

His name may be Sick, but he evidently has a healthy bank roll. Emil G. Sick, brewery baron who managed the Seattle Pacific Coast league ball club and franchise, is the fellow who gave the first time in modern history, a publicity exponent has hit the nail squarely on the head and left no glistering splinters. They don't even intimate that Sick may have acquired a heavy liability though.

Financial Smiles. Says the publicity bureau, "obviously, it was civic pride and love of baseball which prompted Sick to take the baseball helm in Seattle..."

8 Rousing "Hics" For Sick. In case you want to know some of the background of this modern Saint Nick, Saint Sick, he first saw the light of day in Tacoma. He owns four breweries in the northwest, and four in Canada, and is president of the Associated Brewers of Canada.

Semi-Pros Start Talk. While conversing baseballically, word trickles in from Portland that interest is already looking up for next summer's Oregon semi-pro setup.

Salem Sick, or Sick-Less? No mention has been made of Salem in these early baseball mutterings, however, insofar as we know, there has been no stir of interest here whatsoever.

Pett-lance: Bob Stodenkirchsen, German-born high school trackster who missed Olympic selection 'cause his American citizenship papers weren't complete in '36 and who is now a freshman at Cornell...

Gill's Defense Spoils Record

Oregon Goes Ahead Once, Then Beaver Rally Is Effective Again

CORVALLIS, Ore., Jan. 15-(AP)—The University of Oregon basketball team, previously undefeated and favored to win the northern division Pacific coast conference title, lost to Oregon State, 36 to 32, tonight before a capacity crowd of 3,500 fans.

Oregon State held a slight advantage throughout the first half, which ended 14 to 13 for the Beavers. Oregon's lanky basket-keepers, noted for a hard-running attack and impregnable defense, failed to repeat their 38 to 32 victory, scored at Eugene last night.

Oregon led, 23 to 19, midway in the second half but went down beneath a wild flurry of Oregon State shots. The game was rough, but few fouls were called.

Oregon, hampered by the Beavers' zone defense, handled the ball poorly in the first half. With one minute to go in the second quarter, the score was tied, 13 to 13, when Kebbe tallied a foul shot for Oregon state.

Halftime score: Oregon 15; Oregon State 14. Personal fouls: Gale 2, Sarpola, Dick 4, Wintermute 2, Pav-alunas, Johansen 4, Anet 3, Mul-len 2, Kruger, Vanelli 3, Romano 4, Kebbe 2, Harris 3.

Ted Bank Goes to Talk Mentor Job

MOSCOW, Idaho, Jan. 15-(AP)—Ted Bank, head football coach at the University of Idaho and one of the four candidates being con-sidered as a successor for Prince Callison, at the University of Ore-gon, left for Eugene, Ore., today.

Bank refused to comment on his visit, other than to say he had been invited to the Oregon campus for a visit with the Oregon ath-letic board of control Sunday.

League Standings

Table with 4 columns: Team, W, L, Pct., For Agt. Northwest Conference: Willamette 5, 1, .833, 98 32; CPS 2, 1, .667, 170 176; Whitman 1, 1, .500, 103 89; Albany 1, 1, .500, 92 81; Pacific 0, 1, .000, 27 38.

Table with 4 columns: Team, W, L, Pct., For Agt. WVI League Standings: Woodburn 5, 0, 1.000, 122 44; Dallas 3, 1, .750, 185 119; Chemawa 3, 1, .750, 148 103; OSOS 2, 1, .667, 78 77; Machines 2, 1, .667, 66 66; F. Farmers 2, 1, .667, 51 67; Soops 1, 1, .500, 57 66; Auto Shop 0, 3, .000, 50 121; Woodworkers 0, 3, .000, 40 117.

Table with 4 columns: Team, W, L, Pct., For Agt. Major Division City Y: Gen. Finance 1, 0, 1.000, 37 28; Safeway 1, 0, 1.000, 49 29; WC Frosh 1, 0, 1.000, 25 24; CYO 0, 1, .000, 24 25; Sift 0, 1, .000, 28 49; Chemawa 0, 1, .000, 37 28.

Table with 4 columns: Team, W, L, Pct., For Agt. "No-Name" League: Corvallis 3, 0, 1.000, 83 54; Salem 2, 0, 1.000, 84 32; Tillamook 2, 1, .667, 78 77; Eugene 1, 1, .500, 62 44; Oregon City 1, 1, .500, 54 106; McMinnville 0, 4, .000, 60 123.

Bearcats Beat Badgers 38-27

Anton, Despite Hip Injury Sparks Willamette to Conference Win

It was a nip-and-tuck cage battle on Willamette court last night between the Bearcats and Pacific Badgers until Big Bill Anton, the bombing Greek, went into the fray—bum hip and all. Main-ly through Anton's score-spark-ing ability did the 'Cats go out in front in the first period to win finally 38 to 27.

The fray started like a Bear-cat burial of the burrowing Bad-gers, with 'Cats Weaver, Beard and White tallying four counters before Coach Miller's Pacific crew drew scoring blood. Even with Sikstrom, Badger guard, putting a gifter the score read 6-2 for Willamette at the end of the first four minutes.

Johnny Seim, the ex-Mill City hooper, popped in a gifter on Eberly's foul and teammate Self-ridge followed on White's in-fracture to bring it 6-3. Sikstrom came through with one from the floor, followed by Seim with a one-hander in close to put the Badgers out in front 7-6.

Walt Weaver, who couldn't find the range all night, fouled Seim who promptly converted to shove Pacific two full digits in the lead. It was then that big Anton entered the contest, and while others were getting nips now and then, the husky Greek whipped in 5 field goals from all angles to bring the 'Cats out in front at halftime 21-16.

Nearly all the action was in the first canto of the Northwest conference fray, both teams tiring in the last session despite the many substitutions. Billy Beard, "Willamette's leading scorer, found both his floor speed and shooting eye in the last half to pour in the buckets.

It was a good thing the Bear-cats have to rely on foul conversions. They missed 11 out of 17 attempts from the charity mark. The 'Cats had much the better of it in the open floor firing, however, caging 16 out of 48 castoffs for a .333 average, while the Badgers hit but 9 in 50 tries for .180.

Lineups: Willamette (38) Fg Ft Pp Seim 4 0 8 Nunnenkamp 2 2 6 Eberly 2 0 4 Weaver 0 2 2 White 6 0 12 Anton 6 0 12 Skopit 1 1 3

Totals 16 6 38 Pacific (27) Seim 2 5 9 Osborn 2 0 4 Sikstrom 2 1 5 Haller 2 0 4 Selfridge 2 2 4 Adams 0 1 1

Totals 10 9 27 Referee: Emil Piluso. Hollywood Takes First Half Title. Hollywood's Black and Whites won the minor division, city Y league basketball championship last night despite this paper al-ready giving it to them two weeks ago.

It Can Happen Here!

WITH PICKETING ALL THE RAGE, HOW ABOUT THE SPORT FANS TAKING IT UP---



THINGS are getting so bad nowadays that you can't walk a block without being jostled by two dozen pickets. These gents—and ladies, too—mill around on the sidewalk so efficiently that by the time you reach the end of the block you feel as if you've been trying to buck the Fordium line.

Stanford Beaten By Trojan Quint

PALO ALTO, Calif., Jan. 15-(AP)—University of Southern California defeated Stanford, 49-48, tonight to even their first Pacific Coast conference, southern division series.

The Trojans grabbed an early lead and led at halftime by 24-18. Stanford made a strong comeback in the final period, and with one minute to go drew to within a single point of the southerners. They could not go ahead in the remaining frenzied 60 seconds of play.

Bearkittens Win Over Multnomah

Willamette's Bearkittens cagers made short work of Multnomah in a preliminary to the Bearcat-Badger game last night, posting a 32-15 victory. The Sparkmen presented a smooth passing combination that was too much for the Portlanders.

Dick Jones, playing the pivot position for the 'Kittens, scored 9 points, and teammate Kolb was right behind him with 8.

Lineups: Bearkittens, 32 15, Multnomah Baker Hart Maerz, 4 6, Pendergrass D. Jones, 9 4, How Morrison Stewart, 2 2, Lohr Kalb, 0 0. Substitutes: for Salem: Shaffer 4, Watta 1; for Multnomah: Ellorant 3. Referee, Don Brandon.

Liberty Belles Play Tie With Deaf School, 5 to 5. LIBERTY—The Liberty school girls' basketball quintet played a 5 to 5 tie game here with the girls' team from the state deaf school Wednesday night. The local lineup was: Centers, Ha Krau-ger, Reda May Schuidt; forwards, Carrie Cogswell, Muriel Baker; guards, Ruth Brownlee, Shirley Blackman. Referees were Robert Judd and Murray Baker.

Packards Defeat Linfield Cagemen

Speed to Spare Wins

MCMINNVILLE, Ore., Jan. 15-(AP)—The high geared offensive of the Linfield college hoopers failed to function last night as the Wildcats dropped a game to the Pacific Packards, 15 to 21.

Morris Helsler, former Linfield star, scored 12 points for the packards.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 15-(AP)—Speed to Spare, a castoff of the A. G. Vanderbilt stable, splashed through the mud to win the \$5,000 San Felipe handicap at Santa Anita park today.

Promoter's Son



DEL MAR, Calif., Jan. 15-(AP)—Whacking four strokes off par, young Jimmy Demaret of Houston, Tex., moved into the lead of the \$3000 Bing Crosby golf tournament at the halfway mark today.

Demaret played through rain and sunshine to hand in a 68 for the first round, carding 32-35 for the 36-26 par on the Rancho Santa Fe course.

One stroke back was Jimmy Hines, long hitting pro from Garden City, Long Island, while two other famed golf swatters, Sam Snead of West Virginia, who won the event last year, and Jimmy Thomson of Shawnee on the Delaware, took 73.

To Dick Metz, Lake Forest, Ill., fell the honor of being the first man to break with a 71 after almost half of the field of 150 pros and amateurs had failed. Only three players were able to better the figure.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15-(AP)—Don Lash, Indiana's durable track star, failed in his attempt to beat Paavo Nurmi's international record for 3000 meters but turned in a remarkable performance over the flat boards to win the two-mile run at the 69th regiment indoor track and field meet today.

Running over a 10-lap and nearly circular track, Lash hit the 3000-meter mark in 8:33.6 and then went on to cover the two miles in 9:11. While failing by several seconds in an attempt to match Nurmi's 3000-meter world mark of 8:26.4 and the American citizen's performance of \$27.4 set by Archie San Romani last week, Lash's race was a great exhibition in view of the shape and size of the track.

Boys of Hubbard Win, Brooks Girls Triumph. HUBBARD—The Hubbard boys and girls grade school met the Brooks school basketball team on Friday afternoon at the boys' training school.

The Hubbard boys won by a score of 26 to 19. The Brooks girls won over the Hubbard girls 32 to 6.

Team Contest Is Billed Here

Elton Owen, Former Grid Flash, and Szasz to Tackle Meanies

Jack Lipscomb and Pat O'Dowdy vs. Anybody Who Care to Apply! First applicants for a battle with the new meanie contingent appeared on the scene Saturday when Al Szasz, the sensational Hungarian favorite, announced his desire to meet the meanies provided he could secure Elton Owen, the promoter's grapping son, as his partner.

Young Owen, who has proved a bundle of dynamite in Portland and Eugene showings, consented, and the team battle will comprise the main event of this week's card.

The Lipscomb-O'Dowdy alliance follows the break-up last week of the unholly combine of Bulldog Jackson and the champion. Although the duo won a team go two weeks ago in straight falls, they bickered constantly, each accusing the other of falling in support.

After the victory the argument continued, and was climaxed by Lipscomb slugging Jackson. When the Bulldog recovered, he at first blamed the referee, but when he discovered that his partner in crime was guilty he ended the relationship at once. Lipscomb professed to be glad and immediately allied himself with O'Dowdy.

The supporting bouts for the team classic will pit Mad Murdoch and Flash Kelley in a 45-minute go and Ace Freeman and Baron von Hoffman in the 30-minute opener.

Kelley, a newcomer from Los Angeles, is rated a brilliant grappler and may reign a favorite to down the despised Altamont Abator.

Washington Wins; In Top Place Tie

MISSOULA, Mont., Jan. 15-(AP)—Washington's Huskies, tied with Oregon in the Pacific Coast conference, northern division, basketball race, drubbed Montana's Grizzlies 58 to 36 tonight. The invaders swept a two-game series here, winning 59 to 52 last night.

Montana's starting lineup was helpless before the surge with which Washington opened. The invaders piled up a 12 to 2 lead on quick shots from fast breaks.

Frequent lineup changes enabled the Grizzlies to pare the Huskies' lead to four points a few minutes before the first half ended.

Bob Reese then bucketed two beautiful goals and the visitors emerged for the intermission with a 22 to 14 margin.

Werner and Voelker fired a barrage of baskets in the second period and the Huskies swept into a 26-point lead which the slumping Montana team could not cut materially.

MOSCOW, Idaho, Jan. 15-(AP)—Coming from behind with a savage drive in the second half the University of Idaho Vandals tonight trounced the Washington State college Cougars, 35 to 25, to even the first basketball series of the season between the two teams.

The halftime score was Washington State 16 and Idaho 12. The Cougars won last night at Pullman 43 to 42.

Humboldt Five Downs Wolves

Californians Are Speedy but Oregon Normal's Rally Threatens

MONMOUTH—Humboldt college cagemen from California barely stopped a late second half rally by the Wolves of Oregon Normal here Saturday night and won 41 to 33.

With seconds to go in the first half, Grandquist of the Wolves came through with a field goal that tied it up at 21-all at half-time, but the visitors pulled ahead quickly in the second half and finally led 32 to 24.

"Stalling" tactics which the Wolves broke up frequently enough to cut the margin down to three points at the windup.

Givins, speedy forward, led the Humboldt squad with 15 points. Humboldt led the Wolves with 12 but shared the spotlight with Grandquist who had 10.

Ore. Normal, 38 41, Humboldt Miller, 5 15, Givins 8 8, Blodini 5 8, Hoffman, 12 4, Thorson Peterson, 4 7, Zilla Grandquist, 10 4, Seidel Lewis, 1 2, Wilson Muscal, 1 1, Cody Officials, Clay Egelson and Max Allen.

A Church League Contests Played

First Baptist, Jason Lee Win Close Ones, Other Game One-Sided. "A" division church league court contests at the YMCA last night found Presbyterian smothering First Methodist 33-8, Jason Lee taking a hard-fought game from Congregational, 23-19, and First Baptist barely edging out Evangelical 37-24.

Lamkin of Evangelical accounted for 14 points while H. Jackson potted 10 for the winners. Anderson of Jason Lee and French of Congregational tied with 9 counters each in their fray, and B. Reeves' 10 points were good for scoring honors in the Presbyterian-First Methodist fray.

Summaries: Presbyterian 33 8, Methodist H. Reeves 10 4, M. Cray Stewart 4 2, Ferguson Hale 7 2, Benson G. Reeves 4 1, Bentson Lafty 2 1, B. Cray Hall 6.

Jason Lee 23 19, Congregational Gardner 3 1, Humphreys Gillette 4 5, Smith Bumgardner 2 1, King Anderson 9 2, Reinwald Lapachies 3 2, Hanson Duncan 6 9, French F. Baptist 37 24, Evangelical H. Jackson 10 10, McKenzie Clark 3 4, Gardner Cross 7 14, Lamkin F. Broer 7 10, Petticord Petro 7 1, Balfour B. Broer 9 9, Rudia L. Jackson 4 4.

Juniors and Pony Hoopsters Active

Juniors and Ponies took command of both basketball courts at the YMCA yesterday afternoon, playing a total of six games in the two circuits.

Junior results: Presbyterian beat First Methodist 36-24, in a game that went into two overtimes United Brethren eked out a 15-12 win over the Jason Lee Aces; and Nazarine took Calvary Baptist 25-19.

Pony results: Jason Lee Midgots took a 31-15 trouncing from First Methodist; Jason Lee Cougars succumbed to Jason Lee Juniors, 31-15; and Presbyterian won a 3-0 forfeit game from First Baptist.

Astoria Makes It Two Victories Over Eugene. ASTORIA, Ore., Jan. 15-(AP)—The Astoria Fishermen defeated the Eugene high school basketball team here tonight, 25 to 19, in a rough, ragged game. Eugene held an early lead, but dropped behind at the half. Astoria won the first of the two-game series, 32 to 28.

WRESTLING Team Match AL SZASZ and ELTON OWEN vs. JACK LIPSCOMB and PAT O'DOWDY 1 Hour "MAD" MURDOCK vs. "FLASH" KELLY 45 Minutes ACE FREEMAN vs. BARON VON HOFFMAN 30 Minutes Salem Armory, TUESDAY, JAN. 18 8:30 Lower Floor 50c, Balcony 40c, Reserved Seats 75c (No Tax) Students 25c, Ladies 35c Tickets, Cliff Parker's and Lytle's - Auspices American Legion Herb Owen, Matchmaker