CALIFORNIA BEARS CLINCH COAST HOOP TITLE

Salem Y.M.C.A. Volleyball Team Beats Portland for District Title

HUSKIES DROP TILT 30 TO 27

Washington Team Loses Second of Two Game Series at Seattle

SEATTLE, Mar. 2—(AP)—After the fight of their lives the Golden Bears of the University of California captured the basketball championship of the Pacific coast conference here tonight when they defeated the Huskies of the University of Washington by the close score of 30 to 27.

The coast title went to the Bears by winning two consecutive game of the series.

Entering the second half with a revised lineup the Huskies fought one of the greatest uphill battles in the history of Washington basketball. Smarting under the embarrasing score of 21 to 6 against them at the end of the half the Washington quintet outplayed and outshot the 1929 champions 21 to 9 in the last half.

COOLIDGE ENDS PRESIDENT JOB

Final Active Day in White House is Mere Matter of Dull Routine

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON
Associated Press Staff Writer

WASHINGTON, Mar. 2—(AP)—The last work in the White House for Calvin Coolidge was just that, a day of patient, persistent work. It was late in an afternoon sodden and gray with snow and rain when he turned at last from his desk to gather the men and women of his cabinet family about him at dinner and bid them farewell.

But his plans to spend the Saturday hours, which for Mr. Coolidge as president, have been almost invariably longer than those of other working days, clearing his executive office desk of crowding last minute tasks, failed to reckon with the esteem in which men held him. They came thronging over the wet streets to gather 553 strong for a place in the handshaking line at the noon hour. It was the largest group of these plain folk, without claim to special privilege or the will to do more than clasp his hand and wish him Godspeed. Mr. Coolidge has been called upon in many months to greet.

Likes to Shake Hands

Since he came first to the White House office to take up the heavy duties thrust upon him by President Harding's death, Mr. Coolidge has felt keenly that th's daily round of handshaking contact with the humbler folk of the nation is a privilege of the presidency, not a distasteful necessity of public life. He has said that it has meant something more than a mere gesture of democracy to him. It was always, to this last day, a pleasure to him. And so, even with his desk buried under the mass of new laws that lacked only his signatures and with important men of the official life of the nation waiting to bid him a personal farewell, he found time to greet the slow moving line and smile back his greetings.

Summerall Calls

Early among his official callers were General Summerall, chief of the army, and Admiral Hughes, chief of naval operations. They have been the chief technical advisers to President Coolidge under the constitutional provision that makes him commander-in-chief of both army and navy. Each came to say his own personal word to the chief whose work is now finished.

Senator Robinson of Arkansas, democratic leader in the senate, also came to add his own touch to this unique, unstaged day of respectful last greetings to a president whose hand has been steady on the helm for six strenuous years. Senator Edge of New Jersey was another caller as was Major General Jadwin, chief of army engineers.

The entire Massachsetts delegation in congress followed and in all, more than two score visitors who must be given a moment or two of precious time crowded into this busy last work day. All told, Mr. Coolidge met more than 600 persons at his office.

And between times, with steady application he bored into the pile of bills awaiting his signature. They flowed under his pen in an endless stream, big matters that have been grond through congress in all the storm and stress of political controversy and little local affairs like the authorization of bridge construction.

To each the retiring president gave the required attention without hurry or seeming thought of the fact that his hour of release from the drudgery of high office and return to simple, common life of his New England home, is almost at hand.

One unusual gift was presented to the president during the day. It is the desk, specially designed for his comfort and convenience, on which has stood the radio microphone over which he has talked many times from Washington to millions of listeners at home and in other lands. He smiled a little whimsically at it, remarking to the representatives of the national broadcasting company who made the presentation that he might use it as a breakfast table back home.

Muller Leads in Derby As Third Round Closes; Only Three Weeks Left

ERNEST MULLER of the Capital City Bedding Cubs topped the field in the Statesman bowling derby as play in the third round neared its close Saturday night, with a gross total of 2032 pins. Muller has been close to the top in other rounds and promises to be among the final eight.

The field this week will be cut to 24 bowlers, next week to 16, and the following week eight finalists will compete, the winner to be rewarded by presentation of the Burnett Bros. cup, which will be his until next year's derby.

T. J. Brown finished second last week with a score of 2016, Woodruff, last week's winner, was third with 2006, and Brees fourth, 1997. Others who had finished early Saturday night included, in the order of their ranking:

McKinney, 1942; C. Martin, 1942; Hall, 1910; Lyons, 1900; Allen, 1891; Kutch, 1880; Fitzgerald, 1832; M. Hemenway, 1802; Coe, 1783; Davidson, 1746; Alken, 1733; Bassett, 1724; Karr, 1714; Wolters, 1675; Stolliker, 1674; Allison, 1611; Perd, 1551.

Standings of the teams in the Winter Garden leagues at the close of last week's play were as follows:

City League

	W.	L.	Pct.
Man's Shop	16	5	.761
Schei's Men's Wear	15	7	.714
Flying Clouds	14	7	.667
C. C. Bedding Co.	9	12	.429
Elks	7	14	.333
O'Leary's	2	19	.097

Club League

	W.	L.	Pct.
Lions	11	4	.733
Western Auto	11	4	.733
Nelson Druggists	7	8	.466
Reo Mates	5	7	.416
Elks Cubs	5	7	.416
Associated Oil	4	11	.267

Commercial League

	W.	L.	Pct.
C. C. Bedding Cubs	13	2	.867
Barr Plumbers	10	5	.667
McKay Chevrolet	8	7	.575
Valley Motor	7	8	.425
Wood's Auto Co.	4	11	267
General Oil	3	12	166

Business League

	W.	L.	Pct.
Fairmount Dairy	8	4	.667
Sanitary Dairy	9	6	.600
New Statesman	3	3	.500
Montgomery Ward	7	8	.466
Roth Grocery	5	7	.416
Stiff Furniture	4	8	.333

Bankers' League

	W.	L.	Pct.
Western Paper	11	4	.733
Capitol Theatre	9	6	.600
Ladd and Bush	6	9	.300
Headquarters 249th	4	11	.267

DAWES HONORED IN U. S. SENATE

Surprise Farewell Party Is Given Retiring Vice President by Solons

WASHINGTON, Mar. 2.—(AP)—The senate held a surprise farewell party today for Vice President Charles G. Dawes, who on Monday turns over his office to Charles Curtis, veteran of its own fold.

Pausing in the busy closing hours the senate gathered almost its whole membership to the floor by a pre-arranged signal in mid-afternoon, heard tributes to Mr. Dawes and then as a token of its esteem presented him with a large silver tray.

Twice the membership arose and applauded heartily as Senator Robinson of the democrats, and Senator Moses, of the republican side, spoke warm eulogies and farewells. Obviously moved by the display of affection by his colleagues, Mr. Dawes wouldn't trust himself to respond. He had the clerk read his thanks as he bashfully sank back in his presiding seat.

Curtis Changes Jobs

Later as darkness gathered about the capitol dome, Charles Curtis, his work done, quietly slipped off the yoke of republican leadership he has carried so earnestly for long years and quit the senate.

Tomorrow, the Sabbath, he rests and on Monday noon he ascends to the vice presidency.

It was the end of 34 years of service in the house and senate for the Kansan and he retired happy—the goal he had set for himself for his concluding session accomplished. Elected last November, Curtis carried on in the senate to guide it through its closing and difficult short session. When he ended his services tonight, the legislative program which he had planned had been to all purposes enacted.

Both Men To Speak

On Monday, Mr. Curtis will deliver the customary inaugural address of the incoming vice-president after he takes the oath of office, just prior to the inauguration of the president on the capitol steps. It also is understood that Mr. Dawes will have a farewell message then.

Genaro Kayoed in First Seconds of Go With Pladner

PARIS, Mar. 2—(AP)—Emile "Spider" Pladner, of France, knocked out Frankie Genaro, Italian-American ex-flyweight champion, after a few seconds of fighting in the first round of their bout here tonight.

STAYTON HI BEATS INDIAN RESERVES

STAYTON, Mar. 2—(Special)—Stayton high school basketball teams won a doubleheader on the local floor Wednesday evening, the Stayton girls winning over Chemawa in a hard battle 26-24, and the Stayton boys nosing out the Chemawa second team 27-26. Both games were hard fought and interesting.

It looked as though the Chemawa lads were going to hand the locals an awful trimming, for the score was 13-2 at the half. Stayton fought an uphill battle in the second half to finally overcome Chemawa's lead and nose out by one point. The scorers got their wires crossed and announced the final score as Chemawa Seconds 26, Stayton 25, but a later check by both coaches showed that both scorebooks gave Stayton a one point win.

STOCK MARKET SEES SETBACK

Bulls Trip Over Heavy Profit Taking at Week End; Losses Slight

NEW YORK, Mar. 2—(AP)—The new "Hoover bull market" tripped over heavy profit taking today and gave up part of the week's sharp advance. The market's technical position had been weakened by the persistent driving of shorts to cover, and the normal week-end profit taking, swelled by overnight news developments bearing on credit, quickly sent the market into a sinking spell.

Scores of important issues lost from 1 to 5 points, and Adams Express, which had gained more than 85 points in the past two sessions, fell back 24. Trading was fairly active, total sales running to 2,473,480 shares in the two hour session.

The day's news was rather meagre, but continued favorable Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., president of General Motors, said that the company's first quarter unit sales will exceed the same period last year and net earnings should make a favorable comparison. A few more excellent earnings statements for 1928 were published, and negotiations for the acquisition of Loew's Inc., by Fox interests were said to be in progress, although confirmation was lacking.

Radio sold down more than 11 points at one time, but cut its loss in half at the close. Allied Chemical, American Railway Express, Baldwin Locomotive, A. M. Byers, Columbian Carbon, Commercial Solvents, National Cash Register, Industrial Rayon, and Wright Aero were among issues losing from 2 to 7 points. American Can, Advance Rumely, Johns Manville, and International Harvester sagged a point and more.

U. S. Steel lost more than 3 points, but some of the Independent Steel again broke into new high ground for the year, including Republic, Otis, and Gulf States, mounting about 2 to 5 points. Coppers generally were steady, although Greene Cananea slipped back about 2 points. Some of the motors made small gains, including Chrysler, Hudson, Marmon and Packard.

INSANE MAN SHOOTS AND KILLS KEEPERS

SKOPLJE, Jugo-Slavia, Mar. 2—An insane man, sent out of the neighboring country of Czecho-Slovakia because of his condition, today whipped out a pistol while riding on the Belgrade-Skopje express and killed Inspector Savitchitch of the Jugo-Slav ministry of the interior and two Serbian soldiers. He wounded several other passengers as he fired indiscriminately at those in the coach before he was overpowered and put in chains.

The madman was Zia Vucitrna. Last November while Acibiades Bebe, a 24-year-old Albanian student, was on trial in Prague for assassinating Zena Bey, Albanian minister at Prague and brother-in-law of King Zogu of Albania, Vuciturna rose in the court and with six shots ended the dramatic recital of the assassin.

SEGRAVE AFTER NEW SPEED MARKS

Major and Mrs. H. O. D. Segrave, snapped at Daytona Beach, Fla., where the British land and water speed king is preparing to smash more records with his new car, Golden Arrow, and his speed boat, Miss England.

Polk Hoop Championship Still Undecided; Dallas Wins Two Tilts Saturday

MONMOUTH, Mar. 2—(Special)—The Dallas high school basketball team won from both Monmouth and Independence in Saturday's Polk county tournament games, but must play Independence once more for the championship. Dallas has won the championship cup twice before, and if it defeats Independence in the final game Monday, it will be Dallas' permanent possession. The winner of Monday's game will enter the district tournament at Salem next week.

In the afternoon game Dallas defeated Monmouth 38 to 12. The game was slow, and was featured by a fluke play in third quarter when LeFors, Dallas center, shot a basket for Monmouth.

Bond started for Monmouth on defense, and Vaughn was Dallas' outstanding player.

In the evening game Dallas defeated Independence 22 to 18. It was a close, fast game with both teams strong on defense and forced to resort to long shots. Stapleton of Independence scored 11 points for high point honors and LeFors, shifted to forward, led Dallas with nine points.

Summaries:

Monmouth		Dallas
Langley (3)	F	(10) Vaughn
Johnson (5)	F	(9) Uglow
Rodgers	C	(4) LeFors
Davis	G	(2) Griffen
Bond	G	(6) Kleaver
White	S	(4) Moser
Good (2)	S	Gerlinger

Independence		Dallas
Stapleton (11)	F	(3) Uglow
Kelly (2)	F	(3) Webb
Harp	C	(4) Griffen
Newton (5)	G	(1) Kleaver
Young	G	(9) LeFors
Mattison	S	(2) Vaughn

Two Major Parties Spend $16,586,115 on Campaign

WASHINGTON, March 2—(AP)—The national campaign cost the two major parties $16,586,115 exclusive of expenditures by district, county, city and precinct organizations.

The senate was given this information today by its campaign funds investigating committee in a final report which listed expenditures of $9,433,604 in behalf of the republican party and $7,152,511 for the democrats. The committee said the responsible political organizations, and "particularly the national committee" had complied with the federal corrupt pratices act.

The investigation committee, which is headed by Senator Steiwer, republican, Oregon, proposed several changes in the law to tighten up the regulations governing expenditures but it made no proposal for fixing a maximum limit upon national campaign expenditures.

Republicans Spend More

Most of the expenses were attributed to the two national committees, the republican committee with $8,157,453.

Republican state committees were listed with expenditures of $4,761,957, and the democratic state committees with $2,445,407.

The report showed that the democratic national committee had borrowed $1,600,000 from four banks and one individual. The loans were secured by the endorsements of John J. Raskob, chairman of the committee; and W. F. Kenny and H. H. Lehman, of New York, intimate friends of Alfred E. Smith, the democratic presidential nominee.

Big Contributions Listed

Raskob, Kenny and Lehman also were the only ones listed as contributing over $100,000 to the democratic war chest, Raskob being credited with $129,583; Kenny with $107,500, and Lehman with $105,000. There was one contributor of more than $100,000 to the republican campaign funds—$172,000 by E. C. Jameson.

The anti-saloon league campaign committee was listed as spending $165,326 in behalf of the republicans while the association against the prohibition amendment was reported as spending $453,700 for th edemocrats.

The report showed that George Peek, Illinois, agricultural leader, was given $500,000 by the democratic national committee of which amount he returned $[illegible],000 after the election. Peek submitted a detailed report showing how this money was spent and the organizations to which he gave funds likewise submitted reports. Peek was chairman of the Smith Independent Organizations committee.

Estimating the amounts expanded in various states for the presidential campaign the report showed that each party spent the most in New York state, the republicans reporting a noutlay of $995,000, and the democrats $769,000.

WEBFOOTS WIN SWIM COTEST

Oregon State Comes Back Strong But Loses to University Team

OREGON STATE COLLEGE, Corvallis, Mar. 2.—(AP)—The University of Oregon swimming team found more trouble in defeating the Oregon State college tank squad, 40-27, in a return meet here today. The Orange paddlers came back strong from their 52-15 swamping at Eugene three weeks ago by taking three firsts to Oregon's five. Summary:

440 Feet Free Style Relay—Won by O. S. C. winning team, MacMahon, McClean, Griffin, Hover. Time 1:07.

100 Yard Breast Stroke—Fletcher, Oregon, first; Lewis, Oregon, second; Johnson, O. S. C., third. Time 1:20.

50 Yard Free Style—Griffin, O. S. C., first; MacMahon, O. S. C., second; Atkinson, Oregon, third. Time :28 flat.

440 Yard Free Style—Silverman, Oregon, and Gillette, Oregon, tied for first; Harper, O. S. C., third. Time 1:21½.

100 Yard Free Style—Floyd, Oregon, first; Creech, Oregon, second; Hover, O. S. C., third. Time 58.1.

Diving—MacMahon, O. S. C., first; Grafton, O. S. C., second; Brown, Oregon, third.

300 Medley Relay—Won by Oregon. Time, 3:51. Winning team, McAlpin, back stroke; Sharp, breast stroke; Floyd, free style.

Medford Quint Wins Roughest Tilt in History

MEDFORD, Mar. 2—(AP)—In what was claimed to be the roughest basketball game in the history of southern Oregon athletics, the Medford high school team romped over the Ashland quintet 24 to 12 tonight. The game was marked with fists, quarrels and tripping.

The end of the half saw Medford leading 10 to 3.

Southern Part Of State Picks Hoop Champions

MEDFORD, Mar. 2—(AP)—The Medford high school basketball team, winners of the southern Oregon district championship, will play the winner of the secondary championship of Jackson county, now tied between Central Point and Phoenix, the tie to be played off the forepart of next week and the game with Medford next Friday.

Final Match Hard Fought With Visitors Leading Early in Deciding Game

The Salem Y. M. C. A. volleyball team won the district championship by defeating the Portland Y. in a hotly contested final match at the local Y. gymnasium Saturday night after both of these teams had survived through the preliminary rounds without losing a game.

The scores in the final match were 15-13, 7-15, 15-13, indicating the closeness of the affair. The Portland team had an advantage in height and its members volleyed viciously, but the Salem team covered the court better and won by going after seemingly impossible gets. Portland was ahead 11-6 in the deciding match, when Salem rallied and caught up. The score was 13 all at one time.

Members of the Salem team were Acton, captain; Barrick, Hill, Gregg, Hilborn and Wright.

Results of the earlier matches were:

Salem defeated Northeast Y. of Portland 15-5, 15-10.

Portland defeated Eugene 15-6, 15-7.

Salem defeated Astoria 15-10, 15-9.

Eugene defeated Northeast Y. 15-3, 15-7.

Portland defeated Northeast Y. 15-1, 15-1.

Eugene defeated Astoria 15-3, 16-14.

Salem defeated Eugene 15-4, 15-1.

Portland defeated Astoria 15-5, 15-13.

Astoria defeated Northeast Y. 15-3, 15-8.

West Salem Five Defeats Baptists

The West Salem Epworth League basketball team defeated the First Baptist church quintet 12 to 7 on the local Y. M. C. A. floor Saturday night. The score at half time aws 5 to 4 for the Baptists. Wright of West Salem was high point man of the game with an even half dozen to his credit.

Parrish Defeats Turner Hi Quint

Parrish junior high school's basketball team defeated Turner high 28 to 12 Friday night at Turner. Parrish had previously won on its own floor 28 to 21.

Kelly and Biewer tied for high point honors for Parrish with eight points each. Jesse and Bear each scored five points for Turner.

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CAPITAL	
Amount of capital stock paid up	$ 1,000,000.00
INCOME	
Net premiums received during the year	$ 5,075,067.00
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year	425,959.75
Income from other sources received during the year	296,180.04
Total income	$ 5,797,206.88
DISBURSEMENTS	
Net losses paid during the year, including adjustment expenses	$ 3,702,083.23
Dividends paid on capital stock during the year	200,000.00
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	2,377,636.50
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year	269,071.30
Amount of all other expenditures	1,094,082.31
Total expenditures	$ 7,642,873.34
ASSETS	
Value of real estate owned (market value)	None
Value of stocks and bonds owned (market value)	$ 9,539,650.00
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc.	None
Cash in banks and on hand	546,963.05
Premiums in course of collection written since Sept. 30, 1928	1,539,840.38
Interest and rents due and accrued	61,705.17
All other assets	27,037.50
Total admitted assets	$11,705,196.10
LIABILITIES	
Gross claims for losses unpaid	$ 3,081,159.64
Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding risks	4,116,652.47
Due for commission and brokerage	392,734.12
All other liabilities	345,989.52
Total liabilities, exclusive of capital stock of $1,000,000	$ 7,936,535.75
BUSINESS IN OREGON FOR THE YEAR	
Net premiums received during the year	$ 126,151.51
Losses paid during the year	70,940.12
Losses incurred during the year	87,479.57

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