

Lincoln, Astoria and The Dalles Squeeze Out Victories

ONE OVERTIME PERIOD NEEDED

Medford, Klamath Falls go Down; Corvallis Puts Up Great Battle

Favorites, insofar as there were any, came through in the Wednesday afternoon session of the state basketball tournament, though two of the games were decided in the last minute and a third required overtime. The one that came nearest to being a stunning upset, saw Astoria, the defending champion, rally when there were only seconds remaining to play, and edge out Corvallis 27 to 22.

It was one of those games which cause numerous fans to complain that there "ain't no justice" inasmuch as Corvallis by dint of excellent teamwork, acquired a big majority of the reasonable shots but missed far too many of them; Astoria got few reasonable shots but sank many unreasonable ones — which, of course has been a habit with the Fishermen for 10, these many years.

The lead-seaweed freely from the beginning, Corvallis led 8-6 after the first period, Astoria 16-11 at half time, Corvallis 19-18 as they entered the last quarter. From then on for five minutes it was a scramble, the lead changing hands on each successful shot; but in the last two minutes Wilson, on the Owick, scored medium long shots to salt the game away.

Torgerson was on the scoring end of most of Corvallis' well executed plays, Astoria's scoring was more evenly divided, Averill's follow-in shots earning him the honors.

Summary: Corvallis.....F..... Astoria Patterson 4.....F..... Foster Noble.....F..... Canessa Ingalls.....C..... Averill Merriman 4.....G..... Mackey Torgerson 12.....G..... Wright Ruzek 2.....S..... Orwick Wilson.....S..... 2 Wilson Referee, Coleman; umpire, French.

True to pre-tournament predictions, the fighting for single points that looked as though they would decide the fate of nations, began before the annual fracas was two games old. Lincoln, Portland's chief contender, nosed out Medford 23 to 25. Rallying to pick up five points in the last period, Medford cut the lead down to one point, 22-21, with three minutes left to go. "Duke" Wellington, a sleepy center for Lincoln a year ago but entirely wide awake this season, popped in a follow shot but Harris of Medford made up for it with a leaping shot. Fitchard, Lincoln's ace scorer, sank two short ones to make it 23-23 and Kunsman of Medford looped a long one to finish the scoring.

Medford was handicapped when Scheel, the only all-state man in the tournament, went out on fouls early in the second half.

Lincoln's tall, long range marksmen looked good to the fans and many of them picked the Railsplitters to reach the finals. They held the lead most of the game, 5-4 after the first period, 12-10 at the half and 22-16 at the third period ended.

Summary: Medford.....F..... Lincoln Hammock 5.....F..... 12 Fitchard White 2.....F..... 4 Silver Harris 3.....C..... 6 Wellington Scheel 2.....G..... 2 Eastman Brown 2.....G..... 4 Kolberg Kunsman 6.....S..... Referee, Piluso; umpire, Coleman.

The overtime game was not an upset, as nobody knew the potentialities of The Dalles and Klamath Falls. The Dalles won, 28 to 25, after trailing at half time 11 to 2. The teams were as contrasting as could be imagined: The Dalles comparatively small and fast, but missing all its shots in the first half; the Pelicans big and deliberate, and making most of the shots they acquired.

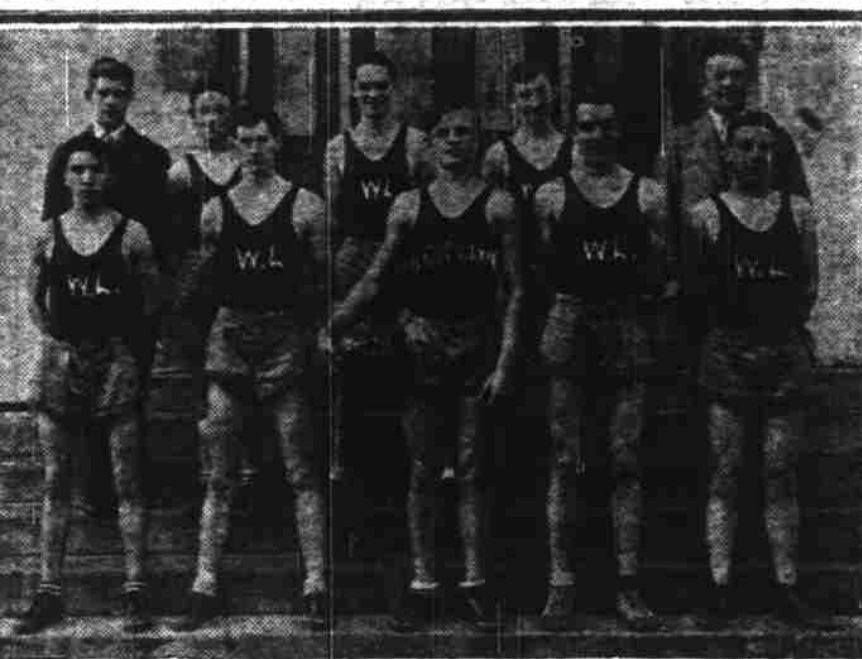
Some between-halves calming-down did the Wasco county boys a lot of good, and they began making a big majority of their shots in the second half, cutting the lead down to 19-14 at the three-quarter post. Dick of The Dalles looped the goal that tied it up at 23-all with a minute and a half to go. In the overtime he was fouled while scoring and made it three points with 15 seconds left. Each team scored once more after that.

Klamath Falls.....F..... The Dalles Wakeman 3.....F..... 3 Watson Miller 3.....F..... 2 Mosier Allen 3.....C..... 7 Heath Scroggins 1.....G..... 4 Vandiver Knight 1.....G..... 4 Dick Giovanni 1.....S..... 2 Mills Referee, Piluso; umpire, French.

Beavers Take in Seattle 9 to 3 Hitting Freely

SAN JOSE, Cal., March 15. — (AP) — Hitting the offerings of (F) Page and Dick Freitas at will, the Portland Beavers secured an even break in their two-game series here with the Seattle Indians, winning today's game 9 to 3. The Beavers collected 15 singles with Jim Keesey, Earl Shesley, Frank Crompton and Johnny Monroe leading the hitting. Seattle.....S..... 9 3 Portland.....S..... 9 15 F. Page, Freitas and Cox, Botsaris, Jacobs, Bogette, and Lipanovic, Palmisano.

IN TOURNNEY FOR FIRST TIME



Here are the speedy, well coached boys from West Linn, the only school sending its team to the state tournament for the first time. Front row, from left, Campbell, Irish, Karbonski, Marsh and Reams. Back row, Manager Ingram, Anderson, Swinney, Bernard and J. P. Brown, coach.

WOODBURN TO OPEN BALL SEASON 31ST

WOODBURN, March 15.—The first game of the baseball season for the Bulldogs of Woodburn high has been scheduled for March 31 with Lebanon team at Lebanon, the first game at home will be April 7 when the Silverton Silver Foxes will clash with the Bulldogs. Woodburn high will enter the Willamette Valley inter-scholastic league this season.

The team has not been fully organized, although with the exception of material for the pitcher's box there are good players in the set-up. Gearin and Halter are to be catchers, Simran will try for first base, George Kock, second base or pitcher, Obrest, a junior legion player last year, short stop. Third base is undecided and Wolf is the only outfielder returning. Those in line for pitcher are George Kock, Laurence Kock or Frank Pavelek.

Practice is to begin as soon as the weather will permit. The schedule for the season is: March 31—Lebanon here. April 7—Silverton here. April 14—Chemawa there. April 21—Molalla there. April 25—West Linn here. April 28—West Linn there.

TWO OF GAMES ARE ONE-SIDED

Eugene Shows Real Power; West Linn Clicks in Opening Contest

Frits Kramer's smartly clicking Eugene high quintet, recognized from the start as a contender, lived up to expectations and a little bit more as it steam-rolled Marshfield 47 to 11. The Coos bay boys stayed in the race pretty well for one quarter, trailing only 10-6, but from there on it was simply a case of how much score Eugene might pile up. Marshfield went scoreless in the second period.

Eugene looked as strong as anybody in the tourney, but its chances were difficult to judge because of the gullibility of Marshfield's defense. Rundlett and Wakeman split the scoring honors for Eugene. McKaner, Marshfield's lone veteran, burned up the court but had no help, except from his guard team mate, Hanson.

Summary: Eugene Atchison 3.....F..... 13 Rundlett Barnard.....F..... 14 Wright Bjorkquist 2.....C..... 3 Danner Hanson 4.....G..... 44 H. Mercer McLean 1.....G..... 8 Northam Lee 2.....S..... 1 Browning S..... 2 Millikan S..... 2 Chambers Referee, French; umpire, Piluso.

Little-Shots at Parrish Defeat All-American 5

The Little-Shots defeated the All-Americans, 21 to 19, in the second game of the second annual basketball tournament at Parrish Wednesday noon. Beal of the Little-Shots was high scorer with seven points.

Summary: Little-Shots All-Americans Beal 7.....F..... 3 Maers Harvey 5.....F..... 4 Guthrie Grinnell 3.....C..... 3 Dougherty Serdota 5.....G..... 4 Oglesby Hagedorn 2.....G..... 1 Snyder

Pirates Trounce Oakland 5 to 2

OAKLAND, March 15.—(AP) — The Pittsburgh Pirates of the National league wound up their series with Oakland of the Pacific Coast league by winning 5 to 2 today. Score: Pittsburgh.....5 7 0 Oakland.....2 13 0 Hoyt, Meine and Grace, Pinney; McAvoy, Phebus and Mayer, Ralmondi.

TEAMS, PLAYERS AND THEIR NUMBERS FOR STATE TOURNNEY

La Grande, District 2	Woodell 7	Benson, District 9	Brenner 16
Baxter 3	Andrews 8	Ravallia 15	Donovan 9
Webb 4	Corey 9	Weichmann 14	Burns 15
Lyman 5	DeBole 10	F. Courtney 19	Egelhoff 17
Fox 6			
Burns, District 3	Graves 5	Eugene, District 10	Browning 20
Reed 1	Sullivan 6	Miller 13	Danner 22
Duncan 2	Williams 7	Randlett 15	Wright 23
Young 3	Smith 8	Northam 17	Williams 24
Walsh 4			
Athens, District 8	Weber 8	Corvallis, District 11	Patterson 6
Singer 2	Rodgers 9	Torgerson 3	Ruzek 7
Douglas 5	Pickett 10	Brown 4	Ingalls 8
Low Jenkins 6	Lel Jenkins 11	Merryman 5	Noble 9
		Sliverton, District 12	Orren 6
The Dalles, District 4	Gilbreth 5	Keiser 2	Pettyjohn 7
Dick 1	Watson 7	Torgerson 3	Johnson 8
Miles 2	Watson 7	Brown 4	Kolin 9
Mosier 3	Vandiver 8	Marx 5	
Caulier 4		Tillamook, District 13	Abrams 7
		Christensen 1	Burckard 8
Klamath Falls, District 5	Perry 6	Thoen 2	Hediger 9
Wakeman 3	Allen 7	Kinneman 4	Vogt 18
Miller 2	Scroggin 8	Baumgartner 6	
Knight 4	Johnson 10	Astoria, District 14	Sarpola 6
Giovanni 5		Wilson 1	Canessa 7
Marshfield, District 6	Bjorkquist 8	Hayashi 2	Orwick 8
Barnard 4	Mineau 9	Foster 3	Mackey 10
McLean 5	Ireland 11	Averill 4	
Hanson 7	Atcheson 13		
Salem, District 7	Mosher 7	Medford, District 15	Scheel 5
Morley 3	DeJardin 8	Wilson 1	Grove 8
Thomas 4	Wintermute 9	Hammock 4	Kunsman 9
Kelley 5	Engel 10	Brown 5	Harris 11
Perrine 6		Luman 6	White 12
Lincoln, District 8	Takami 39	West Linn, District 16	Berard 8
Weinstein 11	Anderson 59	Campbell 3	Anderson 9
Kolb 2	Wellington 13	Rams 5	Swain 13
Eastman 25	Silver 83		Marsh 14
Fitchard 17			

Soldier Teams Lose Couple to Outside Quints

The Chemawa All Stars reserves defeated Company B 58 to 37 and Temple Baptist won over the Artillery 53 to 43, in basketball games at the armory Wednesday night.

Summary: Chemawa.....F..... 58 Company B Wilder 10.....F..... 12 McGehee Hatfield 12.....F..... 15 VanLydegraf Horn 14.....C..... 2 Van Vleet Whitright 12.....G..... 6 Fryck Birchall 2.....G..... 6 Micks Weaver 3.....S..... 5 Houser 5.....S..... 8 Referee, Iyall.

Temple Baptist.....F..... 53 Artillery Cross 2.....F..... 18 R. Finster Tucker 6.....F..... 15 Harvey Hatfield 3.....C..... 3 O'Brien York 5.....G..... 6 C. Finster Morley 2.....G..... 4 A. Baker Horn 2.....S..... 4 MacGill Referee, A. Whitright.

Giants Lose to Stars 13 to 8; Passes Pile Up

LOS ANGELES, March 15. — (AP) — In a slow game which saw five pitchers issue 17 passes to first base, the Hollywood Stars of the Pacific Coast league, defeated the New York Giants, 13 to 8, here today.

R H E Hollywood (PC).....13 10 2 Smith, Hale, Mapp and Healey, Danning; Crowley, Gardmie and Patterson, Doerr.

No Deficit at End of Year Estimate

Willamette university will probably end its fiscal year June 30, 1933, without an operating deficit and with no bank indebtedness, it was reported at the school yesterday. Enrollment for the year is slightly less than in 1931-1932 but above two years ago and students are paying tuition quite well, there being no delinquencies for the first semester at this time. Endowment income for the year is estimated at \$60,000.

Willamette university's condition is said to be superior to that of most smaller colleges in the northwest. Whitman college at Walla Walla, Wash., is considered to be the best.

Start Referendum Of Basic Science Law; Title Asked

Preliminary petitions for referendum of the so-called basic science law, passed by the recent legislature and already signed by Governor Meier, were filed in the state department Wednesday. The petitions will be referred to the attorney general for ballot title. The referendum is being sponsored by the public health protective league, of which P. O. Riley of Hubbard is president. The law requires that the referendum petitions shall contain 16,667 names and shall be filed with the secretary of state by June 8. Initiative petitions require 25,656 names. The law would become effective in 1934.

Jail Inmate Weds Corvallis Girl at Polk Court House

DALLAS, March 15. — Ted G. Macomber, 29, laborer, of Dallas, and Imogen Wells, 19, housekeeper, of Corvallis, were married here Monday afternoon by Circuit Judge Arlie G. Walker. Macomber is an inmate of the county jail at present awaiting grand jury action on a charge of assault resulting from the holdup of J. J. Gatens several weeks ago.

STUDENTS GIVEN TEST

DAYTON, March 15. — Eighty-nine students in the Dayton grade school Monday took tuberculosis skin tests given free by the county health officer, Dr. M. E. Reitel, and the county nurse, Mrs. Nina Brown-Miller, of McMinnville.

Granted Judgment — Judgment for \$212.50 was granted Pomeroy and Keene here yesterday against the Hart-Tate Motor company of Dayton.

A Worthy Champion

YOUNG CORBETT
--THE BEST WELTERWEIGHT TO HOLD THE TITLE SINCE MICKEY WALKER--

WILL HE REVIVE INTEREST IN THE WELTER DIVISION?

CORBETT FEARS NO ONE -- HE WILL BE A REAL CHAMP!

--LEARNED TO HANDLE HIS DUKES WHEN HE WAS A NEWSBOY!

HEY-DIS IS MY CORNER

SEZ YOU

--THINKS McLARNIN IS MADE TO ORDER FOR HIM!

By BURNLEY

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Up in Portland they consider Dave Wright, Lincoln coach who was formerly at Dallas, something of a miracle man. Dave is a graduate coach; and back in 1919 and 1920 when he was playing forward for Lincoln, his school won the Portland championship. In 1920 it came to the first state tournament, lost to Salem 12 to 11 in the finals, and Dave was on the first all-tournament team. Lincoln didn't win another Portland title nor come to the tournament again, until Dave returned to do the coaching.

The press box roll-call is practically unchanged from last year. Harry Leeding of the Oregon Journal is still running a dead heat with us for "dean" honors, with Dick Godfrey of the Oregonian next in line. Fred Zimmerman writes 'em down for the Capital Journal, Ray Brooks is back for the New-Telegram, Jim Nutter, who helped us last year, is now alternating with C. V. Bernhard in covering the games for the Associated Press. Dennis Landry is on hand for United Press. Gardner Knapp is warbling into the loudspeaker again. With Dwight Adams, Marshall Herley and Art Erickson also stationed there, the press box is in position to, and does, challenge the state board of control to a game Saturday.

We doubt if we have ever seen basketball plays work as smoothly as those pulled off by West Linn; just like the diagrams, a la football plays instead of haphazardly as basketball plays usually go.

Silver, Lincoln forward, did something we had never seen done before in over a quarter century of watching basketball; shot his free throws with one hand.

Sips for Supper, believe it or not, has a double; from across the gym, this fellow, sad to say, can hardly be distinguished from Sips himself. Close up, the resemblance is not so noticeable. Sips heard about this fellow, who seems to be a Silverton fan, at the time of the district tournament; he is back for the state tourney and if Sips wants to go up there and be sorry for the stranger, here's an appeal, better to tell him the interesting looking gentleman is on hand.

Ralph Coleman is on the job after all, with something of a limp, but he gets around nevertheless. That over-strenuous handball game had him down for a while, but Coley is a scrapper and refuses to stay down.

Rookie Puts on One-Man Display

BILOXI, Miss., March 15. — (AP) — Ed Lingo, rookie hurler, played a neat major league role today in helping the Washington Senators break the tie in their three-game series with Atlanta, 13 to 2. Lingo pitched five scoreless innings, with three strikeouts; got two hits in two times at bat, driving in one run and scoring another. Then he stole home on the business end of a double steal and figured in one of Washington's two double plays.

HURST HOLDING OUT WINTER HAVEN, Fla., March 15. — (AP) — Contract difficulties

The Same Old Story

MAYBE THAT LAST CONTRACT THEY OFFERED ME WASN'T SO BAD AFTER ALL---

THE HOLD-OUT

IT'S GETTING NEAR THE TIME WHEN ALL THE HOLD-OUTS BEGIN TO WEAKEN!

By BURNLEY

As the sap is running freely in the wildwood; little fowlers are making their shy debuts in the fields; the birds are whistling in the new-green bushes; the family wash is flapping in the back yard, and—it's the dear old call of Spring. He who listens, that one shall hear; and hearing, can he resist?

No, he cannot resist. And so Joseph P. Holdout is fingering that detestable, insulting, horrifying contract that was sent to him by the ball club. When first the postman slipped it to him, Joseph read quickly the item concerning salary, then gave a short, hysterical shriek and dropped the document as if it concealed a tarantula in its voluminous folds.

But now, Spring is here again, and the contract has emerged from the bottom drawer of the bureau. Under the spell of awakening Nature, it has lost its paralyzing effect on Joseph. Indeed, we note that his visage loses its stony set; his jaw sags a bit—and his fingers creep to the pen and ink.

Yes, now is the time for all good holdouts to come back to the fold. It isn't hard to figure out. Just about this time, Joe Holdout has been digesting the reports from his team's training camp. Ridiculous as it may seem, those paragraphs about the young and ambitious rookies who has been laboring for the great Holdout's deserted berth have seeped through his brain—do the point of moving him to action. That dumb kid MIGHT, you know, be really good. And Joseph's own maddening average did slip a bit last season. Billy, but then—

And there is his love of the game, too. Ah, he's nothing but a big sentimental, when you really know him. How can he expect the team to get out there and show 'em something without his stalwart playing? Why, the boys—his pals—will be lost without him. They might even lose a game! Good heavens, lad, what's a bit of starchy here when the honor of the team is at stake? And besides, they just won't pay any more—take it or leave it.

There have been a dock of hold-outs this year, but slowly and surely they are losing their grasp—weakening in their determination to "go back to the old chicken farm if I can't get a decent salary."

That the clubs were forced to cut heavily into the payroll is no secret. It seems to a lot of working persons in other walks of life that downward revision of salaries has "gone on a pretty general procedure. Baseball fans as well as baseball players know that you can take it when you have to.

Baseball owners don't worry much about the holdout. In the history of baseball, few men have refused to play through a season because of salary scraps. We recall Eddie Roush, one-time Cinoy outfielder, and Turkey Miles Donlin, once of the Giants. They stuck it out through a season. But the long-term holdout is rare indeed.

And so an old, old story tells itself again—in the Spring.