

# Bearcats Face Terrific Opposition on Floor Here Tonight

## OREGON STARS MAKE UP TEAM

### Conquerors of Washington Huskies Play Willamette Cagers

Salem is to be treated to a concentrated diet of high class basketball for the remainder of this week starting tonight when the Willamette university quintet plays the speck DeNeff's team from Eugene, at 7:30 p. m. on the Willamette floor.

It is sufficient to say that the DeNeff's have in their lineup most of last year's University of Oregon hoopers, and have beaten the University of Washington quintet in one game at Seattle, 35 to 29. Washington won the second game by three points.

The DeNeff's include Gordon Ridings, all-coast conference forward; Milligan and Hally, Oregon's fast pair of guards last year; Eberhart and Wirth, who were all-state high school players, and Frank Reinhart, manager. Eberhart cannot make the trip for tonight's game, but his place will be taken by Rodgers or Clark, either of whom is fast enough to suit anybody.

Ralph Coleman will be referee. Then Friday night at 8 o'clock in the high school gymnasium, Salem high will play the O. S. C. Rooks. The Rooks have big Ed Lewis, all-state center for Washington high last year; "Red" MacDonald from Medford, an all-state forward; and Ward, who was The Dalles' outstanding player in the tournament here.

Saturday night Willamette will grab the spotlight again, playing the Portland Y. M. C. A. quintet. After a short breathing space, there will be more basketball next week, Salem high playing University high of Eugene Tuesday night and Willamette meeting the Webfoots Thursday night.

## COOLEY CLOTHIERS CAPTURE ANOTHER

The Cooley clothiers continued their climb toward the top in the Club bowling league Wednesday night by winning three games from the Associated Oil company quintet. The Printers, largely through the exceptional work of "Dad" Vail and Mills, beat the strong Nelson and Hunt-Drugists two out of three. The Elks won two out of three from the Lions, although the roar fraternity took a 102 pin margin in total pins.

NELSON AND HUNT	
Carlson	150 126 150 450
Johnson	155 195 138 488
Sherry	150 150 130 450
Cudley	150 126 126 450
Nelson	188 180 156 524
Total	818 797 769 2384

PRINTERS	
Hearn	120 126 133 418
Vail	160 211 191 562
Pilkerton	157 166 134 457
Hines	159 118 170 447
Mills	195 171 175 541
Total	820 792 803 2415

ELKS	
Elliott	120 160 156 436
Van Patten	176 173 131 480
Spears	141 188 116 445
Gabrielson	194 121 128 443
George	151 164 140 455
Total	818 816 671 2305

LIONS	
Hudkins	120 140 183 443
Haag	145 145 160 445
Alken	124 165 196 485
Anderson	154 203 144 501
Grote	205 143 178 526
Total	779 772 856 2407

ASSOCIATED OIL	
Patterson	120 160 168 448
Frazier	137 166 142 445
Wickert	150 143 134 427
Kumler	129 147 126 402
Endicot	117 159 148 424
Total	643 776 698 2117

COOLEY CLOTHIERS	
Neborgall	171 155 191 457
Bassett	138 144 162 444
Clanahan	157 170 188 515
Wassall	151 178 137 466
Smith	150 150 130 430
Total	768 797 798 2363

## McMinnville to Open Hoop Play Friday Evening

McMINNVILLE, Ore., Jan. 8.—(Special)—The opening game on the McMinnville high school basketball schedule will be played with the Woodburn quintet on their floor Friday night of this week. Coach Allison has announced.

The game is expected to be a hard fought one for Woodburn is reported to have a strong team this season. They defeated Newberg 33-10 in the opening game last week. Tentative lineup for the game is Graves and de Pitter, forwards; Burdette and Fletcher, guards and Anderson, center.

## Pioneers Defeat Leslie 10 to 9

The Y. M. C. A. Pioneers basketball team defeated a quintet from Leslie junior high 10 to 9 in a close game at the Y. M. C. A. Wednesday night.

Summary:  
Y. M. C. A. Leslie  
Hale (2) ..... F.....(5) Mathews  
Bean (2) ..... F..... Sexauser  
B. Brownell 4 ..... C..... Halverson  
Baldock (2) ..... G.....(3) Cannon  
Price ..... G..... Gannon  
Buren ..... S..... Bush  
Salstrom ..... S.....  
Referee, Don Pence.

## CURT COMMENTS

Curly says: Wednesday night. Guessing average .714; five right and two wrong.

After all the critical things we have said about certain basketball officials the last couple of days, we have been confronted with the statement of no less an authority than Knute Rockne, that basketball is the hardest game in the world to handle as an official.

That being so, we can only reiterate a remark we made a few days ago, that Willamette valley schools were wrong in adhering to the practice of having only one official. We note that two men have been handling Willamette university's games, but at the high school game Wednesday night there was only one.

Having the subject of officiating in mind, we watched Leslie Sparks pretty closely as he handled that game. Through-out the first half he had to call fouls right and left, for those two teams were clawing at each other every chance they got. The only reason there were no more fouls was that they couldn't catch hold of their opponents any more.

But in all that first half, we saw him make only two bobbles. One was in Salem's favor and one in Woodburn's. Both were due to the fact that one official couldn't see everything on that big court. Our contention that there should be two officials still holds good.

Where are the doubters who said wrestling wouldn't go in Salem? The crowds have been increasing steadily, and will continue to grow as long as the game is kept on the level.

Bobby Sampson was within his rights in refusing Anderson additional time to recover, but he didn't make any hit with the fans.

## MONMOUTH CAGERS BEAT INDEPENDENCE

INDEPENDENCE, Jan. 8.—The Monmouth high school basketball team defeated Independence high 28 to 13 here Tuesday night. The local quintet started out as though it could hold the visitors even, at least, but the speedy Monmouth boys soon proved too much for them. Independence spoiled many of its opportunities to score, by careless passing.

The first half ended with the score 12 to 6 in favor of the visitors.

The Monmouth girls defeated the Independence high sextet 29 to 6.

Monmouth Independence  
Johnson (5) ..... F.....(2) Newton  
Hockema (11) ..... F.....(6) Mattison  
Rogers (5) ..... C.....(3) Plant  
Davis (3) ..... G..... Hershberger  
White (4) ..... G.....(2) Newton  
Good ..... S..... Ramey  
Monmouth Independence  
P. Haller (5) ..... F.....(4) L. Bullock  
M. Riley (22) ..... F.....(2) B. Johnson  
Nelson ..... C..... L. Busby  
T. Tivler ..... G..... T. Yoast  
E. Gilliam ..... G..... A. Horton  
M. Good (2) ..... S..... R. Cuthbert  
Bork ..... S..... Kurrie  
W. Ebbett ..... S.....  
Gray ..... S.....

## Hoop League to Start Saturday

The Pioneer basketball league will get into action Saturday, with the First Methodist and Mill street Methodist quintets playing at 1:30 p. m. and the First Baptist and Presbyterian teams meeting in a second game.

## Sampson Takes Advantage Of Lucky Break and Gets Decision Over Local Lad

When Des Anderson was unable to return to the ring after the regular ten minute period between falls and when his opponent refused to grant him an additional overtime period in which to regain consciousness, Bobby Sampson, Los Angeles grappler, was given the nod over Anderson in the wrestling match staged between the two men at the Salem armory Wednesday night.

T. Anderson had been knocked unconscious by a body slam hold and the lower part of his spine was injured as a result of the terrific collision caused when his body was slammed to the mat by Sampson.

The winning verdict for Sampson was certainly a lucky break for the Los Angeles man. Throughout the match, Anderson was the better wrestler and succeeded in getting the first fall in 18 minutes and 28 seconds with a leg split.

# Salem High Quint Shows Strength Against Woodburn

## BULLDOGS LOSE GAME 40 TO 21

### Locals Develop Speed and Team Work to Defeat Invading Five

Salem high school's young and inexperienced hoopers once more indicated that they will be, after a few more weeks, a hard outfit for anybody to beat, Wednesday night when they defeated the Woodburn quintet 40 to 21, in the first county league game for the local team.

In fact, the red and black team work and steadiness improved visibly as this game progressed. Despite the lopsided score, Salem high finally amassed, it was a tight game in the first half.

**Bulldogs Held Close During Opening Period**  
Woodburn failed to score a field goal in the first quarter, and at the close of the period Salem was ahead 10 to 2. Just as the quarter ended, each team lost one of its best players when Graber, Salem center, and A. Schooler, Woodburn guard, staged a Japanese wrestling act, and were ejected from the game. Some witnesses thought Schooler the aggressor, but both indulged in some plain and fancy kicking from a horizontal position on the floor.

Graber's absence temporarily disrupted Salem's teamwork and in the second period Woodburn came to life and scored ten points to Salem's five, the half ending 15 to 12 with Salem still in the lead.

In the third period Salem's teamwork was revived and it forged ahead to lead 26 to 16 at the close. Kitchen and Sanford made some spectacular shots and West, who had substituted for Graber, suddenly found out that a game was just like practice and began poking them in also.

**Locals Get Going During Fourth Quarter**  
The fourth period found the red and black at its highest efficiency. Sanford, Kitchen and West pouring the ball through the hoop at frequent intervals while the visitors were held to five points. Another less serious altercation caused the removal of Siegmond of Salem and Oberst of Woodburn. Baldwin, Woodburn's six foot center, had been put out on personal injury early in the third period.

**Summary:**  
Woodburn Salem  
Nehl (7) ..... F.....(12) Kitchen  
Chapelle (3) ..... F.....(6) Bone  
Baldwin (5) ..... C.....(6) Graber  
L. Schooler ..... G.....(8) Sanford  
A. Schooler (1) ..... G.....(3) Foretler  
Oberst (3) ..... S.....(1) Sampson  
Gearin (2) ..... S.....(10) West  
Black ..... S.....(5) Siegmond  
H. Schooler ..... S.....  
Referee: Sparks.

Woodburn's "B" team defeated the Salem high "B" players 18 to 12.

**Summary:**  
Woodburn Salem  
Thomas (2) ..... F.....(4) H. Schooler  
Hale ..... F.....(6) C. Nelson  
Bowden ..... C.....(2) Pardy  
West (2) ..... G.....(6) Gustafson  
Devers (2) ..... G.....(6) Black  
Morley (2) ..... S.....  
Brown (2) ..... S.....  
Johnson (2) ..... S.....  
Referee: Hawk.

## Linfield Starts Season Saturday

McMINNVILLE, Ore., Jan. 8.—(Special)—Linfield college will open the intercollegiate basketball season with a game on the home floor Saturday night against Albany college. The local college team lost the only other preliminary game this season, 30-28, to the Salem Industrial quintet last month.

## Gaston Hoopers Lead Own League Yamhill County

McMINNVILLE, Ore., Jan. 8.—(Special)—The Gaston basketball team is continuing its fight to win the championship in the Yamhill county class B league, and with its recent victory over Sheridan, 56-21, leads the league with nine games won and no defeats. Amity ranks second in the league with two wins and one loss. In the girls' league, Carlton and Dayton are tied with three wins and no losses each.

Standings in the boys' league are:  
Won lost Pct.  
Gaston ..... 9 0 1.000  
Amity ..... 2 1 .667  
Yamhill ..... 4 3 .571  
Williamina ..... 4 5 .445  
Dayton ..... 2 3 .333  
Dundee ..... 2 6 .250  
Carlton ..... 1 3 .250  
Sheridan ..... 0 3 .000

## Scio Cagers Are Winners 2 Times

The Scio girls' and boys' basketball teams were victorious in their double header at Shedd. The girls' score being 39-21, and the boys' score being 17-10. They will go to Astoria next Friday to play a double header.

**QUAIL KILLED**  
PENDLETON, Ore., Jan. 8.—(AP)—A valley quail was found by a game warden in a thorn bush where it had hung itself on a thorn and died unable to release itself. One of the long thorns pierced its thigh.

## CHAMPION



Charles Avedon, of Cedarhurst, L. I., a member of the Yale tennis team, is one of the leading contenders in the junior indoor tennis championships at the Seventh Regiment Armory, New York City.

## BALLYHOO STARTS FOR COMING NIGHT

By EDWARD J. NEIL, Associated Press Sports Writer NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—(AP)—The signatures of Jack Sharkey, the Boston sailorman and Phil Scott, the tottering tower of London, were attached today by their managers to a fight contract calling for a 15-round bout at Miami, Fla., February 27.

Thus the ballyhoo for the second annual battle under the palms entered the second stage. After much dickering, searching for suitable opponents, speech making by the principals, an agreement for Scott's services was rendered last night between Madison Square Garden officials, and the British heavyweight's American representative, Jimmy Johnson. It was announced at the official signing today that the gladiators will share fifty per cent of the net proceeds. Scott will receive but 20 per cent if the gate falls below \$200,000.

## DEMPSEY MAY TAKE PLACE IN RING AGAIN

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 8.—(AP)—Jack Dempsey thinks little of the present crop of heavyweights, and "may have a pot shot at one or two of them yet."

Here to referee a welterweight bout tonight between Farmer Joe Cooper and Ted Goodrich, the old Manassa mauler brushed aside a question of whether he would return to the ring.

"Anything might materialize," he said. "If these birds don't get to mixing up a little more lively, why I may have a pot shot at one or two of them yet."

Dempsey thinks the boys are "ducking the issue."

"A champion should meet and beat them all or he should not be champion," he said. "The heavyweights are spotting their matches instead of slamming their way through the division."

## SPEARS MAY BE HIRED, OREGON

EUGENE, Ore., Jan. 8.—(AP)—Dr. Clarence W. Spears, football coach at the University of Minnesota, was in Eugene Sunday and Monday and conferred with athletic officials of the University of Oregon, it was learned today.

As a result of the conference the figure of Dr. Spears looms largely upon the football horizon as new coach of the university football team to succeed Captain John J. McEwan, resigned.

Observers here assert the announcement of Dr. Spears' engagement to coach football here will be made immediately following a salary settlement with Captain McEwan. The salary settlement was still hanging fire tonight.

Neither Virgil D. Earl, director of athletics, nor Jack W. Benefield, graduate manager, would confirm or deny the report that Dr. Spears will be selected. Spears today was reported to be enroute to his home at Minneapolis.

## Phelan Plans to Get Busy Whipping Huskies in Shape

By FRANK G. GORRIE, Associated Press Sports Writer SEATTLE, Jan. 8.—(AP)—James Merwin Phelan will waste no time establishing his new famous football system at the University of Washington. The young grid master who led the Purdue boiler-makers to their first big ten championship in 34 years last fall, glided down out of a cold brilliant sky in a Boeing mail and passenger airplane this afternoon to take over the dangling reins at Washington. The university band and a large group of students greeted their new football mentor when he landed on the snow covered Sand Point aviation field near the Washington campus.

## GREAT SHIRES IS VINDICATED

Talkative Fighter is Given Clean Bill by Athletic Commission

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—(AP)—Charles Arthur Shires, the great man, won another battle today—one of complete vindication. The Illinois State Athletic commission completely exonerated the b a b l i n g baseball-puglist of charges of engaging in a "fixed" fight with dangerous Dan Daly at the White City arena December 9, in which Shires knocked out his opponent in his first professional contest, in 22 seconds.

Daly, who claimed he took a "dive" for Shires, was suspended for life in Illinois, for making false affidavits to the commission in regard to his name, age, and various contests in which he appeared. The commission expressed the belief that Daly's statement to a Columbus, Ohio, newspaper, that he had been compelled to lay down to Shires, were as false as his statements to the Illinois commission, as to his name and age.

## Illahee Country Club Holds Meet

The annual meeting of the Illahee country club will be held in the committee rooms of the Salem chamber of commerce Wednesday, January 15, at 8 o'clock. Election of officers for the coming year will be held and such other business as may come before the group will be considered. F. C. Cone is secretary of the club.

## Yamhill Hoopers Win Over Amity

AMITY, Jan. 8.—(Special)—The Amity high school boys' basketball team was defeated 25 to 19 by Yamhill high on the Yamhill floor Tuesday night, and the Amity high girls' team lost to Yamhill 21 to 9 in a preliminary game.

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