

# Salem High Hands Astorians First Defeat in Two Years

## RED AND BLACK WINS 34 TO 23

Score Tied in Third Period Then Local Lads Start Rally for Victory

ASTORIA, Jan. 20.—(Special)—Salem high defeated Astoria high 34 to 23 here tonight, handing the locals their first defeat in two years.

The game was one of the most exciting played on the local floor in a long while. Close checking featured the entire game and at half time the score stood 13 to 8 in favor of Salem. On account of the frenzied guarding shown by both sides, no time was allowed to set for shots.

The Fishermen rallied in the second half and at a whirlwind pace crept up on the red and black until the score was tied at one time during the third quarter.

Set Terrific Pace For Final Period  
Time out was called and the Salem boys put their heads together and determined to give all they had. Such a terrific pace was set that the Astoria hoopsters were unable to follow the fast movements of the ball. With Kitchin playing a beautiful passing game and whipping the ball to his team mates in a deceptive manner, the red and black gained a 12 point lead. Superior ball handling enabled Salem to hold the ball until openings came to score.

Kitchen led his team mates in scoring, getting nine points. The others also came in for their share in the scoring, with all helping to boost the total. After the 12 point lead had been gained it was maintained until the end of the game.

Tuesday night Salem high will meet the Sellwood Colts on the Salem high floor. Salem beat the Colts early in the season in a hectic game played at Portland, the score being 13 to 12. The Colts have not lost a game to any independent team in Portland as yet and have been defeated by some of the Portland high school teams only by narrow margins.

Hold Portland's Best Teams  
Washington high defeated the Colts twice, each time by a two point margin. Benson Polytechnic was barely able to squeeze a win from the Colts by a three point lead. Benson defeated the Oregon Frosh by two points. The Colts recently defeated the Pacific freshmen.

Applegate of the Colts will be remembered as one of the outstanding players on the Commerce high team last season. The men who will come to Salem are Myer, Hurby, Kenneth, Green, Welchmann, Applegate, Sali and Calarneau.

A double treat has been prepared for Salem fans Tuesday night as the Anderson's Y team will meet Kitzmiller's All Stars of Eugene on the same bill. The "Y" team has defeated Pacific University and Friday night defeated the Monmouth Normal on the latter's floor. The "Y" team is still undefeated. Kitzmiller has aggregated a real all-star lineup and is himself no slouch on the basketball court.

## Frosh Beat Rooks 30-13

EUGENE, Ore., Jan. 20.—(AP)—The University of Oregon freshmen completely outplayed the Oregon State college Rooks to take the first of a four-game basketball series here tonight, 30 to 13.

The Rooks showed flashes of ability in the first two minutes of play but after that they had nothing to offer.

Except for Carl Lenchitzky, Rook center, who played well, the Rooks were not up to standard and their "percentage" style of basketball proved of little value once they were behind.

Joe Lillard, center, and Jim Waitz, forward, were the stars for Oregon. Lillard's remarkable ability to pull the ball off the backboard and to get the tip-off, made him the outstanding man on the floor.

## Jackie Kid Berg Defeats Perlick In Vicious Bout

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Some of the coarser ingredients of an old fashioned back alley fight crept into the battle pit tonight to amaze and delight 3,800 customers who came to see Jackie Kid Berg, the turgid Hebrew, hammer out a routine victory over Herman Perlick, varsity member of a pair of fighting twins from Valparaiso.

Berg, fresh from a vacation at home in England, won the decision as decisively as had been expected, but not until the crowd had enjoyed their first chance in months to hiss and growl, laugh and boo, and finally rock the place with cheers as mad as anything the Garden ever heard.

BADGERS WIN  
FOREST GROVE, Ore., Jan. 20.—(AP)—Pacific University defeated Albany college, 35 to 26, in a basketball game here tonight.

## Conference Hoop Season In Salem Opens Tonight With Linfield the Visitor



Along with the passage of a bill in the senate yesterday increasing the salary of Crook county's treasurer, it was disclosed that the official was receiving only a thousand dollars a year. If that county got its name the way one might suspect, the treasurer certainly ought to get more pay.

Truth is, of course, that Crook county was named after the Crooked river, and as the small boy said about the hog, any fool would know what to call that. But Crook county used to be the place where there were more six shooters to the square yard than anywhere else in Oregon, and we don't know if they were crooks or not but we've seen the place where people were hung from a bridge, right downtown in Prineville. Nowadays they turn out fine football players and track men at Prineville, indicating that civilization will triumph even in the face of adversity.

Last year about this time we were waxing sarcastic and indignant by turns over the ineffective work of certain basketball officials. The season isn't over yet and maybe our resolution will weaken. But to date we haven't said a word and so far as we have observed, things are going pretty well.

Fact is, every basketball official makes lots of mistakes and the hard part is that the spectators know it because they can see what goes on better than the official. All you can reasonably ask is that he be reasonably alert with good coordination between eye and whistle (which is really a difficult art) and above all, that he have easy and smooth command of the situation.

Among other things which we can now say with pride, it's no longer possible for outside teams to say truthfully, "you can't get a square deal on Salem high's floor."

## Y Team Wins Over Normal In Overtime

The Anderson "Y" team met its toughest opponent of the season Friday night and emerged from the game still undefeated when the Monmouth Normal team was defeated 41 to 38 in a game played on the Monmouth floor and requiring one overtime period.

This is only the fifth time in three years that the Normal school team has been defeated on the Monmouth floor. The game was close throughout, with the score tied 18 to 18 at half time and again 36 to 36 at the end of the game.

Flake scored first in the overtime period and then Steelhammer tied the score again with a field goal for the teachers. Kleinke then got two free throws and converted both of them. In the last few seconds of the overtime period Flake had to leave the game on fouls and with Benjamin already out, four men were forced to finish the game and employed a "stall" successfully.

Salem Y (41) (38) Monmouth Nash 6.....F..... 9 Marr Benjamin 11.....F..... 5 Holt Blake 12.....C..... 4 Ayurs Ward 3.....G..... 2 Watkins Ashby 7.....G..... 3 Edwards Klein 2.....S 2 Engebretson S 11 St'hamm'

## SAVINGS DEPOSITS SET STATE RECORD

Time and savings deposits held in the banks of Oregon at the close of business December 31, 1930, aggregated \$128,311,117.91, and were the highest in the history of the state at any bank call, according to a statement issued here Thursday by A. A. Schramm, state superintendent of banks.

The figures disclose an increase in excess of \$2,250,000 since the last previous call on September 24, and an increase compared with a year ago of approximately \$2,500,000.

Deposits subject to check on December 31, 1930, totalled \$150,608,296.57, indicating a decrease since September of approximately \$14,600,000, although the decrease since March 27, 1930, is only \$2,500,000. The aggregate deposits of both time and savings and subject to check show a decrease of only \$160,000 for the entire state, as compared with March 27, 1930.

Willamette university will play its first home conference game here tonight when the Bearcats and the Linfield Wildcats cross clubs.

Although Willamette defeated Linfield at the start of the conference season, the Wildcats showed that they had a good team and may stage a comeback. Coach Lewis is directing the Linfield team for his first season and has now had time to get the men broken in on a new style of offense which has been employed successfully by other teams coached by Lewis.

Eight lettermen and several promising freshmen in the material which Linfield has had to work on and a strong team has been moulded. Last season the Wildcats tied with Whitman for second place in the conference and are regarded as a dangerous opponent this season.

The Bearcats now appear to be in much better condition than at the start of the season and are prepared to meet the onslaught of the Linfield team. Cardinal, Scales and Adams are still working on the fast break and scoring combination and have a bewildering style of play. Scales played good ball last Saturday against the B'nai B'rith team and against the Vancouver Barracks team. In the Barracks game he scored 17 points in one half and in both games he displayed good floor work and looked good on defense.

The guards are looking good on "Spec's" team also and Carpenter looks like a forward at times with his smooth pivots and accurate shooting. Peterson is playing a good game at guard and passes the ball well. Gibson is also going good and has improved a great deal over last season both in guarding and in scoring ability.

The reserves at Willamette look strong and can be run in to good advantage at any time to rest the varsity.

In the preliminary game the Willamette freshmen will play the Linfield babes. The Bearkittens were successful in defeating the Linfield first year men when the two teams met in Linfield this season. For three years the Willamette frosh teams have not been beaten by the Linfield frosh.

## Dallas Will Tackle W. U. Frosh Today

DALLAS, Jan. 20.—The Dallas high basketball quintet will try its luck against the Willamette freshmen Saturday afternoon in Salem. This will be the first game the boys have played against any but high school teams.

The Dallas boys acted like a real team for a while against Rickreall but they failed to score at all in the third quarter and two minutes of the fourth quarter were gone before Dallas managed to push through a field goal.

So far Dallas has won only five games out of fourteen played. Dallas plays its first county league game next Friday against Cheney. Dallas only plays four county league games before the tournament. Two of these are with Independence and two against Monmouth.

## Denny Shute is Still Leading In Texas Open

BRACKENRIDGE PARK, San Antonio, Tex., Jan. 20.—(AP)—Dennis Shute, 26-year-old young Columbus, Ohio, professional, who won first prize of \$1,500 in last year's Texas open tournament, evidently has come back to claim his own.

Starting in just where he left off a year ago, Shute toured a wet course today in 66, five under par, to lead his closest rival by two strokes in the opening round of the 1931 event. Although he had not participated in any previous money meets this winter, the defending champion was in rare form. He knocked in five birdies and 13 pars and not once was in danger of going over perfect figures, despite the slow condition of the fairways and greens.

ASHLAND WINNER  
ASHLAND, Ore., Jan. 20.—(AP)—The Southern Oregon Normal school basketball team defeated the Humboldt State college five here tonight, 31 to 13. The normal second team won from the Humboldt seconds, 23 to 13.

## FAGANS TO BE O. S. CENTER

Will Start Tonight's Game in Pivotal Position Instead of Lewis

CORVALLIS, Ore., Jan. 20.—(AP)—Coach Stutz Gill will start Ken Fagans instead of Lewis at center in the first Oregon State-Oregon university basketball game of the season here Saturday night, he said today.

Fagans' arm is in condition for him to play in the position he filled so capably against Washington last Tuesday, while Lewis will be used only in case of an emergency, Gill said.

Rod Ballard is still on the doubtful list and may be replaced by Thomas in the starting lineup. Other players will be Lyman, forward; Grayson and Merrill, guards.

## CHEMAWA DEFEATS SILVERTON 26 TO 16

SILVERTON, Jan. 20.—The Chemawa Indian school basketball team demonstrated its speed on the local floor tonight and defeated the Silverton high quintet 26 to 16. The Indians proved adept both at long shots and at breaking in under the basket.

Silverton made it a close battle throughout the first half but was behind 14 to 0 at its close, and Chemawa forged ahead even faster in the second half.

Green was Silverton's outstanding player in this game and scored six points. Vivette led the visitors in scoring with 14 points.

Silverton's B team defeated Chemawa's B squad 14 to 13 in a game which was more interesting than the main contest because it was more evenly played.

## METHODISTS BEAT CALVARY BAPTIST

The First Methodist basketball team defeated Calvary Baptist 21 to 16 in the nearest thing to a close game on Friday night's Independence league schedule. First Baptist won from Christian 41 to 13 and Fruitland defeated Hayesville 36 to 10.

Summary: Fruitland Watanabe.....F..... 5 H. Morgan A. Sugal 4.....F..... 17 Ferguson Stone 2.....C..... 3 J. Johnston D. Sugal 4.....G..... 8 W. Johnston G. Sugal 4.....G..... 8 K. Morgan Ogru.....S..... 4 Fagg Referee, Gribble.

Christian First Baptist Byron Cooley 5 F..... 4 Wright Bruce Cooley.....F..... 8 Parker Baxter 4.....C..... 17 D. Morley Berger 4.....G..... 4 King Ray.....G..... 6 Cross S..... S..... Sisco S..... 2 Otjen Referee, Hendrie.

First M. E. Calvary Carlin 8.....F..... M. Graber DeHarpert 5.....F..... 6 White Waddell 4.....C..... 9 R. Graber Hardy 4.....G..... 1 K. Graber Blatchford.....G..... Pickens Referee, Gribble.



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## Parrish Wins From Scotts Mills Quintet

Coach Brown's Parrish casabators swamped Scotts Mills Friday night winning 24 to 11 in a game played at Scotts Mills.

First handling of the ball and good shooting enabled the Parrish team to run up a large score. Brown's men gained an early lead and widened it continually during the game. Parrish was on during the first half and scored 13 points in that period. His total for the game was 18 points. DeJardin played a good game at

center and scored eight points. Mills and Hobbs guarded well and Mills broke through twice and scored field goals. Meyers of Scotts Mills scored four points for his team. Brown used five subs in the game.

Lineup: Parrish DeJardin, 1.....F..... 4, Meyers Ferrine, 16.....F..... 1, Haskins DeJardin, 8.....C..... 3, Williams Ellis, 6.....G..... 2, McKellop Hobbs.....G..... 1, Jones Referee, Balne.

GONZAGA BEATEN  
SEATTLE, Jan. 20.—(AP)—The University of Washington Huskies defeated Gonzaga university 33 to 25 here tonight in their last non-conference basketball game of the season.

## STEINBOCK-BLANEY WINDUP IS TONIGHT

When Salem's "Sammy" Steinbock and J. W. Blaney of Eugene, class A bowlers, topple their last set-ups tonight at Corvallis, and the pin totals are counted, Willamette valley tennis fans will know who's who in maple alley circles. This match will be the last 10 of a series of 50 games in which the Eugene and Salem stars have been tussling for valley honors and \$500 stakes.

The finals of this much-watched bowling "bout" are scheduled to start at 8 o'clock sharp.

The next to the last round, played at Albany last Saturday, resulted in Steinbock's adding \$5 pins more to bring his total to 338 up on Blaney. He has been steadily increasing his lead until now it is generally held to be well nigh impossible for J. W. to come out ahead. To do it he would have to bowl an average of over 210 pins per game for the 10 games. Averages in the first 40 games are: Steinbock, 135.37; Blaney, 174.85.

BEARS DEFEATED  
LOS ANGELES, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Staging a terrific rally to no avail in the last five minutes of play, the University of California five went down to a 23 to 25 defeat here tonight to the Southern California basketball team.

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