

High School Football Field to Get Turf Covering

Gridiron Project Well Under Way

When another football season rolls 'round this fall, Hilhi will have a turfed gridiron. Ground work preliminary to seeding the grass got under way Thursday and present plans call for the job to be completed within a month.

From then on, according to Principal John Cox, it will be simply a matter of "waiting for the grass to grow." By fall, the new grass should be rooted firmly enough to withstand a season of pouncing by cleated shoes and still "come back" stronger for the ensuing season.

Dirt is hauled

Hauled from the site of a new service station being constructed at Second and Baseline and from various high spots on the school grounds, over 1000 yards of dirt have been spread out on the field since Thursday. It has taken this large amount of earth just to bring the field to level and it will take another 300 yards or more to build up an 18-inch drainage crown before the final mowing is done and seed is sown, Cox said. The high school principal expressed hope that he may find another excavating job in the city from which he can obtain enough dirt to finish the field crowning.

The turfing project is being financed as an NYA project with 15 non-high school youths from this vicinity working part-time at the job.

Setback Field "Out"

Prepared leveling of another field east of the present gridiron for exclusive use as a softball grounds meanwhile, has been abandoned. Frank Deane and Pete Schukart, softball association heads, here, and Principal Cox surveyed the contemplated project Friday and were mutually agreed that the softball setup for this community can very well continue to use the lighted football field for games, thus avoiding indebtedness which would be involved.

After the football field is turfed, it was agreed, canvas coverings can be used for the pitcher's box and for any other place where excessive wear might injure the grass.

Add to Sports

A double tennis court and some playground apparatus have been installed at St. Mary's of the Valley.

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Fuelmen Blank Clem's Place Five To Tie for Lead

Paced by scores over the 230 mark bowled by Dillon and Kimball, Independent Fuel Oil klegers wallowed. Clem's Place plumed three straight games to send up in a first place tie with that outfit for leadership of the City league as teams keyed for positions in ninth week competition. The consecutive victory scores were 1013-885, 1021-950 and 1029-932.

In other leagues, lead teams managed to retain their top claims but saw under-dog outfits slowly coming up to challenge ground. A 2-1 victory over the Men's Shop lassies kept a three-game lead over the Ladies' league intact for B. & P. Lassies. In the same league, Venetian theatre's five and the Pharmacy quintet scored 3-0 wins over Perfection and Ideal Market squads to climb high in the percentage column.

Loop Tightens

The two cellar-dwelling outfits in the Grocers' circuit, Ideal Market and Hank's, took 2-1 decisions from the two top outfits, Oakes and Fairway, to tighten the win-loss records with a span of only four games difference from high to low.

A deadlock for leadership of the National loop was unbroken as each of the top five, Gold Leaf and P. G. E., stumbled over opponents, 2-1. Jerry's Tavern boys climbed to a tie for third place with Halvorson by blanking the latter aggregation. Another deadlock hunt on for lead honors in the Oilers loop as Nib's Shop and Consolidated teams lost but one game apiece to Texaco and Black Hawk.

Ladies' League—	W.	L.	Pct.
B. & P.	15	5	.667
Blondie's	12	8	.556
Venetian	15	12	.556
Pharmacy	14	13	.515
Pharmacy	13	14	.481
Ideal Market	12	15	.444
Signal Oil	11	16	.407
Men's Shop	10	17	.370
Perfection	10	17	.370
City League—	W.	L.	Pct.
Clem's Place	14	13	.519
Blondie's	13	14	.481
Pharmacy	13	14	.481
Corner Market	13	14	.481
Grocers' League—	W.	L.	Pct.
Nib's Shop	14	13	.519
Fairway Market	14	13	.519
Ideal Market	12	15	.444
Hank's	12	15	.444
National League—	W.	L.	Pct.
Gold Leaf	16	11	.590
P. G. E.	16	11	.590
Halvorson	14	13	.519
Jerry's Tavern	14	13	.519
Vantit's	13	14	.481
Farmers' Coop	12	15	.444
A. O. O.	12	15	.444
Joe Loomis	11	16	.407
Oilers League—	W.	L.	Pct.
Nib's Shop	19	8	.704
Consolidated	19	8	.704
Black Hawk	18	10	.643
Texaco	6	21	.222

Roy

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bernards this past week were Bert Peterson of Honolulu and Leo Ackerman of Mt. Angel. An evening was enjoyed with Mr. Peterson showing pictures of the Hawaiian Islands. Leo Ackerman and his mother will accompany Mr. Peterson on his return to Honolulu, to visit their brother and son and other relatives and friends. They are leaving this week for San Francisco and on April 3 will sail for Honolulu. Mr. Peterson's parents live in Forest Grove.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Vanderzanden, a boy, March 9. Mission closed Sunday evening. Attendance was good all through the week.

Sunday dinner party guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Vanderzanden were Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Shaw and son and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vandenberg, who is in the Emanuel hospital, is convalescing.

Mrs. Orval Hartly. Mrs. Alice B. Dierickx, who has been in St. Vincent's hospital for the past two weeks, is getting along fine and expects to return to her home by the end of this week.

Mrs. Peter Broeren of Sellwood is staying at the J. M. Vanderzanden home this week.

Altar Society met in Moore's hall last Monday evening. There was a large attendance. Mrs. Julius Duyck and Mrs. Ed Meuwesen were on the committee for entertainment.

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Hilhi Coaching Staff Undergoes Reorganization; Bogue Goes Up

Reorganization of the Hillsboro high school coaching staff which will place each division of the athletic department under a separate head was announced Friday by Principal John R. Cox following a meeting of the high school board of directors.

The change here is in line with similar steps taken in recent years by high schools all over the state. It was pointed out that it will elevate Al Bogue, former fresh football coach, to the post of varsity grid pilot, retain Reece "Hap" Halhorn as coach and head of the Hilhi basketball department, and place Paul Haglund as head baseball coach.

Control Clear-Cut

Each department head will manage and coach his own field of sports as a separate division of the school's athletic staff and assistants for each department will be selected from the school's present staff of instructors, Cox said.

The reorganization scheme was worked out and adopted Thursday night as the high school board of directors met to discuss new contracts for faculty members for the coming year. It is believed by board members the new setup will result in the making of stronger teams in all three divisions of athletics.

Mioland Wins \$50,000 San Juan Capistrano Race

Mioland "came back" Saturday. The Orenco-bred racer, who disappointed some fans with a second place finish in the \$100,000 Santa Anita handicap a week before,

flushed around the mile and one-half Santa Anita course in new track record time to lead a field of 16 speedy rivals in the \$50,000 San Juan Capistrano handicap.

Bay View, 50-to-1 shot winner of the Santa Anita race, was left far behind after the first mile. General Manager was three lengths back and Barrancosa, owned by Bing Crosby and Lin Howard, was third.

Aviation Companies Seek Trained Men

Need for more hundreds of specialized workmen in Oregon's coast aviation factories Wednesday brought demands for extension of the vocational education program in the state, according to press release from the state advisory committee on national defense following a meeting in Portland.

One factory alone recently requested immediate training of 1500 men, particularly in the sheet metal and related trades, for jobs that are expected to open up soon. Classroom quotas at seven existing training centers have been increased to meet the demands of the aviation companies, it is reported.

Scholls Afternoon Club Entertained

SCHOLLS—Mrs. Rose Demmin was hostess to the Afternoon Pinocle club Thursday at her home. Three tables of cards were played, high prize going to Ruth Chandler and Mrs. Minnie Bennett won consolation. The traveling prize was won by Flora Rhuln.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Hanson returned from California last week and are making their home temporarily on the Thurlow Hanson place in the deluxe trailer in which they made their home while in the southern state. Mr. Hanson has been employed for some time in California, but the severe rains in that section caused the termination of his work. He is now working in Portland.

Wins "Pin" Money

Josephine Rushlow of Hillsboro took fourth prize money in the singles competition of the ladies' tournament held March 2 at Camas. Her three-game series was 546 scratch, 573 with handicap.

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Hilhi Smoker Friday Night Bills Fisticuffs

Fisticuffs in every class from paperweights to overweights plus two battle royals are on the card for a smoker billed at Hilhi for Friday, March 14, starting at 7:30 p. m. in the gymnasium.

Sponsored by the Blue H. lettermen's organization, the smoker will offer glove action by 30 high school students. Eight men each will wage "total war" in the battle royals. Each event will consist of two rounds of 15 minutes each, according to Al Bogue, athletic director in charge of the affair.

A homecoming for all Hilhi lettermen has been scheduled in connection with the smoker and invitational letters have been sent out to all such alumni members of the Blue H. by Norman Stunkard, who is in charge of the homecoming.

The smoker has been planned along lines of the one held last year. Tickets are selling at 15 cents each for students and alumni lettermen and 25 cents each for the general public.

Witch Hazel

Mrs. Charles Sinclair entertained the O. O. E. pinocle club last Tuesday at her home. Three tables of pinocle were in play with high score going to Mrs. Bill Wicklund, consolation to Mrs. John Jersey, and another prize to Mrs. Oscar Gramum. Next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Jim Jersey in Aloha.

Viola Rutledge spent several days in Newport last week visiting her father, who is working in that territory.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Traugher have moved to the William's place on the river road. Shirley Traugher has entered the sixth grade and Leslie the seventh.

Lamont Eiche has moved to a farm near Scholls.

Gene Susee, eighth grade pupil, was operated on for appendicitis Thursday. He is getting along nicely.

Robert Hoffel has been absent from school this week due to an injury to his foot.

Team Breaks Even

ALOHA-HUBER—The Aloha-Huber school basketball team broke even in the Pacific college invitational tournament February 27-28 at Newberg. They won over Gaston and lost to Tualatin.

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Spring Practice Begins at Banks; Club Organized

BANKS—The Banks high school is harking to the call of the baseball diamond. Nineteen boys signed up for the sport and among the lettermen returning were Art Dierickx, Howard McDonald, Omer Vandehey, Gerald Meuwesen, Dick VanDoren, Everett Vandehey, Vernon Wolford and Howard Kauffman.

Game Cancelled

The basketball game scheduled for last Saturday night between the Banks Braves and Doug Dreeszen's Token Rollers team from

Meclips, Wash., was cancelled due to the illness of Mr. Dreeszen. Lettermen Organize

A letterman's club is being organized at the high school. A committee was appointed to draw up a plan for awarding letters and to organize the club. Those appointed on the committee were: Hollis Hartwick, music; Vernon Wolford, boys' sports; Edith Goodrich, girls' sports; Esther Quier, debate; Dale Eberly, chairman.

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Qualifying Rounds To End on Sunday

Qualifying scores are being turned in by Forest Hills country club members this week in fairway action preliminary to the start of the spring handicap tourney, won last year by Joe Reh of Hillsboro. Qualifying rounds must be completed by Sunday, March 16. To clear the club calendar for tournament play, all bridge tournaments have been cancelled for the month of March.

Cooper Mt. Wins

COOPER MOUNTAIN—Cooper Mountain softball team defeated Hiteen in a game which was held Friday afternoon on the Cooper Mountain diamond. Score was 10 to 4. Next game will be Friday at Hiteen school.

Reedville Wins

REEDVILLE—In a basketball doubleheader played at the local gymnasium Friday night Reedville defeated Orenco in both games. First string Reedville 17, Orenco 16; second string: Reedville 22, Orenco 11.

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