Rollin' Along
by Jerry Stone

The reported plan of national American Legion officials to conduct a boxing development program along the lines of its Junior baseball program looks like the answer to a lot of headaches along fistic row. A great percentage of the major league diamond stars of today got their fundamentals from the Legion program. One of the sharpest headaches afflicting ringdom nowadays stems from lack of material, lack of candidates who might qualify to step into the shoes of Louis and other fading champs. The Legion plan may be just the thing to slam a shot of adrenalin into an industry which has seen much better days . . . Many would hesitate to recommend the ring game to a youngster as a means of earning a livelihood — and, true, the sport winds up as a dead - end for many a kid. When a lad steps into the ring with the pro label on 'im he should expect plenty of disappointments and heartaches and solid jolts to the jaw. But then out of every hundred or so aspirants there are a handful who appear to have the stuff, who may have a bright future ahead of them. The proposed Legion plan would go a long way toward informing a ring hopeful whether he has it or whether he hasn't . . . The culls would be discarded, the good apples given a boost along . . .

Speaking of boxing, here's a salute to E. H. Lafky and the sponsoring 20-30 club who are tonight inaugurating amateur matches at the armory. It's a worthy move and at the same time a brave one the gents are making. The amateurs deserve their niche and, certainly, they've been given little opportunity for action locally. Tonight's opener will indeed be welcome. The main question — and it's always a common one around here — is just how strong will be fan response? That factor will largely determine whether the simon-pure programs expire quickly of continue in existence . . .

One of the more spectacular sights in 'Frisco these days has been introduced by Johnny Price, the mad - cap baseball stunt man. It's a long sleek Cadillac convertible in shrieking color tones, and as you would expect, it's entirely different. The car has everything — built-in bar, etc., etc., and to top everything, Johnny has had orchids, done in a strikingly realistic manner, painted around each hub cap. Nobody should ever say Price hasn't got imagination . . .

The guy has been out of Willamette uniform for several years now but he still has retained the

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knack of dropping the ball through the hoop. We're speaking of Ollie Williams who tops the City scoring department as a member of the Arrow Mills in the American division. Ollie flung in 21 points in his last outing Monday night, and mostly via those unstoppable hook shots of his.

Gorgeous Georgie Wagner, the matman who has gone a long way in a short time, tasted his first defeat in a long while the other night but at the same time his gate lure was so terrific that the rassling attendance mark in Montreal was smashed to smithereens. The customers poured $21,000 through the windows. Quite a step from the local armory days and they have a right to call perfumed George the biggest mat attraction since Jim Londos' heyday . . .

Even the California writers are sitting up and taking note of the Much - ballyhooed Don Heinrich who'll make his varsity grid debut for Washington's Huskies next season. They're calling the Bremerton kid another Lujack . . Incidentally, last reports had another highly - rated prepper, Hood River's Don O'Leary, also going to the Husky school after a brief sojourn at Notre Dame. Washington prospects are looking up . . .

A-A Circuit Debates on Merger with NFL's

CHICAGO, Jan. 12 –(AP)– All America conference club owners huddled for six hours today without a decision to determine whether the three year old circuit will merge with the rival National loop or continue the costly professional football feud.

Twenty AAC representatives met at the office of Ben Lindheimer, chairman of the league's executive committee, in a showdown over the loop's future.

Lindheimer said that based on the day's discussion, the prospects for next season appear "very bright." He did not elaborate as to whether this had to do with continuance of the AAC, or a merger with the National league.

Lindheimer added that the meeting would be resumed at his office at 11 a. m. EST., tomorrow.

He said there was no "peace" meeting scheduled with the National league.

After the session Arthur McBride, owner of the champion Cleveland Browns, and Dan Topping, owner of the New York Yankees, left the office, telling reporters they were "going to see somebody." They declined to indicate whether this might be a National league official.

Neither the AAC nor the National loop, which opens its annual schedule meeting here Thursday, has admitted the possibility of a joint session, resuming "peace" talks which collapsed at Philadelphia last month.

'Cats Submerge PU, 74-40; Viks Whip Bulldogs, 51-36

Hauks' League Record Clean

By Chris Kowitz

Salem high school retained its undefeated status in Big Six loop play and Keith Farnam and Benny Pitzer, the Vikings' one-two scoring punch, continued their torrid basket bee on the SHS casaba court Tuesday night as the locals disposed of Albany, 51 to 36.

The ferocious forward combination of Farnam and Pitzer accounted for 27 of the Salem total, even though the two talented tallsters saw practically no action in the second half. Farnam tossed in a total of 14 tallies, while his point-producing partner hemped home 13 counters.

A couple of Bulldogs, Bob Heins and George (Junior) Simons, sunk their teeth even deeper into the "total points" column. They were responsible for all but seven of Albany's 36 points. Heins earned top honors with 16 and Simons hit 13.

Heins' chief weapon was his "automatic' 'long shot, while Simons employed a pet "back away" one-hander to good advantage.

The contest opened exactly as the Saturday Salem-Astoria game —the Viks scoring in the first three seconds on a Tom Paulus-to-Pitzer-to-Farnam tip off play, then working into a 9 to 0 lead before the opposition found the net. Only discrepancy between Tuesday and Saturday night's opening moments was that Salem was dumping their points through the hoop at the north end of the floor Tuesday, whereas they used the south end Saturday.

Salem built up a 14 to 6 advantage by the end of the first period, and at halftime led 26 to 15.

Coach Harold Hauk elected to use his reserves exclusively after about three minutes of the second half had expired. The first-stringers watched from the bench as Salem moved into a 42 to 22 lead at the third quarter stop.

Albany's first five outscored the Vik reserves 14 to 9 in the final period, but Salem's lead was never in danger.

The Albany junior varsity team is still looking for the gremlin that blew their shots away from the rim in the preliminary game. The Bullpups could manufacture only four field goals in losing to the home town Jayvees, 38 to 10.

Albany (36)	fg	ft	pf	tp	(51) Salem	fg	ft	pf	tp
Gibbs,f	1	0	3	2	Farnam,f	6	2	3	14
Keller,f	0	0	1	0	Pitzer,f	5	3	0	13
Simons,c	6	1	4	13	Paulus,c	1	0	0	2
Heins,g	7	2	3	16	Duval,g	2	0	1	4
Fleming,g	1	1	2	3	Girod,g	1	0	3	2
Keck,f	0	3	0	2	Bacon,f-g	3	1	0	7
Brenmn,f	0	0	0	0	Rock,f	0	0	1	0
					Kelly,f	0	0	1	0
					Jewell,f	2	1	0	5
					Rogers,c	0	2	0	2
					Hilficker,c	0	0	0	0
					Frdrksn,g	1	0	2	2
					Garver,g	0	0	1	0
Totals	15	16	13	36	Totals	21	9	12	51

Free throws missed: Albany 7, Salem 4. Halftime score: Albany 15, Salem 26. Officials: George Emigh and John Kolb.

Salem JV (38)		(10) Albany JV
Walling (6)	F	(0) Dohesky
Davis (13)	F	(1) Jones
Gilson (3)	C	(5) Sexton
Sloan (0)	G	(0) Cooley
Norton (7)	G	(0) Fitzgerald

Reserves: Salem JV — Deen (3), Morgali, Scheelar (2), Chamberlain (2), Covalt (2), TeSelle. Albany JV — Schwab (4), Shoop, Pierson, McClosky, Seavey, Little.

Ice Contest Set Tonight

The Salem Hornets make their home Oregon Hockey league debut tonight at the local ice arena as they collide with the strengthened Portland Blackhawks, starting at 8:30.

The Hornets dropped their opening loop tilt at Eugene.

The local skaters' starting lineup will include Lynn Orton at goal; Howard and Earl West, defensemen; and Doc Geyer and Bill Faminow at forwards. Others slated to see action for the Hornets include: Roland West and Steven Faminow, defensemen; and Bert Sjoding, Keith Hamilton, Bill Hrycíou, Ralph Turner and Dean LaPointe, forwards.

Vic Ripley, former Portland Buckaroo and ex-big leaguer, now guides the Blackhawks. Ducats are on sale at Maples.

Locals Retain Circuit Lead

By Jerry Stone

Willamette's Bearcats turned loose a parade of points last night on the local floor as they remained unbeaten in Northwest conference hoop action with a thoroughly convincing 74-40 triumph over a lack-lustre gang of Pacific Badgers.

The contest proved to be one of those fantastically one-sided affairs which come along now and then — and the battle could have turned into an even more resounding licking for the Badgers if the Bearcat reserves hadn't performed through more than half the tilt.

Through the initial nine minutes and 25 seconds of the game Pacific got nary a point while the Willamettes, hitting from all angles, piled up 19 tallies of their own. 'Cat Forward Bob Johnson whammed in the first basket of the game in the opening 30 seconds and within the next eight minutes contributed four more to apply the spark to the WU scoring junket. Center Ed Rooney got the first PU points when he laid one in at the 9:25 mark.

Midway into the half Johnny Lewis began sprinkling his lineup with reserves but the pace of the 'Cat attack never relented, the locals walking off the floor at halftime with a 39-14 margin.

Harvey Roloff's Badgers had been bothered badly by a tight Willamette defense in the opening half plus inability to hit the bucket when they did find rare openings. They solved this trouble somewhat in the second half but not enough to prevent the Bearcats from lengthening their advantage minute by minute.

Five minutes into the final leg saw the count 50-19, and from then on it was purely a matter of just how high the Willamettes could vault their score.

Bob Johnson, playing less than half the tilt, tossed in nine baskets and four charity throws to easily top the scoring with 22 points. Running mate Ted Loder turned in another good piece of work under the boards and tallied 12 markers. Forward Dick Sickler stood out for the Badgers, particularly in the second half, and led his club with 11.

A total of 45 fouls were whistled, 23 on the invaders, with two Badgers, McDonnell and Rooney being ejected on infractions. The fray looked more like a football game at moments in the final stages.

Preliminary saw the Willamette Frosh top Pacifics Freshmen, 41-23, Nordhill pacing the victors with 13.

The 'Cat varsity's next circuit game is against Lewis and Clark in Portland Friday night.

Willamette (74)	fg	ft	pf	tp	(40) Pacific	fg	ft	pf	tp
B.Jhnsn,f	9	4	2	22	McDonel,f	0	5	5	5
Loder,f	3	6	2	12	Whitbck,f	1	2	0	4
J.Jhnsn,c	2	1	1	5	Rooney,c	1	0	5	2
Warren,g	1	1	1	3	McKenzi,g	3	1	0	7
T.Jhnsn,g	0	1	3	1	Moran,g	0	0	3	0
Scrivns,g	2	2	3	6	Morgan,f	0	1	1	1
Barker,g	1	0	1	2	Melton,g	1	3	1	5
Fedje,f	3	4	3	10	Bell,f	0	1	2	1
Logue,c	0	1	3	1	Sickler,f	3	5	3	11
Waters,f	2	1	3	5	Palmer,g	0	2	2	2
Brower,g	2	0	1	4	Logdon,g	0	0	0	0
Allison,g	0	1	3	1	Coburn,g	0	0	1	0
Bryant,g	1	0	0	2					
Baum,f	0	0	0	0					
Totals	26	22	22	74	Totals	9	20	23	40

Free throws missed: Willamette 9, Pacific 10. Halftime score: Willamette 39, Pacific 14. Officials: Yerkovich and Quirk.

Pacific Frosh (23)		(41) Willam. Frosh
Cunningham (4)	F	(1) A. Bellinger
Davidson (2)	F	(13) Nordhill
Johnson (5)	C	(0) Miller
Taylor (1)	G	(6) H. Bellinger
Meierotto (5)	G	(2) Girod

Reserves scoring: Pacific—Stanhope 6; Willamette—Unruh 3, Robinson 2, Montag 2, Matile 4, Chamberlain 4, Glenn 1, Lenz 2. Halftime score: Willamette 24, Pacific 10.

SUBS TRIUMPH

SUBLIMITY, Jan. 18 –(Special) Sublimity remained unbeaten in Marion County B league action as it tonight turned back Mill City, 28-25. The Subs led at halftime, 18-13. The Sub Bees won the prelim, 25-19.

Sublimity (28)		(25) Mill City
Kent (2)	F	(6) Miller
Hartman (2)	F	(4) L. Poole
Albus (12)	C	(4) Hunter
E.Highberger (2)	G	(5) Burbeck
T.Highberger (6)	G	(3) L. Poole

Reserves scoring: Sublimity—Myers 2, Bradley 2. Mill City—Thorndyke 3. Halftime score: Sublimity 18, Mill City 13. Official: O'Connor.

Amateur Ring Card Tonight

Amateur boxing makes another bow locally tonight as simon-pures from Marion county and Salem trade blows at the armory, starting at 8 o'clock. The Salem 20-30 club is sponsoring the program, which, it is hoped will be the first of an extended series of amateur cards. E. H. Lafky, Stayton, is promoter.

Among county communities represented on the bill will be Turner, Aumsville, Stayton, Mt. Angel, Salem, etc.

Lafky issues an invitation to Salem fighters he has not yet contacted to participate.

A special section will be reserved for state legislators.

Prices are 25 and fifty cents up to one dollar.

Dallas Downs Molalla Club

DALLAS, Jan. 18 –(Special)– Dallas' Dragons rolled to a 41-31 win over Molalla's Cowboys here tonight in a Willamette Valley league hoop battle. Dallas was on top at the half, 20-19. Wes Ediger sparked the Dragons with 11 points. The Molalla JV's took the prelim, 27-23.

Dallas (41)		(31) Molalla
W. Ediger (11)	F	(4) Sandgran
Fisher (4)	F	(5) Coleman
N. Ediger (10)	C	(6) Staudinger
McCulley (6)	G	(8) Owens
Cook (4)	G	(8) Schiewe

Reserves scoring: Dallas—Hodson 6. Halftime score: Dallas 20, Molalla 19. Officials: Skopil and Quesseth.

Woodburn Tops Canby, 38-32

WOODBURN, Jan. 18–(Special) Woodburn's cage Bulldogs came through with a 38-32 triumph over Canby here tonight in a rough Willamette Valley league fracas, Baglien being the big gun for Woodburn with 16 counters. The 'Dogs held a 21-14 nod at the intermission. The Woodburn Bees won their sixth straight in the prelim ,topping the Canby JV's, 31-29.

Woodburn (38)		(32) Canby
Collins (3)	F	(8) Lessler
Baglien (16)	F	(5) Smith
Undseth (7)	C	(7) Palmer
Yuranek (6)	G	(2) Jensen
Krieger (5)	G	(6) Kreuger

Reserves scoring: Woodburn—Huiraf 1. Canby—Irvin 3, Hildibrand 1. Halftime score: Woodburn 21, Canby 14. Officials: Bauer and Carpenter.

Woolens Lose

PORTLAND, Jan. 18–(Special)– The Salem Page Woolens bowed to the Portland Outdoor Store quint, 41-36, here tonight in a close tilt. The Portland team led at halftime, 17-15.

Pages (36)		(41) Portland Store
McRae (10)	F	(1) Bloomutise
Page (4)	F	(9) Sheperd
McClravy (12)	C	(5) Jackson
Sebern (4)	G	(6) Popick
Bower (4)	G	(14) Cookill

PHILS TOP INDEPS

PHILOMATH, Jan. 18–(Special) Philomath nipped Independence, 31-30, in their Marion-Polk league basketball game here tonight, a nip-and-tuck struggle all the way.

Philomath (31)		(30) Independence
J. Howard (9)	F	(4) D. Posey
Colley (3)	F	(4) Pyrkey
Mulkey (2)	C	(7) Harper
W. Howard (7)	G	(4) Davis
Bettie (8)	G	(4) A. Possey

Reserves scoring: Philomath—Heimner 1; Independence—Fulmer 1, Foster 2. Halftime score: Philomath 20, Independence 22. Officials: Peterson and Risch.

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Silverton Chapter of Izaak Walton Installs New Officers

SILVERTON—New officers for the Silverton Chapter, Izaak Walton League of America, were installed during a meeting Monday night. Those moved in by State President Al Gribble were Roy Davenport, president; Alfred Jensen, vice president; Olum Larson, secretary; Bill Miles, treasurer and Bob Renwick and Ab Bourbonnais, directors.

Officers installed for the ladies' auxiliary were Mrs. Jean Grossnickle, president; Mrs. Zora Leisy, secretary; Mrs. William Hamblin, secretary and Mrs. Art Gottenberg, treasurer.

The main theme of the meeting was conservation of soil and natural resources, stream pollution, juvenile privileges and the building program of Salem's chapter. Speakers were Elmer Church of Salem, O. K. DeWitt, state secretary of forestry and Don Harger, Lloyd Reinholdt and Emory Lebold of Salem. Portland Chapter President David B. Charlton also was in attendance.

Deed of an acreage was accepted from Reber Allen, located in the Waldo hills. This will be used for the erection of a club house and recreation area.

Retiring president of the Silverton chapter is George Christenson, and outgoing president of the auxiliary is Mrs. Ora Tobias.

Ross, Clements In Bloody Go

Both Tony Ross and Bulldog Clements, their foreheads battered and bleeding badly, were handed a "no contest" decision in their mat main event at the armory last night. Matchmaker Elton Owen stepped in to halt the blood-spattered mix after Clements had won the first fall. Danger of eye infection caused Owen's move, and he assured the gathering that had members of the local wrestling commission been present it would have been stopped sooner. The brawl was that bloody.

In the semifinal, a whale of a session, Billy Weidner downed Rowdy Rufus Jones, two falls out of the three. Weidner's full nelsons did the trick twice in the riproarious struggle. Irish Jack O'Reilly and Rene LaBell went to a dynamic no-fall draw in their squabble and Al Alexander won on a foul from Tarzan Zimba in the opener.

HUBBARD NIPS CHEMAWA

CHEMAWA, Jan. 18 — Bob Kauffman's 13 points paced Hubbard to a 31 to 27 victory over Chemawa here tonight. Halftime score was 16 to 16. In the preliminary, Chemawa's "B" club defeated Hubbard 31 to 18.

Chemawa (27)		(31) Hubbard
Lane (6)	F	(13) Kauffman
Belgarde (8)	F	(4) Driver
Wells (2)	C	(7) Hall
Placid (4)	G	(2) Heverly
Hood (5)	G	(5) Meyers

Reserves: Chemawa — Matt (2). Officials: Stark and Warren.

BOWLING Scores

INDUSTRIAL NO. 1

SNO BOYS (3)—Merrell 434, R. Aleshire 596, D. Aleshire 487, McKinney 571, Bigler 573. STETTLER SUPPLY CO. (0)—Muelhaupt 445, C. Stettelr 401, Hillerich 420, Hendrie 459, F. Stettler 457.

KEITH BROWN (3)—Sours 542, Hillerich 478, Hughes 383, Jernigan 468, Hodges 488. VALLEY MOTOR (0)—Doerfler 462, Myers 378, Bullock 427, Farley 471, Colwell 399.

TRAILWAYS (2)—Pederson 516, McNall 506, Cross 525, McCluskey 519, Ertsgaard 588. KARR'S (1)—Hart 561, J. Olney Jr. 538, Albrich 507, Olney Sr. 540, Barnholdt 439.

BLUE LAKE PACKERS (2)—Langhoff 455, Johnson 444, Eckley 398, Walls 471, Carlson 539. SALEM HEAVY HAULING (1)—Buisman 364, J. Cracroft 432, Wilder 493, Farley 404, B. Cracroft 477.

REMINGTON RAND (2) — Colburn 509, Huggins 499, Johnson 423, Reeves 443, Criswell 539. BRANT'S BUILDERS (1) Farrar 391, Futrell 389, Miller 485, Brant 441, Thompson 477.

THRIFTWAY CLEANERS (2) — Friese 448, Houser 431, B. Creasy 498, Main 440, C. Creasy 443. SHROCK'S MOTOR (1)—Sines 429, Klein 422, Underwood 402, Wisser 471, Boniface 456.

High individual game, Bud Hart of Karr's 222.

High individual series, Ray Aleshire of Sno Boys, 596.

High team series, Sno Boys, 2661.

National Division 5's Open 2nd Half

Tonight's action in the City basketball league, National division, offers the following games at Leslie: 7 o'clock—Naval Reserve vs. Salem Sophomores. 8—National Guard vs. Montgomery Ward. 9 — Marines vs. Headquarters Detachment, National Guard. The round marks the opening of second half play.

Fairview Wins

The Fairview Home quintet, composed of junior-high-school-age lads, defeated the State Deaf School's junior high hoopsters, 20-18, yesterday on the OSD floor.

Fairview (20)		(18) Deaf School
Morrison (6)	F	(3) Walker
Billy (9)	F	(1) Wells
Gibson (4)	C	(4) Hyatt
Oden (1)	G	(2) Cooper
P. Thomas (0)	G	(2) Landsford

Reserves scoring: Deaf School—McCan 6. Halftime score: Fairview 9, Deaf School 8.

ST. PAUL NIPS SCHOOLERS

ST. PAUL, Jan. 18–(Special)– The St. Paul Buckaroos upset the Oregon Deaf School cagers, 45-33 in their Marion B league game tonight. It was 21-11 at halftime for the Saints.

St. Paul (45)		(33) Deaf School
Merton (7)	F	(17) Matti
D. Kirk (10)	F	(0) Schulke
Marthaller (10)	C	(5) Hughes
Brentamer (8)	G	(2) Walston
P. Kirk (12)	G	(9) Garbolden

Officials - - Hunt Clark and Gene Smith.

Duck Pins

Men's City league results last night at B and B Bowling courts: Olson Florists 3, Elsner's 1; Sunset Donuts 3, Les Newman's 1; Malm's Chevron Station 3, Morgan's Hancock Station 1; Davis Oil 4, Green's Market 0 (forfeit). Olson's had high team score with 2241. Bill Gauthier's 210 and 536 were top game and series.

Clemo Loses, Kahut Draws

SEATTLE, Jan. 18 –(AP)– Harold Dade of Los Angeles, former world's bantamweight champ, took a clear cut 10-round decision tonight from scrappy little Joey Clemo of Portland, Ore.

In a 10-round co-feature, Baby Dutch Culbertson, 183, of Los Angeles, and Joe Kahut, 185, Woodburn, Ore., went the route to a draw.

GERVAIS TIPS JEFFS

JEFFERSON, Jan. 18—A brilliant 20 point performance by Jefferson Forward Jim Grimes went for naught here tonight as Gervais defeated the Lions 32 to 28 in a Marion county "B" loop encounter.

Jefferson (28)				(32) Gervais
Jim Grimes	20	F	5	Finley
Jack Grimes	2	F	4	E. Belleque
Marlatt	3	C	7	Colyear
Reeves	2	G	8	R. Belleque
Porter	0	G	8	Dunn

Table of Coastal Tides

Tides for Taft, Oregon, compiled by U.S. Coast & Geodetic Survey, Portland, Oregon.

Jan.	HIGH WATER Time	Ht.	LOW WATER Time	Ht.
19	4:11 a.m.	6.5	10:03 a.m.	2.2
	3:45 p.m.	6.1	10:12 p.m.	0.5
20	4:52 a.m.	6.7	11:12 a.m.	1.3
	4:51 p.m.	5.4	10:56 p.m.	1.2
21	5:36 a.m.	6.9	12:27 p.m.	1.4
	6:17 p.m.	4.8	11:44 p.m.	2.0
22	6:24 a.m.	7.1		
	7:51 p.m.	4.4	1:39 p.m.	0.8
23	7:16 a.m.	7.2	12:39 a.m.	2.7
	9:22 p.m.	4.5	2:48 p.m.	0.3

Orangemen Come from Behind To Smash Vandal Five, 69-53

STATESMAN SPORTS
By Al Lightner, Sports Editor

Basketball Scores

HIGH SCHOOL

Salem 51, Albany 36
Sacred Heart 33, Stayton 16
Dallas 41, Molalla 31
Woodburn 38, Canby 32
Silverton 48, Mt. Angel 39
Aumsville 26, Turner 25
St. Paul 45, Deaf School 33
Hubbard 31, Chemawa 27
Gervais 32, Jefferson 28
Sublimity 28, Mill City 25
Philomath 31, Independence 30
Roosevelt 39, Jefferson 33 (Port)
Grant 41, Lincoln 35 (Port)
Cleveland 46, Franklin 44 (Port)
Benson 40, Washington 27 (Port)
Hillsboro 60, Forest Grove 37
Univ. 41, St. Mary's 34 (Eugene)
Junction City 34, Cottage Grove 29
Taft 51, Tillamook 47
St. Helens 64, Sherwood 26
Banks 65, Jewell 12
Estacada 54, Sandy 32
Eugene 40, Springfield 24
Scappoose 52, Rainier 45
Medford 40, Central Point 20

COLLEGE

Willamette 74, Pacific 40
Oregon State 69, Idaho 53
CPS 45, Seattle U 41
Notre Dame 60, Butler 58
DePaul 61, St. John's (Brooklyn) 58
Cincinnati 46, Miami (Ohio) 36
George 49, South Carolina 43
Texas 40, Baylor 37
Wash. & Lee 66, Virginia Tech 58
N. Carolina State 81, Furman 57
Loyola (Chicago) 65, Marquette 41
Mississippi State 47, Auburn 43

By Don Harger

The Salem Izaak Waltons, the Oregon Wild Life federation, the Fur, Fin & Feather club and the Ducks, all join in to extend their heartfelt thanks to the following contributors for the time and money expended during the emergency waterfowl feeding program: Phil Kerber, George Singer, Ed Piasecki, Donald A. Young, Walter Winslow, Barb's Sporting Goods, Howard Maple Sporting Goods, Wm. Anderson Sporting Goods, Chandler Brown, Werner Brown, Bob Herrall, Al Gerlinger, D. A. White, Oregon Statesman, Capital Journal, Salem Hardware, Master Baking Co., Gleason Bakery, Doughton Hardware, State Patrolman W. J. Ferguson and a score of other sympathizers whose names we do not have at the present writing.

Conservation Pledge

I GIVE MY PLEDGE AS AN AMERICAN TO SAVE AND FAITHFULLY TO DEFEND FROM WASTE THE NATURAL RESOURCES OF MY COUNTRY — ITS SOIL AND MINERALS, ITS FORESTS, WATERS AND WILDLIFE

Special thanks should go to Willard Taylor, Salem Boat House for the many hours he has donated along with the use of his tug boat for the transportation of grains to various points along the Willamette river and sloughs.

Further contributions will still be deeply appreciated for the establishment of a permanent wildfowl feeding fund. Donations can be mailed to Monree S. Cheek, treasurer, Salem chapter, I.W.L.A., 400 No. Liberty st., Salem, Oregon.

The trend in fishing for sport and sport alone seems to be gaining ground in all sections of the country. From Florida comes word of a new type of contest. Special individual awards are being offered by the Sailfish Conservation club of Palm Beach, Fla., to every angler who releases a sailfish while trolling the gulf stream for these gamey warriors of the deep. Guides are cooperating in the plan so that boats returning to moorage will fly the popular red flag signifying "sailfish released" rather than the conventional white flag denoting "sailfish boated."

Our hat is off to the Florida club for their undertaking this new step in conservation.

A fish restoration program similar to the Pittman-Robertson setup is to be re-introduced in Washington, D. C., by Rep. John Dingell (D-Mich.). The program would be financed by the ten per cent tax on fishing tackle which now goes into the general fund of the treasury. Sports groups, individual sportsmen and all persons interested in a better conservation program should not waste any time in contacting their representatives and senators in Washington urging cooperation in the passage of this bill. It would be another source of money that could well be used by the Oregon Game commission in its proposed long range program.

This column finally and reluctantly bows to the weather in this winter steelhead campaign. Good reports one day, bad reports the next. As is usually the case the good day happened to be the day after or the day before we got there. The only suggestion at the present writing is to keep beating the water. You may be lucky enough to hit a steelie on the head and stun him enough to make him open his big mouth and grab the offering.

Leahy Quits One ND Post

NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 18–(AP)– Frank Leahy said today he would step down this year as athletic director at Notre Dame but would retain his position as head coach of the Irish.

Leahy said his assistant, Ed (Moose) Krause, probably would succeed him as athletic director. At the same time, Leahy said reports that he was considering accepting an offer to coach a professional football team were "absolutely false."

Sacred Hearts Defeat Stayton

Sacred Heart Academy's quint racked up its second win of the Marion-Polk league campaign on the local floor Tuesday via a 33-16 victory over Stayton's Packers. Stayton led at the half, 14-9. Stayton's Bees took the prelim, 24-11.

Sacred Heart (16)		(33) Stayton
Sundborg (7)	F	(0) Steward
Stadington (0)	F	(0) Stuart
Ecker (6)	C	(10) Lyons
Davey (3)	G	(2) McClellan
Nelson (0)	G	(14) Nightingale

Reserves scoring: S.H.A.—Cooney 0; Stayton—Norton 7, Brown 0, Jones 0. Halftime score: S.H.A. 9, Stayton 14. Officials: Evans and Seipp.

Foxes Defeat Mt. Angel Five

MT. ANGEL, Jan. 18–(Special)– Led by Jack Hande's 20 points, the Silverton Silver Foxes tonight downed the Mt. Angel Preps in their Willamette Valley league basketball game, 48-39. Larry Traeger had 17 points for the Preps and was the only Mt. Angel player able to hit the hoop consistently. The Mt. Angel Bees won the prelim 35-34.

Silverton (48)		(39) Mt. Angel
Hande (20)	F	(4) Donley
Gustaison (3)	F	(3) Ruef
Johansen (7)	C	(11) Wellman
Maddox (11)	G	(17) L. Traeger
Kolin (3)	G	(2) Wolf

Silverton subs—Schaap 1, Meyers 3. Mt. Angel—Buechelt 2. Officials—Howell and Morris.

RANGERS NIP TURNER

AUMSVILLE, Jan. 18–(Special) The Aumsville Rangers tonight nipped Turner in their Marion County B league basketball game 26-25 after leading 11-9 at halftime.

Aumsville (26)		(25) Turner
R. Dalke (4)	F	(3) Brailner
Russell (5)	F	(4) Carr
Smelzer (7)	C	(9) Norton
D. Dalke (4)	G	(7) DeRosie
Speer (2)	G	(2) Watson

Aumsville subs—Kok 2, Worler 2. Officials—Salstrom and Sheldon.

Idaho Loses 4th Straight

Bevos Rally After Trailing at Half

CORVALLIS, Ore., Jan. 18 –(AP)– Oregon State fought from behind in the second half tonight to defeat the University of Idaho, 69 to 53, and win both games of a Northern division, Pacific Coast basketball conference series here.

It was the fourth straight loss for Idaho since entering Oregon last week to meet two conference rivals. The Vandals lost both games against Oregon last week and then two more here.

Coach Slats Gill's substitution of Big Alex Peterson as the second half opened was the spark that set off an Oregon State drive. It put the Beavers far enough in front that the Vandals never caught up.

Peterson banged in a goal within one minute and in the next six minutes had added four more while team mates Glen Kinney and Dick Ballantyne were helping.

When the spurt was over at the eight minute mark, Oregon State was leading 48 to 37 and the disheartened Vandals couldn't show the stuff they had in the first period.

The game opened with Idaho snatching an 8 to 3 edge before the Staters could organize. Then the Beavers tied at 8-8 and 10-10 with Ed Fleming and Glen Kinney setting the pace. But Idaho's Nic Stallworth, who shared Idaho scoring honors with Bob Pritchett on 11 points each for the night, sank a goal that turned the tide after the five minute mark. The Vandals built to a 29-23 lead before OSC narrowed to the 30-28 halftime.

In that first half action, the Vandals were deadly on their shots, in contrast to their second half play. Idaho collected eight foul line points without a miss early in the game and for the same half sank 11 of 20 field goal throws.

Kinney had 15 points for the night's honors.

Idaho (53)	fg	ft	pf	tp	(69) Oregon State	fg	ft	pf	tp
Pritchet,f	4	3	1	11	Crandall,f	5	3	4	13
Geisler,f	3	4	3	10	Kinney,f	5	5	3	15
Stallwth,c	5	1	4	11	Fleming,c	3	4	1	10
Brimhal,g	3	2	2	8	Torrey,g	0	0	0	0
Mead,g	2	1	5	5	Ballantn,g	3	2	2	8
Linck,g	0	3	3	3	Harper,g	0	0	3	0
Grove,g	0	1	1	1	Peterson,f	5	0	1	10
Wheeler,c	0	2	1	2	Snyder,f	3	1	2	7
Howell,f	1	0	0	2	Catterall,g	1	0	0	2
Chrstsn,g	0	0	0	0	Rinerson,c	1	0	1	2
Gunnels,g	0	0	1	0	Holman,g	1	0	0	2
Totals	18	17	21	53	Totals	27	15	17	69

Officials: Lightner and Lee.

Free throws missed—Idaho: Pritchett, Stallworth, Grove, Wheeler. OSC: Crandall 3, Kinney 6, Torrey 2, Ballantyne.

Bills Named No. 1 Quintet

NEW YORK, Jan. 18–(AP)– The midwest dominated the Associated Press basketball poll with five teams from that sector named among the top 10 college quintets for the week. No. 1 honors went to St. Louis university which has racked up 11 victories without a defeat.

The Billikens beat out Kentucky for top honors receiving 69 first place calls.

VIK SWIMMERS VIE

Salem high's swimming team will open its 11-match season today at 3 p.m. in the YMCA pool against the West Linn high schoolers. Next Saturday finds the Vik aqua men at Eugene for a 10 a.m. meet with the Oregon Frosh.

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