

SALEM DROPS HOOP GAME TO EUGENE 32 TO 25

Webfoots Win From Oregon State College Quintet by 37 to 29 Score

FREE THROWS HELD REASON

Inability of Locals to Convert Costs Game; Field Goals Are Even

Failure to convert free throws was totally responsible for the defeat of Salem high school's basketball team Saturday night, 32 to 25, by the purple and white of Eugene.

The seven point margin of difference in scores was exactly the difference in free throw points, the field goals being even, 12 for each team.

Salem's floor game and checking was superior to Eugene's, but the visitors boasted a pair of crack shots able to sink the ball from anywhere in scoring distance, in Houghton and Berg.

Eugene started with a rush, scoring at the opening of the game on a play from center and running its lead up to 9-3 in a few minutes.

Salem Team Stages Strong Comeback
Kitchen, Graber and Sanford of the red and black quintet then started looping them with equal rapidity and Eugene had a margin of only one point when the quarter ended.

A few seconds after the second period opened Bone shot the basket which put Salem ahead, where it stayed the remainder of the quarter, leading 19 to 13 at half time.

The visitors speeded up again after the between-halves rest and two long shots put them ahead, 23 to 21, and their margin grew wider from that time on. At the three-quarter mark they were leading 26 to 23, and Salem was held to only one basket in the fourth period.

Locals Weakened by Loss of Two Men
Inability of Graber to play the whole game because of his recent injuries, and the retirement of Sachtler on personals, contributed to weaken the Salem team.

Bradway, Eugene center, towered over both Graber and West, and his advantage on the tipoff was a big factor in the visitors' effectiveness.

Summary:

Salem (25)	FG	FT	PF
Kitchen, F	4	0	1
Bone, F	2	0	1
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Graber, G	2	1	0
Sanford, G	4	0	0
Sachtler, G	0	0	4
Foreman, S	0	0	0
West, S	0	0	3
Totals	12	1	12

Eugene (32)	FG	FT	PF
Houghton, F	3	4	2
Berg, F	4	0	0
Bradway, C	2	4	0
Jeffries, G	2	0	1
McClain, G	0	0	0
Green, S	1	0	1
Totals	12	8	7

Referee, Sparks.

FRANK HUNTER WINS ONE SIDED NET TILT

NEW YORK, Feb. 1—(AP)—Frank Hunter came back to the tennis courts today after four months rest to score a one sided victory in the opening round of the national indoor tennis championship.

The 35-year old New Rochelle, N. Y., newspaper publisher who is heavily favored today, won the title, steam rolled E. W. Black, erratic New York youth, at 6-0, 6-2, in a match that lasted less than 45 minutes.

Although seven pounds over his best playing weight of 178, Hunter, who is ranked second only to Bill Tilden among the country's players, carried far too many guns for his young opponent, and the affair was little more than a workout.

A gallery of about 300 saw all of the leading favorites survive the opening matches of this 31st annual indoor event in the Seventh Regiment armory.

Lintfield Cagers Getting Ready For C. P. S. Tilt

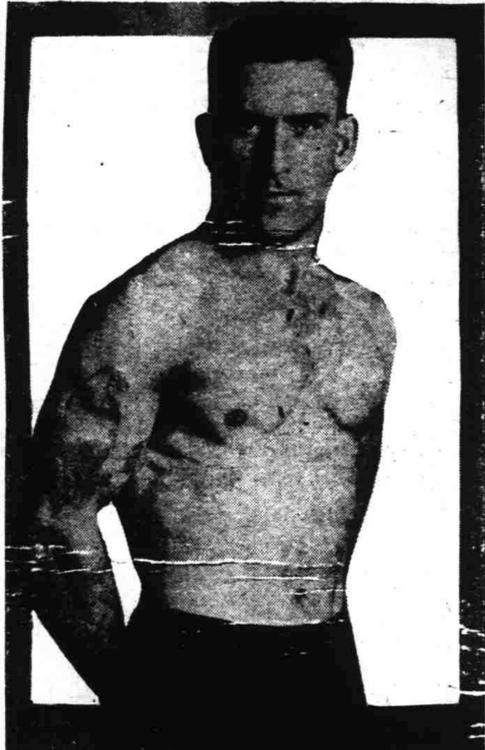
McMINNVILLE, Ore., Feb. 1.—(Special)—The Lintfield college basketball squad is putting in some hard days of final practice for the game with the College of Puget Sound at Tacoma Friday night. Coach Henry Sliak and his men will leave for the north Thursday morning, he has announced.

In preparation for the Tacoma game, Coach Sliak has been trying out numerous changes on his team. A more effective offense than the one which functioned against Willamette last week is his aim. The game with the College of Puget Sound will be the fourth conference game for Lintfield this season and the third for the Loggers.

A return game will be played here February 15.

CARDS ELIMINATED
STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Feb. 1—(AP)—In a contest marked by fierce and close guarding, the University of California at Los Angeles cagers tonight removed Stanford's quietest from the Pacific coast titular running by handing up a 30 to 15 victory.

He'll Wrestle Anderson



Tommy Ryan of Medford, who will be Des Anderson's opponent in the armory wrestling card Wednesday night. Ryan has met Wildcat Pete and all the rest of the mat bruisers, and has always given a good account of himself.

CURT COMMENTS BY CURTIS

HELP! DROPPED TWO!
Guessing average .636; 14 right and eight wrong.
Inability to shoot free throws has reached the status of a mental hazard with the Salem high hoopers; but a basket throwing expert tells us the trouble is they let go of the ball with the palms of their hands instead of their fingers. Here's hoping it's a helpful tip.
As time goes on our mail is increasing and we are unable to answer every now and then to "see ourselves as others see us." The following from the pen of R. L. Garvey, local fight fan:

"In the Morning Statesman of Jan. 30 you see to have taken a very independent and evidently somewhat local boys be damned view of the recent fight card that was put on by the local matchmaker, Harry Plant.

"To an outsider you would create the impression that the card as a whole was a genuine flop.

"It was the best card that we have had here for some time and only goes to show that we do not have to go to Portland or Eastern Oregon for boys that will put on a good show.

"The first bout between Kid Summers and William Dodge you titled 'unimpressive.' Just what you meant by that nobody seems to know. The boys mixed things from start to finish and although the decision might have been different, it was a good show nevertheless.

"The next bout you passed over quickly. They were both out of town boys, and probably you did not want to hurt their feelings.

"The next bout between Salem Kid Ambrose and Bernard Kuhn you titled 'slow, slow with much stalling and posing.' Although it was not as fast as it might have been it was good. The boys stood toe to toe five times and slugged it out. It was a grudge fight and neither was taking a chance. Kuhn evidently had orders to stay away from Ambrose and he did it very nicely.

"It is just such a write up as you gave these boys that will kill the fight game in Salem.

"The next bout speaks for itself. Just saw Jackie Woods and Jackie Kileen and the story is told.

"The main event was a good fight and far better than you give it credit for.

"Every boy on the card put up

STRIKES and SPARES

The Man's Shop and McKay Chevrolet bowling teams will go to Portland today to roll in the one day tournament staged there, with teams from all over the northwest entered. The local boys expect to bring back some of the money.

The City league has started the second half of the season with a few changes in the personnel. Some of the teams were deliberately weakened and others strengthened.

The Commercial league wound up the first half Tuesday night and it was a grand finish. Three

OREGON LEADS MOST OF WAY

Record Crowd Sees Orangenmen Defeated in Fast Hoop Contest

EUGENE, Ore., Feb. 1.—(AP)—The University of Oregon defeated Oregon State college 37 to 29 in a Pacific coast conference basketball game here tonight, the contest was the first of a three game series between the two Oregon institutions. They meet again next Friday at Corvallis and here next Saturday.

The game, watched by the largest crowd of the season, was the most spectacular "homecoming" basketball contest of many seasons. Oregon took the lead on the opening play and after losing it in the first few minutes of the game, forged ahead to a permanent advantage. The score at half time was 23 to 13 for the Webfoots.

Three players, Buck Grayson of the Orangenmen and Cliff Horner and Jean Eberhart of the Webfoots, went out on fouls. Several other players were on the verge of disqualification at the finish.

The lineup and summary:

Oregon State (29)	G	F	PF
Ballard, F	1	1	2
Callahan, F	1	0	3
Torson, F	3	3	2
Merrill, F	1	0	1
Whitlock, C	0	0	0
Lysman, C	2	2	2
Grayson, G	2	2	2
Fagans, G	0	0	1
Duffy, G	0	1	1
Totals	10	9	16

Oregon (37)	G	F	PF
Keenan, F	3	4	1
Levoff, F	3	2	2
Eberhart, C	3	1	2
Horner, G	0	1	4
Olinger, G	1	0	0
Stevens, G	1	1	1
Totals	14	9	12

Referee: Al French, Portland.

O. S. C. Grid Starts on Workouts

CORVALLIS, Ore., Feb. 1.—(AP)—With the snow scarcely melted from Bell Field, Coach Paul J. Schissler of Oregon State college today started spring football training under cover of the college campus armory.

Between 75 and 80 men reported for practice and put in a busy afternoon on fundamentals under the direction of Schissler and his two assistants, Lon Steiner and Jim Dixon.

To guard against the possibility of monotony, however, Schissler warned his men against considering practice a business instead of a sport. He emphasized his idea by rounding out the afternoon with actual light scrimmages.

Practically all this year's varsity men not graduating were out besides a horde of rooks who hope to break into the limelight next year.

Nine regulars are lost to the squad from last year, four from the line and five from the backfield. These are Striff, end; Stout, tackle; Scott, tackle; Geddes, center; Owen and Metten, halves; Gilmore and Esman, full, and Montgomery, quarter. Though a number of these were of all coast caliber, Schissler evidently believes he has strong replacements, for he has expressed the belief that next year's team will be stronger than last.

HAWAIIAN MENTOR IS SEEKING GAMES

MEDFORD, Ore., Feb. 1.—(AP)—Otto Klum, football coach of the University of Hawaii, is visiting here enroute to Seattle, where he had he hopes to obtain a game with the University of Washington for 1931 or 1932. Washington is the only Pacific coast team which has never visited

the theme song "He's Mean to Me" when he copped high game last night. Was it right to treat a brother Elk that way, Doc?

George Nelson has found his stride at last, as his 176 average proves.

The Day and Niles girls certainly looked nifty in their new silk shirts. And they did 'em proud the first night they wore 'em.

Doug McKay has both of his teams all stocked with new sweaters. Both teams came through in great style the first half, and it's probable that the Cubs will issue the big challenge to their brother City leaguers soon.

Many women are taking advantage of the free bowling every afternoon.

There is room for more new bowlers in the new leagues now being formed. Let the house know of your desire to get into the game.

Page Herman Brown every Wednesday night. Cooley every big big hook ball.

Doa Hussey made Yan Weider

IOWA NOW BACK IN CONFERENCE

Big Ten Moguls Order Reinstatement of University Teams

By PAUL R. NICHOLSON Associated Press Staff Writer
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MONTANA HOOPERS CRUSH IDAHO TEAM

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MOSCOW, Idaho, Feb. 1.—(AP)—The University of Idaho, 25 to 17 in a non-conference game here tonight, Montana led at half time 18 to 5.

Idaho's second string was slow starting, and maintained the pace through out. Coach Rich Fox used ten men in each half, while the Mounties, a sweet playing aggregation, played throughout with the starting lineup.

In the second half Montana quickly ran the score up to 22 to 13, but a rapid fire change of lineup by Idaho stopped the parade, and the Vandals moved forward for the three minutes before the grisly avalanche fell again.

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STOVER IS YET LEADING RACE

Idaho Dog Team Ends Second Lap Ahead of Remainder of Field

TAHOE, Calif., Feb. 1.—(AP)—Roy Stover of Ashton, Idaho, retained his lead today at the end of the second lap of the annual Tahoe Sierra 90-mile dog derby. Driving for the Sacramento chamber of commerce, Stover pushed his dogs over the 30-mile stretch between here and Truckee and returned to post a total elapsed time of five hours and 55 seconds.

Stover was followed closely by Delbert Groom, 17-year-old Righ, Idaho, youth, who came in with a two-lap time of five hours, ten minutes and 38 seconds.

Mrs. Thula Geelan of McCall, Idaho, only woman entrant in the race, was unable to keep up with the grueling pace today and dropped from third place to a position far down in the ranks. She was replaced in third place by Earl Kimball, of Cascade, Idaho, driving for Reno, Nev., who turned in an elapsed time of five hours, 20 minutes and 28 seconds for the 60 miles traveled to date.

Golden Letter Is Given Siegmund

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Feb. 1.—(Special)—Ed Siegmund, of Salem, well known for his athletic achievements, was awarded the "golden O" coveted award for athletic achievement, between the halves of the return game with Oregon State next week.

Ed Siegmund is a prominent track star. He is a junior in business administration and is affiliated with Beta Theta Pi.

POLLOCK CHAMPION

Jack Pollock was the winner of the cadet billiard tournament at the Y. M. C. A., defeating Robert Rullison 21 to 14.

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