

Franklin Golf Cup Goes To Rev. S.P. At Berea, Ohio

ALL-MINISTER GOLF TOURNEY IN ONE FAMILY

Local Methodist Minister Relinquishes Cup To Ohio Brother

The four Franklin brothers, golfing ministers of which Rev. B. H. Franklin, pastor of the Methodist church here is a member, have decided, at least for 1930 that Rev. Dr. S. P. Franklin, professor of Religious Education at Baldwin-Wallace college, Berea, Ohio, is the best golfer of the four.

The decision was reached after the four brothers engaged in their annual all-Franklin golf tourney of 216 holes at the famous Tippecanoe Lake golf course. The match this year was a battle and the winner was forced to shoot the course in par the last three times to carry the silver loving cup away from Rev. B. H. of this city who won the cup in 1929 after 360 holes of match play.

The local Rev. Franklin, after receiving final compilations of the totals, which are figured on a handicap basis, surrendered for the year and turned his cup over to brother S. P.

The Franklin golf tourney is an annual event. It started four years ago, when after a few friendly matches the four brothers decided they could all sleep better during the winter months if they knew who was best.

In 1929 Rev. E. E. Franklin of Upland presented a loving cup to the group and Rev. Ben went right out and won the cup the first year. So the Decatur minister's name is engraved at the top of the cup.

Handicaps for the 1931 tourney were figured on the 1930 scores and are as follows: S. P., 73; E. E., 77; B. H., 85, and E. T., 85. The order of handicaps is also the order of finish for the 1930 title.

The four men all are ministers of the Methodist Episcopal church. They hail from a Kentucky farm, where their father, 80, and mother, 75, still reside. Four other brothers and a sister compose the Franklin family, whose ancestry can be traced back to four great-grandfathers, all fighting in the Revolutionary war.

The other four brothers, however, are excluded from the golf tourney, because they are not ministers. The Franklins decided, following the completion of the 1930 tourney that the 1931 match will be played at Tippecanoe and will run for six days, 36-holes a day.

The tourney is played each year during which time all four men arrange to take their vacations. While all the contenders maintain that the tourney has been cut from 10 days to six days because of the strain, the women folks sort of smile and say, "Maybe so."

AMERICAN TWO RACES AHEAD

Newport, R. I., Sept. 16—(UP)—Harold S. Vanderbilt and his yacht Enterprise have won two races for the honor of American seamanship against Sir Thomas Lipton's Shamrock V., and in so doing they have taken about half of the thrill out of the series for the America's cup.

Today the two yachts are scheduled to meet in another race over the course of 15 miles to windward from a point nine miles southeast of Brenton's reef and return. But around the harbor there was a feeling that the series was about over.

Most of the confidence and the feeling that the series was won, however, was confined to spectators. Afterguard and crew of neither ship reflected that attitude.

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"Shamrock is a fast boat and we are having great sport," was Vanderbilt's comment. "I look for more of it."

"We have been out pointed," said Charles Nicholson, designer of the Shamrock, "but we haven't been knocked out."

Only the 80-year-old Sir Thomas Lipton seemed down hearted. "I'm terribly disappointed," he admitted. "There must be some thing terribly wrong with Shamrock, as she did much better in her trials."

Observers, however, attributed the American superiority demonstrated in the two races so far held, entirely to the seamanship of Vanderbilt and his men, and the skill of Sterling Burgess, designer of the Enterprise.

In yesterday's race the Americans outslid the challengers throughout. The margin of victory was 9 minutes and 33 seconds. Enterprise needs but two more victories to retain the America's cup.

I.H.S.A.A. PLANS LIVELY MEET

Indianapolis, Sept. 16—(UP)—Preparations underway for the annual legislative meeting of the Indiana state high school athletic association, October 15, resemble preparations for a national party political convention. Hectic rivalry between the large and small schools is apparent.

An issue that has prevailed in the organization for years that of prorating the voting power of the schools according to enrollment—now is the subject of discussion. It will come up at the October meeting.

Principals and men representing large schools say that Henry J. Reid, Monticello, and Floyd L. Murray, Thorntown, present members of the board of control are both county superintendents and represent small county schools.

H. H. Mourer who was elected to the board while principal at Greentfield, recently took over the principalship of the Bedford high school. It is expected that he will be succeeded by Lee Baird, Delaware county superintendent, making another member representing a small school.

It has been suggested that a proposal be submitted to the October meeting limiting membership on the board of control to principals of high schools only. This met with two answers. One was that if a man representing a large school offered such a proposal it would be killed quickly by the overwhelming vote of the small school. A small school man was asked if he would introduce the proposal and he retorted that to do such a thing would mean that he would be run out of town.

A bulletin issued by the I. H. S. A. A. recently stated that a committee composed of Charles Zimmerman, Terre Haute, Harlie Garver, Union City and Floyd McMar-ray of Thorntown, will offer a proposal to the legislative body for approval that would classify schools as follows: Schools with enrollments up to 75 would be in class one; enrollments between 76 and 350 in class two, and above 351 in class three.

The five district arrangement, as now used by the I. H. S. A. A. would remain in effect and every year the district would elect a representative from one of the classes to the board of control. This board has five members and controls the destinies of the I. H. S. A. A.

For the next two years, under the plan, some of the present members would be retained in order to get the vote ratifying properly but by 1933 the class plan would govern the board. In that year, there would be two class one members, two class two members and only one class three member.

Several men representing the large schools brought this plan up for discussion. It was explained that in each of the five districts, every school would be allowed to vote, but the man who ran for office must come from the class of school corresponding to the vacancy to be filled on the board.

Larger school men, who have been fighting the control, held in the I. H. S. A. A. by the small school majority for years, have called the attention to the fact that the new proposal and class arrangement does not help this trouble. They say there will never be more than two members on the board, representative of the large school class and these two would be voted helpless with the other three members from class one and two, the small schools.

The large school men prefer a voting arrangement whereby the schools vote according to the enrollments of the school, say one vote for every 100 pupils.

NOTICE TO PATRONS

I am back at my office and regular office hours will be observed.
M-T Dr. L. E. Somers.

PURDUE GRID TEAM APPEARS IN GOOD SHAPE

Losses Counteracted By Sophomore Material In Line And Backfield

Editor's note: Following is the first of a series of eleven daily articles dealing with Big Ten conference football prospects. Each of the conference schools will be discussed separately with the final article, Sept. 27, including a consensus prediction by the middle west's leading sports writers on the rating of each team at the close of the season. Tomorrow's article will discuss the University of Chicago.

By Dixon Stewart,
UP Staff Correspondent
Chicago, Sept. 16—(UP)—Al-

though loss of two all-Americans, an all-western and three regular ends might cause a lot of coaches to break down in tears, Noble Kizer, Purdue's new head football coach, is wasting no time in sobbing and is devoting all his energies to developing a competent eleven for the Boilermakers' title defense.

Purdue takes its title defense seriously. While such men as Pest Welch, Glen Harneson, Elmer Sleight, Bill Mackie, Woerner and Caraway, all of whom were lost by graduation, do not crop up on every football tree, Kizer and his assistants, Mal Edward, Earl Martineau and Christy Planagan, already have started grafting some sturdy shoots that give promise of branching out and blossoming along with the remains of the 1929 squad.

Despite the loss of six outstanding stars, an inventory of Purdue stock shows that the Boilermakers have available 21 major lettermen, six minor lettermen, and a husky group of promising sophomores. Two veteran backfield men—Alex Yunevich, fullback, and Jack White, quarterback—probably will be permanent fixtures in the rebuilt backfield. The fight for halfback berths is an open battle between Ed Risk, Jim Purvis, Lewis Pope and Howard Kissell, a quartet of shy lettermen ball carriers, with sophomore candidates having little prospect of breaking into the lineup.

If quantity and quality of the lettermen available means anything Kizer should have few worries over the center of his line. Lewis Miller and Lester Sherbeck, who divided the time at center last year, are back with Oehler and Westerman, a sturdy pair of sophomores furnishing competition. Five lettermen and one minor letterman—George Tears, Horace Buttner, Don Trimble, Jack Christman, Sam Voldorf and Don Fessler are competing for guard positions.

Loss of Sleight, all-American tackle, is tempered by the fact that George Vanbiber is back in his old stand at left tackle. Richard Chubb, and Eugene Boswell, both lettermen and John Husar, Clair Helmer and Edward Ungers, sophomores, look like the best of the other tackle possibilities.

Paul Calvert and Ed Moon are the only surviving ends from the 1929 team.

Purdue's complete schedule is: Oct. 4—Baylor at Purdue.
Oct. 11—Purdue at Michigan.
Oct. 18—Purdue at Iowa.
Oct. 25—Wisconsin at Purdue (homecoming).
Nov. 1—Purdue at Illinois.
Nov. 8—Purdue at Chicago.
Nov. 15—Butler at Purdue.
Nov. 22—Indiana at Purdue.

MONROE WINS BALL GAME, 6-0

Monroe high school Bearcats defeated Pleasant Mills high school soft ball team in a game played at Pleasant Mills diamond Monday afternoon. The final score was 6-0, and Monroe held control of the tilt throughout.

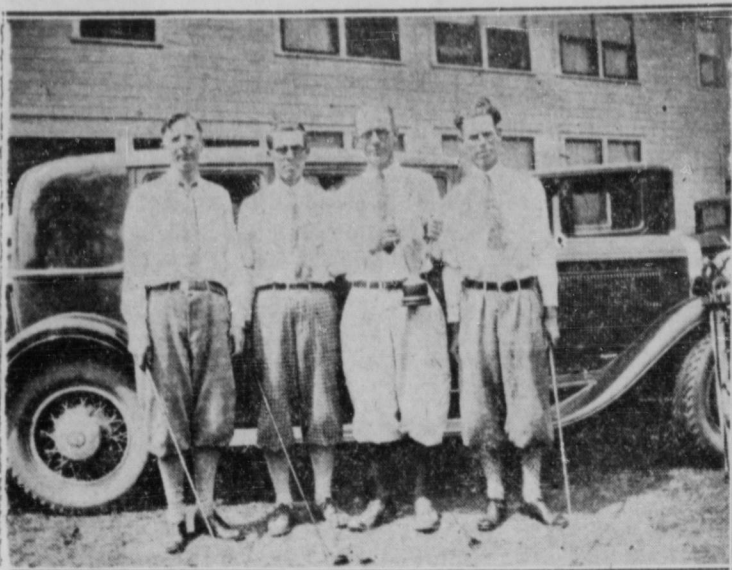
Hoffman and Stucky formed the battery for the winners while Ehrman and Troutner were the losing battery. The only extra base hit was knocked out by Brandyberry, Monroe player, who smacked the ball for a two-bagger.

The victory puts Monroe in a tie for the league lead with Monmouth. The game was interesting and on several occasions Pleasant Mills threatened to make it tough for the county champions.

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After The Finish



Above are the four Franklin brothers, all Methodist ministers, who have a golf tourney each year all their own. From left to right they are, Dr. E. T. Franklin, president Southwestern college Winfield, Kas.; Rev. Benjamin H. Franklin, pastor Methodist Episcopal church, Decatur; (Winner of cup in 1929); Dr. S. P. Franklin, professor of Religious Education, Baldwin-Wallace college, Berea, Ohio, (Winner of 1930 cup) and Rev. E. E. Franklin, pastor of Methodist church at Upland, Ind.

INDIANA GRID TEAM IN DRILL

Bloomington, Ind., Sept. 16—The opening whistle on the Big Ten football practice fields here this afternoon found Coach Pat Page starting another season with a scarcity of veteran men but a large number of promising newcomers. The practice consisted of limbering up work and running through various formations that are to be used during the coming campaign.

In commenting on the prospects for a winning combination this fall, Coach Page said: "The material is the lightest in years but I expect the team to show up well. Although the team did not check up well on paper last year the members of the squad were playing some of the best eleven in the country and should be complimented for their spirit."

Lettermen who have returned to bolster the backfield are quite to Page's liking. Of the group he has Charles Brubaker, of Fort Wayne, who he named as the best quarterback Indiana has had for the past four years. With this hard working back again calling signals Coach Page believes the team will have a capable general. At Halfback Geo. Ross, of Wabash, outstanding open field runner last year, will be galloping through his final year of college competition. Another varsity half who is expected to have a hand in Indiana's offensive play is Vic Dauer, of Gary, a junior this season. At the fullback post, the Indiana mentor has Ed Hughes, of Gary, who was out part of the 1929 campaign with injuries. The kicking department is expected to come under the direction of this performer.

Although the line was hard hit by graduation this spring Coach Page believes the incoming youngsters from the reserve and freshman squads will be able to fill the gaps in a capable manner. Jack Hansen, of River Forest, Ill., at a wing position, Paul Jasper, of Fort Wayne, at tackle and Joe Zeller, of Each Chicago, at guard, are lettermen who will be the main cogs in the defense along with the new men Bernard Dickey, of Fort Wayne, an incoming sophomore, is expected to fill the other end position with Wm. Blakrave of Washington, a junior, keeping on his heels. At center Ben Mankowski, of Detroit Mich., a reserve last year; Neal Baxter of Bluffton, another reserve and Wm. Spannuth, of Newcastle, are candidates.



Every day the weather is more like football—and these recent rains will help the grid-irons a lot.

Coach Horton didn't give the Yellow Jackets much rest after the Auburn game Saturday. The squad is right at it in preparation for the South Side game next Saturday.

A long hard drill on offensive and on forward pass defense is on the Decatur menu this week. As far as an opponent playing straight football against the Yellow Jackets — there isn't much to fear.

Last year, 27 Purdue football players received letters. Six of the lettermen did not return and all Noble Kizer, head coach, has

CARAWAY WILL COACH PURDUE FROSH SQUAD

Famous Grid Player Is Signed to Return to His Own School

Lafayette, Ind., Sept. 16—(UP)—Purdue's freshman football coaching staff was completed today with the announcement that Elbert "Eg" Caraway, star fullback and end on Boilermaker elevens of the past three years, has been signed as assistant freshman coach. Caraway, one of the most versatile athletes in Purdue's history, joins Guy Mackey and Harvey Olson, former Purdue stars, as assistants to Glen Harneson, new head coach, to give the Boilermakers an All-Purdue yearling staff.

The selection of Caraway as assistant gives Harneson a man who understands both back field and line play thoroughly. For his first two years, Caraway held down the fullback post on Boilermaker elevens, but a scarcity of ends last season, and Caraway's natural football ability, led to a last minute shift that put him out at one of the wings where he earned recognition as one of the outstanding ends of the middle west. An unfortunate injury in the Chicago game brought his career to an end, for he was seemingly headed for All-Conference honors up to the time of the accident.

Caraway's versatility should stand him in good stead as a coach, for during his playing career his every act was characterized by his adaptability to conditions. As a backfield man, Caraway was a speedy ball-carrier, unusual blocker and dependable place-kicker, while his last season of play found him with few equals on defensive end, and his ball carrying ability enabled him to pull off some of the longest runs of the season on end-around plays.

Caraway, who was captain of the 1929 baseball team, and led the Big Ten in hitting in 1928 with the remarkable average of .556, has been playing baseball during the past summer with Shawnee, Okla. where he had an excellent season, and has reported for duty in excellent condition.

BIG TEN TEAMS BEGIN DRILLS

Chicago, Sept. 16—(UP)—Opening of the middle western football practice season today vied with the turbulent National league baseball race and the America's cup yacht competition for the attention of sport followers.

A number of small schools already have inaugurated the practice season, but Big Ten conference rules prohibit members from starting practice until Sept. 15. Most of the major schools, including Notre Dame, abide by western conference regulations and Sept. 15 generally is regarded as the "official" opening of the football season.

Notre Dame and the Big Ten conference share the interest of "corn belt" football followers. The Irish school, always a strong contender for national honors, has its usual ambitious schedule this season and can be counted upon to furnish its share of the "color" for the 1930 season.

Notre Dame is scheduled to play Southern Methodist, Navy, Carnegie Tech, Pittsburgh, Indiana, Pennsylvania, Drake, Northwestern, Army, and Southern California, with all the games except Pitt, Penn and Southern California to be played in the middlewest.

Although league competition is the primary object of the Big Ten, conference schools have booked an unusually large number of inter-sectional clashes and the "off day" games against outside foes promise to furnish spectacular entertainment.

Some of the nation's strongest teams — Notre Dame, Stanford, Army, Navy, Pitt, Vanderbilt, Harvard, Princeton, Penn, and Tulane — are included among the Big Ten's inter-sectional rivals.

The Big Ten title race will be marred by the virtual exclusion of Iowa. The Hawkeyes were able to secure only one conference opponent—Purdue—after being reinstated in the conference and the "Big Ten" this season will be in reality "big nine."

Graduation of the outstanding players of the 1929 season brought a general readjustment of strength and at present there appears to be no real outstanding team in the conference. Northwestern, Michigan and Purdue are being touted as pre-season championship favorites, but Illinois, Wisconsin, Ohio, and Minnesota also entertain hopes of taking the honors. Iowa, Indiana

and Chicago have little chance of winning.

Two schools, Purdue and Minnesota, had new head coaches on the job as practice opened today. Noble Kizer, assistant at Purdue

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