

Valley Cagers Complete Second Round of Tourney

Taking nearly every scoring opportunity, the Dallas Dragons, piloted by Gordon Kunkle, thumped a hard-fighting Canby squad, by outscoring them 44 to 30 in the final event for the second night of play in Willamette University's tournament.

Silverton bumped a favored Taft team, 38 to 32, and in the first heat Woodburn took a thriller from Dayton 37 to 32.

While Dallas was topping Canby, Wes Ediger of Dallas, racked up 18 points to aid his squad. Ralph Undseth, of Woodburn was close with 17 counters.

Ediger, an artist at the pivot shot, plopped in 13 markers in the first half, and then concentrated more or less on defense in the second half. Tall, blonde Undseth, also quite successful on the pivot shot, played a grand

Cavemen Defeat Lebanon, 41-39

Lebanon—The Lebanon Warriors, leading 29-25 at the three-quarter mark, were beaten Thursday night by the Grants Pass Cavemen, 41 to 39. Grants Pass is said to have its strongest quint in a number of seasons.

Lebanon (39) (41) Grants Pass Kizkelle 3 P Miller Hinman 17 P Houtzass 4 C Hodges Baker 5 G Beck 7 G Saba-Lebanon-Whitmore 1; Grants Pass-Jacobson 2, Ford 2, Hackenbusch 4, Yosten 2, Stanner 3.

Harvard played in the Rose Bowl game of 1920, defeating Oregon 7-6.

Here Are the Lineups For Major Bowl Games

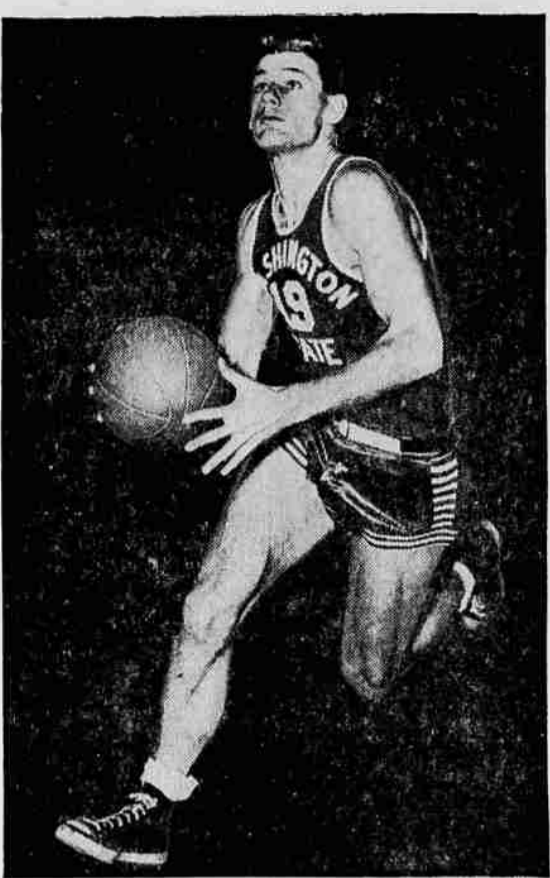
New York, Dec. 30 (AP)—Here is the New Year's bowl lineup, giving name of the major bowl, site, teams involved with their season's record in parenthesis, probable attendance and starting time (all times Pacific Standard).

Dec. 31:
Shrine East-West game, San Francisco — Two all-star teams of college seniors, 60,000. 2:10 p.m. KSLM.
Blue-Gray, Montgomery, Ala. — Two all-star teams of college seniors, 22,500. 11:45 a.m. KSLM.
Raisin Bowl, Fresno, Calif. — San Jose (Calif) (8-4-0) vs. Texas Tech (6-4), 15,000. 2:15 p.m. Jan. 2:
Rose Bowl, Pasadena, Calif. — California (10-0-0) vs. Ohio State (6-1-2), 103,000. 2 p.m.
Sugar Bowl, New Orleans — Oklahoma (10-0-0) vs. Louisiana State (8-2-0), 83,000. 11:45 a.m.
Cotton Bowl, Dallas, Tex. — North Carolina (7-3-0) vs. Rice (9-1-0) 75,500. 11:15 a.m.
Orange Bowl, Miami, Fla. — Santa Clara (7-2-1) vs. Kentucky (9-2-0), 65,000. 11 a.m.
Pineapple Bowl, Honolulu — Stanford (6-3-1) vs. Hawaii (8-2-0), 25,000. 4 p.m.
Gator Bowl, Jacksonville, Fla. — Maryland (7-1-0) vs. Missouri (7-3-0) 36,000. 11:15 a.m.
Tangerine Bowl, Orlando, Fla. — Emory and Henry (10-0-0) vs. St. Vincent, Pa. (9-0-0), 9,000. 5 p.m.
Salad Bowl, Phoenix, Ariz. — Arizona State (Tempe) (9-2-0) vs. Xavier (Ohio) (9-1-0), 18,500. 11 p.m. Jan. 7:
Senior Bowl, Jacksonville, Fla. — Two all-star teams of college seniors, 20,000. 11 a.m.

They Give the Game to The Fans in Latin Land

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.
New York, Dec. 30 (AP)—So you think the fans are pretty rough on referees and umpires in your part of the country. . . Well, Vadal Peterson, the square-jawed Scandinavian who coached Utah basketball team, will say you ain't seen nothing yet. . . Vadal and his Utes took a pre-season trip to Brazil for ten games in 13 days last fall and saw some really excitable fans. . . "They're the nicest, most hospitable people you ever saw before a game, or three hours afterwards," says Mr. Pete, "but when you go out to play, their nature changes. . . Most games end with somebody getting beat up—usually the referees."

RIGHT EVERY TIME
Utah's introduction to Brazilian officiating came in an early game near Sao Paulo. . . "We were a few points ahead at half time," Vadal relates, "and I took my boys into the dressing room. . . I heard a lot of noise outside, then my assistant and the publicity fellows came running down the passage and hit the door at the same time. . . They shouted: 'They're beating the tar out of the referees!' . . . Who is? I asked. . . The crowd! . . . I went outside. There were two referees, a big fat one who never moved and a little guy. . . The little fellow came up to me and, in a squeaky voice, said: Mr. Pete, they beat H out of me. But I no quit. I call them. . . to having a Yankee call foul."



Cougar Cager Leon Mangis, Washington State college Cougar cager who will be seen in action during the two-game series with Oregon State at Corvallis January 3 and 4. Coach Jack Friel's club were early season favorites to take the northern division crown. However, absence of Ed Gayda, out with an ankle injury, has weakened the squad materially.

Team Optimism Worries Sugar Bowl Okie Coach

By STERLING SLAPPEY
Biloxi, Miss., Dec. 30 (AP)—"All year my boys have thought they were better than they are," Coach Bud Wilkinson unbundled today as his Oklahoma football team

ference since the great hand Luisetti was swishing the nets for Stanford.

re-opened practice for the Sugar Bowl.

"I wish they would either stop that or get better," Wilkinson said.

The words tolled the familiar tones of the mourning bell reserved for coaches' pre-game dirges, but Wilkinson was a deadpan sincerity personified.

Oklahoma, the nation's No. 2 team, meets Louisiana State University Monday in New Orleans.

After a week's layoff from practice Wilkinson wonders and worries if his players still are in condition.

Other worries which plague him are:

Whether the novelty of playing in bowls has worn off. This is Oklahoma's second consecutive Sugar Bowl invitation.

Will the honor of playing in a bowl make L. S. U. too eager to handle?

Will L. S. U. take advantage of a psychological edge in being the underdog and try harder than Oklahoma?

And do Oklahoma players think more of a trip to the gulf coast than they do of playing in the Sugar Bowl?

Oklahoma will hold four secret practices this week and rest Sunday in preparation for the Jan. 2 game. No scrimmages are planned.

All the points Wilkinson has found to worry about should rank him as high a moaner as he is a coach.

Twenty straight games have been won by Oklahoma with the split "T" formations of Wilkinson. Also during his three years at Oklahoma Wilkinson has won two big seven conference championships, tied for a third and whipped North Carolina in the Sugar Bowl last January.

College Cage Teams Show Return to Pre-War Class

By JACK CUDDY
(United Press Sports Editor)
New York, Dec. 30 (AP)—Brilliant performances by an unusual number of college basketball stars this season indicated today, as the 1949-'50 campaign neared the midway mark, that the hardwired sport has returned to pre-war excellence.

Their names are new, and their style of play differs somewhat from the pre-war game; but the stars appear as lustrous as did those back around 1940.

Thus far in the season, the achievements of many super-tall super-players indicated they should be ready to replace such professional standouts as George Mikan, Alex Groza and Don Otten when those giants slow down.

Tallest of the new crop of able big men is Bill Spivey of the Kentucky Wildcats. Although only 19 and a sophomore, Spivey stretches up seven feet. As successor to Groza at center for Kentucky, Spivey has proved a rebounding ace, a deadly shooter, and a strong, alert defense man.

Just an inch shorter than Kentucky's galloping flagpole is Charley (Chuck) Share of Bowling Green University. Snaggle-toothed Share is a scoring specialist who makes his team one of the best in the nation.

On the same height-level with Share is Marcus Freiburger of the Oklahoma Sooners. The Sooners are competing now in the big seven tournament, and Freiburger's 14 points wrapped up their opening victory.

Bob Lavoy of Western Kentucky is one of the top scorers among big men this season. Standing six feet, seven inches, Lavoy clicked off 34 points Monday night as he led the Hill-toppers to a triumph over Canisius. His 34 missed the Memorial auditorium record in Buffalo, N. Y., by one point.

Other leading giants are Ed Roman of City College of New York, Charley Cooper of Duquesne, Sherman White of Long Island U., Carl Kraushaar of U.C.L.A., and Don Lofgran of San Francisco.

Bill Sharman of Southern California has stimulated the belief he is the best shot-maker to appear in the Pacific Coast con-

Orange Bowl Princesses Sour on 'Fixed' Queen

Coral Gables, Fla., Dec. 30 (AP)—Ladene Van Wagoner, slender blonde airlines stewardess from Salt Lake City, Utah, reigned as queen of the Orange Bowl festival today, and some of the other beautiful contestants for the title didn't like it.

Not that they begrudged the lovely Miss Wagoner her crown, they said. But it looked to them as if the contest was "fixed."

One of the 38 finalists said newspapers were carrying news of the Utah girl's selection before the judging was over.

Miss Wagoner was crowned at the Orange Bowl ball at the Coral Gables Country club last night while more than 2,000 spectators looked on. The judging was to have taken place at the ball.

But seven of the contestants fumed into the offices of the Miami Herald last night after it was all over and said it looked "fixed" to them.

Matty Baldwin, a tiny honey-blond, displayed a copy of a newspaper announcing Miss Wagoner's victory. She said the paper was in her boy friend's hands before the selection was announced.

"We believed we had a chance,"

BASKETBALL

(By The Associated Press)
Washington State 66, Central Washington 41.
Pacific Lutheran 70, Northwest Nazarene 41.
Pacific Univ. 36, Seattle Pacific 33.
Idaho State 64, British Columbia 48.
Seattle Univ. 33, Lewis & Clark 22.
Stewart Chevrolet 36, Portland 33.
Minnesota 67, Stanford 65. (Overtime.)
Columbia 63, Denver 59.
California 53, Texas A&M 47.
Southern California 55, Los Angeles Loyola 42.
Boise J.C. 34, College Idaho 31.
Vanderbilt Invitational Tourney:
Oregon Tech 84, Clark J.C. 51.
Vancouver 69, Grays Harbor J.C. 55.

HIGH SCHOOL SCORES
Marshall 58, Eugene 52.
Myrtle Point 55, Vancouver, Wash. 52.
Roosevelt 35, Tillamook 32.
Rainier 40, Molalla 30.
Silverton 28, Taft 32.
Woodburn 37, Dayton 32.
Grants Pass 41, Lebanon 39.
Medford 39, Redmond 34.
Roosevelt (Portland) 45, McMinnville 47.
Pendleton 38, St. Helens 33.
Dallas 44, Canby 29.
Washington (Portland) 35, Astoria 27.
Hillsboro 52, Springfield 34.

Leahy Picks Californians Over Buckeyes at Pasadena

By FRANK LEAHY
(Head Football Coach, University of Notre Dame)

Football in its 1949 version will bow out with a bang this week-end as bowl games from coast to coast take precedence in the thoughts of most sports fans, as leading representatives of the nation's six major football conferences will participate before full houses in various sections of the South and West.

Presenting the champions of the Pacific Coast conference and the Big Ten is the Rose Bowl in Pasadena in the fourth game of the current two conference contract. Illinois, Michigan and Northwestern have brought their post season's title back to the Midwest each year since the inception of the agreement.

However, it appears this year as if Coach Lynn Waldorf has assembled the Coast's greatest post-war team, and we feel that the Golden Bears of California are capable of taking the measure of Wesley Fester's Ohio State Buckeyes.

Although I do not place too much credence in comparative scores I believe that the one touchdown majority Cal has over their common opponent, Southern California, may well be the deciding difference on Monday.

New Orleans' Sugar Bowl offers their defending champion, Oklahoma, against Southeastern Louisiana State. The amazing manner in which L.S.U. closed out their season definitely puts them in the class of an unknown, while the Split "T" power of undefeated Oklahoma is easily recognizable.

Realizing that the Bayou Tigers will undoubtedly give Oklahoma many anxious moments prior to the final gun, we still think that the Sooners powerful offense will eventually be the cause of their emerging the victor.

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Wolfe and Ortega Featured on Twin Main Event Card

Dick Wolfe and Joey Ortega will be featured in a double main event on next Wednesday's Veterans of Foreign Wars fight card at the armory. Each bout will be for eight rounds and Wolfe and Ortega will be matched against suitable opponents, Matchmaker Tex Salked announces.

The balance of the card will include a six round semi-final and two four round preliminaries.

Hectic Windup Slated For College Tourneys

By JOHN GRIFFIN
New York, Dec. 30 (AP)—Grand finales staged by the Sugar Bowl in New Orleans, the Big Seven in Kansas City and the Dixie classic in Raleigh mark a hectic college basketball program tonight which includes no fewer than 11 tournaments in various parts of the country.

In the Sugar Bowl, perhaps the most coveted invitation affair of the Christmas season, it will be Kentucky vs. Bradley for the title.

At Kansas City, Missouri and Oklahoma will battle each other in the wind-up of that circuit's pre-season scrap.

Bradley figured as favorite in its contest against Kentucky. The Indians impressed with an easy 78-46 victory over Tulane in the tourney opener last night.

Kentucky, on the other hand, met a stiffer foe in Villanova and narrowly escaped with a 57-56 triumph.

Veteran Jim Line turned defeat into victory for the Wildcats with a leaping goal scored a minute and 15 seconds from the final buzzer.

Missouri won its way into the finals of the Big Seven by whipping Colorado, 62-51, breaking the Buffs' eight-game win streak. Oklahoma advanced by rallying from an early 12-point deficit to beat Kansas State, 55-50.

In the consolation game for third place, Oklahoma will play Kansas State.

The all-college tournament at Oklahoma City, won for five straight years by the Oklahoma City U. Chiefs, the Chiefs upset the Aggies in the semi-finals and then beat Wyoming, 36-35 in an overtime final last night. Chiefs' playmaker Farrell Craig was voted "most valuable."

The Aggies settled for third with a 57-33 win over Arkansas. Drake and Tennessee will clash tonight in the final round of the Corn Bowl tournament at Des Moines, Ia. Drake advanced by routing Pittsburgh, 67-55, and Tennessee edged Utah State, 66-62.

The Dixie classic, a new event this year, finds North Carolina State favored over Penn State in the finale. N.C. State moved up to the final round by trouncing Georgia Tech, 57-34. Penn State advanced by an upset 46-41 over West Virginia. Tech and West Virginia will meet in the consolation.

Indiana and Butler meet tonight in the wind-up of the annual Hoosier classic at Indianapolis. Indiana won its opener from Notre Dame, 79-69, while Butler upset Purdue, 57-52.



Orange Bowl Queen Ladene Van Wagoner (left), 23, National Airlines stewardess, was named 1950 Orange Bowl queen at Miami, Fla. Shown with her is movie star Colleen Townsend, "Sweetheart of the Orange Bowl." Miss Van Wagoner's home is in Salt Lake City, Utah. (AP Wirephoto.)

Coaches Pick Ohio State to Win Rose Bowl

Pasadena, Calif., Dec. 30 (AP)—Two coaches who have first hand experience with the California and Ohio State Rose Bowl teams climbed courageously out on a limb today.

Coach Jeff Cravath of the University of Southern California, whose Trojans tied the Buckeyes, 13-13, and lost to California, 16-10, predicted Ohio State would win the game Monday.

Coach Bob Voigts, whose Northwestern team defeated California in the Rose Bowl battle last New Year's day, thinks the same thing.

Said Voigts: "Wes Fester has a stronger squad than I brought out last year. He's much deeper."

SALEM FANS TO SEE SHRINE GAME SATURDAY
Among Salem fans who will be in Kezar stadium, San Francisco Saturday for the East-West game are Bruce Williams, sports announcer for KOCC; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Post and Mr. and Mrs. Stan Smith.

OREGON TIDES				
Correct for Newport				
	Rush	Rich	Low	
Dec. 30	9:24 a.m.	8.2	3:13 a.m.	3.1
	10:43 p.m.	5.9	4:33 p.m.	0.9
Dec. 31	10:09 a.m.	8.1	4:06 a.m.	3.5
	12:44 p.m.	6.1	5:22 p.m.	0.4
Jan. 1	10:45 a.m.	7.0	4:37 a.m.	3.5
			6:24 p.m.	10.2
Jan. 2	11:40 a.m.	4.9	5:20 a.m.	2.6
	12:35 p.m.	7.2	7:18 p.m.	-0.5

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