

Indians Drub Vikings, 57-38

Local Squad Cinches 2nd Place Spot

Myrtle Creek Offense Folds In Second Half, As Indians Take Over

By GEORGE CASTILLO
District 5 Standings
Eastern Division

W	L	Pf	Pa
Reedsport	6	0	260 200
Roseburg	4	2	293 256
M. Creek	2	4	266 277
Sutherlin	0	6	171 267

A keen-eyed band of Roseburg Indians sharpened its way to a successful season basketball finale Friday night on the local court by clubbing the Myrtle Creek Vikings, 57-38.

The Indians took over undisputed second place in the final standings of regular sub-division play by sinking the Vikings with a gaudy 451 shooting average from the floor. Roseburg will be matched with Sutherlin in the first sub-district tournament game Feb. 27. The same night the Vikings meet Reedsport.

The Vikings played two different games in the separate halves, and only one of them was good enough to slow the Indians. In a slow scoring first half, the visitors countered a Roseburg floor average of 439 with a commendable 400. The Vikes made up for the difference with foul line proficiency to make a see-saw battle out of it.

In this first half, the score was tied at 2, 8 and 21. A last second basket by Bruce Dalros gave the Indians a 32-21 edge at halftime. The Indians never lagged in the first quarter, but in a bitter second-quarter struggle, the lead shifted hands six times in six scoring plays.

Then, the Vikings folded. It was the most noticeable change of form seen on the Roseburg court this year. The spark and drive which had carried them sailing through the first half faded and shooting from the field was completely impotent. That famous Myrtle Creek third-quarter slump here in like a great black cloud and the Vikings didn't score a basket until Bob Wilder sank one in the last 55 seconds of the period. Combined with three foul shots, the Vikes collected five points in that frame. That washed out all Myrtle Creek chances. From the first half 400 average, the Vikings dropped. The Indians hit for 13 of 28 tries from the field for a second half average of 481. The subs were hotter than the regulars. The biggest margin of the game came in the waning seconds when Rose-

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Grants Pass Outgrapples Roseburg Wrestling Team

The Grants Pass wrestling squad made a success of its first home night meet Friday by out-grappling Roseburg, 32-16. On their initial meeting, the Indians tied the Cavemen last month, 24-24. The Indians managed to win only four matches and only Bob Kennedy and undefeated Tom Findlay pinned their men. The battle of the day pitted Ron Hicks against Grants Pass No. 1 man Jerry Tribby. Hicks out-pointed Tribby in their first meeting at Roseburg, but the canny Caveman played such a cautious game this time that he finally reversed the decision, 1-0. Rugged Tom Findlay had only two seconds to spare before pinning his victim.

This was the last match before the sub-district tournament at Grants Pass next Friday. Teams will be represented from Roseburg, Grants Pass and Medford. Each team is allowed two men in each weight division.

Team results: 98-pound — Ken-

edy (R) pinned Don James (3:55); 106-pound — Masters (GP) pinned Zuver (5:40); 115-pound — Brown (GP) decided Stoffel (9:4); 123-pound — Dollarhide (GP) pinned Nygaard (5:10); 130-pound — Woods (GP) decided Palm (3:1); 136-pound — Carruthers (GP) pinned Henry (1:57); 141-pound — Keeney (R) decided Gannoung (4:1); 148-pound — Jones (R) decided Lincoln (4:1); 157-pound Campbell (GP) pinned Johnson (1:55); 168-pound — Tribby (GP) decided Hicks (1-0); 178-pound — Findlay (R) pinned Towne (5:58); Heavyweight — Barzola (GP) decided Williams (6:0).

Exhibition results: 123-pound — Zottola (GP) pinned Marshall (5:10); 130-pound — Harless (GP) decided Myers (4-0); 136-pound — Williams (GP) pinned Farrell (3:20); 141-pound — Thomas (R) drew with Rasmussen; 157-pound Hale (GP) decided Gourley (2-0); 168-pound — Scott (GP) pinned Shirley (1:50).

College Scores

By The Associated Press

Far West

Wyoming 64, Utah 57

UCLA 72, Stanford 68

Brimham Young 60, Utah State 67

California 65, Southern California 64

Oregon 57, Oregon State 44

Washington 79, Idaho 64

Colorado State 49, Colorado College 45

Willamette 74, Whitman 61

Vanderport 70, Oregon Tech 56

Montana State 66, Colorado Mines 61

Northwest Nazarene 77, Weber 61

Calif Aggies 61, Southern Oregon 59

Seattle 80, Gonzaga 76

Chico State 97, Humboldt State 57

Pacific Lutheran 73, Central Washington 59

Puget Sound 56, St. Martin's 48

Whitworth 56, Western Washington 49

Los Angeles Loyola 51, Whittier 49

St. Mary's 63, Honolulu U. 60

Willamette Froves 79, Oregon Education Jayvees 41

Oregon State Jayvees 68, Oregon Jayvees 55

Pacific Frosh 60, Lewis and Clark Frosh 55

Midwest

Miami (Ohio) 95, Western Michigan 66

Case 77, Western Reserve 55

Eastern Illinois 67, Central Michigan 57

Kansas Wesleyan 68, College of Emporia 63

Culver-Stockton 85, William Jewell 70

Southwest

Rice 62, Baylor 34

Texas Tech 84, Arizona 57

Arizona State (Tempe) 60, Texas Western 56

Arkansas College 66, Hendrix 50

New Mexico Western 64, Adams State 50

East

Dartmouth 59, Yale 50

Penn State 72, Rhode Island 66

Navy 70, Rutgers 60

Iona 48, Oklahoma City 43

Maine 55, Northeastern 54

Connecticut 65, New Hampshire 61

West Virginia Wesleyan 77, Morris Harvey 63

Bowdoin 75 MIT 63

South

West Virginia 100, Washington and Lee 75

Virginia 88, VMI 80

South Carolina 61, Davidson 56

The Citadel 74, Wofford 65

College Money Gimick

Helps 'Busted' Students

ITHACA, N.Y. (AP) — Cornell University has a financial gimick that's sparing some dads pleading letters from "temporarily busted" students.

A \$5 bill has been tacked to a glass-encased bulletin board at Statler Hall. A card attached to the bill reads:

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Sutherlin Loses Overtime Tilt To Eagle Point

Eagle Point evened a score on its home floor Friday night by eking a 33-32 overtime win from Sutherlin in Josephine — Douglas-Jackson competition.

It was the first win in the league for the Eagles and they had to fight every inch of the way for it. The Bulldogs almost had the game after coming from behind in the final quarter. They led 27-26, but just as the game ended, Eagle Point's Gillespie was fouled. He sank his free shot to drive the game into an overtime.

Lee Leisinger and Ted Buck put the Bulldogs ahead again in the overtime, 32-31. Then, with 10 seconds to go, a floor shot by Lucas put the Eagles on top. Sutherlin had time for one more flight down the floor, but the fates were against it. Kenny Wahl came into position under the basket and was blocked. He passed to Troy Fennell, who leaped over a layin. The ball rolled around the rim and fell harmlessly out as the final buzzer sounded.

Leisinger was high point man with 13 tallies. The Bulldogs were defeated on only 6 of 22 Sutherlin and Eagle Point both concentrated on defense with no thought of offense. As an indication of the slow-scoring pace, Eagle Point led, 10-7, at halftime.

Sutherlin (32) (33) Eagle Point Wahl (8) F (10) Kimmel Fennell (3) F (10) Cattanch Felsing (13) C (4) Lucas Churchman (6) G (4) Gillespie Buck (2) G (2) Barril

Subs: For Sutherlin — Koozer, Hethcock, Smith, M. Churchman; for EP — Eccleson, Rich, Johnson.

Jayvees Score Easy Victory

The basketball preliminary at the Roseburg gym Friday was almost as decisively a local victory as was the finale. The Indian Jayvees drubbed the Myrtle Creek Junior Varsity, 38-24.

The Roseburg Juniors swarmed to a 10-1 first quarter lead and held a 19-9 halftime bulge. It was no contest in spite of the fact three top locals were benched with the measles or flu. A fourth wnel out of the game with an injury. Thus, Ronnie Groves, Bill Steele, Steve Danchoh and Gordon Willey will be unavailable for tonight's game with the power - packed Elkton squad at Elkton.

Ralph Barnes of Myrtle Creek was high-point man with 10 tallies, but every man had one of the 12 who played for Roseburg got in the scoring column.

M C JV (24) (38) Rsbj. JV Barnes (10) F (4) Kern Ray Adist (2) F (7) Kelly Chaney (0) C (7) Sanders Waite (6) G (1) Groves Dyer (3) G (6) Carter

Subs: For MC — Sanders (2), Ralph Adist; For Roseburg — Binkley (2), Kerr (3), Duval, Keeler (1), Pickens (2), Davidson (3), Oerding (2).

Firmco Trounces Oakland, 73-41

Umpqua Valley League

J C Spc. Gds. 8 1 477 421

Yoncalla 7 3 593 539

Firmco 6 3 591 445

Glidde 4 6 523 524

Oakland 3 6 463 537

Days Creek 0 9 372 555

Firmco swarmed over Oakland at Myrtle Creek Thursday night to move a step closer to second-place Yoncalla. The hosts wallowed the visitors, 73-41.

Without Harold Smith, the Oaks didn't have a chance in the AAU battle. Every man on the Firmco squad got into the scoring column. Rob Hoefs, Firmco's diminutive driving guard, topped all scorers with 18. Wally Richardson was runnerup with 14. Firmco led 43-14 at halftime.

Oakland (41) (73) Firmco Hunt (7) F (14) Richrdsn Sawaher (8) F (10) Burnette Hogan (12) C (11) Stuempps Pryor (4) G (18) Hoefs Hopkins (2) G (6) Newton

Subs: For Oakland — Phueard (10); For Firmco — Hoskins (3), Kraxberger (6), Wilson (5).

Cage Scores

By The Associated Press

McKenzie 42, Creaswell 30

Triangle Lake 65, Lorane 14

Humburg 37, Myrtle Creek 38

Drain 43 Yoncalla 37

Canyonville 50 Camas Valley 26

Elkton 40 Hood River 32

Glendale 43 Riddle 36

Willamette Eugene 50 Oakridge 48

Echo 39 Phoenix 24

Reedsport 48 Taft 32

Marshfield 63 Coquille 42

The Dalles 37, Myrtle Point 32

North Bend 53 Myrtle Point 52

Milwaukie 63 Tillamook 54

Albany 76 Lebanon 42

Pendleton 98 Hermiston 42

Klamath Falls 31 Grants Pass 39

Medford 52 Benson 52

Springfield 37 Corvallis 31

Oregon City 31 West Lin 46

Central Catholic Portland 42 Astoria 32

Bend 78 Lakeview 65

Nampa Idaho 33 Baker 32

Greenham 40 Hood River 32

Portland League

Lincoln 38 Jefferson 42

Cleveland 52 Benson 52

Roosevelt 65 Grant 54

Franklin 61 Washington 48

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Elks Continue Winning; Beat Oaks, 38-32

Drain Pounds Out Win Over Yoncalla Team In North Half League

Douglas County "B" League

North Half

W L Pf Pa

Elkton 7 0 380 256

Drain 6 2 424 355

Yoncalla 3 4 341 385

Oakland 2 5 295 309

Glidde 0 7 287 482

The hosting Elkton Elks were embattled through the first half, but built up a bulge in the third quarter to coast to their seventh straight North Half victory, 38-32, over Oakland.

Drain continued as the bridesmaid by slugging Yoncalla, 43-37, on the Eagles' home floor.

The invasion of Elkton turned into a scrap except for the one big quarter which won the game.

In the first half, the Oakland visitors never let the vaunted Elks out of reach. The Oaks trailed by only two points, 11-9, at the quarter, and four points, 20-16, at the half. But the Elks turned on the steam in the third quarter to build up a 34-22 margin. These 12 points divided to half that many by games' end, but the buffer was sufficient.

In spite of high-scoring Bill Fast's 21 tallies for Yoncalla, the Drain Warriors had surprisingly little trouble with the Eagles.

The scores at the quarters all favored the visitors heavily. They led at the rest periods, 13-7, 27-17, and 35-26. Frank Walton and Ed Duncan paced the Drain attack with 11 and 12 points, respectively.

Oakland (32) (32) Elkton Gilderliver (9) F (4) Scott Powell (2) F (2) Henderson Beecroft (6) C (8) Beckley Beham (9) G (6) Hink Marshall (2) G (14) Hershb'r'r

Subs: For Oakland — Bullock (1); for Elkton — Cheever (1), Gil (3).

Drain (43) (37) Yoncalla Walton (11) F (8) Means Joolyn (2) F (1) Metz Dunsen (12) C (21) Fast Brown (7) G (3) Vest Swear'n'n (9) G (4) D. Powell

Subs: For Drain — Weaver (2), Whipple, Kelly, Oatney; for Yoncalla — Beahm Bloomquist; for Powell, Moore. Preliminary: Drain JV 39, Yoncalla JV 27.

YMCA Entry Loses, 74-21

The Roseburg representatives in the district YMCA basketball tourney at Salem were bounced in the first round Friday night. The Future Farmers, representing the local YMCA High School League, were slaughtered, 74-21, by Longview, Wash.

Other wins in the three-game first round were also top heavy. Portland slammed Astoria, 59-36, and Salem scattered Tillamook, 82-80. Today, Portland plays Eugene and Longview meets defending Northwest area champion Salem. The winners of these two games meet in the final tonight for a berth in the Northwest area YMCA tournament at Yakima Feb. 29 and Mar. 1.

Roseburg (21) (74) Longview Stritzke (1) F (12) Phillips Ware (5) F (9) Berg E. Stritzke (2) C (4) Nienu Gibby (1) G (2) Carver Emert (7) G (12) Smith

Subs: For Roseburg — Mendenhall (5); for Longview — Bishop (14), Schwartz (10), Robinson (2), Edal (4), Bergquist (6).

Reedsport Continues Win Streak, Beating Taft

After weathering a tight first quarter at Taft, the Reedsport Braves handcuuffed the hosts and notched their 16th season victory in 20 starts, 48-32, Friday night.

The two teams battled at an 8-8 tie in the first quarter, but the Braves started rolling in the second quarter to snare the lead for good. They aree wheeled in the third quarter, which ended with the largest lead of the game, 41-21. Dick Kylio and Berge Borrevik paced the winning attack with 14 points each. It was Reedsport's seventh consecutive Coast League basketball victory. The Braves play at Toledo tonight.

Taft (32) (48) Reedsport Tuttle (0) F (7) Leggett Hunter (1) F (14) Kylio Purviance (5) C (14) Borrevik Cowell (2) G (4) Earls Barlow (20) G (1) J. Rose

Subs: For Taft — Forner (2), Greason (2), Ungstad; for Reedsport — L. Rose (1), Husko (7), Wheeler, Flug, Olson. Halftime: Reedsport 22, Taft 15.

Coquille, Roseburg Sign Football Game For 1952

Only one gap remains in the 1952 Roseburg Indian football schedule. High School Athletic Director Cecil Sherwood reported Friday that Coquille had been signed to fill in the Sept. 26 date. This home game gives the Indians eight contests. To complete a full slate of nine, Sherwood said a game would have to be procured for Sept. 26. Beside Coquille on the Roseburg schedule are: Eugene, Klamath Falls, Marshfield, Cottage Grove, North Bend, Medford and Grants Pass.

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South Half

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Riddle 5 1 269 175

Canyonville 3 3 215 214

Days Creek 2 5 217 300

Camas Valley 0 6 194 298

The battle of the South Half Douglas County basketball giants at Riddle Friday night saw the Glendale Pirates finally win their uphill fight toward the league crown by topping the Irish, 43-36.