

Half Dozen Wild Men to Be Let Loose in Armory Battle Tonight

Next Show to Be Lawmaking

Tonight's Last Mat Event Till Solons Go Home; Sugai Gets Call

Six wild men will be unleashed in the armory arena tonight to stand or fall for the battle royal championship of Salem and environs.

The big whirlwind event, the fastest action known to matdom, will be the last grappling show in the armory until the 1937 legislative session is over.

The six strong and brave men who will do battle tonight include most of the top-notch grapplers on the Herb Owen circuit. They are: Ernie Piluso, popular Italian idol; Don Sugai, Pride of Labish; Jack Clayborn, The Missouri Panther; Jack Lipscomb, the Hoosier Hotshot; Bob Castle, Detroit meane; and Noel Franklin, Hill Military academy wrestling instructor.

Achie, Matthews, Clash, Walter Tinkit Achiu, clever Chinese matman, will meet Bill Matthews, a newcomer, in the 45 minute event.

A roller skating act will take the place of the usual preliminary.

Educators Score Sports Hypocrisy

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Fortified by the best budget-balancing football season they have enjoyed since pre-depression days, college educators and athletic leaders from all parts of the United States struck several sturdy blows today in behalf of "more honesty and less hypocrisy" in handling the troublesome subject of athletic recruiting and subsidizing.

For the first time in years, the gathering of the country's best collegiate minds for the mid-winter convalescence—revolving principally around annual sessions of the National Collegiate A. A. and the American Football Coaches' association—dealt with football's amateu r—professional problems as frankly in open meetings as they did in the hotel lobbies.

Stanford Quint Captures Eastern Tour Opener By 45-38 Score Over Temple

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 28.—(AP)—A sharp shooting Stanford university basketball team opened its eastern invasion auspiciously tonight with a 45 to 38 victory over Temple.

Stanford, led by Archie Stoenfen, lanky center and Hank Luisetti, six foot, three forward, piled up an early lead and was never in danger.

Hope They Didn't Run All the Way!



This is the famous backfield quartet of the University of Washington, By Haines, Ed Nowogroski, Elmer Logg and Jim Cain, left to right, snapped in getaway pose on the practice field at Santa Barbara, Calif.; a few hours later they headed for Pasadena where they will tackle the University of Pittsburgh eleven Friday. The Huskies went through their first workout in the Rose Bowl city yesterday.

Beavers Squeeze Win, Last Minute

Merryman's Mid-Court Goal Saves Day in Tilt With Southern Oregon

CORVALLIS, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Art Merryman forward, scored a field goal from midfloor in the final two minutes of play tonight to give the Oregon State college a 27 to 25 victory over Southern Oregon normal.

The Beavers trailed through the major part of the second half. The Teachers from Ashland were on the short end of a 17 to 15 score at halftime. Hardly led to a six point advantage after the rest period. The Son's star, however, left the game on personals, cutting short the scoring spree.

Hardy scored 16 points. Merryman topped the Beaver scorers with 10 points.

Lewiston Pigskin Pro Gives Blood

LEWISTON, Idaho, Dec. 28.—(AP)—A pint of good red corpuscles of Boston Redskins professional football blood was today transfused from being of Ed "Chug" Justice, fullback of the Boston club, to save the life of Francis Fryer, 49, Astoria Farmer, suffering from a gastric ulcer and hemorrhages in St. Joseph's hospital. The transfusion was completed at 11 o'clock after doctors selected the professional football star, age 23, and weighing 210 pounds, as the perfect

Champion Bearcat Gridders Honored Tonight, Banquet

PORTLAND, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Members of Willamette university's northwest conference championship football team will be guests of honor at a banquet here tomorrow night. The event is sponsored by alumni, ex-students and students of the Salem school.

athletic specimen capable of sparing the life-giving blood.

Justice reclined for half an hour after the transfusion then went to the home of his parents across the river from Lewiston, at Clarkston, Wash.

Keene Gives Call For Hoop Players

With two of his first string men in bed with bad colds "Spec" Keene yesterday called together his basketball squad for the opening of intensive training to be broken only by the New Year's holiday.

Bill Anton, tall point-gardener center, and Jerry Gastineau, high-scoring forward of last year's "Chug" Justice, fullback of the Boston club, to save the life of Francis Fryer, 49, Astoria Farmer, suffering from a gastric ulcer and hemorrhages in St. Joseph's hospital. The transfusion was completed at 11 o'clock after doctors selected the professional football star, age 23, and weighing 210 pounds, as the perfect

Willamette will play Oregon State on the Willamette floor on January 6.

Huskies Work Out On Pasadena Grid

Get Rousing Welcome, City Of Rose Bowl Contest; Other Tilts Near

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 28.—(AP)—Pasadena got its first real taste of the approaching Rose Bowl football classic today as the Washington Huskies practiced on local soil, preparing for the game with the Golden Panthers of Pittsburgh New Year's day.

This city, a little hungry for pre-game enthusiasm in view of the fact that its huge bowl was sold out in near-record time, and that both Pitt and Washington elected to train elsewhere last week, greeted the boys from the northwest with wide open arms.

As Pitt added another workout to its intensive schedule at nearby San Bernardino, Coach Jim Crosson led his Huskies into Brookside park here for practice.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Eastern football players, drilling for the annual east-west charity game here New Year's day, charged through snappy morning and afternoon workouts today.

The western players divided squads and scrimmaged against each other in a two-hour workout.

BATON ROUGE, La., Dec. 28.—(AP)—Rounding his gridders into the final lap of training for the Sugar Bowl game, Coach Bernie Moore of Louisiana State University labored today to tighten weak spots revealed in Saturday's scrimmage against Santa Clara plays.

16-Team Y. M. Tourney Opens

150 Boys Playing Holiday Games This Week With Finals on Friday

One hundred and fifty boys, comprising 16 basketball teams, took part in the Y. M. C. A. open house hoop tournament as it swung into action Monday afternoon.

Top squads—Leslie Peanuts, Midgets, Tigers, Forbes, M. E. church, Mustangs, Leopards, Nazarene church, Yankees, Presbyterians, Bees and Bald Eagles—make up the junior high group in which a double elimination tourney will be run off. The championship tilt will be played as part of an all-day program Friday.

Champ Tilts Friday The six high school outfits will play a round robin schedule, with the two clubs standing highest at the conclusion playing for the championship, New Year's day.

The teams are: Hotshots, Woman Haters, Leslie Alums, Liberty, Sophomores and Jones Boys. Scores Monday: Peanuts 86, Midgets 83; Medley high point man with 34. Nazarene 31, Mustangs 7, Kleiner high with 12; Presbyterian 11, Yankees 6; Leopards 28, Forbes 9; Satter high 15. Bald Eagles 40, Tigers 37, Irland high with 15. Hotshots 27, Leslie Alums 8; Woman Haters 28, Supps 21; Jones 19, Liberty 21. The schedule for Tuesday is: 1:00—Midgets vs. Mustangs; 1:35—Tigers vs. Forbes; 2:00—Peanuts vs. Nazarene; 2:45—Leopards vs. Presbyterians; 3:20—Woman Haters vs. Hotshots; 3:55—Sophs vs. Jones Boys; 4:30—Liberty vs. Leslie Alums; 5:05—Jones Boys vs. Woman Haters; Yankees and Bald Eagles both draw byes.

Athletes Awarded Letters at Canby

CANBY, Dec. 28.—Letter awards were presented to members of the football team and an assembly recently. Fifteen alumni were also present. Eighteen football letters were given out by Coach "Pat" Beal, with 13 of this number seniors who will be lost by graduation.

Players receiving the official award were: Capt. Thompson, Eilers, C. Miles, M. Miles, Patch, Bateson, Quinn, Meyers, Rick, Giesy, Toon, Stachely and Parmenter; seniors—Colvin, Klingner, Wells, Bigel and Ritter, juniors.

In cross country, awards were presented to Capt. Foder, Dettie, Beer, Schultz, Bryant, Sheppard and Burgess. Only two of this year's winning team are lost by graduation.

Football Betting Discussed, Meet

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—(AP)—College football went to its annual clinic today, the 11th annual sportsmanship brotherhood. Ramifications, such as professionalism, betting and conduct of spectators came in for their usual criticism, but the gridiron sport likewise was pictured as having a definite part in every educational program.

Dr. Robert C. Clothier, president of Rutgers university, traced the growth of football since its inception in 1869 when teams of 25 players each from Princeton and Rutgers met at New Brunswick, N. J.

Clippers Pull Selves Up From Ice Loop Basement

VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 28.—(AP)—Oakland Clippers hoisted themselves out of the Pacific coast hockey league cellar tonight with a 2-1 victory over the second place Vancouver Lions.

The victory moved the Clippers into a third place in the standings, one point ahead of Seattle Seahawks who took over the bottom rung.

Anderson Fired Y Quint Defeats Vernonia, 31-29

Vermonia's basketballers gave the Salem Y. M. C. A. hoop team a close run in their game here last night but the Y-men managed to get on the long end of a 31 to 29 score at the end of the contest. Condit of Vernonia took scoring honors with 15 points but both of Salem Y was close behind with 11.

Lineups: Vernonia: Salem Y. Condit 15, F....., 3, Petro....., 3, Page....., 11, Roth....., 6, Schlaack....., 6, Papkoff....., 4, Keusch....., 4, Steinbock..... Anderson: Salem Y. Condit 15, F....., 3, Petro....., 3, Page....., 11, Roth....., 6, Schlaack....., 6, Papkoff....., 4, Keusch....., 4, Steinbock.....

Buckaroos Cling to Lead By Lions' Generosity in Collecting Penalty List

PORTLAND, Dec. 28.—(AP)—The Portland Buckaroos held to a narrow lead in the Pacific coast Hockey league today with the co-operation of the Vancouver Lions.

The Lions, an unwilling partner to the advance of the Buckaroos, committed too many penalties in Sunday night's game and lost 2 to 1 after leading 1 to 0 with but eight minutes of play remaining. Portland scored twice after two Lions were banished for fouls.

Queens of Orange Bowl Game



In competition with scores of beauties who sought the honor, Miss Leontine McGregor, left, of Detroit, was chosen "Queen of the North" and Miss Joan Taylor of Miami, right, was selected "Queen of the South" to reign at the annual Orange Bowl football game between Duquesne university and Mississippi State at Miami.



Seal Record Set By Small School

A small rural Marion county school has set a per capita Christmas seal sale record this year that probably no other school in the county, or in the state as far as that goes, will equal.

The Centerville school with nine pupils enrolled sold \$8.05 worth of seals, for a per capita sale of almost 89 1/2 cents. H. H. Paget is the teacher.

Final returns from the seal sale in the county are now coming to the office of the Marion county public health association, the sponsoring group. The reports from 21 of the 119 rural centers show a 27 per cent increase in the seal sales in the rural area this holiday season, says Mrs. C. W. Stacey, chairman of the seal sales outside of Salem.

African Missionary Will Speak Wednesday, Albany

ALBANY, Dec. 28.—Wednesday night a returned missionary from Africa will speak at the Evangelical church and the following night Rev. J. H. Saltman, Seattle, district superintendent of the Evangelical churches of meetings in the same church.

Woodburn Bulldogs Will Meet Gervais Five There

WOODBURN, Dec. 28.—The Woodburn Bulldogs, with their coach, Eldon Cone, will go to Gervais Tuesday night where they will play a return game with the Gervais quintet. The Woodburn team won over the Gervais boys by a score of 35 to 15 several weeks ago and expect a good game Tuesday. The Woodburn team will start with its usual lineup of Whitman and Anony, forwards, Evenden, center; J. Anderson and Shaw, guards.

McLoughlin Victor

MILTON-FREEWATER, Ore., Dec. 28.—(AP)—McLoughlin union high school coupled a whirlwind attack with a close-checking defense to defeat Lewis and Clark high school of Spokane, 31 to 17 in a basketball game here tonight.

Contracts Log Job

SCIO, Dec. 28.—F. H. McKinnis has contracted to haul maple logs from the John Smelser farm on Rodgers mountain east of Scio to Albany where they will be processed for furniture.

State Prep 5s Look to March

Scalp of Champ Corvallis Quintet Is Goal of 260 Hoop-Squads

(By the Associated Press) Thousands of Oregon high school boys on approximately 260 basketball teams thought of March today and the state basketball tournament at Salem.

Long schedules and then district tournaments offer high barriers to championship aspirations but there's not a team in the state without high hopes of attaining the title now held by Corvallis. The Oregon High School Athletic association lists 66 "A" schools ready to enter the competition when the Christmas holidays end. Approximately 193 "B" squads will send four from their ranks into the Willamette university championships.

Many schools already have played pre-season contests but all coaches recognize the results as having little or no bearing on the title prospects.

Salem Assured Place Salem high school, host team, is the only outfit assured of a place in the tournament. Regardless of its record, the capital city combination is always one of the 16 teams.

Defending district champions are: District 1—La Grande, District 2—McLoughlin Union, District 3—Bend, District 4—Oregon City, District 5—Astoria, District 6—Tillamook, District 7—Lakeview, District 8—Corvallis, state champion, District 9—Roseburg, District 10—Ashland, District 11—Benson and Franklin of Portland.

The four "B" teams in the last tournament were for lack of evidence or similar grounds. There are now 123 criminal cases on the docket. Only those cases considered alive are to be left for prosecution by Lyle J. "Barney" Page, district attorney-elect, who will take office January 1.

Criminal Cases To Be Dismissed

During the week it is expected that W. H. Trindle, retiring district attorney, will move for the dismissal of a number of criminal cases in circuit court upon which there has been no action for some time. The cases that are dismissed will be for lack of evidence or similar grounds. There are now 123 criminal cases on the docket. Only those cases considered alive are to be left for prosecution by Lyle J. "Barney" Page, district attorney-elect, who will take office January 1.

In Judge McMahan's civil department of circuit court house-cleaning and motion day is scheduled for next Saturday, January 2. It is expected a heavy grip of cases will be cleaned off the docket under the law which permits such cleaning up when no step has been taken toward prosecution of a cause during the preceding year. The jury in this department had been called to meet January 4 but because of cases set in Albany the jury will be notified not to meet until Monday, January 11, notices to be sent out in a day or two countermanding the earlier notices.

Judge Lowell expects to hold his regular housecleaning and motion day on Tuesday, January 5, and it is expected a large number of cases will automatically be dismissed in his department due to lack of prosecution in the time limited by the statute.

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Crawford Pupils Present Program

TURNER, Dec. 28.—The Crawford school put on its Christmas program Tuesday night. Mrs. Clara Clark is teacher of the 25 pupils. Members of the Turner Garden club and friends drove to Salem Sunday night to tour the districts in Salem, taking part in the Christmas illumination.

Frank Sten... salesman for the Frigidaire Mills, has rented the commodious I. L. Robertson home and is moving here from Junction City.

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Brightest Star of the Year

By BURNLEY

In a recent poll, sports writers voted Jesse Owens the outstanding sport star of 1936. The coffee-colored triple Olympic champion also heads the preliminary voting for the 1936 Sullivan Trophy, awarded to the A.A.U.'s choice as leading amateur athlete each year.

Whether dusky Jesse will actually be named by the Sullivan committee is problematical, considering his post-Olympic run-in with the high and mighty A.A.U. moguls. That this marvelous athlete deserves the award goes without saying, but the badge-wearing buffoons are very touchy about athletes who have caused their official displeasure at any time.

The speedy Owens, now engaged in the pleasant pastime of chasing dollars, is losing no sleep over the deliberations of the Sullivan moguls. The other day, during the big sports carnival now under way at Havana, Jesse made his official pro debut, at least as far as running is concerned. The all-conquering Olympian, undisputed fastest human, raced a horse, among other things. Just what this was supposed to prove, I don't know, but Jesse got paid for it, so he didn't mind.

Having learned that all the glory in the world doesn't satisfy any hunger pang, the dark flash is out to fetter up the old bank roll by means of exhibitions, vaudeville appearances and what not.

Used Car Bowlers Sweep Auto Loop

Used car pinmen took the evening's bacon in the automotive bowling league last night. Shrocks bested Wilsons three straight and Whites won two of three from Valley Motors.

Scores:

Shocks	Wilson
McKinsey 181 153 197-531	Barry 97 123 125-348
Woody 182 164 148-494	Manning 160 149 150-459
Wells 164 179 181-515	Allen 140 127 152-422
Shrock 186 173 197-556	Alwin 152 140 155-447
Clise 166 201 170-538	Sharkey 113 152 163-427
TOTAL 880 801 859 2094	

Otto J. Wilson
Headcap 33 38 17-91
Phillips 97 123 125-348
Manning 160 149 150-459
Allen 140 127 152-422
Alwin 152 140 155-447
Vieske 120 169 195-474
TOTAL 774 825 828 2427

Valley Motor
Headcap 33 38 17-91
Phillips 97 123 125-348
Phillips 97 123 125-348
Phillips 97 123 125-348
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TOTAL 681 749 884 2064

Whites
Key 114 148 184-446
White 123 141 163-427
Barter 139 185 180-406
Lloyd 147 169 181-497
Austin 192 170 173-535
TOTAL 706 697 801 2204

Webfoots Defeat Union Oil 43-38

PORTLAND, Dec. 28.—(AP)—The Oregon Webfoots came from behind tonight to tie the Union Oil quintet and then to win 45 to 38 in a hectic overtime period.

The teams stood 32 to 32 at the end of the regular playing period. The oilers led, 18 to 15, at half time.

Dave Silver, Oregon forward, netted 19 points.

Chicagan Beats Sutka

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—(AP)—Fred Lenhart, speedy middleweight from Tacoma, won an easy decision over George Sutka, Detroit, in their eight round match at Marigold Garden arena tonight.

Hoop Scores

University of Oregon 43; Union Oil 38. Oregon Normal 27; Southern Oregon 25. McLoughlin High 31; Clark High, Spokane, 17. Gonzaga 49; Mount St. 39.

WRESTLING Battle Royal

ERNE PILUSO
DON SUGAI
JACK CLAYBORN
JACK LIPSCOMB
BOB CASTLE
NOEL FRANKLIN

WALTER ACHIU vs. BILL MATTHEWS
45 Minutes

PRELIMINARY — SKATING ACT

Salem Armory, TONIGHT, 8:30

Lower Floor 50c, Students 40c, Reserved Seats 75c (also Tax)
Students 25c, Ladies 50c
Tickets, Cliff Parker's and Lyle's - Asst. Supper American Legion Herb Owen, Matchmaker