

SALEM HIGH DEFEAT WEST LINN AGGREGATION IN HARD GAME

LOCAL QUINTET VICTORS; 30-19

Rally in Final Quarter Places Salem High Boys in Large Lead

Playing one of their hardest games of the season, the Salem high school quintet defeated the West Linn aggregation last night by a score of 30 to 19. The game was played on the West Linn floor.

With the first half of the game ending 13 to 11 in favor of their opponents, the Salem team started rally which did not get into full swing until after the third quarter when the score stood 19 to 17 for the local five.

Starting with a series of tricky passes, the Salem boys worked their way under the basket time after time, rolling up a large lead in a few minutes. Mootry, of the West Linn team was the high point man of the game, with a total of 14 points. Heenan, of Salem, was second with 11.

A return game will be played on the local floor on Wednesday, Feb. 18. The next game will be at Dallas, on Feb. 15.

Lineup and summary:
Salem West Linn
Ellis, 9... F... Wilson
Heenan, 11... F... Tuar, 2
J. Drager, 4... C... Mootry, 14
R. Drager... G... B. Crahor, 3
Ashby, 6... G... A. Crahor

Webfooters Take High Lead From Athenians in Fast Game

In a snappy game last night the Webfooters trimmed the Athenians 17 to 14 in a basketball contest on a local floor. The Athenians held the jinx up to the third quarter and had the lead in the scoring, but the steady team work of the Webfooters caused them to forge ahead and at the end of the fourth quarter the game rested 14 to 17.

Haegeman was high point man in the game while playing for the Athenians. Three players tied for high honors in the Webfooters with four points each. They were Simpson, Keeney, and Miller.

The Webfooters are to tangle



TOMMY CARTER

Tommy "Kid" Carter, of Oregon City, who meets Sailor Manning, of Salem, in six 3-minute rounds at the boxing card at the Armory here Monday night. The 20 Salem fans, as his willingness and ability to mix is known to all, utation of being a hard hitter while Bayes needs no introduction main event, of ten 3-minute rounds, will feature Phil Bayes, of Salem, and Joe Marcus, of Portland. Marcus comes with the rep-

with the Richmond Tigers at the Salem high school old gymnasium Friday.

SALEM FISTIC FANS ARE IN FOR TREAT

Matchmaker Harry Plant Arranges Card That Will Delight Followers

Fight fans of Salem are tickled to see the cards that are being secured by Matchmaker Harry Plant. The latest one has merits that are very complimentary to the arranger. He has secured Manning to go a six, three minute round mix with Kid Carter here Monday evening.

Manning, who fought Hennings at Dallas did not do him self as well as he should because he was being watched by Carter, and therefore did not turn loose as he should. However, he secured the decision of the judges. Even at that the Dallas fans were given a treat.

Kid Carter is a good mixer in the ring and is to show his mettle with the gloves here in his mix with Manning. He fought Doyle to a draw in Portland during the holidays, and comes well recommended. Carter is a fast, clever, heady boxer and compares favorably with Dawson.

Joe Marcus, who fought to a draw in the Portland ring is a real fighter. Putting it in plain words, that is about all he does for a living and is a tough bird to meet in the roped arena. Fighting is his game and he knows that thoroughly. Fans are not to be disappointed when he wades into Bayes Monday evening.

Bayes, the pride of Salem is pounding his feet on the training room floor and is in fine shape. Every evening he works out at the Salem Armory and fans can see what he has to offer.

From the snappy preliminaries that are to be offered and the main attraction it is an assured fact that the Monday evening card is a whiz. One of the best fights of the season is in the offing.

One feature of the next boxing match is the reduction in price of the ringside seats. Tickets will be on sale at Smith's Cigar store Friday morning.

WASHINGTON STATE IS HERE TONIGHT

Bearcats Slated for Hard Conference Contest; One More This Week

Washington State College will clash with the Willamette university here at 7:30 o'clock tonight when the basketball teams of the two institutions meet. The game will be completed before the Northwestern University Glee club concert.

This will be the second of the three hard games played by the Bearcats this week, the locals having been defeated by the University of Idaho earlier in the week and a contest with Gonzaga coming up Saturday night.

AGGIES DEFEAT IDAHO QUINTET

OAC Team Wins By Score of 24 to 15; Lead Is Held Throughout Game

CORVALLIS, Or., Feb. 11.—The Oregon Agricultural college basketball team defeated the University of Idaho five here tonight by a score of 24 to 15. The Aggies led, 10 to 9, at the end of the first half.

Lineup and summary:
Idaho (15) Aggies (24)
Penwell... F... Ridings
Nelson... F... Baker
Erickson... C... Brown
Nadros... G... Steele
Miles... G... Stoddard
Idaho scoring—Field goals, Nelson 2; Erickson 3; Nadros 2. Free throws: Penwell 1; Erickson 1. Oregon Aggies scoring—Field goals, Ridings 3; Baker 4; Brown 3; Stoddard 2.

Death Claims Quinaby Man Who Is Seriously Injured

Frank G. Wirth, 66, a rancher near Quinaby died at the Salem Deaconess hospital yesterday following injuries while felling a tree. The tree struck a limb on another tree and it was deflected towards him, striking him between the shoulders. A collar bone, the right arm, and right ear were badly injured.

Thirty minutes after the accident he was discovered by neighbors and rushed to the hospital. He is survived by a sister, Mrs. James O'Neil, and a brother, Joe Wirth. He was a member of the Order of Foresters.

BITS FOR BREAKFAST

To all Salem boosters—

This is spud special; the annual potato slogan number—

And there are two things to do about the potato industry to make Salem a potato capital, as it is a prune, flax, filbert, walnut, strawberry, mint, celery, and many other kinds of a capital—

First, we must get here a potato flour, starch and dextrine factory, manufacturing about 100 specialties made from this article.

Second, the growers themselves must stabilize their industry. They must grow quality stuff only for the market, and grade their potatoes as carefully as they grade their prunes or walnuts.

These two things attended to, and we will grow into a potato center. The conditions are all right for the potato starch and dextrine and flour factory. Nature has done her part.

It will be a fine thing for the industries and the institution in general, if the legislature can see its way clear to set aside a small sum for an extension of the wall, so as to enclose the threshing and retting operations at the penitentiary. The sum need not be large, for the prison labor can be used for making the brick and doing the construction work.

It has come about that positions on the main committees of the legislature are hard working jobs, with long hours, many worries, and few thanks. The joint ways and means committee has been

DR. HUMPHREYS' "55" Prompt Relief for INDIGESTION

holding sessions till midnight, listening to pleas and arguments after the members have been laboring in the two separate houses all day. That makes long working hours. And the other principal committees have it about as hard.

Silverton to Observe Birthday of Lincoln

SILVERTON, Or., Feb. 11.—(Special to The Statesman)—Abraham Lincoln's birthday will be observed by the Women's Relief corps and the Grand Army of the Republic with a program which will be given at the Knights of Pythias hall. Assisting with the program will be the Girl Scouts under the leadership of Mrs. A. O. Nelson. The time is set for 2:30 Thursday.

OIL PROFIT GIVEN LOS ANGELES, Feb. 11.—Net profits of the Union Oil company of California for 1924 were \$10,704,047, an increase of \$2,671,398 over the previous year.

RESCUERS ARE NEAR COLLINS; SHAFT WIDENS

the amplifiers. Again, it was pointed out, the bulb may have worked loose and have fallen out of the socket. The last previous test made last night indicated that Collins was breathin', the experimenters said.

Rumors Investigated The inquiry late today turned again to the class of "hoax" rumors. Previous witnesses had been examined at great length concerning rumors that a crime might have been committed or that it was a publicity stunt, as well as to the early attempts to rescue the man.

Dr. H. P. Honaker of Horse Cave described his visits into the cave and his appeal for stone cutters who, however, found that their skill would be unavailing. Dr. Honaker said that he early concluded that state troops were necessary to take charge of the situation.

"Have you heard," asked Captain A. M. Chaney, who conducts the questioning for the board "in any conversations with any persons at the cave or at any other place anything that would lead a reasonably intelligent man to think that the body of Floyd Collins was not in the cave?"

"No, sir," Dr. Honaker replied, "but I have heard some men say that they did not believe that he was in there. I have heard that, but that did not make any changes in my opinion. Too many people had gone in there Sunday (February 1), and had talked with him,



Swimming Exhibition at YMCA pool 3:30 this afternoon. World's champions will swim.

and had looked at him and had conversed with him. Some of them had talked to him that were not close enough to see him, and I had talked with them."

He went on to explain that he put no faith in the rumors and that he had attempted to discountenance it whenever possible. In reply to a question, if he knew where the rumor came from, as concerning newspaper reporters, or if he knew certain reporters, Dr. Honaker answered that he did not know a single newspaper man on the story.

LEGISLATIVE SESSION HELD IN BURLESQUE

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the senate, Speaker of the House

Denton G. Burdick, and J. C. Perry, King Bing.

Upon a physical examination, Governor Pierce was found to be suffering from ego-itis, caused by

unlimited power. In the mental test, the governor was asked if he would ever forgive the people of Oregon for electing him governor of the state.

Upon search, Senator Moser was found to possess a bottle of Lydia Pinkham's compound. It was discovered that he was suffering from joint-itis, caused by joining about every lodge on earth. Upon mental test, it was found that he had always been a self-starter, politically speaking.

Banquet Is Staged Denton G. Burdick, speaker of the house, was found to be suffering from too much sand in his pockets and flivver-itis, caused by the last sand storm at Redmond.

He went on record that the Multnomah delegation was dry, and that some of them were awful dry.

J. C. Perry, King Bing of the Cherrians, was found to be suffering from capital-itis, caused by his living too much in the capital city and thinking too much of what a fine city Salem was. He was asked why the canning companies were favoring king cherries and not being so favorably disposed to the black republicans, although Oregon is a republican state.

Following the official initiation of the four candidates, Rev. W. W. Youngson delivered an eloquent address, dwelling on the brotherly love and feeling of affection existing between the Royal Rosarians and Cherrians of Salem.

After the exercises at the state house, both organizations repaired to the Marion for refreshments before the midnight farewell.

PIERCE LOSES CONTROL OVER FISH MEMBERS

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"Although I have known Governor Pierce for many, many years, and regard him as one of my best personal friends, and although I know him to possess a great many admirable traits and attributes, I am forced to state that many of his judicial acts have been rotten in the extreme.

Repetition Undesired "In a number of cases he has shown a lack of what we in Eastern Oregon call 'common horse-sense.'

"We do not want a repetition of the port of Portland affair. The passage of this bill will prevent the same thing happening in the state fish commission. We must see to it that the commissioners may not be removed at the caprice of a temperamental governor."

Senator Joseph made an impassioned plea for the defeat of the measure, stating that the packing organization had dominated the legislature for over 40 years. "The fishing industry has been the worst debauching interest in Oregon that we have had to deal with. It has dominated and controlled both houses of the legislature for a period of 40 years. It has con-

trolled members of this house in the past, and it is doing it now, and according to all indications, it will continue to do so in the future.

"But I want to tell you, members of this senate, it is going to come to an end. So help me God, I am going to do everything in my power to unhorse the fishing organization. It is the despoiler of our natural resources; it is contaminating our representatives and our senators; it is influencing a great part of our legislation. It must stop."

Senator Staples, the only other member to be heard on the question, declared that any industry that has brought in over \$24,000,000 to the state, must be accorded some privileges. He made a severe criticism of Senator Joseph's stand, taking issue with him on the point of corruption of the legislature.

At the roll call, those voting for the passage of the measure were Senators Banks, Butler, Carsner, Clark, Corbett, Davis, Dennis, Dunn, Hall, Klepper, Maglady, Miller, Rittner, Staples, Upton and Moser.

Those voting against the measure were Senators Beals, Brown, Eddy, Fisk, Garland, Hare, Johnson, Joseph, Kinney, LaFollett, Strayer, Taylor, Toose, and Zimmernann.

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