

Elkton to Offer Strong Bid For B League Crown

With six returning lettermen on his 18-man basketball roster, Coach Carl Grimsrud will have no trouble putting out an experienced Elkton quintet on the floor in Douglas County B League play. Elkton will open its season with the northern half Jamboree at Drain December 10. First regular scheduled game will be against Drain, last year's champions. Grimsrud will field four outstanding returning players, Benton Binder, Fred Weatherly, James Hershberger and Raul Riley, while Leland Cheever, who last year was a member of the county grade "Champs," is considered most promising newcomer.

Returning seniors include Binder, center, 17, 165, 6-1, three-year letterman; Weatherly, guard, 16, 150, 5-8, three-year letterman; Lyle Clump, forward, 17, 159, 5-6, two-year letterman; Darrel Swearingen, center, 17, 145, 5-10, one-year letterman.

Returning junior lettermen include Hershberger, forward, 17, 136, 5-10, two-year letterman; Paul Riley, guard, 16, 145, 5-10, one letterman.

Other players include juniors Tom Otto, guard, 16, 130, 5-8; Harold Allridge, forward, 18, 178, 5-9; James Madison, center, 16, 160, 6-4, Sophomores; Charles Biner, guard, 15, 155, 5-8; Arnold Dement, center, 17, 180, 6-1; Wayne Cook, guard, 16, 136, 5-7; Dick Romesno, guard, 16, 110, 5-5; James O'Brien, guard, 15, 110, 5-5, Freshmen; Cheever, forward, 15, 136, 6-0; Glen Hahn, forward, 16, 149, 6-0; Roger Owens, guard, 15, 145, 5-9; Robert Thompson, forward, 16, 146, 5-9 1/2.

Basketball Clinic Will Be Held at Senior High

A basketball clinic is scheduled to be held in Roseburg Senior High School Monday, Dec. 13, according to an announcement released by A. Oden Hawes, representing Oregon School Activities Association.

School administrators, coaches and officials are invited to attend. Basketball rules will be discussed, motion pictures shown and a basketball examination will be administered to persons desiring to officiate at basketball games.

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Sports Rally Set For Thursday Night

The Benchwarmer Rally Committee will meet at the Donut Bar tonight at 7 o'clock to discuss final arrangements for the forthcoming sports rally. Bus Travis, Benchwarmer president, said today.

The rally will be held at Roseburg Junior High School Thursday night, Dec. 9, to honor Junior and Senior High football and basketball players, Travis said.

A one-dollar admission will be asked, which will entitle guests to a year's membership in the Benchwarmer group, an organization whose purpose it is to provide athletic competition between boys attending Roseburg grade schools and Junior High.

Travis pointed out that women, as well as men, are invited to attend the rally and join the Benchwarmers.

The scheduled Benchwarmer practice session usually held Monday night has been postponed until Saturday morning Dec. 11. Travis announced, as the gymnasium is not available for use this evening.

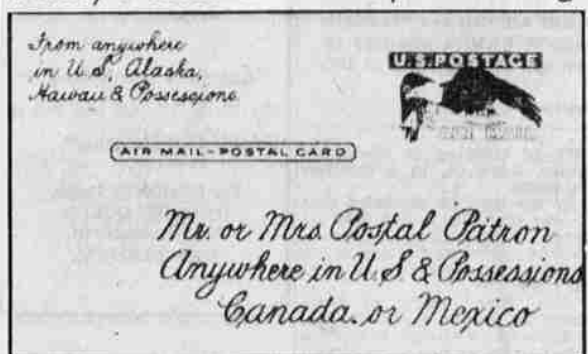
Annual Christmas Party Planned by Kiwanians

Plans for the annual Kiwanis Christmas party, to be held Tuesday, Dec. 14, are fast taking shape, according to an announcement by Dave McCarroll, general chairman for the affair. The party will be held at the Riverside Hotel.

Invited to attend will be Kiwanians and their ladies and guests. Committee in charge of arrangements in addition to McCarroll includes John Gett, N. D. Johnson, M. M. Crawford, Ken Bailey, Bob Evans, Charlie Cring, Herbert Weisgerber and Roy Wayne Brand.

Peanut butter combined with grated carrot and a little mayonnaise makes a good sandwich for a lunch box, spread on whole wheat or rye bread. (Paid advertisement)

'Penny Postcard' Will Sprout Wings



Here's what the new air mail postcard will look like when you see it in post offices after Jan. 10, 1949. The card is cream-colored and carries a red four-cent stamp.

Rain No Deterrent To Scattergunners

Stormy weather failed to prevent scattergun enthusiasts from enjoying their weekly sport at the Roseburg Rod and Gun Club grounds Sunday. Fourteen squads were present for the regular weekly shoot and spent the day on the traps despite showers which, at times, reached almost cloudburst proportions.

Weather conditions contributed to poorer scores than usual, Charles Klinger being the only shooter to turn in a perfect score. Kenneth Gilkeson, Harold Powell and George Baker had scores of 24 each; Jack Culver and Jack Rogers broke 23 birds each while Dr. Dean Bubar, H. H. Hannon, Dr. C. B. Wade, Perry Thule, L. Davis, H. Hogan and Ted Shirlcliff made up the 22 class.

The Snack Bar, operated by Al Newman and Bruce Yeager, had liberal patronage.

Cecil Graves, trapshoot chairman, reports plans for a merchandise shoot to be held next Sunday.

Recreation Specialist Dated at Green School

Miss Jessalee Mallaleu, extension recreation specialist from Oregon State College, will present the program at the 4-H Leaders' meeting Tuesday, Dec. 7, at the Green School beginning at 8 p.m.

Importance of recreation and leading forms of recreation will be covered by Miss Mallaleu. Also different types of recreation and adapting it to various sized places will be shown.

At this 4-H Leaders' meeting, in keeping with the Christmas season, there will be a Christmas exchange with a maximum limit not being over 25 cents.

Hungarian Court Dooms Kin of Former President

BUDAPEST, Dec. 6.—(AP)—The Hungarian Supreme Court affirmed today a death sentence pronounced against Victor Csor-noky, former envoy to Egypt and son-in-law of former President Tildy.

Csor-noky was sentenced Nov. 15 on charges of treason, crimes against the peoples and black market currency dealings. The charges said he had engaged in "traitorous activities" with American and British agents.

LOSES, REGAINS EAR CALGARY, Alberta, Dec. 6.—(AP)—Edgar Williams was brought to the hospital minus one ear yesterday. He told police it was chewed off in a street fight. An ambulance rushed to the scene and picked up the ear. Doctors sewed it back on.

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Kneilson Defeats Jones; Parks Wins Over Murdock

Stocky Kneilson emerged triumphant in Saturday night's grapple contest at the Roseburg Armory in a main event mat duel with Farmer Jones, the pig farmer from Arkansas, while Herb Parks, up and coming candidate for 'meanie' honors, took the one-hour curtain raiser against "sleeper" specialist Frank Murdock.

The header got off to a whirlwind start after Kneilson tried to stagger a large sum of money against Jones' pet porker on the outcome of the battle. The Farmer refused to bet on these terms, and called Kneilson a "cannibal" for making such a suggestion.

Jones used one shoe to good advantage during the course of the first fall, clouting his opponent over the head with same. He keeps his footwear in a corner of the ring while wrestling and is not reluctant to use a brogan as part of his technique.

Farmer's fast footwork worked in his favor when he took the lead round easily with a body press after nearly 11 minutes of tussling.

Kneilson got the farmer's range in the next go, after a heated struggle, in which Jones tried to extract himself from a painful snapping hammerlock. Farmer flopped furiously in hopes of jarring out of the hold, but Kneilson had an iron grip.

The Swede switched to a long-arm bar, then dug his heel into the small of Jones' back, causing the latter to give up the struggle.

Rough tactics were used by Kneilson in the final fall and Jones retaliated with flying fists. Jones was caught off balance against the ropes and Kneilson threw him into a Boston crab, thereby taking the fall and the match.

Parks Defeats Murdock
The preliminary was a torrid tussle with both Parks and Murdock using every hold in their repertoire to gain the advantage but Parks outgripped the Montana ex-miner and took the first fall with a flying jenny.

After a rest period, with his treacherous "sleeper" hold and Parks slumped to the mat. Both Elton Owen and Murdock revived Parks, who came up swinging, after gaining consciousness.

Butter, because Murdock used what Parks termed "unfair" tactics, the Canadian laid into the ex-miner and took the third go in five minutes with a leg stomp and step-over toe-hold.

Change in High School Sports Plan Refused
PORTLAND, Dec. 6.—(AP)—Oregon's high schools will remain in A and B classifications for sports. Two proposals for reclassification were tabled by the delegate assembly of the Oregon School Activities Association.

The present division is at 150 daily attendance. A schools having more and B schools up to that number.

Proposals had been made that a third group be established to lift some of the state's larger schools into a separate division. The delegate assembly decided to study the proposal further before acting.

The association will get a bigger cut of playoff football games under a decision made at the meeting. It has been taking 25 per cent from the semi-finals and 50 per cent from the final net. The new percentages will be 50 and 75.

Schools were forbidden to participate in any way in "outside" sponsored All-Star games. This does not affect the Shrine All-Star football game since its players have completed their high school eligibility.

Leonard Mayfield, Coos Bay, succeeded Fred Patton, La Grande superintendent, as president of the association's board of control.

If you want to know whether your griddle is hot enough, in making pancakes, drop a few drops of cold water on it; if the water dances in small beads it is hot enough.

Suspended



Rocky Graziano (above), former world middleweight champion, has been suspended by the National Boxing Association. Rocky's recent decision not to go through with bout with Fred Apostoli in Oakland, Calif., spurred the action.

Grants Pass High Downs Jeff, 6 to 0, For State Crown

(By The Associated Press)
The Grants Pass football squad which ran into tragedy enroute home to rejoice over its first state football championship, downed Jefferson of Portland to win the state Class A crown in Portland Saturday afternoon.

Dayton captured the State B title, the first that school had ever won.

The Cavemen smacked Jefferson of Portland for one touchdown in the first quarter of play at Multnomah Stadium in Portland Saturday for a 6-0 edge that was enough to take the Class A crown.

At McMinnville, the Dayton Pirates bowled over the perennially strong Henley Hornets, 12 to 0, with a first quarter score and another on the last play of the game.

A Jefferson hobble on its own 30 and a recovery of the fumble by Grants Pass set up the only touchdown in that title game. Halfbacks Don Donovan and Vern Craft bucked the ball to the three and quarterbacks Clint Reese whipped across. Fumbles stalled both teams from there on and Jefferson never reached beyond the Grants Pass 40 stripe.

Fishing Streams Set-Aside For Youths Favored

EUGENE, Ore., Dec. 6.—(AP)—The Isaac Walton League directors of Oregon want the state to set aside certain fishing streams for use of the barefoot boy with the store string line and pin hook.

The proposal for juvenile angling grounds was among resolutions approved here yesterday at the quarterly meeting of the league board.

The State Sanitary Board was criticized for failure "to keep abreast of the times" in pollution research. Specifically, the directors said sulphate waste from paper mills has not been utilized. It said the waste could provide cheap industrial alcohol and also yield fodder yeast to feed livestock.

Directors asked the Federal Fish and Wildlife Service to set aside the 50,000-acre public shooting ground in the Malheur refuge as promised in 1947. They noted that only 8,000 acres have been opened.

State Department of Agriculture proposals to reseed range lands were approved.

Saturday Football Games

(By The Associated Press)
Santa Barbara 46, Willamette 7. Notre Dame 14, Southern California 14. (tie). Texas Mines 49, Hawaii 6. San Diego State 28, Utah State 19.

Clemson 20, The Citadel 0. Alabama 55, Auburn 0.

Garnish vanilla tapioca pudding with tangerine sections and a little of the shredded rind.

Yule Tree Light Test Brings Grief to Youth

PORT WASHINGTON, N. Y., Dec. 6.—(AP)—Ten-year-old Tom Wing bounced down stairs at 5:30 a. m. and yelled "fire."

An aura of burnt chicken feathers trailed after him, and he clutched a scorched hand.

His father ran up and splashed a glass of water over Tom's pillow and bed, which were blazing merrily.

"I knew I shouldn't have done it," Tom explained tearfully, "but I was testing the Christmas tree lights in bed last night before I went to sleep. I thought I had disconnected them."

On the floor of his room was a book titled: "What a boy can do with electricity."

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