

# Fans All Hopped Up Over Gordon-Riley Rematch Tonight

## OPINIONS VARY AS TO RESULT

Matchmaker's Decision to Trot Pair Out Again Wins Big Applause

**TONIGHT'S FIGHT CARD**  
Main Event—Sailor Willie Gordon, Portland, 129, vs. Kewpie Riley, Vancouver, 131; ten rounds.  
Semi Final—Terry Killeen, Independence, 155, vs. Red Hayes, Stayton, 155; six rounds.  
Special—Delmer Russell, Salem, 137, vs. Jimmy Woods, Amity, 139; four rounds.  
Special—Guy Hickman, Salem, 114, vs. Jackie Wattenberger, Independence, 114; four rounds.

Immediately following the announcement Wednesday morning that Kewpie Riley of Vancouver, Wash., had been signed up as an emergency opponent for Sailor Willie Gordon of Portland, for tonight's main event at the Oregon theatre, Salem fight fans' tongues began wagging at an accelerated rate and the fight program took on even more significance than it held when Gordon was billed to fight Ted Fox.

The previous Gordon-Riley encounter lasted just long enough to get the customers all "hot up," and then terminated unsatisfactorily when Gordon unintentionally fouled Riley. The encounter while it lasted proved that the boys were well matched, and their respective styles in the ring were such as to make it a fight plenty of action.

So Mr. Fan was put in the position of the little boy who "won't be happy till he gets it," the desirable objective being a finish to this promising bout. The fans are sorry Ted Fox couldn't go on, but that can wait; what they want to find out now is whether Gordon or Riley is the better man. Opinion here seems evenly divided.

Tom Lottitt will be the third man in the ring; he's the referee who makes them all fight, but he apparently won't have to use his persuasive methods in any of the bouts tonight.

Nobody has even seen either Red Hayes or Terry Killeen lay down or stop boxing in. Delmer Russell, who meets Jimmy Woods of Amity in the last four round fight, showed the fans that he believes in action when he appeared on the last card, but he faces a tough opponent in Woods, who has the advantage of greater experience. Guy Hickman and Jackie Wattenberger are both willing mixers.

To complete the card, Matchmaker Harry Plant Wednesday signed up Jim Kuhn, who recently boxed at an American Legion smoker, to meet Jack Nelson, who has appeared in several preliminaries here.

## SALEM HIGH PLAYS ALUMNI ON FRIDAY

Stars of past Salem high school basketball teams, many of them players who helped the red and black win one or more state championships, will be seen in action on the high school floor again Friday night when the annual alumni S. H. S. game is played.

Some of the veterans who will appear include John and Bob Drager, now members of the Oregon State college squad; Duffy and Lyons, who are on the rook squad at the same institution; and Olinger, who is a varsity candidate at U. of O.

For the past two years this game has been won by the alumni, and with a fairly green and untried team representing the school this season, the grads are conceded a good chance to win again, with such a list of stars to draw from.

The advantage on the side of the alumni was increased this week when Beechler, the high school's most promising center candidate, became ill.

## SORDS POINTS-By Jack Sords

Andre Routis May Rule Featherweights Long Time



## BEARS GET READY FOR GEORGIA TECH

**BERKELEY, Cal., Dec. 19.**—(AP)—California's Bears finished their drive for academic touchdowns today and with final exams for the quarter over, set about the business of preparing for the gridiron tilt with Georgia Tech. New Year's day at Pasadena.

The California squad abandoned football tactics for book study after the Stanford game, November 24, and has been hard at it since.

Coach "Nibs" Price, however, is not worried as to the condition of his charges. He said today it would take but little time to whip them back into the same shape that carried them through the coast conference season undefeated.

The squad of 47 will turn out tomorrow for a light practice and will take a night train for Pasadena. From then until game time, steady practice will be held in the Rose bowl.

## Dallas Hi Beats Parrish 16 to 11 On Dallas Floor

**DALLAS, Ore., Dec. 19.**—(Special)—The Dallas high school basketball team by consistent teamwork in which no player stood out above the rest, defeated the Parrish junior high school quintet from Salem tonight on the local floor, 16 to 11.

Summary:

Dallas	Parrish
Quirring (2).....F.....(7)	Satchler
Brown (2).....F.....(2)	Brewer
Webb (4).....C.....(2)	Bowden
Mosier (2).....G.....(2)	Sanford
Curlinger.....G.....(2)	Sawyer
Baughn.....S.....(2)	Perrin
Strayer.....S.....(2)	Beale
Uglov.....S.....(2)	Harris
Cleaver.....S.....(2)	Slater
LeFors (4).....S.....(4)	Johnson
Jarret.....S.....(2)	

## SHELL QUINTET ALL-STAR CREW

Leading Collegiate and High School Hoopsters Meet W. U. Tonight

Whether the independent basketball played in Portland is on a par with the collegiate game will be tested out conclusively tonight at the Willamette university gymnasium, when the Shell company quintet, champions of Portland, meet the Willamette Bears.

This team is composed entirely of all-star selections, including four men who have been chosen on the Oregon high school all-star quintet in past seasons. If Ed Lewis is able to bandage up his injured ankle and play, he will be one of them; the others are Boyle, chosen all-state guard while playing at Franklin high; Farra, who gained the same distinction while representing an eastern Oregon school; and Bradley, who starred for Benson.

Then there is Drew, who ranks among the all-stars in collegiate circles; he was chosen on the all-midwest team when he was captain of the University of Michigan team; and another who gained similar distinction closer to home is Petteycord, who made the all-coast team as a Washington State player.

The starting lineup in case Lewis is able to play, will find Bradley and Petteycord playing forwards, Lewis at center, and Boyle and Scroggins guards. Others on the squad include Cook, Merritte, Jagelski and Drew.

The Shell company team has defeated the Checkerboards, Jantzen Knitting Mills, Vancouver Ramblers, Rasmussen Paint company, Montgomery Ward, General

Petroleum, Pacific Telephone company, Y. M. C. A. and Graybar Electric teams in Portland, so that if the Willamette team manages to win it will be conclusive evidence, that the independent game can't compete with college basketball.

The game will start at 7:30 o'clock, so as not to conflict with

the fight card at the Oregon theatre.

## House Subtracts Prohibition Fund

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—(AP)—Congressional action on the bil-

lion dollar treaty-postoffice supply bill was completed in the house Tuesday after the senate proposal to increase by \$257,000,000 the prohibition enforcement fund had been finally cast into the discard. This action came with approval of the conference report on the measure which now goes to the president.

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