

State Mat Meet to Open

135 Will Seek Weight Titles

Benson and Salem Leading Aspirants For Honors; Start Tonight at 7

Ready to tussle their way to state championships if they can, 135 boys representing 13 Oregon high schools will start tonight through their mat tactics tonight as the sixth annual state high school wrestling tournament opens in the Salem high school gymnasium at 7 o'clock.

After wrestling sessions tonight, tomorrow afternoon and tomorrow night in which one by one the contenders in the ten weight divisions will be eliminated, a new state grappling champion will be crowned or Benson high of Portland, present champion, will retain the title it won last year.

Benson and Salem, which have divided the championships in the past five years, are the strong favorites to cop the championship. Each enters the tournament with a full squad. Benson's chances are enhanced by the fact that two of its wrestlers won state titles in their weight divisions last year but the Techmen are likely to find heavy competition from the Salem team, undefeated in six matches. Salem won from Benson in a regular season match but the Portland polytechnic team was not at full strength for the engagement.

Preliminary elimination, with two matches going on simultaneously, will take up all of tonight's wrestling with finals slated for tomorrow afternoon and early in the night program. Finals will get under way at 8 o'clock Saturday night.

While Salem and Benson last year took championships in every weight division except one they will probably find tougher competition this year from other schools. Corvallis, Sandy, Oregon City and Chemawa have all entered the cream of their athletes while other schools have entered only a few of their best men.

A permanent trophy to go to the winning team has been on display at Parker's sporting goods store. Individual medals will go to champions in 95, 112, 118, 135, 145, 155, 165, 175 and heavyweight divisions.

Officials for the tourney will be Chester Newton, Tillamook, ex-Oregon State athlete and runner-up in the 1924 Olympics; Don Hendrie, former Washington State wrestling star, and Roy Mink, Salem Y. M. C. A. wrestling instructor.

Gurnee Flesher will be head clerk with Carter Gould and Wilbur Traglio as assistants. C. H. Mason will be timer.

Salem high wrestlers entered in the meet are: 105 pounds, John Sugal, Hiroshi Shikido; 112, Ron and Waring, Ken Mio; 118, Tom Mio, Bill Huffman; 126, Earl Nichols, Gerald McCarroll; 135, Bob Reeves, Millard Orey; 145, Don Townsend, Frank Johnson; 155, Jerry Govey, Howard Meyer; 165, Orville Raymond, Tom King; 175, Curtis Emory, Jean Holsten; heavyweight, Anthony Nunn.

Stayton High Has 2nd Place in Bag

STAYTON, Feb. 25.—The victory over Aumsville here Tuesday night assures Stayton high school basketball squad of second place in the final standings in the Santiam league, regardless of the outcome of the final game, a postponed tilt, with Aumsville there Friday night.

The high school quint turned in a double victory for Coach Everett Gentemann Tuesday when they took both first and second team games. The first string won 23 to 14 while the second class boys swamped their opponents by a 26 to 6 count.

While the high school is winding up the season's play, Tom Parker's team is drilling hard for the coming battle with Hubbard for the Marion county championship. March 5 has been set as the date for the title battle and indications are it will be played on the Stayton floor. The Stayton grade five won the county championship last year.

Eugene B Quintet It Defeated Here

The Salem high team defeated the Eugene B quint 17 to 13 in a preliminary to the Salem-Eugene game last night. Salem took over the lead in the second period and led 10 to 7 at half-time. Lineups:

Salem B (17) (13) Eugene B
Gosser, 5.....F.....1. Good
Smithers, 2.....F.....2. Robertson
Van Woert, 4.....G.....3. Johnson
Reeves, 5.....G.....4. Gaylord
Driggs, 2.....G.....2. Bristow
Referee, Allen.

Hubbard to Play Stayton Basketball Team March 5 For County Championship

HUBBARD, Feb. 25.—The Hubbard grade school basketball team, champions of the North Marion county league, was notified Monday afternoon that they must play the Stayton grade school team for the championship of Marion county, instead of the Hill City team as was thought at first. The Stayton team is the champion team of southern Marion county.

The first game will be played at Stayton March 5. The second game will be played at Hubbard on March 12. The third game, if necessary, will be announced later.

Newhouse Injures Eye But Will Not Lose Use, Belief

GARIBALDI, Ore., Feb. 25.—(AP)—Darrell Newhouse, Willamette university grid player, will not lose the sight of his eye, injured when he struck his head on an automobile when entering a garage in the dark, his doctor said today.

The eyeball was cut by a piece of glass but the optic nerve was not permanently injured, the doctor said.

Parrish Wins Out Over Leslie Quint

Score 39-15 as North End Five Gets Early Lead; 8th Graders Play

Parrish junior high chalked up another mark over Leslie as the Parrish hoop quint downed the Southenders 39 to 15 last night before a crowd of nearly 500 in the Parrish gymnasium.

Playing a smooth, fast-passing game the Parrish team went into the lead from the first and was never headed. Parrish had built up a 23 to 5 lead by halftime.

Kernes and Sebern, Parrish forwards, scored 11 and 10 points respectively in leading their team to the win.

Parrish eighth-graders made it a big night for supporters of the northside school by defeating a Leslie eighth grade quint 39 to 7 in a preliminary game. Bower, center, and Bradshaw, left-handed forward, led the eighth graders. Lineups:

Parrish 39.....15 Leslie
Sebern 19.....F.....6 Medley
Kernes 11.....F.....1 Salstrom
Robert 8.....C.....1 Mason
Kitchen 6.....G.....7 Peary
Scott 2.....G.....1 Wilson
Substitutes: for Parrish, Elsey 2.
Referee, Drynan.
Parrish 8th 39.....7 Leslie 8th
Bradshaw 11.....F.....1 Gemell
Bower 14.....F.....1 Woodard
Van Slyke 2.....C.....4 Boardman
Turner.....G.....2 Sweigert
Jones 2.....G.....2 Applegate
Substitutes: for Parrish, Yarnell 1.
Referee, Sebern; umpire, Harns.

Sacred Heart Freshmen Win Game at Mt. Angel

The Sacred Heart freshman quint defeated the Mt. Angel freshmen 14 to 9 at Mt. Angel last night. Lineups:

M. A. Frosh (9) (14) S. C. Frosh
Kahoe, 2.....F.....3 Kerber
Appley, 2.....F.....1 Free
Kronberg, 3.....C.....2 Wehrli
Skonetzki, 3.....G.....5 Schless
Stahl.....G.....4 Shea
Substitutes: for Mt. Angel, Bean 2.

Bearcats' Grid Sked Revealed

Will Play San Jose There at Night; Nevada Game Still Hanging Fire

With announcement yesterday that Willamette's 1937 football team will meet San Jose state college in a night game at San Jose, October 15, the Bearcat grid schedule reached ten games with possibility that another game, which has been hanging fire since the close of football season, may be added.

Willamette and San Jose will meet again this year after a lapse in their relations last year when they were unable to agree on a date. Willamette defeated the Spartans in games played in 1934 and 1935.

To make room for Coach Dud DeGroot's San Jose team on the Willamette schedule it was necessary to shift the College of Idaho game, a conference tilt, from October 15 to November 20.

Only football negotiations yet to be closed are with the University of Nevada. Nevada played here last year on a home and home agreement but has so far turned a cold shoulder toward Willamette's efforts to arrange a date for the contracted game at Reno this year.

Pilots Come Here
With the University of Portland game, resumed this year after a lapse of two seasons, tentatively slated for Salem, six home games are on the schedule. Besides conference games with Pacific, Albany and College of Idaho, they include games with Whittier and Fresno.

The Bearcats will meet Oregon State at Corvallis November 6, later in the season than they have ever met the Beavers. The schedule follows:

September 25—Albany at Salem.
October 1—Fresno at Salem.
October 9—Portland at Salem.
October 15—San Jose state at San Jose.
October 22—Whittier at Salem.
October 29—Puget Sound at Tacoma.
November 6—Oregon State at Corvallis.
November 11—Pacific at Salem.
November 20—College of Idaho at Salem.
November 25—Whittier at Walla Walla.

Bucs Boost Lead

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 25.—(AP)—The Portland Buckaroos boosted their lead in the Pacific coast ice hockey league tonight with a 4 to 2 victory over the Spokane Clippers in a fast, rough game. The win gave the Bucs a three-point edge over the second-place Vancouver Lions.

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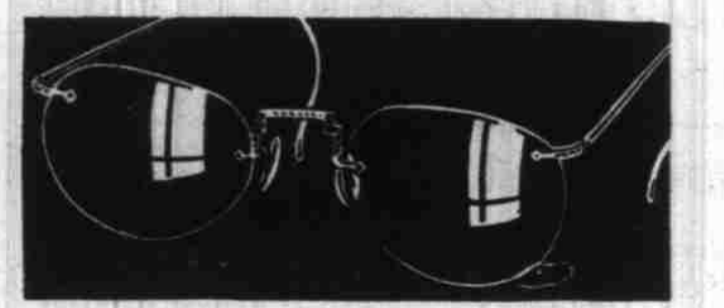
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