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From The Sidelines



By Cecil Wilder

"It couldn't happen, but it did." For two weeks now I've been trying to figure where I was wrong and I still don't know.

I've gone over every available fact and clue and still it stands, Sandy's Pioneers just couldn't be beaten by Canby, but that's what happened.

I would have bet my bottom dollar, (if I had a bottom dollar) that Sandy would breeze through with an easy win, "but" they were dumped rudely back on their laurels by a surprising quintet from Canby, Oregon.

Sandy's sharpshooters just weren't hitting the bucket, while the Cougars, sparked by big Ronnie Palmer, hit consistently. Here's something interesting to note. Sandy led through-out most of the first half, with blond LeRoy Leckburg carrying most of the scoring load. In the second half Leckburg not only didn't score, but failed to cut loose one shot at the net.

The way I've got it figured, Sandy should have an edge over the Molalla Indians in the tilt to be staged Tuesday, January 3, but after this Canby setback, anything can happen and probably will.

School To Close On Friday, January 6

After a 12 day holiday from school, the Sandy high students have returned to their books to find they have another day of vacation coming up at the end of the week.

Friday, January 6, the teachers will attend a teachers institution at Estacada, therefore both teachers and students get an added day of vacation from each other.

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Sandy High Grad May Be Light In Army's 1950 Football Outlook

One of the sports lights of the last football season of whom Sandy is particularly proud, is Cadet Herbert L. Johnson, son of Mrs. Charles O. Johnson, who has just completed his first year of varsity football at the U. S. Military Academy at West Point, New York.

In his first season and playing at the halfback position he had a 4.3 yards per carry average and scored 18 points, including one touchdown in Army's 38-0 rout of Navy.

Cadet Johnson was one of 22 sophomores on Coach Earl Blaik's undefeated, untied football team, which won nine straight games this season to stretch its undefeated string to 20 games. He is one of the brighter prospects in Army's football picture, according to a release from West Point.

Last year as a plebe, Cadet Johnson won numerals in football, basketball, and track and was ranked number one in his class of 608 in physical education.

Prior to entering West Point, Cadet Johnson attended Sandy high school and Roosevelt high school, Portland. While at Roosevelt high school he won letters in football, basketball, and track, and was elected president of his graduating class.

Upon graduation in June, 1945, he sailed with the merchant marine for a year and then enlisted in the United States air force. Having served two years, he was appointed to the United States Military academy by Senator Wayne E. Morse of Oregon, and subsequently received his discharge from the air force to enter the Military Academy in July, 1948.

Upon graduation in June, 1952, Cadet Johnson hopes to be commissioned in the United States air force.

Pioneers To Tangle Canby Bulldogs At Own Court Friday

The Sandy high Pioneers will tangle with the Woodburn Bulldogs on the Pioneer's own court this Friday, December 6, in an effort to turn the unwilling tide of narrow defeats suffered at the hands of more alert but less powerful teams than the Pioneers.

The outlook is grim for the Pioneers after being beaten by an underdog Canby team last December 21, but as a new page is turned in the book of years and old defeats are forgotten, Sandy looks hopefully toward a more successful season.

Crimson "S" Presents Sweater To Secretary

Shirley Schultz, boy's athletic secretary for the year, was presented with a red and white girl's letterman's sweater at the assembly on December 23.

Bill Rannow, president of the Crimson S, made the presentation to Shirley and remarked that, "Shirley is doing an excellent job, which is thoroughly appreciated by all concerned."

Couple From Wyoming Make Home At Wemme

By Mrs. Nell Howe
WELCHES—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stienbarger arrived from Cheyenne, Wyoming, last week to make their home at Wemme. Mrs. Stienbarger is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Greenwood. Mr. Stienbarger will be associated in business with Mr. Greenwood.

Last Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Elwood, of the Mt. Hood Golf and Country club, entertained Mr. and Mrs. William Drips and Mrs. Jennie Welch, at dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lambert entertained New Year's eve in their new home. It was open house and all very gay.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Barnett, of Zig Zag, entertained eight

couples New Year's eve. Canasta was played until it was time to see the old year out.

Edward Watson has been ill and confined to his home. He has been greatly missed at the Welches post office, where he has been a familiar figure for many years.

Second Place Winners



Pictured above is the FFA parliamentary team from Sandy, from left to right is president, Roger Bartholomew; vice president, Bob Minyard; secretary, Evert Moore; treasurer, Gary Coats, and reporter, Bill Dollowitch. By winning second place in the Columbia River district, Sandy and first place Oregon City vie for the honor of going to state with the two winners of the Northwest District contest.

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Mrs. William Drips and Mrs. Jennie Welch had as weekend guests, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pearson and their daughter, Nickki.

The Lutheran Women's League will meet on Thursday, January 12, at 1:30 p.m.

A New Year's eve party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hartwig. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stroup, and daughters, Sally and Mary Lee, Mrs. Sy Perkins, Ruth and Shirley; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Dale and Mr. and Mrs. Myron Dale.

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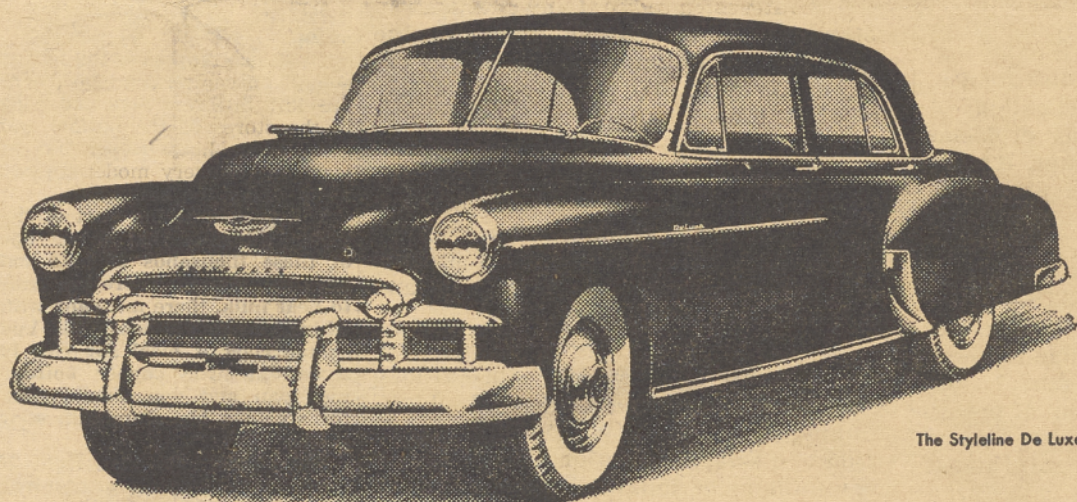
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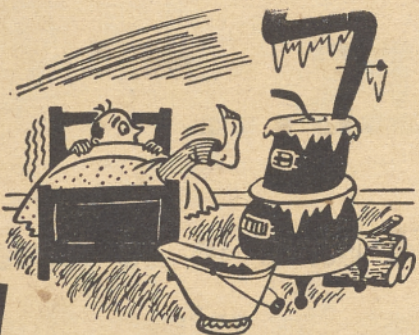
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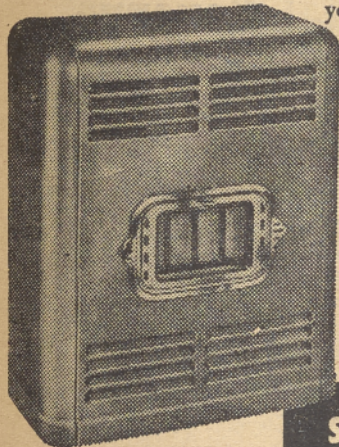
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