

# Yoncalla, JCs Add Close

## House Of David Cage Quintet Plays Friday

Some basketball clowning is certainly on the agenda Friday night at the Roseburg High School gym when the AAU district champion J C Sporting Goods quintet hosts the Israelite House of David squad. But the JCs are up against some talent in its own right.

Topping the list is 6-4 Center Harry McLaughlin. This bearded hooper holds the distinction of breaking the collegiate scoring record set by Hank Lusetti, the all-time Stanford great. McLaughlin scored a total 1,785 points in his college career while playing for Pacific Lutheran. He went to play with the Oakland Blue and d Golds of Oakland, Calif., and toured the Orient with them last year.

**Goes Professional**  
Homer Garner, at 6-1, played his college ball at North Carolina State and went professional with the Detroit Gems.

Gene Foutz, the other forward, played with Florida Southern College. In his high school days at Hagerstown, he established and still holds the scoring record for Indiana high schools. He is one of the very few players to make the college varsity in his freshman year.

Alternating at forward and guard is 5-11 Robert Fowler. He has college experience at Seton Hall University and pro experience with the Baltimore Bullets, New York Celtics and Boston Whirlwinds. This is his seventh year in pro ball and the first with the House of David.

Wally Tibbitts, a 5-10 forward, is a product of DePaul University and the Cleveland Rebel pro team.

The best set shot artist on the team and possibly in basketball is little Tom Gatzek. He played college ball at Texas Christian, Lawrence Tech and Detroit University. His pro experience was gained with the Dayton, Ohio Mets, Baltimore Bullets and the New York Celtics. He is the team captain and the best showman on the floor.

The JCs may have the height, but they'll never beat the experience.

# Sports

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## Glide Hoopsters Trounce Oakland In Fast Contest

Glide's steadily improving AAU basketball squad burned the netting with 28 points in the second quarter and continued the blistering pace into the third frame to rack visiting Oakland, 74 - 65, Wednesday night.

The win raised the Glidesters to a three-way tie in the Umpqua Valley League, with Firmco and Oakland. Each has two wins and three losses.

In closing out the first half play in the league, the two teams ran up the biggest aggregate score of the year. Their total 139 points was only approached by the J C Sporting Goods' 77-57 win over Days Creek.

That second quarter, was one of the biggest single quarters of the year, also. Oakland jumped off to a 10-2 lead early in the game finished out the first quarter on top by a score of 16-10. But in that rousing second canto, the Glidesters, paced by Byron Evans and Jack Harvey, caught the visitors at 34-34. In spite of some heavy scoring by Oakland, the hosts went ahead at halftime, 44-37. Together the teams rang up 49 points in that single quarter. Glide added 18 more in the third quarter to boost its lead to ten points, 62-52. Both Glidester's zone and Oakland's man-to-man were shredded in these two quarters.

The stellar scoring show by Harvey, with 22, and Evans, with 20, was overshadowed by Harold Smith's 26. This kept Smith in the league's scoring lead for the year. Oakland (65) (74) Glide Smith (26) F (13) Vleck B. Hill (13) F (20) Evans Seehawer (4) C (2) Kennedy Rice (6) G (22) Harvey Pryor (2) G (9) Jones Sub: For Oakland — Melvin, Seibers (6), Pluehard (8), Jackson; for Glide — Shrum (2), Hansen, B. Hansen (2), Melvin.

**SUTHERLIN WINS 2**  
The Sutherlin underclassmen had a big night at home Wednesday as they hosted two Canyonville basketball squads and dumped them both.

The Sutherlin JV's, paced by Nub Beamer, trounced Canyonville Bible Academy's second string, 43-26, and the Sutherlin frosh edged the Canyonville High School JV's, 25-22.

Nub Beamer was the high point man of the night with 21 counters.

# Contests

## Yoncs Retain Clean Record In Close Tilt

Umpqua League Standings

| Team           | W | L | Pct  | Pts |
|----------------|---|---|------|-----|
| Yoncalla       | 4 | 0 | .333 | 238 |
| J C Spgt. Gds. | 3 | 1 | .250 | 235 |
| Firmco         | 2 | 3 | .273 | 232 |
| Glide          | 2 | 3 | .250 | 207 |
| Oakland        | 2 | 3 | .250 | 207 |
| Days Creek     | 0 | 5 | .191 | 206 |

By GEORGE CASTILLO

The favorites came through in the Umpqua Valley AAU League basketball doubleheader at Benson Grade School gym Wednesday night, but what a scrap it was for both.

Yoncalla retained its unblemished league record by finishing out the first half of competition with a 36-33 win over Days Creek. And J C Sporting Goods of Roseburg went into an overtime to hold its second-place position with a tight 50-48 victory over Firmco.

Days Creek was the most surprising team on the floor during the evening. With only six men playing the entire game, they held the undefeated Tigers of Yoncalla at bay for the first three quarters and most of the fourth. The two teams fought on even terms through the first quarter, which ended 6-6.

Then, winless Days Creek turned into a bunch of world beaters. By halftime they were ahead, 16-11, and still on top, 25-23, at the third break. At one time in the fourth quarter they paced the game with a score of 29-24. But Don Campbell of Yoncalla was doing a one-man job at whittling away, and the league leaders finally overtook the cellar-dwelling upstarts to go ahead, 31-30. They were never headed after that.

**Strait Out**  
The Yoncs played the first half without the services of high-scoring Dick Strait, but the tall pointmaker was held to a dwindling five tallies after he came on the scene in the second half. Yoncalla's Campbell took the scoring honors for the game with 15 points. Arthur Ward of Days Creek had 10.

The nightcap between the JCs and Firmco had the fans as well as the players sweating. The Myrtle Creek squad, paced by Wally Richardson and Bud Stumpges, breezed into an early lead and appeared off to the races. It had a 14-9 edge at the first quarter whistle and a 27-18 bulge by halftime. At one time in the third quarter, the JCs were trailing by 13 points, 35-22.

But someone screwed on the lid for Firmco at 35, and it was the go signal for the Roseburg quintet. Reserve forward John Bates set the J C scoring spree in motion with a long looping shot from about 35 feet out and before the smoke cleared, the JCs had run up 16 consecutive points.

At the third quarter whistle, Les Winders' long one-handed hook shot from the corner went through to tie the score at 35-all. Jack Loomis and Bill Benson had racked up 11 points between them to clear the way.

The lead weaved back and forth after this surge and Loomis tipped in a foul shot to put his JCs ahead, 43-41, with a minute and a half to go. This looked like the game as the JCs stalled down to the last few seconds, but a bad pass out of bounds gave the ball to Myrtle Creek. Just two seconds before the game ended, Wally Richardson hooked a long one in to send the game into an overtime.

In the extra session, the lead swung 11 times before Fred Richardson and Benson scored two quick baskets for a four-point margin. Shortly before the gun, Al Newton sank one for Myrtle Creek to set the final score.

Days Cr'k (33) (36) Yoncalla Gaultke (7) F (5) Shively Racher (2) F (4) Grass B. Ward (2) C (3) H. Bragg A. Ward (12) G (15) Campbell Houck (10) G (2) Mead Sub: For Yoncalla — Strait (5), D. Bragg (2), Firmco (48) (50) J. C Spgt. W. Richards (11) F (13) Benson Burnett (3) F (11) Hubbard Stumpges (14) C (10) Loomis Hoels (6) G (7) Winders Markham (9) G (6) F. Richards Sub: For Firmco — Gulbranson (3), Hoskins, Newton (2), Wilson, Kraxberger; for J C — Nichols, Bates (2), Schindler (1).

**BRION WINS**

ST. LOUIS — Veteran Vesar BRION of Argentina shattered Wesbury Bascom's victory string Wednesday night with a unanimous 10-round decision in a heavyweight boxing feature bout at the arena.

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# Giants Chosen Comeback Kings During 1951

SANTA MONICA, Calif. — The selection of the New York Giants 1951, was hailed by Manager Leo Durocher Thursday as "another wonderful honor for a great bunch of guys."

The peppery pilot of the polo grounders paid this tribute to his men:

"I never saw a team with more determination or will to win."

Which explains the New York Giants' surge to the National League pennant against odds so staggering that 165 out of 214 sportswriters and sportscasters picked it as the No. 1 comeback in the Associated Press' Annual Poll.

The Giants' feat of winning the flag after dropping 13 1/2 games behind the Dodgers in August earned them a total of 549 points in the AP poll for the greatest comeback by a team or individual in 1951.

Jersey Joe Walcott's knockout of Edward Charles for the heavy-weight boxing title was rated second, with 127 points.

Other leading comebacks (on a 3-2-1 point vote for the first three places): 3—Bobby Feller, baseball, 52 points; 4—Stanford, football, 47; 5—Ben Hogan, golf, 40; 6—Chicago White Sox, baseball, 33; 7—Ray Robinson, boxing, 32; 8—Auburn, football, 17; 9—Joe Dimaggio, baseball (in world series), 12; 10—Detroit Lions, football, 11.

**Yoncalla Eagles Edged By Riddle**

The Yoncalla Eagles struggled to their fifth win in six starts Tuesday night by edging Riddle, 27-24, in a tough king-X battle at Yoncalla.

The see-saw tilt was emphatically the defensive variety. Riddle stymied the Eagles with a tight zone, and Yoncalla's pressing man-to-man kept the Irish well blanketed. The slow first quarter ended in a 5-5 deadlock and Yoncalla had edged ahead, 11-10, by halftime. By the third quarter the Yoncs established their three-point lead at 21-18.

Each team tallied 10 field goals, so it was from the foul line that the story was told. Yoncalla connected on 7 of 22 and Riddle had only 4 of 18. Although it was extremely bad foul shooting Yoncalla's slight edge spelled the difference.

Riddle forward Dick Mann gained a measure of glory for his losing five by scoring just half of his team's points. His 12 was the high individual performance of the night. Bob Means led the Eagles with 8 tallies.

(27) Yoncalla Carter (9) F (3) Alsop Mann (12) F (8) Means Loffer (0) C (5) Fast Miles (0) G (5) Vest Risby (7) G (2) D. Powell Sub: For Riddle — Rhodes (1), Weakley, Vaughn (4), Hammersly, White; for Yoncalla — Metz (6), R. Powell.

**Bing Crosby Sponsors Personal Golf Party**

PEBBLE BEACH, Calif. — Bing Crosby's personal golfing party, the \$10,000 national pro-amateur tournament he sponsors for charity every year, gets under way Friday.

Proceeds go to polio research, veterans hospitals, youth centers, and other institutions.

The 54-hole links derby, which stacks up with any show of its kind anywhere, will see a galaxy of stars footing it over three courses in as many days.

Among the 172 performers will be some of the finest professionals in the land; many crack amateurs and notables from the movies, baseball and the music world, who range from hackers to fair golfers.

Stan Leonard of Vancouver, B.C., provides the international touch, with Tom Dwyer of San Francisco, as his amateur partner.

Ten pros, three of them shooting par 72, qualified Wednesday to complete the roster.

They included Wendell Wood, Portland, Ore., 72.

# Ted Williams Has Been Recalled To Marine Corps

BOSTON — Ted Williams, baseball's top salaried slugger, has been recalled by the U.S. Marines and, if physically fit, probably will be lost to the Boston Red Sox until he reaches the comparative old age of 35.

The \$100,000 plus performer is one of several hundred former Marine flyers being called back as replacements for Korean veterans due active service releases.

Reports from Marine headquarters in Washington were that Williams, now 33, will report at near-quantum for a physical examination on April 2. If found fit, he will go on active duty on May 2 for at least 17 months. That would take him through most of the coming American League season and for all of 1953.

Williams phoned General Manager Joe Cronin from his Florida Everglades fishing retreat, saying he would "go through all of the spring training and I'll stay with the club and await further orders."

Williams chances of passing the Marines strict physical tests for its flyers are considered dubious in that service's local circles.

Ted fractured the head of the radius bone in his left elbow during the 1950 All-Star game and the resulting surgery has hampered that arm's extension and mobility ever since. He still requires the attention of therapists.

Hereabouts, many recalled reservists, especially flyers, have been rejected for similar handicaps.

**Oakridge Nips Drain Cagers**

Superior rebound strength and three high-scoring starters turned a tight battle into a rout at Oakridge as the visiting Drain Warriors lost, 62-45, Tuesday night.

The Douglas County Warriors stayed in the game until the final quarter when the Oakridge five discovered it could completely dominate the backboards. As a result, Drain picked up only eight points in the final quarter while Oakridge was coasting away with 20.

On defense, the Warriors couldn't stop Forward Richard Swendsen, Center Al Clark and guard Fred Richter. These three combined to score all but 10 of the points and outscore the entire Drain squad by six. Clark paced the evening's scorers with 21.

Oakridge led at the first and third quarters, but never by a decisive margin. It was 16-15 at the first gun. Jack Weaver of Drain sank one at the halftime gun to put the Warriors ahead, 28-27, and then Oakridge took its longest lead of 42-37 at the third break. In the final quarter, the hosts rang up their biggest margin of the game, 17 points.

Jack Weaver of Drain carried the scoring burden for the losers with 16 points. The loss dropped the Warriors into a tie for second place with Oakridge in the Lane County Valley League.

Drain (45) (62) Oakridge Walton (2) F (2) Struby Swearingen (4) F (14) Swendsen Kelly (5) C (21) Clark Duncan (8) G (17) Richter Joslyn (1) G (4) Stiner Sub: For Drain—Weaver (16), Whipple, LaGrandier, Oatney (2), Simpson; for Oakridge — Turchard (2), DuMont (2), Striggs, Robinson.

**Fights Last Night**

By The Associated Press  
St. Louis — Cesar Brion, 198 1/2, Buenos Aires, outpointed Wesbury Bascom, 181, East St. Louis, Ill. 10.  
Miami Beach, Fla. — Joe Gaddello, 155 1/2, Philadelphia, and Sol DiMartino, 151 1/2, New Haven, Conn. drew, 10.

**Hockey Scores**

Pacific Coast Hockey  
By The Associated Press  
Edmonton, 4, Tacoma 2  
Thursday Schedule  
Tacoma at Calgary.

# De-Emphasis Now Under Discussion

CINCINNATI — Michigan State's Dr. John Hannah drops in for a call, the Television Committee makes its report and things start popping at the National Collegiate Athletic Association Convention Thursday.

Notre Dame and Pennsylvania are girded for a fight against controlled television of college football games but admit it's a hopeless cause.

The issue will be discussed openly at an afternoon round table meeting at which time television interests will be permitted to present their views.

Of equal interest—as this giant convention nears a showdown stage—is the visit of Dr. Hannah and Dr. Arthur Adams, president of the American Council of Education.

These two gentlemen, as spearheads of a special committee of college presidents, threw a bombshell into college athletics last week-end in Washington by proposing a drastic de-emphasis program.

They called for abolishment of bowl games, athletic scholarships and out-of-season practices; end of freshmen use in varsity contests and stabilization of coaches' salaries to conform with those of other faculty members.

At the same time they warned they might enforce these measures with a threat of loss of accreditation—the most potent weapon yet unsheathed for the control of sports.

**College Scores**

By The Associated Press

**FAR WEST**

Eastern Montana 73 Alberta 60

St. Marys (Calif) 50 San Jose State 49

Seattle 84 Western Wash. 70

Central Wash. 79 St. Martins Wash. 63

Pacific Lutheran 53, College of Puget Sound 51

**EAST**

Pitts 72, Syracuse 49

Colgate 60 Cornell 34

Columbia 68 Harvard 51

Yale 64 Brown 59

Holy Cross 74 Trinity (Conn) 59

Penn 79 Delaware 54

Villanova 79 Creighton 61

Army 78 Puerto Rico 65

**SOUTH**

Miss 77 Miss State 62

Georgia Tech 56 Auburn 54

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