

Viking Cagers Plot to Add Fourth Game to Victories

Salem high school's undefeated Cheesemakers tonight at the Vik Villa at 8 p.m. hoping to make it four in a row with the same ease they glided through the Klamath tourney last week.

Coach Harold Hauk after switching his starting quint around at the tourney has dis-

covered a considerable better one in the scoring department in Wayne Walling and Doug Rogers in the forward slots, while Jim Rock will hold down the center position and Captain Daryl Girod, Deb Davis start in the guard berths.

Walling, 6'5" substitute center, was high scorer Friday night at the tourney so Hauk

promptly assigned him a starting berth.

The Cheesemakers scoring will be centered around forward Bob Denial, 5'11", who tallied 15 points in Tillamook's recent loss to the Oregon Frosh.

Salem reserves Don McKenzie, Dick Deen, Larry Chamberlain, Gene Garver, Larry Paulus, Merle Baumgart, Layton Gilson, Gordon Sloan, Lawrence Baggett all hope to see some action.



Wolfe Weight Climbs For Scrap Wednesday

Dick Wolfe, the Indian scrapper from the Klamath country, will weigh 150 pounds or better when he crawls through the ropes Wednesday night for his 10-round clash with Lou Nunes.

This weight was indicated after he finished a strenuous workout in Portland, where he is getting in shape for the second meeting with the Los Angeles "wild man." At the conclusion of the training period he was at the even 150-pound mark.

Nunes, claimant of the welterweight crown for the state, declined to put his crown on the block in Wednesday night's encounter, thereby forcing Wolfe to go over the poundage of the welter division.

Mel Eagleman, Salem featherweight, and Tony Dacel will be featured in the six-round semi-final. Eagleman, an eager work-

er, is a crowd pleaser. The top four-round bout will feature A' Cliffe, Portland Negro, and Johnny Schuster, Salem knuckle toser. They are middleweights.

Jerry Tompkins and Bill Downey, heavyweights, will appear on the preliminary card in place of Bobby Henry and Jimmie Ogden.

Luthi Aces Third Green at Knoll

Pete Luthi of 325 South Capitol street scored an ace on the No. 3 green of the Oak Knoll golf course. Luthi used a No. 9 iron off the tee and the ball lodged between the pin and the rim of the cup on the fly, without hitting the green. The distance is 113 yards. Luthi was playing with Don McMaster and Clifford Ellis.

North Santiam Sportsmen Declare War on Predators

Stayton—The North Santiam Sportsmen's club has adopted as its prime objective this year a project to make the North Santiam river a famous trout stream again.

The campaign will begin early in February and plans were discussed at a meeting of the club Monday evening in Legion hall.

Teams were also chosen for a war on predatory birds. Fish-ducks and kingfishers, both of which destroy large quantities of game fish, were the ones chosen to be destroyed.

Also on the "wanted list" are certain species of hawks, but not all hawks. The team destroying the most of these wanted predators will be the winner.

Louis Myers of Elkhorn is captain of one team and Harvey

Moulet of Stayton, assisted by Elmer Fehlen, is captain of the other. The competition will end early in January and a dinner will be in the reward to the winners.

More than 60 attended the meeting at which movies of the Chinook salmon were shown by a representative of the U. S. wildlife service. He was assisted by Cloyce Avey of the high school and the school's projector was used.

Combined NCAA, AAU Sanity Code Battle Brews

South Bend, Ind., Dec. 13 (AP)—A combined NCAA-AAU knock-out punch for "sanity code" violators—so complete as to bar them from U. S. Olympic competition—appeared to be brewing today.

Dr. Karl Leib of Iowa, NCAA president, declared at Notre Dame's annual football banquet last night that offenders would receive sharper sanctions than expulsions and schedule boycotts.

Lockwood Named To Game Post by State Commission

Charles A. Lockwood was re-appointed state game director during a meeting of the state game commission held in Portland. His present term expires at the end of the year.

Lockwood is a veteran employee of the commission, having served in nearly every department before becoming state game supervisor in 1947. The 1949 legislature changed the position to state game director. Lockwood is president of the Western Association of Fish and Game Commissioners and holds an office in the International Association of Fish and Game Commissioners.

Upon receiving the appointment, Lockwood reappointed Phil Schneider as assistant game director and this appointment was confirmed by the commission.

Hamline to Play In Tourney, Zags Upset San Jose

Los Angeles, Dec. 13 (AP)—Defending champion Hamline university makes its first appearance in the third annual Los Angeles invitational basketball tournament tonight against Whittier college.

Powerhouse Brigham Young of Provo, Utah, winner of the recent Skyline Six tourney, plays colorful Culver-Stockton in the night's opener.

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Now, Boys, This Isn't Hockey!

Left wing Norm Dussault (right, dark uniform) of the Montreal Canadiens, lands a gloved left fist flush on the nose of right wing Jim Conacher (11) of the Chicago Hawks during a hockey game in Chicago. Trying to separate the pair are Montreal right defense Emil Bouchard (center) and Referee Bill Chadwick. No penalty was inflicted for the fight. Montreal won the game, 3 to 0. (AP Wirephoto)

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Yankee-Senator Deals Hold Key to Trading

New York, Dec. 13 (AP)—George Stinewiss of the New York Yankees and Eddie Robinson of the Washington Senators are the road-blocks to an expected delay of player deals here at the major league meetings.

According to President Bill DeWitt of the St. Louis Browns, every American league club except the Boston Red Sox is waiting for New York and Washington to close trade talks before making their own moves.

"The Yankees and Washington hold the key to all player deals," DeWitt said, as the meetings entered their second session today. "At least three clubs would like to have Stinewiss for second base. Just as many are interested in getting Robinson for first."

When Manager Casey Stengel was informed that the rest of the circuit was waiting for his Yankees to make the first move, he did not act surprised.

"I wouldn't doubt that a bit," he grinned. "They all need second basemen and we have three good ones. Why any one of our second sackers

Jerry Coleman, George Stinewiss or Al Martin, whom we bought from Oakland—would be a regular with any other club. Yes, I'd trade Stinewiss but I'd have to get a front line pitcher for him."

Haas Shoots 69 To Collect Top Miami Open Cash

Miami, Fla., Dec. 13 (AP)—Freddy Haas, Jr., a comparatively newcomer to the professional golfing ranks, won first money in Miami's 26th annual open golf tournament yesterday by defeating Bob Hamilton in a dramatic 18-hole playoff by two strokes.

It was the 33-year-old former national intercollegiate champion's second major triumph since he turned professional in 1946.

His first victory also was won in a playoff when he defeated John Palmer and Ben Hogan in an extra round for the Portland, Ore., open in 1948.

Haas, tall and good humored New Orleans pro, carded a one-under par 35-34—69 against the veteran Hamilton's one over par 35-36-71.

Coaltown Named Horse of Year

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 13 (AP)—Consistency and speed paid off for Calumet Farm's Coaltown today when he was named "horse of the year" in the annual nationwide poll conducted by the Turf and Sport Digest, a racing publication.

The brilliant son of Bull Lea, who won 12 of his 15 starts during the year and was second in the other three, received 102 of the 203 votes cast by sports editors, turf writers and radio commentators.

City Loop Scores

AMERICAN DIVISION

12th St. (41)	120	Warner	5	Met.
Albion 18	110	Warner	6	Benson
Miles 11	100	Warner	7	Nieuwland
Davis 3	90	Warner	8	Blazel
Daryl 3	80	Warner	9	Goffe
Daryl 3	70	Warner	10	Adams
Sub: Warner-Gilson 12	60	Warner	11	Herrill
Sub: Warner-Gilson 12	50	Warner	12	Herrill
Sub: Warner-Gilson 12	40	Warner	13	Herrill
Sub: Warner-Gilson 12	30	Warner	14	Herrill
Sub: Warner-Gilson 12	20	Warner	15	Herrill
Sub: Warner-Gilson 12	10	Warner	16	Herrill
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Sub: Warner-Gilson 12	0	Warner	18	Herrill
Sub: Warner-Gilson 12	0	Warner	19	Herrill
Sub: Warner-Gilson 12	0	Warner	20	Herrill

Where There's A Will—There's Surely a Way

Western Union, Dec. 13 (AP)—Miami Fla. wires carrying racing information to 120 spots in four southeast Florida counties were idle today, on orders of the state railroad and public utilities commission.

The wires were unplugged yesterday afternoon and caused some confusion just at post time but bookmakers reportedly hastily improvised a telephone relay system.

Gambling sources predicted a telephone substitute would be "rushing something like normal in a couple of days."

The commission charged the information was used for gambling purposes.

Slingin' Sammy Wins Pro Pass Honor Once More

Philadelphia, Dec. 13 (AP)—By the narrow margin of two points, Sammy Baugh of the Washington Redskins won the National Football league passing title for the sixth time in his 13 years as a professional.

Under the inverse grading system in which the number of completions, percent of completions, touchdowns passes, yards gained and percent of interceptions are all taken into account, Baugh finished with 16 points according to the league's final statistics released today.

Second place with 18 points went to the Chicago Bears' Johnny Lujack. Tommy Thompson of the Philadelphia Eagles, last year's winner, was third with 23 points.

Baugh attempted 255 passes, completed 145 for a gain of 1903 yards and 18 touchdowns. He had a percentage of completions of 56.9 and had only 5.5 percent intercepted.

Skits and Scratches

By FRED ZIMMERMAN, Capital Journal Sports Editor

Change the Regulations

* If the sending of a group of boys to the East-West football game in San Francisco constitutes a violation of the Oregon School Activities association regulations, then something should be done to take some of the stiff-necked attitude out of the rules. The ruling came up when Tom Pigott, secretary of the OSAA stated that the Dads club of Grant high school in Portland was violating the spirit of a rule in sponsoring the trip to San Francisco for Coach Ted Ogdahl and his "Generals." The Grant gridders recently won the state football championship and the Dad's club wanted to provide something more realistic than the time-honored dinner of Swiss steak, mashed potatoes and peas.

This Does It

The rule that Pigott claims makes the SF junket illegal sets forth that "any student who has received any article for compensation for athletic skill other than the school's athletic letter or awards given by the OSAA shall be declared ineligible." So, those banquetts provided by such organizations as the Salem Breakfast club might be construed as unconstitutional. Somebody may go to jail, just by way of indicating how silly the entire situation is, Pigott points out that the individual Grant players can foot the expense account. And, of course, if some father who was unable to finance the project, should accidentally find a \$50 bill in his pocket, everything would be entirely legal.

KF Attendance Poor

The recent invitational hoop tournament at Klamath Falls ran into a lot of competition and as a result fan attendance was on the poor side. One of the principal detractions for one night was the presence of "Bump" Elliott, assistant O. S. C. coach in the city. Christmas shopping was another activity that cut the crowd. All told the sponsors, the 20-30 club had rather a rough time of it. As far as the games were concerned, they were, fully up to anticipations although Coach Harold Hauk thought the tilt between his Vikings and the LaGrande Tigers was far from sensational. Many of the Tigers had little time other than to shuck their football togs and don their basketball suits before shoving off for the Klamath country. Then they traveled 500 miles by automobile to reach the scene.

The Right Attitude

The Viking coach is within his rights in refusing to go in private automobiles to Klamath Falls for an athletic event. Any one who has made the trip over the Willamette valley or any of the other cross-Cascade routes knows that wintry storms make for dangerous conditions. The Pelicans have always provided first class competition, but there are many quints within 75 miles of Salem that would do as well. The Viking win of Saturday night is the first one we can recall being challenged against the Pelicans on the KF courts. Not a single letterman is available to the Pels this year and the squad is comprised principally of last year's Jayvees. That may be another reason for poor attendance.

Experiment Worth While

Fred Cords, athletic director of the YMCA, believes the "honor system" of basketball should be given a trial on the high school or college level. Last week's experiment in official-less basketball brought out a number of facts: 1—The players did not have sufficient knowledge as to what constitutes a foul; 2—Failure to call a foul at the time of the infraction, due to a bit of hesitation, meant that play went on apace. Then it quickly became too late to call it; 3—Players made a definite effort to avoid body contact in the early minutes of the game; 4—In case of a collision when players were after the ball, none was willing to take the responsibility for the illegal contact; 5—There is a definite need for players to be instructed in what constitutes a foul. Cords will try the experiment again after players have seen more competition. In the meantime he would like to see more experienced performers take a whirl at it.



Set for Play Oregon State's new \$1,800,000 basketball pavilion which will be used for the first time Friday night when Coach Slat's Gills' Beavers meet the University of Utah. A second game with the Utes is slated for Saturday night. The huge structure has a seating capacity of 10,000 persons.

Education Schools Form Five-Team Conference

Portland, Dec. 13 (AP)—The long-discussed league for Oregon's smaller state colleges is now a reality—the Oregon collegiate athletic conference, a five-school entity.

The three colleges of education, Vanport of Portland and Oregon Technical institution of Klamath Falls, are the members.

It came into being yesterday in a previously announced meeting of college officials. They agreed they wanted to start at once. So they brushed off the technicalities involved and decided to let previously scheduled games with each other count toward the basketball title this season.

Basketball and football are to be discussed at a later meeting, probably in March. At that time some of the technicalities may be expected to bob up, such as the controversy over Round-robin play and the finer points of eligibility.

For the time being eligibility is similar to the coast conference. In event one team has not played enough opponents to warrant a championship, or in case of a tie, coaches will meet to decide on a winner. Officials agreed a playoff would be best in case of a tie.

The colleges of education are Eastern Oregon College of Education at LaGrande, Southern Oregon College of Education at Ashland and Oregon College of Education at Monmouth.

Southern Oregon already was a member of another circuit—the far west conference. A spokesman said that for the time being, Southern Oregon would

OREGON TIDES Correct for Newport

	High	Low
Dec. 11	7:31 a.m. 8.1	8:34 a.m. 6.7
Dec. 14	7:34 a.m. 8.7	8:59 a.m. 7.3
Dec. 17	8:21 a.m. 9.4	1:00 a.m. 1.2
Dec. 20	9:02 a.m. 10.3	3:08 p.m. 1.4
Dec. 23	9:52 a.m. 11.1	5:47 a.m. 1.8
Dec. 26	10:08 p.m. 6.5	4:07 p.m. 0.8

Happy Chandler Expects Increase In Contract Pay

New York, Dec. 13 (AP)—A. B. Chandler, commissioner of baseball, is expected to get a new long-term contract and a hike in salary at the combined meeting of the American and National leagues tomorrow.

The word is that the commissioner will be signed to a seven-year term at \$75,000 per year, \$25,000 above his present pay. His present contract doesn't expire until April 24, 1952.

Chandler and baseball directors declined comment on the report.

Stone Bowl Game Slated for New Year at Prison

Walla Walla, Wash., Dec. 13 (AP)—Prison officials announced today that the annual "Stone Bowl" football classic will be played within the Washington state penitentiary walls Sunday, Jan. 1.

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