

Northern Division Hoop Teams Split Even In Opening Games Of Series

REINHART'S MEN REFUSE TO TURN THE OTHER CHEEK

With an unexpected victory over Washington State college under their belt, the University of Oregon hoopers returned to Eugene from their eastern invasion Wednesday, tied with the other four conference members for the leadership of the league. On its eastern trip Oregon broke even with Idaho and Washington State, in each instance winning the second of a two-game series, after losing the first. With the Cougars rated as probably the strongest quintet in the northern division, the Oregon victory is expected to give the players the confidence they lacked at the start of the season.

Unlike previous years Oregon has no individual stars; but teamwork seems to be a predominant factor in the Pioneers' fine showing on the road.

Oregon has the rest of the week to rest, but next Monday and Tuesday it plays a two-game series with Idaho, starting at 7:30 o'clock.

The series with the Vandals should be hard fought. Idaho has its best team since old championship days of the early 20s. The Vandals dropped the Webfoots in the first game last week, 31 to 20, and it was only by a brilliant rally by the Pioneers late in the second half that enabled them to take the Vandals into camp in the second encounter, 43 to 20, and thus square the series.

Jack Robertson's seven baskets proved to be the straw that broke the camel's back in the Washington State game Tuesday. With the score, 20 to 20, Jack began to pepper the hoop and the Webfoots soon forced far ahead.

Captain Calkins leads his teammates in scoring. The scoring of the Pioneers follows:

	FG	FT	PP	TP
Calkins, J.	9	15	8	23
Levoff, J.	12	6	5	30
Robertson, J.	7	10	4	14
Robertson, J.	10	4	10	24
Potter, J.	1	2	4	4
Watts, J.	0	1	0	1
Whitard, J.	0	0	0	0
Oliver, J.	0	0	0	0
Rubenstein, J.	0	0	0	0

OREGON WINS

PULLMAN, Jan. 13.—(AP)—A revived University of Oregon quintet rode roughshod over Washington State college, 42 to 20, in a Pacific Coast conference basketball game Tuesday night. Washington State took the first game of the series, 33 to 21 Monday night.

The Cougars exchanged basket for basket with the Pioneers in the first half, ending the period tied at 15 and took a one-point lead at the opening of the second period, but were routed the rest of the game.

Big Advance—Oregon made its first great advance a few minutes after the opening carrying the count to 18 to 10, where it remained until two minutes before half time. In this time, Washington State counted four field goals to tie the count.

As the second opened, Cloud Holsten, Cougar sharpshooter, was fouled and converted a free throw to give his team a momentary lead. From that point, however, Oregon opened with everything and refused to stop until it was all over. "Spooked," Robertson, Oregon sophomore forward, was the shining light of the contest, he shot baskets from every position but the scorer's bench to garner 15 points for high point honors.

The lineups and summary:

Oregon (42)	FG	FT	PP
Levoff, J.	12	6	5
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Robertson, J.	10	4	10
Potter, J.	1	2	4
Calkins, J.	4	6	10

Totals: 42-20
W. S. (20)
Holsten, J. 5
Cross, J. 2
Gordon, J. 1
Graham, J. 1
McLarny, J. 1
Scott, J. 1

Officials: Emil Piluso, Portland, referee; Gail M. Idaho, umpire.

St. Mary's Wins Over Springfield

St. Mary's high school basketball team journeyed to Springfield Tuesday night and beat the first and second teams over the Springfield high school outfits. The St. Mary's first team won, 27 to 20 and the second team won, 11 to 9.

The lineups for the first game were:

St. Mary's	Springfield
Christensen 9	F. Wright
Tomson 0	D. Hawk
Guthrie 4	C. G. Wright 12
Getty 3	G. Stevenson 4
Durbin 5	G. Squires 2

The real name of Ed Krause, Norte Dame's star sophomore tackle, is Krause, was shortened by his prep coach in Chicago.

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RANKING WELTERWEIGHT!



Here's Pete Metropoulos, Pontiac, Michigan, wrestler, who will meet Art Perkins of Cleveland, Ohio, in the main event on Friday's wrestling program at the Eugene armory. Metropoulos is wearing a few of his medals, but it's Robin Reed's welterweight belt that has brought him west.

Sports Parade

By HENRY McEMORE

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—(AP)—Two men—one coming, the other going—will meet in the ring at Madison Square Garden Friday night, and it looks like a pretty tough get-together for Tommy Loughran, the man on the way down.

In Steve Hamas, one time Penn State eleven-letter athlete, Loughran will run up against just about the best and wildest puncher developed during 1934. There was a time when a wicked and busy puncher was the cream in Loughran's coffee, meaning that when Tommy was in heyday he liked nothing better than to take some hard-hitting, always-boring-in-chance and left punch him right into death.

But those days, as King Levinsky, a brash young Chicago mug proved recently, are past. The king, who is strong as a bull and every bit as smart, was told to start blasting, and the devil with Loughran's science. The king, obedient to a fault, did knock Loughran down twice and winning the decision.

Charles Harvey, Hamas' manager, undoubtedly will tell his boy to do the same thing—wade in from the start and keep wading in thereafter.

I doubt if Steve will throw as many punches toward Loughran as did the king, but he'll throw 'em harder. Levinsky is a swinger and he stuns rather than paralyzes. Hamas is a sharp, clean puncher as his record of 23 knockouts in 20 fights testifies.

When he lands a clean one it is customary for the victim to sway in the breezes for a split second, and then descend in a hurry.

If Hamas has Levinsky's luck and smacks Loughran four or five clean ones, I expect to see Tommy go down and stay down. I hope this doesn't happen for it would mean the end of the string for the Philadelphia, and when Loughran quits, the ring will lose one of its most fearless and honest fighters.

Don't be surprised if Loughran beats Hamas. Tommy has been counted out before only to come back. When Sharkey knocked him kicking the boys said it was the end. It wasn't long before Tommy worked his way to the top again with sound victories over such good ones as Schnaf, Baer and Campolo.

Just a word on the uncertainties of fighting. Six or seven months ago Charley Retzlaff, known then as the Duluth bomber, the Duluth ripper and the Duluth dynamite, was rated as three times as valuable a piece of fighting flesh as Hamas. Black Hurley was offered a small fortune for Retzlaff's contract but turned it down. Then Joe Sekyra, regarded as nothing more than a trial horse, up and handed the Duluth ripper, the Duluth bomber, the Duluth dynamite, a handsome trimming, and that, apparently, was the end of Charley.

Now, Hamas, who was coming along at the same time as Retzlaff, but who was rated not nearly so high, is knocking at the big doors with a better than even chance to enter.

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STARS DEFIANT AS CLUB OWNERS SEEK SALARY REDUCTIONS

By HERBERT W. BARKER

(Associated Press Sports Writer)
NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—(AP)—The per-magnum wrangle over major league salary reductions already is coming to a boil and indications are that not one of the sixteen clubs will escape unscathed.

With only a few returns in, four clubs, the New York Giants, New York Yankees, Brooklyn Dodgers and Cincinnati Reds already have become embroiled or expect to, in salary disputes with star performers.

The Giants have been hardest hit. Already Bill Terry and Mel Ott have returned contracts, unsigned. Babe Ruth who sees no reason for accepting less than \$80,000 a year. As for the Dodgers, the irrepressible Floyd (Babe) Herman already has come to the front with a statement that may or may not be construed as an announcement of holdout intentions. The Reds are locked in an argument with Charles (Red) Lucas, ace of the pitching staff.

On the other side of the picture, Arthur (The Great) Shires announced at Dallas he had signed a contract at \$11,000 with the Boston Braves.

Terry flatly has refused to accept a 40-per cent reduction in salary and announces he will not take a cut at all unless a general reduction is made all over the National league.

Ott, at his home in New Orleans, said yesterday he had returned a contract calling for a stiff slash in salary. The home-run hitting outfielder said the cut was not 40 per cent but "much bigger than I expected." He hopes for adjustment.

Out at Glendale, Cal., Herman said he was not interested in salary cuts. The Dodger outfielder drew \$19,000 for hitting .313 last year and if the 1932 papers call for anything less he says he'll send them back.

Mac Carro, new manager of the Dodgers, intimated at Tampa, Fla., that there would be a cut all along the line.

Baseball owners are reorganizing and the sooner the players realize it the better it will be for all.

The Reds have asked Lucas to take a cut of \$2,500 but he has refused so far on the grounds that such an offer is "insulting." He won 14 games and lost 13 for the last place Reds in 1934. He has been a star of the Reds' staff since 1920.

Neal Kilbane, Tacoma middleweight, was awarded a close decision over Ray McQuillan, Portland, in another good bout.

Ernie Peters, the Cherokee Indian, and Al Mustola, Clatskanie, bantamweights, went six rounds to a draw. Peters put Mustola down for a nine-count in the fourth.

"Bearcat" Baker, Seattle negro heavyweight, made short work of Tom Moore, who went down four times and out in the first round.

Denny Lenhart, Portland light heavyweight, knocked out Art Meyer, Portland, in the first round. A right uppercut toppled Meyer for the first of two knockouts.

Young Corpus, Manila lightweight, knocked out George Hval, Portland, in the first round.

Harrington to Be Third Man in Ring
PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 13.—(AP)—In spite of Abe Kaplan's vigorous objections, Vern Harrington, wrestling referee, will be the third man in the ring again tonight when Kaplan gets another chance at Ed "Strangler" Lewis.

Schmeling, Walker Battle Is Promised
NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—(AP)—Max Schmeling, world's heavyweight champion, and Mickey Walker, former middleweight champion, are scheduled to sign contracts today for a 15 round heavyweight title bout at Miami, Fla., on Feb. 25.

The ceremony is set for 2 p. m.



By ROY CRAFT

What a league this northwest basketball conference is turning out to be! If wrestling matches ended like these hoop contests have been ending, the fans would be shouting to high heaven that they were framed and that the sports editors had a hand in it. The crookedest promoter that ever lived would hardly have nerve enough to make so many two-game series come out even, and yet that's what has happened in the northwest basketball conference, to mean the difference between a four-place team and a pennant contender for the Cleveland Indians.

But for these two handicaps Cleveland in 1934 stepped out and battle for the American league pennant this season. For the past three years shortstop has been a sieve in the Cleveland infield and the position

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Of late years the Indians have had a habit of producing one outstanding young player each season. It was Joe Vosmik last season. Wesley Ferrell, one of the best right-handed pitchers in baseball, and Earl Averill, perhaps the best center fielder in the game, were developed under Roger Peckinpaugh's regime during the past four years.

This season Bruce Connasser, first baseman from the New Orleans Southern league club, may be Cleveland's "find." If Connasser, another former U. of Alabama star, makes good at first, Eddie Morgan probably will be shifted to right field, giving the Indians one of the best outfielders in the league of Vosmik, Averill and Morgan.

The Indians tried five players at shortstop last season without success, and they have four to try for that berth this year. Montague, who played 64 games at that position last season, seems better than the three rookies, Hale from New Orleans, White from Sacramento and Bellande from Detroit.

Cleveland's probable lineup follows:

Player	Batting Pct.
1B—Connasser	.334
2B—Hodapp	.245
3B—Kannan	.280
SS—Montague	.285
LF—Vosmik	.320
CF—Averill	.333
RF—Morgan	.301
C—Sewell	.275

The Indians have 12 pitchers, including two left-handers. Shoffner, recalled from Toledo and Lee recalled from Shreveport. Neither of the southpaws had any success in the minors, so the Indians probably will have to worry along with a staff composed entirely of right-handers.

Wesley Ferrell, Hudlin, Harder and Clint Brown are the chief standbys. Of the new pitchers Pearson from Oakland, Hildebrand from Indianapolis, and Bean, recalled from New Orleans, are the most promising.

Louis Sewell, who caught 105 games last year, and Myatt will do the catching again.

PHELAN'S SALARY IS REDUCED \$3000

SEATTLE, Jan. 13.—(AP)—A 20 per cent reduction in the salary of Phelan, football coach of the University of Washington, bringing it down to a basis of \$12,000 a year, today led a retrenchment move in the institution's athletic activities.

The acceptance of the 20 per cent cut, affecting all major coaches, their assistants and all other employees of the Associated Students of the university, was forthcoming after a four-hour session of the finance committee last night.

The reductions will be effective for the remainder of the fiscal year, which ends in August.

In addition, a recommendation was formulated calling for the immediate dismissal of Steve Anderson, assistant track coach and former world champion high hurdler. The elimination of his salary, together with the economies in equipment and definite cancellation of the Stanford-Washington track meet at Palo Alto, will save \$4,000, it was estimated.

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BASKETBALL RESULTS
Notre Dame 43; Marquette 31.
Butler 34; Wabash 11.
Creighton 65; Oklahoma Aggies 23.
Kansas 34; Nebraska 31.
Michigan Normal 25; Loyola 17.
Illinois Wesleyan 31; Millikin 18.
Central 22; Upper Iowa 14.
Central Indiana Normal 33; Frankfort 29.
Pittsburgh, Kan. Teachers 32; Emporia 21.
Los Angeles Athletic club 33; University of California 28.

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CLEVELAND NEEDS SHORTSTOP, PLUS SOUTHPAW HURLER

(Editor's note: Following is the fifth of a series on the prospects of American league clubs. Today, Cleveland. Tomorrow, Washington.)

By GEORGE KIRKSEY
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CREAMERY BOWLERS MOVE UP IN LEAGUE

Medo-Land Creamery was the big noise in the Merchants bowling league Tuesday night, taking three games from Krenn's Bakery and stepping into second place in the standings. Natron Printing won two games from Underwood & Elliot's Zellerbach Paper took two from Eugene Recreation and Bailey Electric dropped the leading Eugene Hardware for two.

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RICHARD DIX!



Here's Richard Dix, motion picture star, who opened at the Heilig theatre Wednesday in one of the most thrilling roles of his career in "Secret Service," a story laid behind the southern lines in the Civil War. The picture will play three days.

MULTNOMAH LOSES
VANCOUVER, B. C., Jan. 13.—(AP)—The University of British Columbia basketball team, Canadian champion basketball squad, toyed with the Portland Multnomah team and downed them 35-21 here last night. At half time the southern aggregation was trailing 20-1.

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