

Extra Seats For Fans Erected For Whitman-Bearcat Clash Tonight

VISITORS BRINGING TWO FULL SQUADS

Lineup for Locals Remains Uncertain, Championship is at Stake

As proof that Whitman is taking no chances of losing to Willamette in this evening's hoop contest, the school has erected an extra gym floor. The report has come that Coach Boyle is bringing with him two complete teams. The game is to start at 8 o'clock instead of 7:30 o'clock as originally planned.

Championship of the northwest conference hangs in the balance. Whitman can repeat her recent accomplishment of defeating the Beavers, her way to the pennant is practically unobscured. The only conference games she has left after this evening are two, both with Pacific university. Difficulties with Pacific is hardly anticipated.

On the other hand, Willamette speaks the game, she stands the best chance to any team in the conference for the top place. She will have four more conference games, two with College of Oregon, one with Pacific, and one with Linfield.

Latest reports emanating from farther north have it that College of Puget Sound wishes to be considered in the running. While Willamette defeated College of Puget Sound in both games last year, it is reported that this year the loggers defeated Vancouver Barracks team by just twice the score Willamette defeated it.

Realizing that tonight's contest is the most important in the conference, Coach Guy L. Rathbun has had several extra sections of seats erected to take care of those who wish to see the contest.

In Frye and Yennet, respectively forward and center, Whitman has two men playing their fourth year with the team. It was the diminutive forward, Frye, who was responsible for Willamette's defeat in Salem last year at the hands of Whitman. He has an eccentric faculty for long shots and is also capable of running his share underneath the basket.

Yennet, according to opinion throughout the northwest colleges is the logical candidate for all conference center of the Northwest conference. While Hartley of Willamette has piled up more points than any center in the conference so far this season, Yennet was able to get the jump on him with hardly an exception when Willamette met Whitman this season in Walla Walla.

Whitman's complete starting lineup for this evening is Frye and Wood at forwards, Yennet at center and Buck and Nielsen at guards. Buck is said to be one of the fastest guards in the conference.

Willamette's lineup has not yet been definitely decided upon. Robertson, regular forward, is said to have the flu, but may be able to play. It is likely a new combination will be tried. Litchfield and Pasmacht, under this combine, would be at forwards, Hartley at center, and Robertson would be switched to guard as running mate for Erickson. If Robertson plays forward, Flesher will go in at guard.

25 ARE LOST WHEN BIG FREIGHTER SINKS

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ing steamer Antiope, by which it had stood by since Sunday. Five times since it came upon the disabled ship boats had been sent across the raging waves in rescue attempts. In the first attempt two of the President Roosevelt's men were drowned. After that empty boats were loosed to wash toward the Antiope in the hope that some of the crew could manage to get aboard. Three of these boats were capsized before they reached the Antiope.

Today another manned boat was sent over in a temporary lull in the storm and 12 men successfully

transported to safety. Another 12 were still on board tonight with the President Roosevelt waiting for another lull to repeat its exploit. The thoughts which Captain Wurts of the Bremen and Captain Fried of the President Roosevelt have been too busy to broadcast. The Leviathan's commander, Capt. Herbert Hartley, hollow-eyed after his worst battle in 33 years, supplied for them.

"It is one hell of a storm," he said. "The worst in my time. Leviathan's 35th voyage and her slowest, seven days, ten hours and nine minutes." Captain Hartley, his officers said, was off the bridge for only two hours sleep during the trip. Sunday, when the storm was most fierce, she made only 78 miles. The day before she made 438. The passengers did not suffer from overwork, however, and the only damage was a twisted rail. A baby was born on the ship during the storm.

LATE FIGHT NEWS

OAKLAND, Cal., Jan. 27.—Johnny Farr of Oakland won a technical knockout over Vic King, bantamweight champion of Australia in the fifth round of a scheduled ten-round bout here tonight. Referee Al Wainwright stopped the match and awarded it to Farr when he decided King had absorbed enough punishment. Both fighters were overworked.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27.—John Lester Johnson, New York negro, took a ten-round decision over Sammy Olsen, Los Banos heavyweight, in a main event tonight. Jimmy McDermott, Seattle heavyweight, and Jack Anderson, San Francisco, fought a four-round draw.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27.—Joe Roche, leading middleweight of San Francisco, and Leo Lomski, crack Aberdeen, Wash., mauler, continued to draw large crowds at workouts preparatory to their ten-round clash at Dreamland auditorium Friday night. The fighters are training at the same gymnasium.

SEATTLE, Jan. 27.—(By Associated Press.)—Dede Bercot, Seattle welterweight boxer and his father, H. E. Bercot, today became full owners of a boxing club at Everett, where they plan to promote weekly shows as a business. Bercot is in hard training for his match here Tuesday evening with Ted Krache, who has been training at Lake Quinalt.

EVERETT, Wash., Jan. 27.—(AP.)—Scoring knockdowns in the second, third and fifth rounds, Art Humphreys, Everett bantamweight, defeated Ludwig Jones, Tacoma, in the sixth round main event of a smoker here tonight. Jones was saved by the bell in the fifth.

Sailor Gordon knocked out Vic Teodler in the third of a four round semi final.

BELLINGHAM, Wash., Jan. 27.—(By Associated Press.)—Marine Rainers, Tacoma heavyweight won a six round decision over Jack Dill, Everett veteran, in the main event of a boxing show here tonight.

REED-JONES BOUT DRAWING CROWD

Robin Trains Down Six Pounds to Meet Weight Set by Champion

Robin Reed, contender for the Pacific Coast and world welterweight title is to meet Henry Jones at Albany next Friday night in one of the greatest mixes of his career. The only defeat Reed has suffered in his professional history came from the hands of Jones when the Utah man placed him flat on the mat by the aid of an airplane spin.

In order to secure the match Reed has to make 145 pounds ringside. This is bringing him down six pounds from his ordinary weight but he thinks that by hard work and sweat he can make it. Already he has brought down his weight and feels no ill effects from it. He thinks that by Friday night he will meet the weight requirements and yet have his strength and endurance, two factors, absolutely necessary in meeting Henry Jones.

Henry Jones, on the other hand, is confident that he can throw the Oregon man and is working out in the Portland gymnasium. He has thrown Yoke and the heavyweights around, and they appear as amateurs. This handicap wrestling is putting him in fine fettle.

His experience gained during the past fifteen years of professional wrestling has not put him to a disadvantage with Reed. The Oregon man is just beginning to rise in the professional ranks, while Jones has grown old in it. Despite the defeat of one match at the hands of Reed and the wrestling to a draw in another contest he can overcome the Aggie mentor.

According to the reports of the promoter, Matt Matheny, who is chairman of the American Legion wrestling committee, states the advance seat sale is the largest in the history of the wrestling committee.

They have secured the Armory for the match next Friday night. The main event comes at nine and is preceded by preliminaries.

BASKETBALL SCORES
Oregon 24, WSC 22
PULLMAN, Wash., Jan. 27.—(AP.)—The University of Oregon basketball team continued its string of Pacific coast conference victories by defeating Washington State college 34 to 22 here tonight.

The Oregon team displayed superior floor work and scoring ability over the Cougar five. The outstanding feature of the game was the basket shooting and excellent guarding of "Swede" Westergren, Oregon guard, who counted 13 points for his team. The score at the end of the half

CULBERTSON TALKS AS FLOWER LOVER

Every Rotarian Urged to Increase Interest in Flowers

W. C. Culbertson, prominent Portland and Salem hotel man, publisher and farmer, and lover of flowers, addressed the Salem Rotarians at their luncheon yesterday, speaking of several things, but mainly of flowers.

He suggested that the Rotary club adopt as one of the objects to push, the raising of flowers in Salem. He suggested that every Rotarian interest himself in roses. The greatest calamity that ever befell Salem, according to Mr. Culbertson, is the moving of Kimball school of theology from Salem to Seattle.

Townpeople hardly appreciate the theological school, he said, but with its removal it is natural that the religious tone of Willamette university will be weakened, and this in turn will weaken the religious tone of the city.

On the other hand, he said, Kimball cannot do well without Willamette. One of the chief advantages of the schools is that it has been connected with a church school of Willamette's high standards.

was 24 to 6 for the Lemon-Yellow. Oregon leads the northern division of the conference with five victories and no defeats.

Whitman 45; Linfield 26
McMINNVILLE, Ore., Jan. 27.—(AP.)—Whitman college, Walla Walla, defeated Linfield college in the second basketball game here tonight by a score of 45 to 26. Linfield held the Whitman team during the first quarter leading by one point, the score being 14 to 13.

BEARCAT SECONDS TAKE IN TURNER

High School Aggregation Loses Contest to Rooks, Score 41 to 16

Willamette rooks defeated the Turner high school aggregation yesterday afternoon, 41-16. The game, which was played on the Willamette gymnasium floor, was slow throughout, and neither team showed much in team work.

The Rooks had the best of it in what team work there was. One of the chief assets of the rooks was their ability to connect with the basket. They were leading Turner 19-2 at the end of the first half. After the first string men had run up the score, several rooks they were sent to the showers and the second team played.

McCully with seven points was high point man for the rooks. McKay of Turner was high point man of the game with eight baskets to his credit. The lineup follows:

Rooks: Turner, McKay, White, RF, McKay, Minto, LF, Pearson, Ledbetter, C, Lorets, McCully, RG, Clark, Winslow, LG, Bones
Substitutions: Rooks, Collingsworth, Reed, Nichols and Evans, Referee, Scott of Salem.

DENOUNCE DUMP EVIL AS HEALTH MENACE

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some other point, it is Mayor Giesy's plan to fill over the present dump, and open up North 37th street. This he would have opened clear through to the Pacific highway. Then he would have the heavy trucks, such as the Willamette valley trucks, routed over this street instead of coming down one of the principal streets of the city. This, he believes,

would save much of the tearing up of the streets now being done by these trucks.

That Salem must have an electrical inspector was conceded without dissent at the meeting last night of a committee from the city council and a committee from the electrical men of the city. The meeting was held in the office of state labor commissioner O. A. Meyer, who served in an advisory capacity. State electrical inspector Meyers was also present at the meeting.

Salem is facing positive fire danger because of lax wiring and installation of fixtures regulations. Instances were cited at last night's meeting revealing villainous ways in which the public are thrown into danger simply through greed.

It was brought out that much of the "junk supplies" in Portland that can't get by in that city are shipped to Salem because the law is so lax here that no checking up is made.

It is Alderman Dancy's idea to have the electrical inspector a member of the fire department. The inspector's work would take up only about two hours a day on an average. A man is needed badly on the hook and ladder truck. The inspector could fill this need.

The inspector would serve as a double insurance of safety in wiring and installation of electrical fixtures. In the first place, no store in Salem would be permitted to carry electrical stuffs that are not of approved standards.

When the dealer would get in a stock of electrical stuffs, he could call on the inspector. The inspector would study the stock, and if it was not of an approved standard, he would say so, and the dealer could refuse to accept it. This, it is predicted, would clear Salem shelves of stuff that is absolutely no good.

Every store handling electrical appliances of any sort, whether it be complete line of electric washing machines or merely fuses, would be licensed, and liable to inspection at any time.

License fee would be small, possibly a dollar, but not over \$2.50. The idea in licensing the dealers

is to allow inspection for public safety. If no license is issued to dealers, the police or other officials have no right to make inspection.

The startling fact was revealed last night that perhaps half the electrical stocks on Salem shelves are not only inferior, but actually dangerous to use.

A certain store in town, it was brought out at the meeting, is selling fuses at a price at which good fuses absolutely could not be sold. Instances were cited where these fuses had cost much more than the money saved on their initial cost by impairing the electric system of a house.

The sentiment was expressed at the meeting that a complete building code should be drawn up for Salem. It is Mr. Gram's opinion, however, that even if this were

done, there would have to be a separate electric code, because of the intense technicality of the field.

EDWARDS LOSES MATCH

KARASICK GIVEN BOUT WHEN EDWARDS SLUGS HIM

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 27.—(By Associated Press.)—Billy Edwards, Kansas City light heavyweight wrestler, lost on a foul to Al Karasick, Oakland, Cal., here tonight. After Edwards had taken the first fall and Karasick the second the Kansas City grappler knocked Karasick cold with a right hand smash to the chin in the third period and the referee awarded the bout to Karasick.

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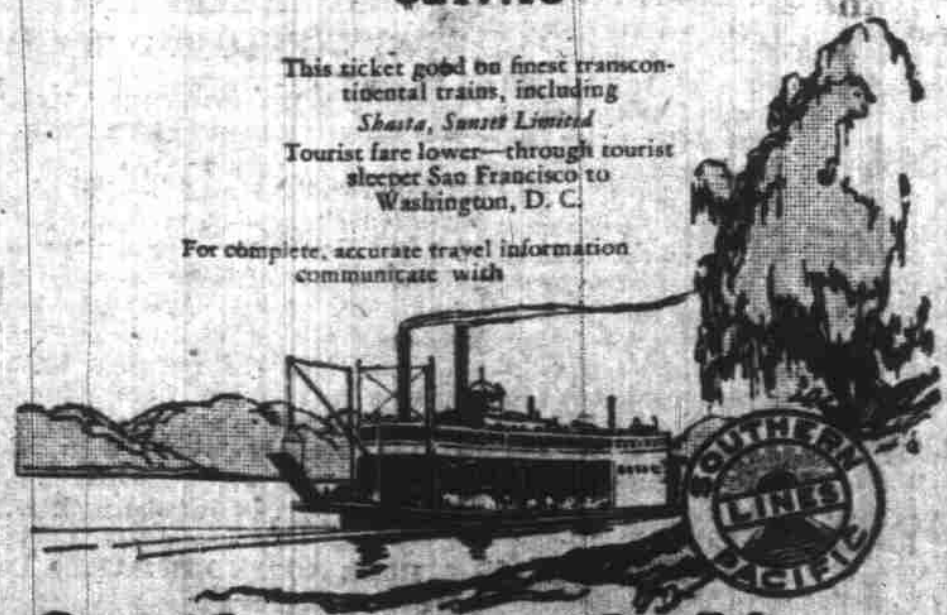
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