

## BEST OREGON HIGH QUINTS SHOW CLASS

Astoria, Corvallis, Baker and Ashland Headed for State Tournament.

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(Associated Press Staff Writer.)  
It took the most driving second-half rally Astoria high could muster to come from behind and hand St. Helens high's basketball team its first defeat of the season by a 40 to 31 score in a rough game Saturday night.

The 16 to 15 halftime lead for St. Helens indicated Astoria will have strong competition in its own district for the right to enter the state tournament.

Corvallis high crashed to the fore the past week by walloping Salem's rangy five 24 to 13; defeating Springfield 31 to 17, and thumping Cottage Grove 46 to 21.

The "Giant killers" of Bellfountain ran their unblemished winning streak to 11 games with a 39 to 11 win over Philomath and a 26 to 19 win over Monroe. To gain entrance to the state tournament, Coach Ken Litchfield's mighty midlegs will have to defeat Oakridge, or some darkhorse, in the district tournament.

Bellfountain's squad includes all of last year's team which was eliminated by Oakridge 26 to 17 in district play. The tallest Bellfountain man is less than six feet tall, but all are good scorers. Corvallis High, University high and the Willamette university freshmen are some of the "Giant" Bellfountain has slain.

Baker high made it two out of three over LaGrande with a 32 to 19 win. This stamped Baker as favorite to represent the district at the state tourney.

Ashland leads in Zone. Ashland high turned back Medford 22 to 15 and 21 to 13 to take a big lead in the Southern Oregon conference. Grants Pass upset Klamath Falls 24 to 22 in another league game.

Hood River appeared to be the class of the Mid-Columbia area following a 32 to 23 win over The Dalles.

Albany high startled everyone by defeating the Oregon State boys 26 to 12. Albany also downed Monmouth 34 to 16.

A close 33 to 28 decision for Marshfield knocked Roseburg out of leadership of the Douglas-Coos county league.

The second round of the Portland prep league witnessed the fall of Grant from the undefeated class, while Franklin, Washington and Commerce all turned in their second consecutive wins. Jefferson high, defeated twice by tiny margins, may make it tough later for some of the leaders.

Other scores:  
Sylverson 39, Dallas 38.  
Sylverson 26, Dallas 18.  
Oregon City 43, Sandy 20.  
Eugene 36, St. Mary's 25.  
Oregon 25, Chemawa 24.  
Myrtle Point 41, Bandon 30.  
Salem 59, Arlin 12.  
Myrtle Creek 20, Sutherlin 10.  
St. Helens 26, Clatskanie 13.  
North Bend 35, Bandon 28.

## HUSKY BASKETEERS LEAD CONFERENCE

SEATTLE, Jan. 27.—(AP)—The Washington Huskies top the northern division Pacific coast conference basketball circuit today with a clean slate of four games won and none lost.

The Huskies took Oregon University into camp twice Friday and Saturday night, 26 to 28 and 40 to 26, while Oregon State beat Idaho 33 to 22.

The Washington quintet overcame a 6 to 2 Oregon lead early in the game and was out in front 21 to 13 at halftime. Ralph Bishop, Husky forward, accounted for 19 of his team's points—seven field goals and five free-throws.

Coach Joe Edmundson sent in his second string after the variety had piled up a lead of 35 to 21 over the Oregonians.

The defeat dropped the Oregon five into third place in northern division standings with three wins and two defeats.

| Standings        | W. | L. | Pct.  |
|------------------|----|----|-------|
| Washington       | 4  | 0  | 1.000 |
| Oregon State     | 3  | 2  | .714  |
| Oregon           | 3  | 2  | .600  |
| Washington State | 1  | 3  | .250  |
| Idaho            | 0  | 6  | .000  |

## ACCUSED OHIO STATE PLAYERS ABSOLVED

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—(AP)—In a double barreled ruling today, 15 Ohio State football players whose names appeared on the state payroll at Columbus, were absolved from all charges and insinuations.

Two individual reports were made, clearing the athletes. One was made by Major John L. Griffith, commissioner of athletics in the western conference, and the other by the Big Ten committee on the infraction of rules, acting as a high court of inquiry.

The investigation resulted from a statement attributed to Governor Martin L. Davey of Ohio last October, when he was quoted as saying:

"We have done everything we can to help the Ohio State team and have most of the football squad on the state payroll."

Later Gov. Davey explained in substance that he was only joking.

## FIGHT CARD HOLDS INTEREST OF FANS

but the investigation was demanded of Major Griffith by the Ohio state athletic board.

"After careful investigation and close study of the evidence," Major Griffith's report read, "it seems clear, first, that the 15 football men who were employed by the state of Ohio from November 1, 1934, to November 1, 1935, obtained their appointments on their own initiative and through the help of personal friends; second, that they were paid at the same rate as others who were not engaged in athletics; third, that there was no disproportion in the number of jobs held by athletes, and fourth, that their work was so arranged that it would not interfere with their university tasks."

## DRAIN BASKETEERS DEFEAT YONCALLA

Drain defeated Yoncalla 18 to 16 in an exciting, hard-fought basketball game at Yoncalla Friday night. Yoncalla had difficulty in getting started, dropping the first half 13 to 5, but unleashed a brilliant rally in the third period to hold Drain scoreless and tie the score at the end of the game. The balance of the game was played at a furious pace, with first one team and the other in the lead. Drain finally emerging victorious by a two-point margin.

Lineup:  
Yoncalla (16) Pos. (18) Drain  
Dodd (4) F (8) Krewson  
Uphaw (3) F (9) White  
Mathis (5) C (10) Craig  
Coggswell (4) G (11) Laker  
Turpin G (12) Cool  
Substitutions: Yoncalla, Roberts; Drain, Whitsett, Moorman.  
Officials: Chatterton, referee; Hunter, scorekeeper; Johnson, timekeeper.

In the volleyball game which preceded the basketball contest, Yoncalla girls, playing their usual speedy game, easily defeated Drain 27 to 13, for the seventh consecutive win for the Yoncalla team.

The lineup:  
Drain (13) Pos. (27) Yoncalla  
Compton (1) RB 3 A. Daugherty  
White (5) CB (5) Sprinkel  
Parks (1) LB (3) Cramer  
Woolley (3) LC (4) Upshaw  
Moorman (4) RC 7 E. Daugherty  
Collins (1) RB (1) Porter  
Rouch (1) CF (1) Eden  
Cooper (2) LF (1) Cokeraker

## WILBUR HIGH BEATS SUTHERLIN, 10 TO 8

Wilbur high school's six-man basketball team, leader in the central division of the county B league, was given a tough battle Friday night in a game with Sutherlin high. Wilbur won 10 to 8 in an unusually low scoring game.

The Sutherlin girls won the volleyball game 31 to 21.

Apparently overconfident, the Wilbur boys, in the game played on their home floor, were unable to break through Sutherlin's brilliant defense and were held to one point during the entire first half.

The much-beaten Sutherlin team concentrated on defensive play and maintained a close-checking pace throughout the first two periods. Sutherlin made only three points giving a score of 3 to 1 at halftime.

Both teams fought desperately during the balance of the game, showing strong defensive play. Wilbur emerging victorious by the slender margin of two points. Sutherlin was held to two field goals in the entire game.

The lineup:  
Wilbur (10) Pos. (8) Sutherlin  
Wylatt (2) F (3) Leitzel  
Woody (2) F (4) Barge  
Miller (1) C (1) Slausman  
G. Short (1) G (2) Lamoreaux  
C. Short (1) G (3) Harvey

Substitutions: Sutherlin, Beaver, Leatherwood. Officials: Ellison, referee; Weber, scorekeeper; Sands, timekeeper.

## ROSEBURG JUNIOR 5 LOSES TO ASHLAND

Fighting against the handicap of size and experience, a determined team of Roseburg Junior high went down to a 25 to 21 defeat before Ashland Junior high in a clean, fast game of basketball played in the local gymnasium Saturday night.

The Papoose team functioned poorly in the first half with many bad passes and inability to hit the basket. After holding Ashland 4 to 4 in the first period, the local defense weakened in the second quarter, Ashland gaining a lead of 11 to 6 at half time.

Rallying in the last half the Roseburg team climbed to within a few points of the leaders, and near the close of the game came within two points of the leaders, but Ashland spurred in the last few minutes of play to safeguard the lead.

Lineup:  
Roseburg (21) Pos. (25) Ashland  
Dishman (3) F (7) Warren  
Saunders (2) F (8) Nance  
Miller (3) C (6) Baughman  
Ritter (5) G (4) Roberson  
Wimberly G (4) Harris

Substitutions: Roseburg — Pemberton (1), Evans (1). Officials: Weber, referee; Campbell, scorekeeper; Mellis, timekeeper.

## RIDDLE HIGH FIVE BEATS DAYS CREEK

Riddle high school defeated Days Creek 34 to 15 in a basketball game at Riddle Friday night. In a preliminary game the Days Creek girls won at volleyball by a score of 56 to 5.

In the basketball game Riddle took an early lead, which was stretched to 18 to 9 at half time.

Lineup:  
Riddle (34) Pos. (15) Days Creek  
Bates (9) F (8) Musgrave  
Mellor (5) F (3) Bratten  
Howard (7) C (4) Ulam  
Kimmel (5) G (3) Dean  
Becker (2) G (1) L. Sutton

Substitutions: Riddle — Cornutt, Phillips; Days Creek — Rowland, Rachor, E. Sutton. Officials: Palmer, referee; Harter, scorekeeper; Townsend, timekeeper.

## FIGHT CARD HOLDS INTEREST OF FANS

Nifty Leather Pushers to Be Seen in Action in Canyonville Ring.

Great interest is being shown in the boxing card to be presented Tuesday night at the new community hall in Canyonville, under the sponsorship of the South Umpqua Rod and Gun club. Arranged by D. O. "Tex" Breedlove, matchmaker, the card offers 26 rounds of boxing, with each match promising to furnish plenty of action.

The main event will be an 8-round go between Jack Drews of Roseburg and Buzz Zimmerman of Klamath Falls. Both fighters are well known to Douglas county boxing fans, who have seen them in action many times. Drews will have a slight weight advantage at 155 pounds, Zimmerman being expected to tip the scales at about 130 pounds. As both boys are hard hitters, the bout is expected to give fans an exciting show.

Speed Bowers, of Roseburg, at 130 pounds, will be matched with Tony King, 130 pounds, of Portland in a six-round semi-final. Bowers, who is now employed in CCC camp work, has shown great improvement over his former boxing days in Roseburg, and in recent fights at Medford and Canyonville has demonstrated he is able to both give and take plenty of punishment. King is a speedy fighter with plenty of punch and is a willing mixer.

"Grudge" to Be Settled. The special event is plenty "special," according to the matchmaker. The participants will be Max Breedlove, 190 pounds, of Myrtle Creek and Buster Carter, 225 pounds, six feet, six inches tall, of Glendale. The bout is reported to be a real grade fight and both fighters have been training industriously for the engagement.

Don Way of Myrtle Creek and Johnnie Shaw of Grants Pass, both at 155 pounds, and Mack McCullah, 165, Riddle, and Chester Dunn, 160, Roseburg, will be seen in two four-round preliminaries.

The bouts are scheduled to start at 8:30 p. m. and arrangements have been made to accommodate a record crowd.

## R.H.S. QUINTET BEATS GRANTS PASS, 19-15

A very tired and leg-weary basketball team from Roseburg senior high school made a brief flash in the fourth quarter to score 10 points and defeat Grants Pass 19 to 15 in a basketball game at Grants Pass Saturday night.

Showing the effects of the grueling battle with Marshfield Friday night, Roseburg's play was very sluggish during much of the game. The Indians held a narrow lead in the first half, which ended 9 to 5, being content to play principally upon the defense, but during the third period the Roseburg team was held scoreless and at the end of the period the Cavemen were out in front 9 to 11.

Bannister's bowitzer shots, coupled with fast breaking drives by Collins and Schermer, however, brought the Indians new life in the closing period, and the trio clicked for 10 points to win the contest.

The Grants Pass team was the biggest the Indians have met this season, and the players standing more than six feet tall.

Grants Pass won from Klamath Falls Friday night.

The two teams will play a return game in Roseburg Saturday, February 8. The Indians have no game scheduled for this week.

The lineup for Saturday's game: Roseburg (19) (15) Grants Pass  
Schermer (2) F (1) Burden  
Doncette (2) F (2) Jackson  
Gardner (2) C (4) Pritchett  
Collins (9) G (2) Stokes  
Bannister (6) G (3) Powert

Substitutions: Roseburg, Baker, Middleberg; Grants Pass, Holmway (4), Coffenburg (2), Aberdeen. Officials: Harrington, referee; Gile, scorekeeper; Ellison, timekeeper.

## SMITH PUTS NEW DEAL ON DEFENSE

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stive actively to unseat President Roosevelt, even to the extent of backing another ticket; or would he merely retire to an inactive status, perhaps taking a trip to Europe during the campaign?

These were some of the many questions being asked as political experts sought to foretell the effect of Mr. Roosevelt's fortunes at the polls.

They recalled that Smith had said he would remain a democrat. His statement that he was not a candidate and would not lift a hand to obtain any nomination led many to rule out the possibility that he would lead a rival ticket. Some others reminded that he did not say he would not accept nomination.

The white house would not disclose whether the president had listened to the address which brought enthusiastic applause from a responsive Liberty league audience. Nor would Senator Robinson indicate what the official new deal answer would be.

Up to the President.

Smith had insisted on an answer from the president himself by saying:

"Well, here we are. Millions and millions of democrats just like myself, all over the country, still believe in that (1932) platform. And what we want to know is why it wasn't carried out."

And listen. There is only one man in the United States of America that can answer that question. It won't do to pass it down to an undersecretary."

There was no doubt that among new deal advisers there was much bitterness over Smith's implied comparison of their activities to communism—over his statement that "there can be only one flag, the stars and stripes, or the red flag of the godless union of the soviet."

One of the few formal replies to Smith came from Donald Richberg, former NRA chief, who issued a statement taking a "look" at Smith's record.

"In 1928," said the statement, "Governor Smith, as the democratic candidate for president, invited and obtained the support of progressives because he advocated a program of agricultural relief, electric power development and protection of labor similar to that which President Roosevelt has put into effect."

Sharp divergence of opinion was apparent in the comment on the speech. Former Governor Ely of Massachusetts did not "see how any democrat could disagree with Smith"; Senator Norris (R., Neb.) declared the "comparison of this country with Soviet Russia was demagogic."

Senator Hastings (R., Del.) said the speech "may have something to do with the severance of party ties." Senator Donahay (D., Ohio) regarded it as "a funeral oration at the death of privilege and the dawn of human rights."

Senator O'Mahoney (Wyo.) called it the "speech of a great man gone wrong"; Senator Capper (R., Kas.) termed it "a great speech, showing a lot of courage."

Jonett Shouse, president of the Liberty league, said the league had received "more than 1,000 telegrams, about 95 per cent commending Smith."

Gap Widening.

There was no doubt in the minds of any observers that the breach between President Roosevelt and former Governor Smith had become wider than ever before. It is a gap that has been broadening for several years.

Once they were the closest of co-workers. In 1924 Roosevelt offered Smith the name to the Madison Square garden democratic convention and in 1928 at Houston he did so again, seeing Smith sweep the convention.

At Smith's behest Roosevelt was nominated for governor of New York the same year. He carried

the state while Smith lost it and the election.

However, in the preliminaries prior to the 1932 presidential convention, the men were found to be estranged, with Smith a leader of "stop Roosevelt" forces. The schism has been apparent ever since, with Smith once referring to new deal dollars as "haloney dollars."

## SENATE OVERRIDES VETO OF BONUS BILL

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menton taxes in his brief veto message, but said his objections were the same now as they were last May when he vetoed the Patman inflationary-payment measure. Then, he declared failure by congress to "provide additional taxes" to pay the bonus would "in itself and by itself alone warrant disapproval" of the measure.

Disapproval greeted the announcement of the vote by Vice President Garter who before giving it congratulated the senate on its "good health." He noted that for the first time since he became presiding officer the entire membership was recorded on a roll call.

While democratic leaders in both houses have contended no new taxes would be required, Secretary Morgenthau has cautioned payment of the bonus would increase to perhaps \$13,000,000,000 the amount of new treasury financing in the next 17 months, \$5,800,000,000 of this being a refunding operation. Also he forecast a new public debt high approaching \$36,000,000,000.

The bill enacted today provides for payment in bonds that could be cashed after June 15 next at local postoffices, or held for 3 per cent interest for nine years. The bill passed the senate originally 74 to 16 and the house 346 to 59.

Foe's Efforts Futile.

Senator King (D., Utah), who voted against the bill with eight other democrats, tried to have the house resolution passing it over the veto referred to the finance committee, but Senator Harrison (D., Miss.), co-author of the legislation, had the motion tabled by a voice vote.

King then forced a reading of President Roosevelt's veto message last May of the Patman currency-expansion bill, in which the executive called immediate payment now of full 1945 maturity value of the bonus certificates a gratuity of more than a billion dollars and emphasized that no new taxes to raise the money had been provided.

King said he wanted that read because the president's brief hand-penned veto of the baby bond bill

## FORMER KAISER 77 YEARS OLD TODAY

DOORN, The Netherlands, Jan. 27.—(AP)—White-bearded Wilhelm of Hohenzollern, formerly Kaiser of Germany, became 77 years old today, still proudly erect and enjoying firm health.

Formal observance of his birthday anniversary was postponed until Friday in respect to the memory of his cousin, King George of England, who will be buried tomorrow at Windsor.

The increasing seclusion of the former kaiser and the gradual limitation of his contacts with the vil-lagers have made him a shadowy figure, seen only occasionally as a fast automobile glides through the streets.

Thompson Offers "Cure". A currency expansion leader, Senator Thomas (D., Okla.), reiterated last night his opinion that farm problems can be cured by monetary action.

"The supreme court has approved the right of congress to deal with the money question," he said. "Congress has the right and power to increase or decrease the amount of money in circulation, hence the right and power to increase or decrease commodity prices at will."

Why try other questionable policies to raise and control prices when the constitutional monetary policy is plain, simple and workable?

No "redheads" need apply. It is not a personal aversion—so officials of the British Broadcasting company, of London, hasten to explain. "They don't even prefer blondes. But russet-tops are banned as television announcers. 'They simply don't televise,' an official said. "Red shows up badly in television."

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## SENATE BODY STILL TOILS ON FARM BILL

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of agriculture were expanded in the redraft of the measure. Senator Borah (R., Idaho) predicted that the bill would not pass in its present form.

The bill gives Wallace wide powers to subsidize farmers after taking into consideration "the productivity of the acreage affected by the farming practices adopted during the year with respect to which such payment is made."

It also provides that after January 1, 1938, grants shall be made

to the states to carry out control programs. Senator Bankhead (D., Ala.), sponsor of the original legislation, contended the revised bill was constitutional.

It was indicated today that, if the bill passes, the first steps in the soil conservation plan will be guided by a survey made by agriculture department experts. They recommended that 16,000,000 acres on which cotton, corn and wheat are grown should be devoted to grass and trees.

This survey, a preliminary one, covered only the states in the heart of the cotton, corn and wheat belts. It is Wallace's opinion that 35,000,000 acres in all should be required from those crops and planted to grass or trees to combat erosion.

Twenty-one senators who last May voted to sustain the president's disapproval of the Patman currency-expansion payment bill voted today to override the bond-payment veto. They were:

Democrats: Ashurst, Bailey, Barkley, Chavez, Coolidge, Dietrich, Guffey, Harrison, Lister, McNary, O'Mahoney, Pittman, Radcliffe, Robinson and Walsh—16.

Republicans: Austin, Barbour, McNary, Metcalf and White—5.

Twelve more than the necessary two-thirds were mustered by the pro-bonus group today.

## OAKLAND HIGH FIVE BEATS ELKTON, 40-24

In a free-scoring contest Oakland high school defeated Elkton 40 to 24 in a basketball game at Oakland Friday night. It was Oakland's first win in conference play. Elkton was badly handicapped by the absence of Gates, center, and Haines, forward, who were unable to play because of illness.

Both teams used frequent substitutions in the bitterly contested game, in which scoring was close until the last few minutes of play.

When Oakland, led by Miller and Morris, went on a scoring spree.

In a volleyball game, preliminary to the basketball game, the Oakland girls defeated the Elkton girls 35 to 14.

The lineup for the basketball game:  
Oakland (40) Pos. (24) Elkton  
Morris (12) F Corder  
F. Stearns (2) F Andrews  
Carlson (6) C Haines  
Miller (13) G (16) McDonald  
Spencer (5) G (4) Solomon

Substitutions: Oakland — J. Stearns, Saar, Young (2), Chenoweth; Elkton — Mode, Henderer (4), Morgan.

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