

# Larry Bevan, Waite Coach, Censured For Canceling Portland Prep Game

## OREGON FANS PEEVED AT HIS HIGH-HANDED GRID METHODS

### Assistant Coach, Manager And Players Were Desirous Of Playing; Portland Officials Say It Was Case Of "Cold Feet."

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 22.—(By International News.)—Larry Bevan, official mouthpiece for Waite high school's football team, was on his way home to Toledo last night with his team. He leaves behind him in Portland thousands of football fans who are thoroughly peeved over his actions which resulted in the cancellation of the Waite-Lincoln high school game, scheduled Saturday here on Multnomah field.

From the minute Bevan arrived Thursday morning until his departure Saturday he berated Portland weather, Multnomah field and everybody connected with handling details of the game.

"It's the worst field I've ever seen. It's terribly cold—I don't like this town; the United States is east of the Rocky mountains," was the tenor of his statements.

Refused To Play.  
Friday night Bevan absolutely declared Waite high school would not play on the ice-covered field. Officials of the Multnomah club agreed to remove all ice and snow from the field and recover it with a new layer of sawdust. Bevan said the offer was too late—he had made up his mind not to play and that ended it. A deadlock existed, and finally Coach Collins and Manager Klagg of the Waite team asserted they

as well be called off. Waite had reservations since Friday to leave on the 4 o'clock train Saturday afternoon and they lost no time in getting out of town. In making his departure Bevan was downhearted and dispirited realizing, perhaps that he alone had prevented the playing of the game.

## PENN TEAMS WILL PLAY XMAS COMBAT

### Young To Divide Squad For Tilt in Final Practice For California.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 22.—Final practice for the University of Pennsylvania football team, which plays California New Year's, will be held here Christmas in a regular game between two teams of Coach Lou Young's squad.

The "Red" eleven will be composed mainly of the regular team while the "Blue" will have first string substitutes, with a few regulars in the lineup.

A small admission fee will be charged for the game, all proceeds being donated to charity.

From the City of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, notice is hereby given that there is now on file in the office of the City Clerk a plat and schedule of proposed assessments and property taxes for the year 1925, as provided by the Code Supplement of 1915, will be assessed substantially according to said plat and schedule, and that the 12th day of January, 1924, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m., of said day has been fixed by the said Council for hearing and consideration of objections to said plat and schedule and proposed assessment, if any be made, and that all objections to the same, or to all prior proceedings, on account of errors, irregularities or inequalities, must be made in writing and filed with the City Clerk of said City within twenty days from posting and the first publication hereof. After hearing objections, if any so filed, the Council will make the necessary corrections and the assessment as shown in said plat and schedule, as corrected, if there be corrections, will be approved.

Dated December 22nd, 1924.  
L. J. STREBY, City Clerk.  
By Maude M. Krebs, Deputy.

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## RED PEPPERS

HOT SPORT CHATTER BY "EARL"

Those Passaic, N. J., high school cagers are at it again. In defeating the Pearl River High five of New York, the Skeeters registered their 14th consecutive basketball victory. Coach Blood's aggregation is now starting its sixth season without a defeat; 147 straight victories were annexed in five years, and the 74 to 15 triumph scored to start the current campaign is indicative that the phenomenal record is not yet near an end.

At least a football coach has been found who is unwilling to admit that a future opponent is superior to his team, and at the same time predicts victory for his own aggregation. The nerdy individual is (Gwyn Henry of Missouri, who is credited with having made such utterances while preparing the Tigers for the Southern California game. That—footballly speaking—is real courage.

That Leland Parkin was deservingly of the honors thrust on him during, and after the recent football season was shown by the vote of Big Ten coaches and other experts for the player of most value to his team. Parkin ranked third in the field, first and second places going to Red Grange and Ralph Baker, the former winning a silver trophy. Claypool of Purdue and Thomas of Chicago were fourth and fifth, respectively.

The only wager we have heard of in connection with the California holiday football games was made yesterday when one party offered 10 to 7 that the far-

western teams would win two of the three games. The long end better favored U. S. C. to win decisively from Missouri; conceded California better than an even chance of downing Pennsylvania, and placed Notre Dame and Stanford on a par, with the Irish having a very slight edge.

Wonder how Larry Bevan will explain to the home folk after Toledo fans read news articles from Portland relative to canceling the Waite-Portland inter-sectional game scheduled for last Saturday? From what little we have seen, and much we have heard of the Honorable Larry, his action in Oregon easily is understood. Perhaps he will have his wings clipped when he heads his warriors back to East Toledo.

Washington high has signed another two-year contract with Sioux Falls, S. D. The Dakotans will play here Nov. 6, and the Tigers will trek northward in 1925. The definite signing of Sioux Falls gives the Tigers five games for next fall. The others are Ottumwa and Moline on foreign fields, and du Pont and Harrisburg here.

It is possible that Stivers high of Dayton, Ohio, will have a place on the Tigers' 1925 schedule. Negotiations now are on between Manager Maurice Carlson and Dayton authorities, but definite arrangements have not yet been completed. Stivers always is represented by strong teams, having tied Scott of Toledo, this year, 7 to 7.

## SEEK STANDARDIZE ALL TENNIS BALLS

### Players Ad Associations Unite In Effort; Tests Several Variations.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Tennis associations and players throughout the world are engaged in an effort to bring about further standardization of the ball, according to an announcement by the United States Lawn Tennis Association.

It has come to be the universal opinion that players coming from distant sections to compete in international play are handicapped by the type of ball used, especially if it is one to which they are not accustomed. These differences are not always due to manufacture. Atmospheric conditions, type of court, and other factors enter into consideration.

English Make Tests.  
At a recent meeting of the council of the English Lawn Tennis Association the ball test committee reported on tests made of twenty-five different makings of ball, all of which professed to comply with existing definitions of a lawn tennis ball which provide limits for its diameter, its weight, and its bounce.

Among the findings are statements to the effect that a soft ball will be lighter on the racket than a harder ball; that with a given racket action it is possible to impart more spin to a soft ball than similar action will impart to a hard ball; that in base line driving the hard ball and the soft ball will each, after bouncing, come off the ground differently.

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## MISSOURI COACH LOOKS FOR VICTORY OVER S. CALIFORNIA

### Tigers Billed For Practice Drill In Arizona Today And Arrive In Los Angeles Tomorrow; Reports Physical Condition Good.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 22.—The University of Missouri football team which meets Southern California on Christmas day, will arrive here tomorrow in charge of Coaches Henry and Kipke. The Missourians were scheduled to take a workout in Williams, Ariz., today, the practice being the first to be held since the squad left Columbia Friday.

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### PENICK-FORD.

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J. Brown	197	149	145	491
Earl	127	101	125	453
Savel	126	133	141	400
C. Miller	223	126	156	505
Boyd	138	142	168	448
Totals	824	628	691	2143

### Sterling.

H. Dale	154	146	149	449
J. Buchanan	137	111	143	391
S. Dale	113	171	149	433
Skersick	137	151	187	475
Starry	182	187	182	551
Totals	728	716	810	2254

### Schumachers.

Heppe	139	133	145	417
Novak	137	116	139	372
Carpenter	126	123	137	386
Wayman	140	155	139	434
Hardman	162	188	204	554
Totals	706	738	784	2228

### Quakers.

McDowell	140	158	161	459
Henningsen	136	175	157	468
Przak	142	162	162	466
Miller	159	188	160	507
Kerns	184	162	168	514
Totals	763	826	788	2375

### Banners.

Gladfelter	138	135	144	417
Kopel	154	121	167	442
Totals	706	747	808	2259

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Severs	157	157	157	471
Dunlap	126	158	168	452
McCracken	172	125	139	436
Watson	121	121	137	379
Garden	170	170	170	510
Totals	778	731	761	2270

#### Chappel.

Chappel	152	152	152	456
Strator	127	168	162	457
Walsh	141	126	141	408
Daugherty	160	160	160	480
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