

Corvallis Noses Out Dallas Hoopers for District Title

WINNING SHOT JUST IN TIME

Scored a Minute Before end Of Hectic Struggle; Crowd Goes Wild

INDEPENDENCE, Mar. 5—(AP)—Corvallis high school's consistently playing hoopers nosed out Dallas high for the championship of District No. 11 and the right to enter the state tournament, by winning a nip-and-tuck battle 21 to 20 here tonight. A record crowd spent most of its time howling with excitement as the lead vacillated from one side to the other throughout a close checking contest which saw only one field goal scored in the second period.

With only a minute left to play Dallas was leading 20 to 19, but at that point a Corvallis sharpshooter came through with the field goal that gave the Benton county favorites the district title and obliterated the playing of another game between the two next week to settle the matter.

Scoring Scarce in Second Quarter Deadlocked at 5-all at the end of the first period, the teams settled down to tight defensive play throughout the second, broken only by a field goal for Dallas about midway of the quarter and a free throw for Corvallis a little later on, Dallas winding up with a 7-6 lead.

In the third period they loosened up more and Corvallis sank two field goals, Dallas promptly responding by bucketing three. Corvallis got more and through a couple of foul conversions, Dallas was still ahead when the final sprints opened, 16 to 13.

Merriman was outstanding in the Corvallis attack while scoring was evenly divided among the Dallas men. Summary: Corvallis (21) (20) Dallas Merriman 3... F... 5 LeFors Moe 2... F... 4 Minnich Wagner 2... C... 2 Elliott Torgeson 4... G... 4 Lewis Schnitz... G... 5 Cadie Pittman 3... S... 1 Phil 2... S... 5 Referee, Adams.

MEDFORD, Ore., March 5—(AP)—Medford high school, southern Oregon district basketball champions, and Phoenix, Marion county secondary school champions, will play next Tuesday and Wednesday nights to decide which shall represent this district in the state tournament at Salem.

HANDBALL PLAYERS OF SALEM WIN OUT

Salem Y. M. C. A. handball players came out ahead in three out of their four double matches with the Portland Central Y men at the local Y yesterday afternoon.

Dr. D. X. Beechler and H. E. "B" Bakin, defeated two straight games by Johnson and Heints of Portland. Donald Speer and Fred Annunson of Salem, victors over Johnson and Heints in two out of three. George Beechler and Paul Walgren of Salem, victors over Portland, two straight. Speer and Annunson, victors over Burns and Davis of Portland, two out of three.

Owls Are First Half Champions In Noon League

Parrish Heavyweights		
W.	L.	Pct.
Athletics	4	2 .667
Cuckoos	1	1 .500
Canaries	3	3 .500
Braves	2	4 .333
Lightweights		
Owls	1	0 1.000
Cuckoos	1	1 .500
Canaries	0	1 1.000
Braves	0	0 .000

The Owls won the first half of the lightweight basketball league series at Parrish junior high with the Cuckoos in second place. The second half is now under way. The heavyweight league did not split its season. Friday the Athletics defeated the Braves 20 to 5 in a heavyweight league game. Summary: Athletics... F... 1 T. Smith Smallley 4... F... 1 T. Smith Daughton 4... C... 4 Tennant Croker... G... 4 Lapachies Willing... G... Coons Hill 2... S... 1 Johnson... S... 1 Referee, DeJardin.

Bears Win Championship of Coast Conference Beating Washington Huskies 36-24

OAKLAND, Mar. 5—(AP)—The University of California romped away with the basketball championship of the Pacific coast conference here tonight, defeating the University of Washington Huskies 34 to 24. The game was closer than the score indicated, the Huskies putting up a stubborn fight throughout but going down before the master floor-work and brilliant shooting of the California team. Hal Elfert, California forward, was the scoring star of the champions of the southern division. He rang the bell five times from the floor, four of the shots coming in rapid succession in the middle of the second half. He was expelled from the game early in the second half for making four personal fouls.

Selfert, who replaced Elfert, played nearly as flashy a game, but his shots did not hit the bucket with the unswerving precision that Elfert showed. Read, California center, also was removed from the game for personal fouls. The Huskies closed the game with a rush, scoring most of their points late in the second half, after the Antonech Brothers were sent in as substitutes. Mark Antonech scored two field goals in rapid succession, putting heart into the Huskies who fought bitterly even though they were at that time hopelessly beaten. Captain Cairney, Washington guard, was again the outstanding man on the floor, covering the flashy California forward, Intana, so well that the latter got only one basket in the first half.

CURT COMMENTS

Well, maybe California had the best basketball team, rules or no rules.

More of the district champions are being picked. And we are so far wrong on one; Corvallis gets in instead of Dallas, but by no great margin. We haven't heard any alibis from Dallas but the inroads of flu might have had something to do with it.

West Linn dropped one to Oregon City. Both will enter the district tournament. But it appears that flashy little West Linn bunch aren't at their best in tournament play every day or oftener.

Medford has beaten Ashland twice but must yet play Phoenix. Probably that'll be no trouble, but we notice dispatches from Medford title the Medford team "district champion" already. 'Tis a way they have in the pear orchards.

Astoria has to meet Rainier yet, but anyway it has won its game with the eligibility lists.

Marching Freshman Glee singers grind a lot of dust into the Willamette gym floor, but it will be all spick and span a week from Wednesday. Got your tickets yet?

We were checked up from several angles yesterday on our statement that the Olympic Games never had been held in this country. Oliver Huston was one, he having been present when they were held at St. Louis in 1904. No, not quite that old, though he did try for the Olympic team a few years later and come pretty close to making it.

Speaking of Oliver Huston re-

NO CHANGE IN TOURNEY LEAD

Kilham's Rolls High Team Score Saturday Night, Gets Fourth Place

Lead in the state handicap bowling tournament was not changed by Saturday night's scores. Kilham Stationery company of Portland slid into fourth place in the five-man competition with a score of 2748, best of the evening.

Play will start at 10 o'clock this morning with doubles and singles. Five-man teams to roll starting at noon include Acme Typewriter company, Honeyman Hardware, Hanson Blimpert company, Standard Cleaners and Dyers and Oregon Alleys, all of Portland; Johnson Furniture company, Heilig Theatre and Ole Lee barber shop, all of Eugene; and Albany Alley of Albany.

Scores Saturday night were:

FIVE-MAN TEAMS				
FORD MARKET—MARSHFIELD				
Coleman	174	202	224	600
Ferguson	155	154	127	436
Johnson	154	145	204	503
Watters	173	174	178	525
Oderante	192	204	186	582
Goettler	99	95	99	293
Totals	887	931	908	2736

LESTER INLAND EDW.—HILLESBORO				
Inland	128	148	178	454
Cook	119	133	153	405
Dicky	122	146	187	455
Boose	150	167	226	543
Goettler	144	148	148	440
Handicap	53	55	53	161
Totals	688	688	688	2064

KILHAM STATIONERY—PORTLAND				
Oni	179	188	200	567
Bigot	155	188	151	494
Garbar	158	195	145	518
Wood	154	154	158	466
Waligren	143	171	121	435
Handicap	67	67	67	201
Totals	916	906	842	2748

LEDS TRANSFER—MEDFORD				
Fruit	154	137	192	478
Eads	158	125	181	464
Dankin	154	154	200	508
Diamond	178	160	139	477
Resappa	154	182	178	514
Handicap	59	55	55	169
Totals	921	857	846	2734

DOUBLES				
A. Allison	150	189	189	528
Leffingwell	150	186	273	609
Totals	300	375	462	1097

SINGLES				
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Cards Renew Series, Beat Mack's Crew

MIAMI, Fla., March 5—(AP)—The world champion Cardinals put on an exciting finish today to pull the opening game of the spring "world series" out of the fire and beat the Philadelphia Athletics, 4 to 3, in ten innings.

A home run drive over the right field fence by Jim Collins, first base understudy, settled the issue after a three run rally tied the score in the ninth. The big blow in the ninth was delivered by Lee Cunningham, Rookie third sacker, whose double brought in two runs, with two out, and sent the game into overtime. A crowd of 3,000 fans, including President William H. Harrison of the American league, turned out.

Pepper Martin, hero of the last world series, got one big hit, a triple in the seventh, and tied the score for the first time. On three other occasions he fanned. Pepper had a chance to lead the hero when he came up in the eighth with the bases full but he fell a strikeout victim of Jimmy Deshong.

The Athletics, led by their recruit outfielder, Ed Coleman, from Portland, Ore., outhit the world champion, 14 to 7, but twice were held useless after filling the bases. Coleman collected four straight hits after striking out in the first. Jimmy Dykes and Mule Haas gathered three hits apiece. Collins wielded the big stick for the Cardinals.

ASTORIA STAR HELD ELIGIBLE

Palmberg in Good Standing and Team Will Play for Title in District

PORTLAND, Ore., Mar. 4—(AP)—The board of control of the Oregon State High School Athletic association at a meeting here today ruled that Walter Palmberg, Astoria high school basketball star, is eligible for athletic competition and that Astoria high school may compete for the right to represent district 14 in the state basketball tournament to be held in Salem March 14 to 19.

Westport high school had protested Palmberg's eligibility and the right of Astoria to stay in the race because he had been used in tournament games. Astoria and Rainier remain the only teams in the district 14 race. They will play at Astoria Monday night and at Rainier Wednesday night. The third game, if necessary, will be played on a court to be named later.

AQUATIC TEAM OF SALEM HIGH WINS

In a slow meet devoid of any approach at record-breaking, Salem high school's swimming team yesterday defeated the Eugene high team by a score of 46 to 22. The locals placed first in five of the seven and second in all, despite the absence of Win Needham, one of the Salem stars.

Diving and the 220 yard freestyle race were Salem's weakest points. Armpriset, nevertheless, was headed in the diving event only by Van Lydegraf, leading Eugene man, and likewise Clark in the 220 was beaten only by Van Lydegraf.

Results of the events: Relay, 160 yards—Wesley, C. Reed, Brownell and Orwig for Salem, first; Oglesby, Knight, Tuck and Jacobsen for Eugene, second. Time 1:25.

SALEM WRESTLERS DEFEAT TWO FOES

The Salem Y. M. C. A. wrestlers won an overwhelming victory over McMinnville high and Portland Central Y last night, scoring 34 points to Portland's 23 and McMinnville's 14.

Summary of Salem matches: Peplon, Salem beat P. White, McMinnville. Hendrie, Salem beat Miser, McMinnville. Simonson, McMinnville, beat Sander, Salem. Bigby, Salem, beat Rogers, McMinnville. Colegrove, Salem, beat Jones, McMinnville. Greig, Salem, beat Huntley, McMinnville. Greig, Salem, beat McTaraban, Portland. Hendrie, Salem, beat Moore, Portland. Gander, Salem, beat Elliott, Portland. Bebbendorf, Portland, beat Bigby, Salem. Walberg, Salem, beat Zinies, Portland. Colegrove, Salem, beat Sulewski, Portland. Pelpon, Salem, beat Gibson, Portland. Walberg, Salem, beat Remington, Portland. Colegrove, Salem, beat Watson, Portland.

COLLINS AGAIN IS KING OF BALKLINE

FRENCH LIQ, Ind., Mar. 5—(AP)—Percy N. Collins of Chicago won for the seventh time today, the National amateur 18.2 Balkline billiard championship, defeating Edgar T. Appleby, New York, the defending champion.

Collins won 300 to 45 in 13 innings. His high run, 131, was the best of the tournament. He won five games and lost one and had a grand average of 10.76. Collins also won the 1930 and 1931 tournaments but each time lost to Appleby in the challenge matches.

Appleby finished in a tie with Dale H. Goslin of Los Angeles, for second place with four games won and two lost. The position, in case of a tie, is decided on the basis of the high average and the place went to Goslin, whose grand average was 7.49 against Appleby's 7.04.

Maureen Orcutt Tourny Winner

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., Mar. 5—(AP)—Maureen Orcutt, former metropolitan golf champion, won the Florida east coast golf championship today defeating Mrs. R. C. Lake, New Orleans, 5 to 4.

PORTLAND TEAMS IN TOURNEY LOSE

PORTLAND, Ore., Mar. 5—(AP)—Both of the Portland teams entered in the state independent basketball tournament which opened here tonight were defeated by narrow margins by out-of-town quintets.

In the first game of the tournament Deneffe's of Eugene nosed out the Multnomah Intermediates, 18 to 16. The visiting team led 2 to 2 at the end of the first quarter and 3 to 3 at the end of the half. The Intermediates strengthened in the second half and tied the score at 12-all as the game went into the final period.

In the second game Astoria defeated Multnomah club, 26 to 24.

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- Sunday, March 6
 8:00—Arlon Trio, NBC—Portland
 9:00—American Legion
 10:00—Walter Damrosch, NBC
 12:00—Dr. J. J. Baker, NBC
 12:30—Dr. Cadman, NBC
 1:00—Broadcast from Berlin, NBC
 2:00—Vesper services, NBC
 3:45—Paul E. Kelly
 5:15—Colliers radio hour, NBC
 8:00—The Parker, NBC
 10:45—Paul Carson, organ, NBC
 11:00—Tom Gerun, organ
- Monday
 7:15—Organ, NBC
 7:45—Vas and Don, NBC
 8:00—Sonata Social, NBC
 8:30—Might Romance Exchange, NBC
 8:45—Marlian's Marionettes, NBC
 9:15—Beautiful Thoughts, NBC
 9:30—Cooking school
 10:30—Woman's Magazine, NBC
 12:00—Business woman's talk
 12:15—Farm and Home Hour, NBC
 3:00—Wm. Hard, NBC
 3:30—Fence festers, NBC
 3:45—Tom Time, NBC
 4:30—Music garden, NBC
 5:00—Death Valley Day, NBC
 7:00—National Radio Forum, NBC
 8:00—Amos 'n' Andy, NBC
 9:15—Sherlock Holmes, NBC
 11:15—Bagdad organ
- Tuesday, March 7
 7:00—Good morning meditations, led by Rev. Walter E. Tipton, NBC
 7:15—Setting up exercises, directed by Miss Louise Hoecken
 8:00—Home economics, Beaver
 10:00—Tomorrow's Meal
 10:15—Food Facts and Recipes
 10:30—How's and Why's of Housekeeping
 10:45—The Magazine Rack
 12:00—Farm hour
 12:10—in the day's news
 12:25—"Motor Vehicle Laws," Harry G. Graves
 12:35—Market reports, crops and weather forecast
 2:00—Homemaker hour
 3:05—"The House That Grows," Decorations—Just the Added Touch," Professor Mildred Chamberlain
 8:30—Contra-tenor elements of music, discussed and illustrated by Lillian Jeffreys Peart
 8:55—Market reports
 9:30—"The Citizens' Military Training Camps," Captain F. W. Rase
 9:35—in the day's news
 9:50—Market review—miscellaneous commodities and potatoes
 7:15—That Count, Agnes G. R. Briggs
 7:30—4-H club meeting, "4-H Club Work at Linn Co. Progress by Position," Edna Geer, "4-H Club Work Today and Yesterday," Burton Stationer, "My Trip to the National 4-H Club Congress," Beth Joy