

Summary of Sport Activities

Gastineau's Grizzlies Massacre Bennett's Indians

Coach Jerry Gastineau's Grizzlies scored two basketball victories over Chemawa Indians in a three-day series of court contests here during the Christmas holidays.

The Chemawa Indian basketeers were fortunate only against Ashland high reserves when a combination of varsity regulars and reserves defeated the Ashland reserves 40 to 34. On the previous nights Ashland's "A" team defeated the braves, 48 to 29. The following day they made it even more one-sided by winning 55 to 17. Ashland's reserves also defeated the "B" team twice, winning the first game in a thriller, 45 to 44, and coming from behind to win the second game 37 to 32.

The same evening the All-Stars, consisting mostly of last year's varsity, had an easy time defeating the Salem YMCA 80 to 54, with Backbone and Van Pelt scoring 26 and 25 points respectively. Tommy Medley collected 24 points for the Y and Jack Burris 15.

Braves defeat Canby

Paced by substitute Clarence LaRocque, the Chiefs were really on the war path when they whipped the Canby Tigers 52-34. LaRocque took scoring honors with 22 points and Brendible with 12 points. The Indians' type of fast break plays was clicking smoothly, and Coach Bennett gave every one an opportunity to play. In the preliminary, the "B" team chalked up their second victory in the newly organized Big Nine league.

"Mighty Seniors," Champs

During the Christmas holidays the "Mighty" seniors walked off with the Interclass Tourney of games held in the gym. There were eight games played among the boys and girls, besides the basketball game played by the boys from their respective classes. Games that girls participated in were: basketball relay, three legged race, bicycle tire relay, quartet stick race, gunny sack race, Indian club race, skip the rope relay, and tug-of-war. The boys competed in basketball relay, kangaroo race, head balancing relay, Indian wrestling, wheel barrow race, blindfold boxing in a barrel, horse and rider, tug-of-war, and the basketball game.

In the first tourney games played between the juniors and seniors, the seniors had to come from

behind with the help of the girls to tie the juniors 40-40 in team score. Then the boys fought it out in the basketball game with the seniors winning 29-23. The juniors basketball team consisted mostly of the varsity, but the seniors won anyhow. The total team score was 40-45.

On the second day of the Interclass Tourney the sophomores and freshmen battled it out, but the freshmen girls did not win enough of their games. The sophomores just barely nosed out the freshmen 45-40. The sophomores also won their basketball game 26-16.

In the playoff for the championship, the seniors were a little too strong for the sophomores, winning easily, 50-35.

Intra-Mural Sports

The Intramural basketball tournament has been started with twelve teams competing. Only boys that can participate are "old fellows" and those that are not playing either with the "B" team, Varsity, or the All-Stars. To start the tournament a jamboree was held on Sunday afternoon, January 12. Games will be played every Sunday afternoon and the winner of each game will play the winners to determine the playoff for the championship. The following are the teams and captains for their respective teams: Six Hawks, George Sloan; Rockets, Arnold Adrian; Silver Chiefs, "Slicker" Lodge; R.A.F. Bombers, Ben Bearchum; Ink Spots, Tony Skahan; Sharp Shooters, Harris Teo; Flying Titans, George Rice; Five Brothers, Gilbert Desautel; Suicide Squad, "Cook" Bolton; Wolverines, Ferris Tatshama; and the runner-ups in last year's tournament, the "Outlaws," captained by Stanley Wilder. You will get to see some terrific basketball games being played in the gym every Sunday afternoon.

Woodburn Thumps Poor Lo

The Chemawa Indians visited the Woodburn Bulldogs, Friday night, January 3, and came home on the short end of a 42-28 score. It was the third league game for the Bulldogs and the third victory in the Big Nine league. Garner and Pavilcek, both of Woodburn, were high point-makers with 11 points each. Davis was high for the Indians with 8 points. The score at half time was 21 to 13 for Woodburn. The Chemawa Bees won a close one from the Bull-pups in the preliminary 23-19. Incidentally the "Papooses" haven't lost a game in league competition.

Look for the good in others, not their faults.