

TOURNEY GETS MUCH HOTTER

Salem, Benson, Astoria and Corvallis to Contend In Semi-Finals

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by Patterson, its high scoring negro forward.

Aside from the question as to which team may be "on" tonight, the Benson-Astoria contest looks from here to be a toss-up.

As for the later portion of the Salem-Hood River contest, it was not quite so impressive as the first period. Coach Hollis Huntington sent in all of his reserves after the regular wound up the first period leading 25 to 9, and Hood River had the better of the second quarter. Knoll, a substitute, broke that zero with a field goal. Salem's regulars piled up more points in the third period, but Bone went out on fouls and Huntington made some replacements again, and the fourth quarter was fairly even.

Burrell, Sanford Divide Point Honors

While the home boys were going at top speed, however, they had "everything." Burrell and Sanford seemed to be in the early part of the game and tied at 15 points for high scoring honors. Bone also got in some good work and Sachtler outdid himself by looping the hoop three times. Brownell and Peoline did enough scoring to show that the reserves are by no means helpless.

And it wasn't that Hood River was a "setup." It would have taken a super-team to stop that unerring first quarter attack put on by Salem. And as for Salem's defense—Breckinridge, who scored 13 points against Klamath and seemingly couldn't be guarded, hardly got his hands on the ball until the final period when he scored three field goals.

Summary:

Salem (50)	FG	FT	PF
Bone, F.	2	2	4
Kelly, F.	0	1	2
Burrell, G.	7	1	0
Sanford, G.	7	1	2
Sachtler, G.	3	0	1
Brownell, C.	1	1	0
Perrine, F.	2	0	1
Engle, G.	0	0	3
Totals	22	6	14

Hood River (29)

Breckinridge, T.	3	1	0
Lakin, C.	0	2	0
Thomas, C.	0	1	1
Hoover, G.	1	1	3
Kresse, G.	2	0	3
Knoll, F.	1	1	1
Totals	7	6	8

Referee, French; umpire, Coleman.

NEHALEM IS LOSER IN FIERCE BATTLE

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his high scoring and chalked up 13 points in the game.

The Benton county team was not lacking in friends, for a delegation was on hand from the college town and it will probably be swelled considerably for tonight's semi-final game with Salem.

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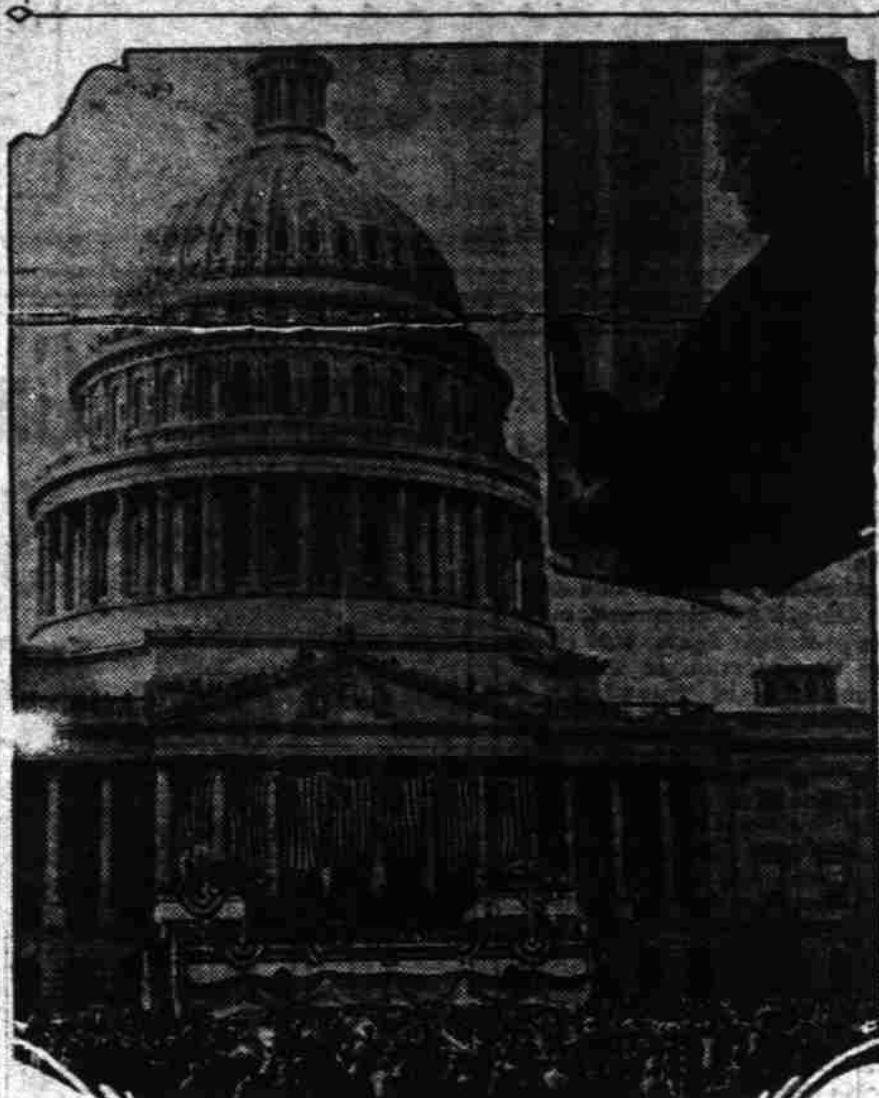
Corvallis (38)	FG	FT	PF
Schultz, f.	2	0	3
Patterson, f.	1	1	2
Wagner, c.	6	1	0
Torgeson, c.	3	0	0
Merryman, c.	2	0	3
Moe, f.	2	0	1
Totals	18	2	7

Nehalem (35)

Nehalem, f.	3	2	1
Norberg, f.	6	1	1
Kebbe, c.	0	0	0
Crawford, c.	1	3	1
Adams, c.	3	3	3
Totals	13	9	3

Referee, Coleman; umpire, Jackson.

HOOVER HONORS WASHINGTON



This excellent photo shows the throng in front of the casket outside the National Capitol at Washington as President Hoover paid his tribute to George Washington, his immortal predecessor, on his 200th birthday. Capitol Plaza was packed to capacity with thousands of Americans from all over the country who came to do homage to the memory of the first President. Inset is a closeup of President Hoover as he delivered the eulogy on the "Father of the United States."

The Call Board . .

By OLIVE M. DOAK

The Grand

Today—Tim McCoy in "Shot Gun Pass".

Warner Bros. Elsinore

Today—Robert Montgomery in "Lovers Courageous".

Warner Bros. Capitol

Today—Walter Huston in "Law and Order".

The Hollywood

Today—George Bancroft in "Rich Man's Folly".

Gunsmoke was his halo—a six-shooter his harp—yet he was a man of peace—a "saint" of the sagebrush country. He had a heart of gold and a hand of steel; he brought law and order to an unruly city; he became an outcast to avenge a friend. All of which gives you a rough idea of "Law and Order," Universal's drama of the deadliest town on the map and the deadliest shot in the town.

at the Capitol today. Walter Huston is featured in the cast with Harry Carey, Raymond Hatton, Ralph Ince, Russell Hopton and Andy Devine.

The part of a misunderstood son in "Lovers Courageous" is said to be an ideal one for the lachrymose Robert Montgomery who is always very much at home in charming, humorous and somewhat roguish characterizations as "Strangers Men Kiss," "The Man in Possession" and his most recent hit, "Private Lives."

The attractive Madge Evans has the leading feminine role and prominent parts are played by Roland Young, who last scored in "The Guardsman," Frederick Kerr, Reginald Owen and Beverly Mercer. The picture was directed by Robert Z. Leonard, who has such winners as "Susan Lenox" and "The Divorcee" to his credit.

The most terrific din George Bancroft ever heard was the symphony of 1,600 riveters working on five ships in the Bethlehem shipbuilding yards in Quincy, Mass., the star said recently on his return to Hollywood.

The 7,000 mile round-trip from the Paramount studios in Hollywood to Quincy was made to photograph scenes for "Rich Man's Folly," now at the Hollywood, the romance of an ambition-mad ship-builder.

No Parley Upon War Debts Near Says President

WASHINGTON, Mar. 17.—(AP)—President Hoover and the state department hastened today to give assurance that there is no immediate intention of reopening war debt negotiations either with Great Britain or the other European nations.

The president spoke through Senator Reed (R. Pa.), who gave this message to the senate in the midst of a democratic attack against revocation of the British debt. It was inspired by an article in today's Washington post, which said Ambassador Mellon upon assuming his post in London shortly would open discussions looking toward modification of the British war debt owed America.

HOLLYWOOD Coming Sunday

WALLACE BEERY COOPER

THE CHAMP

666 LIQUID - TABLETS - SALVE

BOOM NOTICED AS GASOLINE GOES UP

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second-grade motor fuel on the market. Pumps for this product, which will sell for two cents less than the standard fuel, already have been installed in many stations and are being put in at the others.

SEATTLE PRICE JUMPS

SEATTLE, Mar. 17.—(AP)—Wholesalers advanced the tank-wagon price of gasoline here today and retailers posted a 15-cent retail price, an increase of four cents. The advance followed a three weeks "war" during which gas sold as low as nine cents.

TACOMA GAS UP TO 15c

TACOMA, Wash., Mar. 17.—(AP)—The gasoline price war, which for several weeks kept the price at 9 and 10 cents a gallon, came to an end here today. Virtually all stations were selling gasoline at 15 cents following an advance in wholesale price.

Honesty is Best Policy, Verdict Of White Wings

DETROIT, Mar. 17.—(AP)—Peter Goralowski, sweeping streets in exchange for a welfare "dole" and worrying about \$600 he was in arrears on a house, picked up a woman's pocketbook. It contained \$600 and the owner's name.

The street sweeper returned the money as soon as a friend who can read English helped him to locate the owner.

A newspaper printed the story. Today the mortgage was taken over by a man whose name even Peter doesn't know. The payments were reduced and the mortgage won't be foreclosed. And the man says Peter is to have a good job.

2 Licenses For Marriage Given

Two licenses to wed were issued by County Clerk U. G. Boyer yesterday.

Karl Knabloch, 27, Gervais farmer, secured a permit to wed Elizabeth Boran, 18, Gervais housekeeper.

Wallace M. Williams, legal age, 2761 E. Lincoln street, Portland, received a license to wed Emma Hill, legal age, Woodburn housekeeper. The marriage will be a second one for both parties.

HOLLYWOOD A Home-Owned Theatre

Home of 25c Talks

Today & Saturday Mickey Mouse Matinee Sat. 1:30 P. M.

GEORGE BANCROFT

"Rich Man's Folly"

A Paramount Picture

Also Mickey Mouse in "Mickey's Orphans"

News & Red Grange in "The Galloping Ghost"

FIELD GOALS AND PERSONAL FOULS

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Portland writers will in turn hand him a lemon later on. We'll say that Jones's a "good plug." (We got one of the orange drops.)

Coach French of the Klamath Falls team took his defeat like a man, but couldn't help feeling much of the general resentment to district tournaments. His team had to travel 136 miles to Bend for one playoff, then do some more playing after returning to Klamath Falls, another 136 miles please note, rest one day and then travel 250 miles of thereabouts to Salem. During the season the Pelicans played Medford three close games and defeated many strong teams but they were dead on their feet here.

Coach French states that if possible the district tournament will be discontinued in district five next year and if that arrangement cannot be made, that it will be played a week earlier. He states that his center Allen and one of the other players will be back for next year and a crew of B string players will give him a stronger outfit than he now has.

The officials have also been overworked by district tournaments but they are not complaining, at least not that we've heard. It is of course easier for them with two working the games and it simplifies matters for the scorers to have help in locating the fouling players. All of the floor officials will probably take a needed holiday following the tournament.

The Medford-Astoria game was a breath taking ordeal to which one of the reporters (us) responded by dialing without lifting the receiver. There were excellent representations in the stands from both of the towns and the Astoria crowd will probably grow tomorrow. Medford still has a chance to take fourth place and if it comes through with wins will be here until the tournament ends, probably meeting Nehalem which should be almost as interesting as the championship games.

Those two vaudeville tramps with gray sweaters and quail-rimmed hats who parade about the gymnasium are doing a good job of running the equipment room downstairs. If any budding cameramen wish to get some good tournament pictures, Bud Rieke and "Doc" Allen could doubtless be persuaded to pose in their newly acquired habitat on the ground floor of the gymnasium. However this is only open to cameramen, "camerawomen" being barred from these quarters.

The crowds were good for the morning show and this morning's game at 11 o'clock between Silverton and Marshfield will be a worthwhile contest. It will contain Noel "Red" McLean, the flea of the tournament who has copied individual high scoring honors with 21 points in the game against Klamath Falls. Incidentally the Marshfield camp reports that their all-star center Enlund is feeling much better and may see action today, at least by tomorrow if the Coach Ray Pines are still in the running by that time.

Warren Jones, chief deputy assessor of Marion county, is another member of the "Saw Them All" club, having witnessed not only all of the state basketball tournaments but all of the invitational tournaments which preceded them. He played on the Newberg quintet in two of those early tournaments, in 1917 and 1918. Newberg won the consolation series both times. In 1918 the final consolation game was against Eugene and all Salem was rooting for Newberg. Newberg won by a score something like 21 to 14.

And still another member is Al Nye, veteran mail clerk at the statehouse. He also has "seen them all."

Absence reports at Salem high school yesterday revealed that many more students probably were attending the tournament games than the 230 who possessed season tickets.

While absentees from classes, while absentees normally run from 20 to 40 a day, the list yesterday showed 173 boys and girls "playing hooky."

The tournament games Thursday were better than those of Wednesday and today's will be better yet, both in the championship rounds and in the consolation running. Every team which remains in the tournament has won at least one game and all the men are right up to snuff on tournament play, both by experience and observation. That little lesson on fight Medford dish out should be an inspiration for any team to play a full 32 minutes to ball, no matter how far in the rear it may be.

EX-JUNCTION CITY CASHIER INDICTED

EUGENE, March 17.—(AP)—Stephen Mogensen, formerly cashier of the Junction City State bank, which is now in the hands of the state bank examiners, was arrested tonight on charges of larceny by embezzlement.

Mogensen was lodged in the Lane county jail and will be arraigned in circuit court here Friday.

Mogensen was named in seven secret indictments returned by the Lane county grand jury Thursday. After his arrest it was revealed he faces six charges of larceny by embezzlement and one charge of embezzlement of state banking funds by an officer of a bank.

The largest sum allegedly involved was \$3500. The indictment charges Mogensen with the theft of this sum from Mr. and Mrs. P. C. N. Lauridsen, who had left it with him for the purchase of school warrants, which allegedly were never bought. A \$500 guaranty trust company bond left with him by Mrs. Lauridsen was sold without her authority, the indictment charges. Other charges involved sums of \$1555.17 and \$200.

Poling Gets Wire From Sen. McNary

Senate Bill 51, demanding the rigid curtailment of armaments, both land and sea, does not conflict with previously made treaties by this country, Senator Charles L. McNary has informed Rev. C. C. Poling of this city in a telegram received by Dr. Poling yesterday. The telegram was sent after Senator McNary had checked the matter with the chairman of the senate committee on military affairs.

BEARCAT TALKERS TO TOUR IN SOUTH

A strong Willamette forensics team, under the able supervision of Professor E. E. Rabe, left Salem Wednesday for an extensive tour through California where numerous debates will be held and speaking contests will be entered.

Ray Lafky, Ross Knotts, Eugene Smith and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Rabe made the trip.

Wednesday night a debate was held with the southern Oregon normal school at Ashland. Thursday night the group stopped at Stockton and tonight will debate the Fresno State teachers' college. Lafky and Knotts form the debate team.

Eugene Smith will represent Willamette university in the Pacific coast intercollegiate oratorical contest at Los Angeles, speaking on "The American Declaration of Independence." Smith won the Keyes oratorical contest at Willamette last year.

Also at the Los Angeles meet Ray Lafky will enter the Pacific coast extemporaneous speaking contest. Lafky won the state contest and should be able to make a strong showing in that event.

The Pacific Coast Forensic League will be in session from Monday, March 21, until Wednesday, Professor Rabe is secretary of the league which is holding its sessions at Pomona college.

Thieves Steal Butcher Calf of Postal Employee

Thieves are getting mighty bold, in the opinion of Flavius Meier, clerk at the postoffice.

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Instead, the animal was killed and butchered right on Meier's place, and the entrails and head left for the owner.

Find Keenholts Guilty; Will be Sentenced Soon

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Keenholts will be sentenced Saturday. The penalty provided by law is one to 15 years imprisonment in the state penitentiary.

Keenholts was specifically charged with converting \$5580 to his own use.

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Harold Jepsen gave a tap dance.

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Depression Hits Office Seekers

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