

Beavers Fall First Time Since 1929 as Bearcats Discover Basket

31-28 Victory Hotly Fought

Beard, Mosher Advanced From Second String; Bertha Revised

Willamette's Bearcats found themselves last night, found how to hit the hoop and found that beating the Oregon State Beavers in basketball wasn't an impossibility.

The Bearcats beat the Beavers 31 to 28.

It was an altered Bearcat combination that took the floor last night to make good the Bearcat vow that Oregon State's wine must come to an end.

The game was a close-checking one all the time. Good ball-handling was necessary to score and the Bearcats turned in some good ball-handling.

The Beavers, led by the Wintermate and big Earl Conkling, took an early lead.

The Beavers held on to their lead narrowly until three minutes were left in the half.

Many another game has seen the Bearcats ahead or close at half-time only to fade in the second half.

Mosher sank one from the foul circle, Vesteeg made a good push score from the top.

It was a close-checking game and there were plenty of fouls called, the prodigious number of 31, in fact.

Conkling popped in two field goals quickly and made it 24 to 20 with 6 1/2 minutes to go.

With two minutes left Kolberg scored a field goal from the foul line, making it 26 to 21, and a second later Harris broke down the court to pot a crumple.

But Oregon State's last desperate long shot failed and the timer's gun sounded.

Willamette missed ten out of 19 free throws while Oregon State missed eight out of 15.

The Bearcats will meet Southern Oregon Normal in two games series at Ashland Friday and Saturday.

Lineup and summary: Oregon State (28) G FT TP Merriman f 0 2 2 Wintermate f 3 1 7 Hollingsworth f 0 1 1 Conkling c 2 1 7 Kolberg g 3 1 3 Lyman g 1 1 3 Harris f 1 0 2 Totals 10 8 28

Willamette (31) G FT TP Versteeg f 4 1 9 Weaver f 1 3 5 Gastineau c 2 1 2 Beard g 1 0 2 Mosher g 3 3 9 Brandon g 0 1 1 Totals 11 9 21

Free throws missed: Wintermate, Conkling, Kolberg, Lyman, Hollingsworth, 2, Versteeg, Weaver, 5, Mosher, 2, Brandon, Nunneknamp.

Personal Fouls: Wintermate 2, Merriman 4, Conkling 3, Kolberg 2, Lyman, Hollingsworth 3, Kibbe, Versteeg 4, Weaver 3, Gastineau, Beard 4, Mosher 3, Nunneknamp, Referee, Ralph Coleman, Corvallis; Umpire, Max Allen, Salem.

Dallas Will Meet Molalla League Team Friday Night

DALLAS, Jan. 6.—The Dallas high school basketball team will meet Molalla high Friday night of this week on the local floor.

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Debating Shortstop Supremacy

By BURNLEY



WHEN the official big league baseball records are released, arguments always are sure to issue among rabid baseball fans.

The National League's 1936 fielding averages provoked plenty of debates as to the leading shortstop of the past campaign.

Woodburn Falls To Lions, 24-18

WOODBURN, Jan. 5.—The Woodburn Bulldogs lost to West Linn 24 to 18 here last night.

W. Linn (24) (18) Woodburn Peters 2.....F.....5 Whitman Tour 9.....F.....5 Anoby Stone 5.....G.....4 Shaw Freeman 5.....G.....3 Edwards McClaine 7.....G..... Anderson

Delegation Urges State Mining Aid

The need of a state mining bureau in Oregon was stressed by Senator James Chincock and a number of other Josephine county residents who called at the executive department yesterday.

Chincock told Governor Charles H. Martin that the mining industry had made rapid strides during the past few years.

Stanford Wins 66-28

BOZEMAN, Mont., Jan. 6.—(AP)—Stanford university's basketball team won in the final game of a national barnstorming tour won an easy victory over the Montana State college Bobcats 66 to 28 tonight.

Aussie Crickets Win

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Seattle Hawks Defeat Lions 5 to 4, Overtime Game

SEATTLE, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Buried in the Pacific coast ice hockey league collar for two weeks, the Seattle Hawks climbed the comeback trail here tonight, defeating the Vancouver Lions for the second straight time, 5 to 4.

Wolf, Pirate Clash Friday

Normal Squad Faces Busy January Schedule on Maple Courts

MONMOUTH, Jan. 6.—Oregon Normal Wolves, recently returned from a successful series of holiday games in Portland where they chalked up three victories—Mentel club, 51-49; Pacific Packers, 42-38, and Bradford's Clothiers, 42-39—are ready for the January schedule here.

Two last-year lettermen, returned to the Wolf pack this term, are Oliver Raikko, an outstanding forward and former Benson high ace, who attended Oregon State last term, and Claude O'Connell from Odell, who was runner-up in points last year—second only to Jack Butterworth.

New men arriving this term who give promise of unusual performance include Joe Jeros from Illinois, Hugh Hassell and Darrel Davis of Eugene, and Lloyd Lewis.

Salem Player Shines

Mohler, center of the squad, also center on the Wolves' 1936 football team, is ace scorer to date with 53 points made in five games this season.

Elmer Borden is second high contender for point honors.

The January schedule follows: Jan. 8—Bany college, there.

Jan. 14—Pacific university, there.

Jan. 16—Pacific university, here.

Jan. 21—Bellingham normal, here.

Jan. 23—Willamette university, there.

Jan. 29—St. Martin's college, Lacey, Wash., here.

Dope Is Upset by Perry, Pro Debut

Garden Crowd Witnesses E. Vines' Defeat by English Netman

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Fred Perry of England, world amateur champion for the past three years, signalled his professional debut tonight with a dope-upsetting 7-5, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4 victory over Gils-holder of the world pro-title, in Madison Square Garden before a crowd of 17,636 spectators.

Living up to press notices only at widely separated moments, and then giving only flashes of his vaunted hitting, Vines was badly off form besides being handicapped by a cold and a temperature of 101.3 degrees.

Molalla Downed By Independence

INDEPENDENCE, Jan. 6.—Independence high won its first hoop game in the Willamette Valley league conference with Molalla high, 23 to 19 at Molalla Tuesday night.

Freddie Miller Advances Comeback, Beats Covelli

CINCINNATI, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Freddie Miller, of Cincinnati, former N. B. A. featherweight champion, moved along the comeback trail tonight, winning the judge's decision over Frankie "Kid" Covelli of Brooklyn after ten fast rounds.

Wallace Beats Lee

VANCOUVER, B. C., Jan. 6.—(AP)—Gordon Wallace, Canadian welterweight titleholder, buried Billy Lee of Reno, Nev., under a barrage of leather to take a ten-round decision from the Flute Indian here tonight.

Speedy Hoop Contest to Dedicate Mt. Angel's New Gym in Place of Usual Oratory, Sunday at 2 p.m.

The rumble of basketball's speedy charges up and down the floor, rather than orators' words, will dedicate the newly completed gymnasium at Mt. Angel college Sunday afternoon.

Coach Galer of the college announced while in Salem yesterday. The dedicatory game, with Portland university's strong quintet as Mt. Angel's opponent, is scheduled for 2 p. m.

Strictly speaking this will not be the first basketball game on the new floor, for Galer's quintet will play Bradford's of Portland there Friday night after meeting the same team in Portland tonight, but the emphasis is being placed on the Sunday afternoon contest with Portland U., which will be the first formal intercollegiate contest in the roomy, well-planned basketball court.

Pilots Show Strength

Portland's Pilots may take a little of the joy out of the occasion by defeating the Angels, for the cliff dwellers are apparently as strong as they have ever been in the past, having defeated

Albany college this week 37 to 15 and lost to Multnomah club by only a few points.

Coach Galer is rather uncertain how his team will fare this year, with four of last year's more-or-less regulars gone and an equal number of players who saw major service, still available.

Vacancies will be filled by some of a number of promising recruits high school hoopers, including two, Bob Burrell and Thomas, Salem boys; Jim Nolan from Eugene; Bud Moore, George Hodger and Walker from Tillamook; Syverson from Independence; Frank Johnson from Silverton; Lyle Fosmark from Canby; George Schaffers and Ray Karp.

Some high class opponents will be brought to the new Mt. Angel gym this year, including Gonzaga, Seattle college, St. Martin's from Lacey, Wash., Southern Oregon Normal and others.

Gregg Finds Rose Bowl Game Treat

The Rose Bowl football game is a great show, and well worth traveling that far to see even though this year's game was a bit one-sided, reported Glenn Gregg, one of Salem's ultra-fans who just returned from Pasadena, where he witnessed the contest.

Boiler Goes By Air

Salem fan who flew down to see the game, but the only one person from this vicinity he saw aside from members of his own party was Dr. George E. Alden, now living in California, whom he glimpsed at a distance while watching the parade.

Hobson Mum on Oregon Starters

EUGENE, Ore., Jan. 6.—(AP)—Coach Howard Hobson kept mum today concerning his starting basketball lineup for the opening conference game with Washington State here Friday night, but all indications pointed to a quintet of three lettermen and two sophomores.

Those deemed likely to get the call included John Lewis and Dave Silver, forwards; Slim Wintermute, center, and Bill Courtney and Bob Anet, guards. Lewis, Silver and Courtney are the veterans.

Kittens Lose by One Point Again

Bellfountain's Handling of Ball Is Feature of Prelim Tilt

Bill Lemmon's Bellfountain basketball team gave the Willamette Bearkittens a lesson in ball-handling last night, and won 21 to 20.

It was the second defeat by a one-point margin in two days for the Freshmen.

Bellfountain led 12 to 11 at half-time and was ahead of the Bearkittens all the way. A rally late in the fourth period, with two field goals by Bill Wagner figuring, brought the Freshmen up to striking distance.

C.P.S. Goes Down

ELLENBURG, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Ellensburg Normal school defeated the College of Puget Sound quintet 29 to 26, here tonight in a wild, exciting basketball game.

Valley Motor-Paper Mill Game Opens Triple Header at 7 p.m.

Major division City Y league play will be resumed on the Leslie junior high floor tonight with three games slated.

Jewelers, Oilers Each Sweep Alley

Stevens & Brown took three games from Don's Lunch and Rickfield won three from Goodrich Silvertown in Commercial league bowling at the Bowl-Mor alleys last night.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Points, Games. Includes Stevens & Brown, Rickfield, Don's Lunch, Goodrich Silvertown.

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Sons Again Trim Linfield Hoopers

ASHLAND, Ore., Jan. 6.—(AP)—The Southern Oregon Normal basketball team made its four straight over Linfield college tonight by edging out a 25 to 24 victory with an eleven-hour rally.

The visitors led 13 to 6 at half time and were ahead 22 to 14 late in the game.

Hatch Entry Wins

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 6.—(AP)—H. C. Hatch's Sweetstain, 8-year-old horse by Sweetstain-Battross, ran away with the \$1500 San Diego Handicap, one mile feature event at Santa Anita park today, finishing four lengths in front of Exhilar, with Our Count third.

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