pass. When it's caught it goes like fury. This is the sort of attack Iowa will have to watch for today in its Conference clash with Wisconsin at Iowa City. If it goes and if Wisconsin can stop McLain then "Silent Glenn" will pat a few more strong young collegians on the back and make them feel even better than they did when victory was gained on the field.

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Muddy Field Greet I. U.-Northwestern

Bloomington, Ind., Nov. 17.—(U.P.)—A heavy field was in prospect for the Northwestern-Indiana football game here today. While the teams were considered about on par, Northwestern favored slightly to win.

Coach Dick Hanley of Northwestern, was expected to start an aerial attack designed for use against the Indians.

Nine Indiana seniors were to participate in their last home game. They are Captain "Chuck" Bennett, Linton; Captain Bob Matthews, Gary; Clare Randolph, Elkhart; Ralph "Buck" Weaver, Terre Haute; Paul Varrell, Indianapolis; Carroll Butts, Ellingsburg, N. Y.; Ward Baker, Mishawaka; Bill Moss, Jasonville; and Louis Erinter, Garrett.

Glick Wins Fight

Madison Square Garden, New York, Nov. 17.—(U.P.)—Following one of the worst exhibitions of fighting ever offered by two championship contenders, Joe Glick of Williamsburg, N. Y., was named today as the probable next opponent of Lightweight Champion Sammy Mandell.

Glick was declared the winner over Baby Joe Gans of California, despite the fact that the young negro had driven his opponent around the ring in the closing sessions of a ten round bout.

Mandell and Tex Rickard, having nothing to worry about. The champion could whip Glick every night in the week, on the showing made by the Williamsburg lightweight, last night. As for Rickard, he is sitting once more atop the fistic world.

More fight fans than ever before paid admission to see an indoor fight—18,937—elbowed and fought their way into Madison Square Garden for the meeting of Mandell's challengers. Receipts were \$60,154.99.

Controversy In New Net Rules

New York, Nov. 17.—(U.P.)—The dribble threatens to cause most of the controversy in basketball this season if the interpretation meeting of eastern officials, coaches and players held last night at the Astor Hotel, is a fair indication of viewpoint of the country at large toward the 1928-29 rules.

The desire of the joint rules committee to lessen dribbling caused the personal foul shall be called on the dribbler. If, despite the dribbler's effort to avoid contact, personal contact ensues, either player, or both, following interpretation to be added to the rules at the annual rules meeting in April.

"If a dribbler charges into an opponent, or makes personal contact with an opponent, without an apparent effort to avoid such contact, he may be guilty; but the greater responsibility is on the dribbler if he tries to dribble by an opponent who is in his path."

L. S. St. John of Ohio State, chairman of the joint rules committee, said the intention of the rules committee was to do away with the dribble as much as possible.

"We want to prevent a player from running down the court with the ball like a football player going down the field," St. John said. "If the dribble is not curbed, the game is going to get out of hand and away from the A. B. C.'s of basketball."

Stalling was scored by St. John who said that all possible is being done to speed up the game and prevent it from lagging.

FOOTBALL TODAY

Important football games today in all sections of the country follow:

East
Yale vs. Princeton at Princeton.
Missouri vs. New York U. at New York.
Detroit vs. Fordham at New York.
Cornell vs. Dartmouth at Ithaca.
Syracuse vs. Colgate at Syracuse.
Harvard vs. Holy Cross at Cambridge.
Columbia vs. Pennsylvania at Philadelphia.
Georgetown vs. West Virginia at Washington.
Lafayette vs. Penn State at Easton.
Williams vs. Amherst at Amherst.
West
Iowa at Wisconsin at Iowa City.
Carnegie Tech vs. Notre Dame at South Bend.
Chicago vs. Illinois at Chicago.
Indiana vs. Northwestern at Bloomington.
Minnesota vs. Haskell at Minneapolis.
Michigan vs. Michigan State at Ann Arbor.
Missouri Valley
Pittsburgh vs. Nebraska at Lincoln.
Kansas vs. Oklahoma at Lawrence.
Iowa State vs. Kansas Aggies at Ames.

South
Georgia Tech vs. Alabama at Atlanta.
Vanderbilt vs. Tennessee at Nashville.
Kentucky vs. V. M. I. at Lexington, Ky.

Georgia vs. Louisiana State at Athens.
Maryland vs. Virginia at College Park.

Southwest
Southern Methodist vs. Baylor at Waco.
Texas vs. Texas Christian at Fort Worth.
Texas Aggies vs. Rice at College Station.

Far West
Stanford vs. Washington at Palo Alto.
California vs. Nevada at Berkeley.
Southern California vs. Washington State at Los Angeles.
Oregon vs. Oregon Aggies at Corvallis.

Rocky Mountain
Utah vs. Brigham Young at Salt Lake City.

Carnegie Tech Favorite

Notre Dame, Nov. 17.—(U.P.)—Knute Rockne's "Fighting Irish" will be fighting to satisfy a two-year-old grudge when they meet Carnegie Tech's undefeated team this afternoon. The Pittsburgh team upset Notre Dame by 19 to 0 in 1926 and robbed Rockne's eleven of a national championship. That was an upset, but today Carnegie is the favorite.

Chicago-Illini Meet

Chicago, Nov. 17.—(U.P.)—Coach A. A. Stagg's Chicago Maroons, meet Illinois here today in the final game of the year for the Stagmen. The Maroons, whose only victory this season was in a game with Wyoming, hope to turn in an "upset" but the Illini are overwhelming favorites to Florida vs. Clemson at Tampa.

Stanford Takes to the Air



The above remarkable photo shows "Biff" Hoffman, great Stanford fullback, attempting either an Immelmann turn or a wing over in the game with the University of California. Note the football under his arm in spite of the impact which sent him hurtling over Nate Barrager, U. S. C. tackler. The third player is Wilton, teammate of Hoffman. The score was U. S. C., 10; Stanford, 0.

(International Newsreel)

VESTRIS PROBE WILL CONTINUE

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prosecutor, dismissed Verchere with the question:

"Is that the formula you adopted before you went to the stand?"

Later the district attorney warned against anyone tampering with the witnesses before they were permitted to tell their stories.

McDonald told of how O'Loughlin had left the radio shack before the Vestris went down. He said he had been in the shack with O'Loughlin and that they both had left some 30 to 40 minutes before the Vestris foundered.

Costigan presented the three radiograms he said his company had transmitted between ship and shore just before the sinking. He was advised to make further searches of the files in an attempt to ascertain whether any other messages might have been sent. The three messages he read:

From Carey:
"Hove to since noon yesterday. During night developed 32 degree list. Starboard deck under water. Ship lying on beam. Impossible to proceed anywhere."

This had been in answer to one sent by the company which read:
"Wire us immediately what your trouble is."

Then the company sent a message advising that the cruiser Davis was enroute to the rescue.

Hanson merely identified pictures he had taken.

More Testimony Received
New York Nov. 17.—The mystery of the delayed S. O. S. sent from the sunken liner Vestris before she sank Monday with a loss of 114 lives deepened today.

Chief engineer James Avard Adams, testified that Captain William Cary of the Vestris informed him before 5:30 a. m. Monday that he "expected" two coast guard destroyers to arrive along side at 5 p. m. that day.

The S. O. S. actually was not sent until after 10 a. m. four and a half hours after Carey told Adams the destroyers were on the way. It brought up the question of why Carey made the statement.

Firstmate Frank Johnson who preceded Adams as a witness before U. S. Commissioner Francis O'Neal at the government's inquiry into the disaster insisted the Vestris sank solely because of exceptionally bad weather.

HOOVERS READY FOR SEA VOYAGE

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ago, thence across the Andes to Buenos Aires, Argentina, then to Montevideo, Uruguay, and northward to Rio de Janeiro.

The president-elect virtually has decided to spend the winter near Miami, Florida, remaining there until just before inauguration. Other places still are under consideration, but this now seems most likely. He will arrive there early in January, after a visit to Mexico City and Havana Cuba.

GANG WAR CALM BROKEN AGAIN

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when he heard the shots. He was unable to give the police any clue to the identity of the slayers.

Police records show Clay had been indicted on charges of conspiracy but never served any time. He was secretary and treasurer of the union and

culties because he refused to join the racketeers.

Becker decided to "fight the devil with the devil," he said, and took Capone in as a partner. The racketeers were thrown into confusion by this new turn. Gun play ceased.

The slaying of Clay probably will precipitate a new investigation of the racket when Judge John A. Swanson, new state's attorney takes office next month, it was believed.

Judge Swanson promised when he was elected that he would clean out the gangsters, racketeers and hoodlums. He now is making plans to carry out his campaign promises.

Get the Habit—Trade at Home, It Pays

Steel Concerns Merger

New York, Nov. 17.—(U.P.)—The acquisition of the Atlas Steel company by the Ludlum Steel company was regarded today as the first step in a plan to merge four steel companies with total assets of more than \$250,000,000.

According to reports in Wall Street, the Ludlum company will be absorbed by the Alloy Steel corporation, which in turn probably will merge with the Republic Iron and Steel company.


The principal plants of the Republic Iron and Steel Co. are located at Youngstown, O., Muncie, Ind., Ohio, and Moline, Ill.

A. B. C. COACH LINES

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE

Beginning November 12, Southbound busses will leave Decatur for Winchester, Richmond, Cincinnati, and Dayton at 8:00 A. M., 10:00 A. M., 2:30 P. M., and 6:30 P. M. Northbound busses will arrive from Richmond at 10:00 A. M., 12:00 A. M., 4:30 P. M. and 8:30 P. M.

Busses will leave Fort Wayne for Decatur at 7:00, 9:00 and 11:00 A. M., and 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 8:00 and 11:00 P. M. Busses will leave Decatur for Fort Wayne at 5:30, 8:00, 10:00 A. M. and 12:00 noon; and 2:30, 4:30, 6:30, 8:30 and 9:00 P. M.

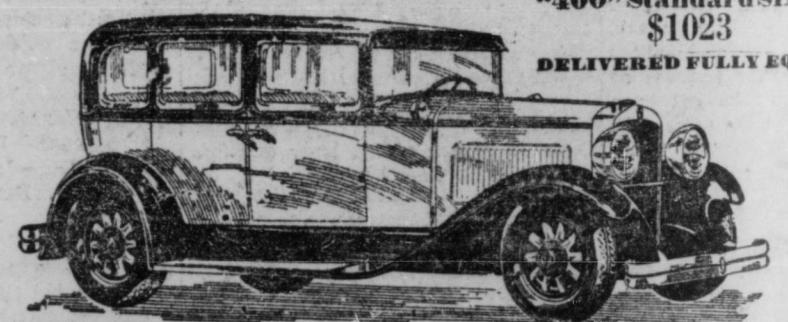


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