

Gervais Faces Creswell Thursday

Cougar Fullback to Miss Semi-Final Playoff Game

Gervais—Unpleasant news hit the Gervais high school football camp Wednesday morning with the announcement that Cougar fullback Frank Muth will miss the semi-final game with Creswell here Thursday.

Muth is home in bed with a severe case of poison oak—so bad that his eyes are swollen shut.

Arnold Moulatt, 130-pounder, will start at fullback in the Thanksgiving day contest, Gervais coach Bill Patterson said Wednesday.

Another absentee from the regular Gervais starting line-

up will be captain Terry Mahoney, a tackle. Mahoney suffered a badly bruised hand in Gervais' 13-7 victory over Knappa last week, and will only see limited action op-

posite Creswell. Gary Elliott will start at his position.

Creswell had been regarded as the favorite for Thursday's game anyhow, and in view of the Gervais injuries, the visiting club's chances have been bolstered even more.

The Gervais-Creswell game will be played on Gervais' Hoyer field at 12:30 o'clock. Patterson reports the gridiron in tip-

top shape, with bleachers set up to accommodate 1000 fans.

Admission prices for the semi-final game will be \$1 for adults, 50c for high school students and 25c for grade school students.

Never before has a Gervais football team entered the state playoffs, and needless to say the whole town is getting be-

hind the current edition of the Cougars.

Probable starting offensive lineup for Gervais Thursday:

Ends—Frank Belleque and Walt Tomsoff.

Tackles—Virgil Lucas and Gary Elliott.

Guards—Harry Nosack (other position uncertain).

Center—Junior Grassman.

Backs—John McCall, Arnold Moulatt, Don Green and John Rice.

Ducks Conduct Secret Practice

Eugene, Ore., Nov. 21 (AP)—With "Beat the Aggies" as the theme, the University of Oregon Ducks staged a spirited practice session today behind closed doors.

Tackles Len Diedrichs and Jerry Shaw and halfback Tommy Lyon, who missed the California game, took part in the entire workout. All the Webfoots, except freshman end Dick Davenport, were expected to see action against Oregon State Saturday.

Downing street, traditional home of England's prime minister, was named for Sir George Downing, who had been educated at Harvard college in the United States.

Parks Brothers Both Win Matches at Armory

It was a great day for the Parks family of North Bay, Ontario, at the Salem armory Tuesday night. Both the Parks brothers won their wrestling matches.

Bill Parks defeated Jack O'Reilly in a match that was highlighted by a near-riot at the finish, and Herb Parks downed Kurt von Poppenheim, much to the delight of the near-capacity crowd of customers.

The Bill Parks-O'Reilly match packed most of the evening's thunder. After Parks had won the first fall, O'Reilly, his face dripping with blood, rammed Parks' shoulder into a cornerpost.

O'Reilly pulled Parks away from the post and went to work on Parks' injured shoulder. Referee Gino ordered O'Reilly to break it up, but O'Reilly kept on stomping.

About that time Herb Parks, standing at ringside in his street clothes, burst into the ring and attacked O'Reilly. Before any-

body had quite figured out what was happening, Noccollini awarded the match to Parks on a foul. O'Reilly had been disqualified for failure to break it up when so ordered.

O'Reilly jostled a couple of irate customers on his way to the dressing room, and had it not been for some mighty rugged partitions in the armory basement, there may have been more trouble there. O'Reilly wanted to get at those Parks brothers.

In the other half of the main event, Herb Parks handed von Poppenheim his first defeat in five local matches. Von Poppenheim won the first fall with a back-bender hold, but Parks made quick work of things after that, taking no more than three minutes to win either of the next two falls.

The two preliminary matches both ended in draws. Gene Blakely drew with The Galloping Ghost and Lou Macera drew with George Dusette in a clean match.

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Kentucky Gets Invitation to '52 Cotton Bowl

Dallas, Tex., Nov. 20 (AP)—The Cotton Bowl, which picked the winner in last year's Tennessee-Kentucky football feud, hopes it has done it again in inviting Kentucky to the 1952 Cotton Bowl.

The circumstances aren't quite the same as last season when undefeated Kentucky met unbeaten Tennessee, which just before the game had accepted a Cotton Bowl invitation rather than wait for a Sugar Bowl bid if it won.

This year, it's Tennessee that's unbeaten, and the Vols already have signed for the Sugar Bowl while Kentucky has three early season blots on its record.

But, yesterday the Cotton Bowl gambled again and hoped it would bring a good luck charm to Kentucky by inviting the Wildcats to meet the Southwest Conference host team—whichever that might be from a field of four contenders. Kentucky promptly accepted.

The Southeastern Conference team's opponent won't be determined until Dec. 1 when the Southwest Conference race closes.

Roosevelt Dads' In Second Round

Portland, Nov. 21 (AP)—Members of the Roosevelt high school dads' club said they were going to see about protesting Roosevelt's 20-12 defeat by Mac Hi at Milton-Freewater last Saturday. But school officials and the club president said they would not back the protest.

James A. Winkler, one of the members, said the group would call on Tom Pigott, secretary of the Oregon School Activities association. He said he was one of a group that thought either all of the game or the last four minutes should be replayed.

Pigott said there wasn't any point to meeting with the men as no protest could be allowed.

Roosevelt principal Hal York said the school would not identify itself with the protest and coach Frank O'Neil said he thought officials made a wrong decision but that talk of a protest was ridiculous.

The talk stemmed from a Mac Hi offside kick with about four minutes left in the game and Mac Hi ahead 13-12. Mac Hi got the ball on the kick. Empire Wayne Bauer of Oregon City dropped a flag on the play, holding that Mac Hi illegally caught the ball in the air. Referee Don Monahan of Walla Walla overruled the umpire and called the play legal.

Astoria Gunning for 11th Straight Victory Friday

By CHRIS KOWITZ, JR.

Hubbard—it might take a miracle, or at least a David and Goliath stunt to do it, but the North Marion Huskies will enter Friday night's playoff game at Astoria intent on winning.

Spirit among the Husky gridmen has been at lofty points since the North Marion crew upset Canby on a 14-14 "first down" win last Friday.

Now Coach Hal Ellmers and his hustling Huskies are eyeing the Astoria game just like David must have eyed Goliath. The Astoria club has won 10 straight games, was voted the No. 3 team in the state in the Associated Press poll of sports-writers, is now one of the top favorites to win the championship, and will be at full strength for the Friday game.

On top of all that, the Fishermen will have the advantage of playing on their home field.

while the North Marion team must make the tiresome trip to Astoria for the contest.

But all those elements don't seem to dampen the spirits of the North Marion team, their coach, schoolmates and hundreds of boosters from the Aurora-Donald-Broadacres area.

Win, lose or draw Friday, the North Marion club has come a lot further than anyone anticipated, and for a school its size to reach the quarter-finals is certainly an accomplishment to be proud of.

The entire North Marion coaching staff witnessed Astoria's 32-7 win over Hillsboro at Astoria last Friday, and came away almost shuddering at Astoria's strength.

Hillsboro was the fifth ranking club in the state before Astoria got hold of them. There just simply hasn't been any stopping those Fishermen all

Astoria's accomplishments include a 29-6 win over Salem on November 9. The win over the Vikings marked the ninth straight win for Astoria.

Prior to that the Finns had disposed of, in order, Longview, 32-7; Hood River, 39-0; Milwaukie, 21-7; Central Catholic, 47-15; Gresham, 26-0; Seaside, 51-0 and Tillamook, 38-19.

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By CHRIS KOWITZ, JR., Capital Journal Sports Editor

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Salem Academy basketball aspirants must be warm-blooded. They're practicing daily in an unheated gym . . . Don Harger and Bill McNeil, hunting and fishing experts, will talk at Monday morning's Salem Breakfast club meeting . . . North Marion high school planning to operate special buses to Astoria Friday night, so North Marion students may witness the quarter-final playoff game between the Fishermen and Huskies.

Rufus Jones Killed

Good ol' Rufus Jones will never wrestle again . . . word comes from Provo, Utah, that he was killed outright in an auto accident Friday night . . . the whole crowd was always against Rufus when he wrestled in Salem . . . he was popular with Salem fans only to the extent that they would pay to see somebody whale the daylight out of him . . . but when promoter Elton Owen announced at the armory last night that Rufus had been killed, there was much sorrow among the fans . . . a moment of silence was held in Rufus' memory . . . everybody realized that the wrestling world lost something it loved in good ol' Rufus.

This Hurt His Pride

Curt von Poppenheim, the Proud Prussian who delights in stomping his feet on the mat and thrusting his arm forward in a "heil" gesture while in the wrestling ring, had to do his helling minus the stomp last night . . . von Poppenheim's leg was worked over so much by Herb Parks in one of the falls that von Poppenheim wasn't able to stomp with said leg . . . and that probably hurt von Poppenheim more than losing the match.

Raising the Deuce

A second set of twins was born the other day to Mr. and Mrs. Al Michaels of the Penn State football coaching staff (on Mike's 40th birthday, too) and naturally Michaels got a bit of ribbing from his associates . . . Mike had one retort read: "Football coaches have got to expect things like that in this two-platoon age" . . . but boss Rip Engle, remembering the older twins, said: "Yes, but now you'll be accused of over-emphasis" . . . by the way, Mrs. Michaels, which twin is the offensive one.



Rufus Jones

USC Favored Over Uclans

Los Angeles, Nov. 21 (AP)—Southern California remains a firm one-touchdown favorite to defeat UCLA in their crowtown grid struggle Saturday and the margin may widen by game-time.

Latest word from UCLA is that the Bruins' two defensive stars, Donn Moomaw and Hal Mitchell, will not be able to play because of injuries.

USC has several men troubled by minor wounds but none will be missed as the two UCLA players.

Neither team plans any heavy body contact work this week.

TIDE TABLE

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(Compiled by U. S. Coast & Geodetic Survey)

High Water	Low Water	High Water	Low Water	
Nov.	Time	Height	Time	Height
19	5:15 a.m.	4.9	9:50 a.m.	3.8
	2:15 p.m.	5.9	10:47 p.m.	6.3
20	6:01 a.m.	5.1	11:01 a.m.	3.7
	4:05 p.m.	5.5	11:23 p.m.	6.5
21	6:48 a.m.	5.3	12:21 p.m.	3.5
	5:12 p.m.	5.1		
22	7:28 a.m.	5.6	12:20 a.m.	6.0
	6:32 p.m.	4.8	1:24 a.m.	3.0
23	8:01 a.m.	5.9	1:07 a.m.	1.2
	7:53 p.m.	4.6	2:33 p.m.	2.2
24	8:36 a.m.	6.4	1:24 a.m.	1.6
	8:19 p.m.	4.6	2:24 p.m.	1.4
25	9:06 a.m.	6.8	2:28 a.m.	2.0
	10:16 p.m.	4.7	4:09 a.m.	0.5
26	9:41 a.m.	7.2	2:23 a.m.	2.3
	11:15 p.m.	4.0	4:31 p.m.	-0.3
27	10:11 a.m.	7.5	4:05 a.m.	-0.6
	12:10 p.m.	8.1	5:24 p.m.	-0.9
28	10:38 a.m.	7.8	6:19 p.m.	-1.4

CONY to De-Emphasize Its Athletic Program

New York, Nov. 21 (AP)—City College of New York, which returned basketball to its gymnasium when some of its players first became involved in the bribery scandal, took another long stride away from athletic glory today with the announcement of a de-emphasis program.

Lester M. Nichols, assistant to CCONY President Harry Wright, announced the college is adopting a plan which, he said, "will result in the elimination of City as an athletic power in the future."

Nichols said the college will take steps to see that there is no recruiting of athletes and would carefully scrutinize high school transcripts of athletes.

He made the announcement yesterday after Wright had admitted that at least two of the basketball players convicted of "throwing" games had gained entrance to the college through falsified high school grades. This had been charged by Judge Saul Streit at the time he sentenced the players.

Wright said "no evidence" had been discovered as to who tampered with the records of the players, and added, "the situation is complicated because there are about 50 per-

sons in the recording office who had access to the files."

Eleanor Holm Files Suit to Divorce Billy

New York, Nov. 20 (AP)—Former Olympic swimming champion Eleanor Holm Rose has filed suit to obtain a legal separation from her pint-sized husband, Billy Rose, the modern Barnum of Broadway.

Arthur Garfield Hays, Rose's attorney, said the famous backstroke star had taken official action against Rose by having a summons served on him during the week-end.

Under New York law, Rose may file an answer or counter-suit within 20 days.

The Roses were married in 1939, shortly after he had divorced actress Fanny Brice. They were considered the happiest couple until last July, when Joyce Matthews, former wife of TV comedian Milton Berle, slashed her wrists with a razor in Rose's apartment.

At that time, however, Rose said he was still in love with his wife and did not want to give her up.

But last month Mrs. Rose changed the lock on her apartment door and refused to admit her husband.

Valsetz Plays Semi-Final Game at Dallas Saturday

Valsetz—The Valsetz-Coburg six-man football game, a semi-final affair in state playoffs, will be played at Kreeson field in Dallas at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Coach Claire Price of Valsetz said Wednesday.

The Oregon School Activities association awarded Valsetz the privilege of being home team for the contest, and Valsetz high school officials in turn decided to play the game at Dallas.

Valsetz defeated Westport 19-18 in opening-round play last week-end. That marked the first time in several years that any team from this area has been able to keep Westport out of the semi-finals.

Valsetz townspeople, always eager to get behind any athletic team representing this logging community, are expected to turn out en masse for the game at Dallas.

Price said he planned to use the same starting lineup which so effectively disposed of Westport, last week-end. That puts Richard King, Otis Burchell and Bobby Helmar in the backfield, with Duane Fornier, Mark Head and Marvis Cheney in the line.

The Valsetz crew has now won eight out of ten games this season, and Saturday's game is regarded as a tossup.

Many residents of the Dallas area are expected to be on

hand at Kreeson field for the contest merely for the object of watching a six-man football game.

Six-man football has become extremely popular throughout the nation in the last ten years. Nevertheless, there are hundreds of thousands of devoted football fans who have never witnessed a six-man game.

Rules of the six-man game lend themselves to speedy, thrills-filled contests, and plenty of action is promised at Dallas Saturday, whether or not you have

any particular interest in the six-man race.

The Scotch Have 'Fix' Scandals, Too

Airdrie, Scotland, Nov. 21 (AP)—An attempt to bribe a player to help throw a game in the Scottish football league (soccer) has been reported to the league. Tom Brown, regular fullback for Airdrieonians, said he refused an offer of 100 pounds (\$280) to help lose a game against the Glasgow Celtic. Glasgow won, 3-1.

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