

Excess of Fouls Costs Willamette Second Game to DeNeffe's

BEARCATS LOSE SECOND GAME

Eugene Independents win Again, 29-19 on Willamette's Floor

Failing to maintain during the second half the speed which marked the early part of the game, the Willamette Bearcats lost their second game to the DeNeffe's, independent team of Eugene last night on the Willamette floor. History repeated itself and the DeNeffe's won on shots from the foul line. Had the converted foul shots of both teams been deleted from the final score of 29 to 19 the game would have been a tie, 18 to 18.

It wasn't altogether a matter of inability to shoot but inability to refrain from fouling which lost the game for the Bearcats. Eugene's starting lineup took the lead and maintained it for the first few minutes of play and managed to hold the Eugene boys to a tie during the first quarter. Slight changes during the second period did not materially affect the Bearcats' game and the visitors held only a one point margin over them at the half.

While the DeNeffe's were scoring six points during the third quarter another Willamette combination was struggling to keep track of the ball and failed to score a single basket. A rally during the final quarter gave the Bearcats four points but the removal of Scales and Allen on fouls finished that.

Benjamin who was taken out of Friday night's game with an injured eye was back in the game and, save for a strip of adhesive plaster which he had the coach remove early in the evening, was apparently as good as ever.

DeNeffe's (29)	RG	FT	PF
H. Eberhart, F.	1	0	0
Holden, F.	0	2	1
J. Eberhart, C.	1	2	2
Milligan, G.	3	5	0
Horne, G.	3	1	1
Siegmund, S.	1	0	0
Kjosness, S.	0	1	0
Totals	9	11	6

Willamette (19)	RG	FT	PF
Benjamin, F.	0	0	1
Griffith, F.	0	1	1
Kloostr, C.	4	0	2
Scales, G.	1	0	3
Allen, G.	0	0	4
Kitchen, S.	3	0	2
Rieke, S.	0	0	1
Faber, S.	1	0	0
Hartley, S.	0	1	1
Carpenter, S.	0	0	1
Totals	9	1	16

Referee: Bashor.

Molalla Team Fails to Click At Silverton

SILVERTON, Jan. 2—A large crowd witnessed Silverton high school basketball team completely rout the Molalla high five 20 to 7 here tonight.

Both teams were off considerably on their shooting, but Kolin found the bucket for 13 points, leading the Silverton offense. The guarding was good in the game, but both sides lacked scoring power.

In a preliminary contest the Molalla high second team won from the Silverton high second team 9 to 8.

Silverton	Molalla
Green 2.....F.....1	Lesler
Kolin 13.....F.....2	Davis
Pettyjohn 4.....C.....2	Matson
Scott 1.....G.....0	Larson
Stayner.....G.....2	Cordill
Marshall.....S.....2	Marson
Jenkins.....S.....0	

Referee, Howard Maple.

Idaho Lead Big Over Montana

MOSCOW, Idaho, Jan. 2—(AP)—The University of Idaho basketball team converted from all parts of the court to defeat the University of Montana quintet, 49 to 22, in a non-conference game here tonight. The score at half time was 17 to 10 for Idaho.

The Idahoans played defensive ball until they solved Montana's quick breaking attack, and then went out to win. Grenier, Idaho center, was high scorer, with 17 points, and Lyman, center, led for Montana.

Valley Officials Meet on Rules

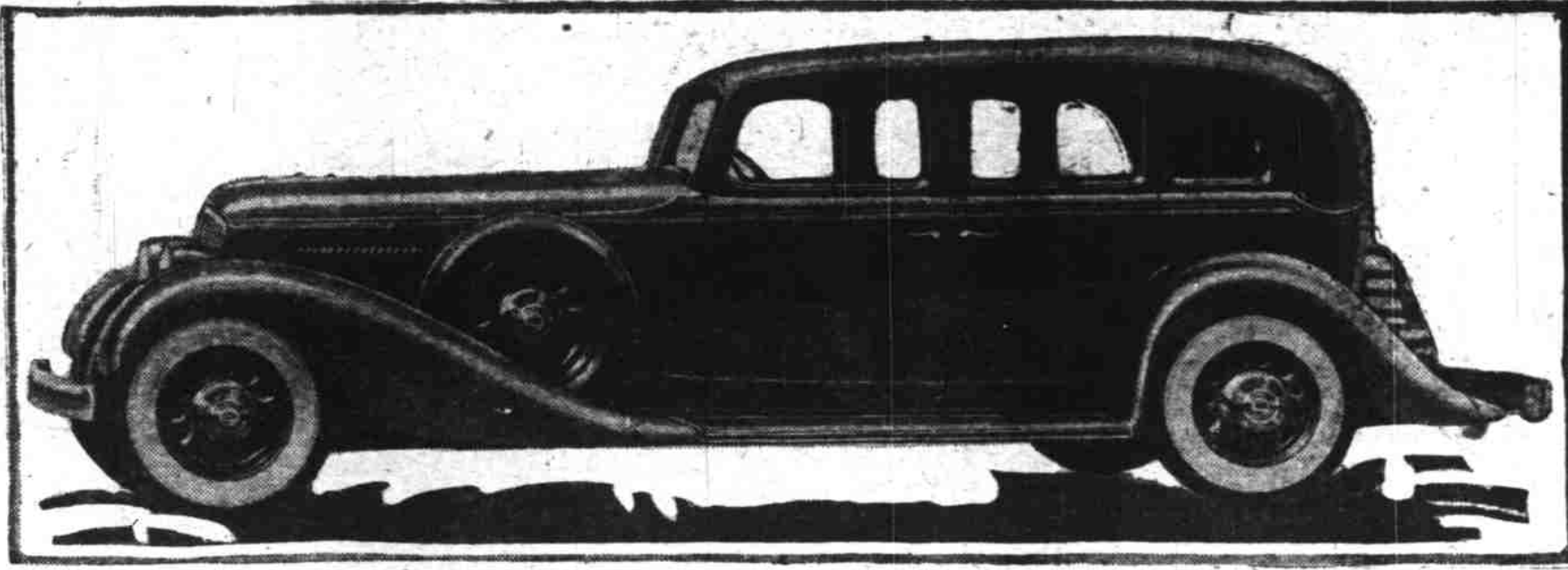
The Upper Willamette Valley officials will meet at the Willamette university gymnasium Monday night at 7:30 at which time the questionaire on basketball rules will be given.

Railroad Gets Overhead Permit

An order was issued by the public utilities commission here today giving authority to the Great Northern Railway company to construct and operate a revised mail line overhead crossing, above and across the Dalles-California highway in Deschutes county.

Fifty per cent of the cost will be borne by the railroad company and the remainder by the state highway commission.

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CALL SPORTSMEN TO HEAR OF PLAN

Game Protective Association Will Discuss Conservation of Wild Life

Sportsmen and others interested in wild life conservation in Oregon will assemble in joint session with the representatives of the Oregon State Game commission at Salem in chamber of commerce rooms Wednesday, January 6, to consider definite plans for 1932, the first year under "the 10 year wild life program," meeting at 7:30 p. m.

"The Marion County Game Protective Association has been active for years in the development of the wild life assets of this section and we want this open meeting to result in a general agreement on specific development projects for the coming year," declared Chris J. Kowitz, secretary of the association, in issuing a public invitation, to all interested, to attend the meeting. "Marion, Polk and Yamhill counties have tremendous wild life resources and we wish to assist the game commissioners in the adoption of a definite development program for this and subsequent years."

Those expected to be present representing the commission, are Marshall N. Dana, chairman of the commission, Portland commissioners, M. P. Corrigan, McMinnville and Dr. Irving E. Vining, Ashland, with possibility that Dr. J. C. Vandeventer, of Bend, may attend; H. L. Kelly, state game supervisor, Art N. Flash, research director, Matt L. Ryckman, superintendent of hatcheries, Gene M. Simpson, superintendent of game farms, Chester E. McCarty, assistant attorney general and counsel for the commission, Ernest L. Crockett, educational director and Capt. Charles H. McClees, in charge of the game division of the state police.

ARMOUR RECOVERS FROM BAD START

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 2—(AP)—Tommy Armour of Detroit recovered from a bad start today to increase his lead in the \$2,500 Miami open golf tournament with a stellar 68-71-139 for the 36 holes halfway distance.

Wild Bill Hehlhorn of New York, who captured first money in the 1930 \$15,000 La Gorce open tournament, was the only man who could come near the British open champion as today's play ended. He scored a 73 for the day, repeating an earlier score to count 146, seven strokes behind Armour.

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With the return of students from Christmas vacations tomorrow, the basketball season really starts; and from now until the middle of February is the time when many a basketball player goes down in history. Some of them also go down in mathematics, science and the languages.

The East beat the West—but we wonder if the East could have beaten the Trojans.

Relative to systems in contract bridge, the boss said in an editorial the other day that systems had spoiled football and basketball and probably would spoil bridge too. We don't see just how systems could have spoiled football, since there have always been systems in that game and it seems to thrive; but systems have hurt basketball from the spectators' standpoint and the trend of the systems this year is making it still worse.

Yes, basketball has come to the point where it resembles a boxing match between two of those ultra-boxers who don't believe in hitting because in so doing they might leave an opening. One's scared and the other dassent.

"Percentage" basketball has developed so that it embodies a

"delayed offense" principle throughout the game, two or three men passing the ball across the floor beyond the scoring zone until the defense gets tired and comes out of its shell. Up to the time that one or the other gets disgusted and takes the initiative, it's fully as exciting as chess between moves, to an audience that can't see the board.

It was bad enough after defensive teams quit contesting every foot of the way down the floor, and decided to concentrate their opposition to the reasonable scoring territory. Don't get us wrong. It was a smart invention, if you're talking about efficient basketball. It saved the defense a lot of work, and made a science out of what used to be just a refined riot on the floor. And it cut down scores until ways to counteract it were invented a couple of years later.

But for thrills, we still prefer the old style where the game was spread out all over the court.

This extension of the delayed offense, formerly a device for holding a small lead in the last few minutes of the game, but now used at any time, apparently means curtains for the "zone" defense, because such a defense may have to be abandoned at any moment, and a team schooled in this style cannot readily adopt the "man to man" style which is the only alternative.

The "man to man" defense is really more difficult because it requires more of the individual. Each man must be good or the opposition "feeds" the weak guard's opponent. But it seems to be com-

ing back. We wouldn't object if it would bring that old roughneck, the "back guard" or "stationary guard," along with it. Those were the good old days.

JASON LEE FIVE SHAGS UNION CLUB

Continuing their winning streak, the Jason Lee Church league basketball team last night defeated the Union athletic club quint of Woodburn in a ragged game by a score of 24 to 15. All of the Methodist first string players scored and Marcy, center, ran up 6 points. Black, forward for the athletic club, made 13 points.

The Jason Lee squad started the season by losing five games straight but since has won four in a row.

In the preliminary game, the Jason Lee B team won from the Jason Lee Juniors 46 to 12.

The lineups:
Jason Lee.....F.....13 Black
Gies 4.....F.....2 Soely
Marcy 6.....C.....2 Baldwin
McGee 3.....G.....2 Barnes
Douris 2.....G.....2 Schoenecker
Duncan 6.....S.....0 Harlan
Baumgartner.....S
Watson 2.....S
Referees, Ned Hale, Fred Smith.

ARTHURS WILL MEET JACKSON

California Devil Dog Secured to Grapple With Ernie on Tuesday

The large turnout of wrestling fans to witness the Robin Reed-Ernie Arthur grappling bout, has demonstrated to Matchmaker Harry Plant that the Salem fans like to see speed and action in wrestling matches, rather than 250 pound grunts. Consequently Plant is starting the year right by bringing Ernie Arthur back here Tuesday night to meet 'Devil Dog' Jackson from California.

By far the largest crowd of the season witnessed Reed and Arthur tear into each other with all the speed and strategy of two hungry panthers. A match which promises to be just as interesting, will be held Tuesday night.

"Devil Dog" Jackson comes from California and is one of the top-notchers among the ranks of the native sons. Two weeks ago he appeared on the same card with Strangler Lewis and Gus Sonnenberg, against an antagonist of his own weight, in a double main event affair.

Jack is said to be every bit as strong as Arthur and a trifle heavier. This will be his first appearance here and he hopes to earn an opportunity for another showing later.

The match will be a two hour, best two falls out of three affair, with a 45-minute preliminary bout between Art O'Reilly of Eugene and Jack Brentano of McMinnville.

Salem fans are still waiting to see O'Reilly completely subdued and are now pinning their hopes on Brentano. Jack is speedier and perhaps more scientific than O'Reilly and both are about the same in weight. O'Reilly is a good wrestler, but frequently forgoes wrestling for showmanship at which he excels.

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