



Slips Don't Count Roland La Starza goes down on one knee as result of a slip during his 10-rounder with Rex Layne in New York. La Starza got up to pound out a split decision win over his heavier opponent in the heavyweight scrap. (UP Telephoto)

Johnny O Becomes First Player to Top 3,000 Mark

Spokane (AP)—Seattle's fabulous little Johnny O'Brien, who beats foes with hook shots but balances their athletic budgets, became college basketball's first 3,000-point player Sunday night, then said: "Bevo can have it now." He might have meant basketball in general for O'Brien gives the impression he just tolerates the game until baseball, his first love, comes around. He's an infielder and a top prospect.

Clarence Bevo Francis, the Rio Grande College freshman, has already beaten O'Brien's single season record of 1,051 points, but no one ever scored 3,000 in a collegiate career before.

O'Brien, a 5-foot 9-inch senior who has perfected every shot in the book, hit 3,000 amid his greatest night. He scored 51 points in a 109-68 mauling of Gonzaga which had upset Seattle the night before. Teammates and fans swarmed all over Johnny at the finish, hoisted him on their shoulders and showered him with confetti. Well wishers streamed into the dressing room. "Ya, Bevo can have it now," I've best him to 3,000," Johnny grinned. The place was a madhouse but it took a sly wink from a gentle priest to really bring down the house.

"OK, you fellows can have Monday off, but be sure to be back in class Tuesday," said the Very Rev. A. A. Lemieux, S. J., Seattle president. Johnny cheered nearly as loud as did 2,400 fans when he hit his 51st point, two seconds before the game ended. The crowd of 2,400 at the Spokane armory filled every corner. It was a sell out for weeks and there were 200 on a waiting list.

Olds 88 Sets Record in 160 Mile Stock Race

Daytona Beach, Fla. (AP)—Bill Blair, using high gear on turns to save gas, averaged 89.5 miles an hour—a new record—to win the 160-mile Grand National Circuit race for strictly stock automobiles Sunday. He drove a 1953 Oldsmobile 88.

SPORTS SLATE

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 16
College basketball: Willamette at College of Idaho.
Church league basketball: Class A—First Christian vs. Capitol Baptist, First Baptist vs. First Methodist, First Methodist vs. Calvary Baptist, Chemawa vs. Deaf School, Class B—Jason Lee vs. Liberty Church of Christ, St. Mary's Lutheran vs. Calvary Baptist, First Christian Bible vs. St. Paul's Episcopal, Class C—St. Mark's Pines vs. Knight Memorial, Kinwood Bible vs. First Baptist, First EUB vs. First Christian, Nazareth vs. Deaf School. (See story day of games for times and places.)
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17
High school basketball: Albany at Salem, Salem Academy at Gervais, Stayton at Central, Willamette Valley League—Mt. Angel at Sandy, Silverton at Estacada, Molalla at Clatsop, Woodburn at Dallas, Marion county B league—Mill City at Sublimity, St. Paul at Chemawa, Jefferson at Deaf School, Gates at Detroit, Yavama League—Amity at Yamhill, North Marion at Banks, Sheridan at Sherwood, Dayton at Willamina.
City league basketball at Leslie: L. Salem Jayvees vs. D. Batters; E. Warner Motors vs. Marion Motors; F. Wolzomotti's vs. Salem Auto Parts.
Church league basketball: Class A—First EUB vs. First Presbyterian, Class B—Court Street Christian vs. First Christian White, Emilewood EUB vs. Halbert Memorial. Professional wrestling: Salem armory, card starts at 8:30 p.m. Main event, Don Kindred vs. Tony Ross. Other matches, Al Sessa vs. Gino Nicoletti, Bronco Lubich vs. Henry Lens.

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Basketball Scores

(By The Associated Press)
Seattle 106, Gonzaga 88.
St. Bonaventure 75, Oannon, Pa. 58.
St. Ambrose 15, St. Louis 67.
Oregon Prep Basketball Night Results:
The Dalles 62, Baker 51.
Marshall 73, North Bend 60.
Madison 64, Ashland 41.
Siuslaw 69, Albany 57.
Astoria 75, Central Catholic 69.
Bend 37, Lakeview 41.
Oronie Pass 32, Kinosh Falls 44.
Knappton (Wash.) 54, Pendleton 44.
Roseburg 46, Coquille 38.
Sacred Heart (Astoria) 59, Central Union (Monmouth) 74.
Tillamook 63, Parkrose 37.
Creswell 46, Willamette (Astoria) 41.
Scio 75, Talent 42.

Saturday
California 70, UCLA 62.
Utah State 18, Wyoming 54.
Oregon 57, Washington State 70.
Stanford 76, Southern California 74.
Washington 71, Oregon State 60.
Montana 65, Colorado A&M 68.
Colorado State 73, Montana State 69.
Gonzaga 52, Seattle 50.
College of Pacific 74, Cal Aggies 54.
Portland 70, Nevada 48.
Oregon Education 61, Oregon Tech 47.
Lewis & Clark 64, Pacific Univ. 57.
College of Idaho 83, Linfield 61.
Chico State 103, Southern Oregon 81.
Western Wash. 55, British Columbia 51.
Seattle Pacific 71, Portland State 63.
Eastern Wash. 66, Puget Sound 62.
Whitman 54, Willamette 67.

EAST
Siena 61, Furman 57.
Manhattan 52, Canisius 49.
Lafayette 57, Temple 43.
Holy Cross 88, Brown 74.
Beton Hall 58, Muhlenberg 78.
Yale 72, Cornell 54.
Penn 75, Army 63.
Nevada 61, St. Bonaventure 44.
Columbia 71, Harvard 54.
Columbia 106, Syracuse 82.
Ohio State 62, Pittsburgh 57.
Villanova 105, Boston College 73.
Dartmouth 60, Princeton 51.

SOUTH
Mississippi State 52, Vanderbilt 75.
North Carolina 84, The Citadel 69.
Duke 84, North Carolina State 62.
Louisiana State 65, Auburn 57.
Georgetown DC 61, Navy 65.
Marshall 67, Wash. & Lee 54.
Tulane 69, Alabama 61.
Wake Forest 67, Clemson 54.
Florida 76, Georgia Tech 64.
Georgia Washington St. Virginia Tech 58.
Murray, Kr. 77, Western Kentucky 67.

MIDWEST
Indiana 65, Michigan State 50.
St. Louis 78, Notre Dame 71.
Illinois 60, Iowa 62.
Purdue 61, Northwestern 72.
Wisconsin 75, Michigan 61.
Kansas 77, Nebraska 68.
Detroit 67, DePaul 68.
Missouri 63, Colorado 67.
Oklahoma A&M 71, Bradley 78.
Drexel 67, Ohio 109, Blue 69.

SOUTHWEST
Texas 78, Arkansas 65.
Rice 69, Texas A&M 44.
West Texas 73, New Mexico A&M 47.

Lyons Town Team Wins Over Scio Club, 71-60

Scio—The Lyons town team defeated Scio's townies 71-60 in a basketball game. Lyons led at the half, 29-28. Dale Bennett of Lyons was high scorer for the game with 16 points.

UW Nips OSC; Four Games To Go for Perfect Season

(By The Associated Press)
It's 12 down and four to go in the Washington Huskies' campaign to become the first Northern Division Pacific Coast Conference basketball team to go through a 16-game league schedule undefeated.
The Huskies, the nation's third-ranked team, clinched a tie for their third straight Northern championship by defeating Oregon State twice over the week-end. They can sew up the title by conquering second-place Oregon at Seattle next Friday.
But if the Ducks, who boast wins over every Northern team except the Huskies, spring an upset and knock Washington from the unbeaten in league play class Friday, the front-runners will get another chance Saturday.
Oregon State travels to Pullman for games with last-place Washington State the same nights.
League action opens Tuesday with Idaho, coming along in third place, playing a single game with the tallend Cougars at Pullman.
With 6-foot-7 Bob Houbregs in his customary role as pacesetter, Washington romped to a 73-60 victory over Oregon State at Corvallis Saturday. Houbregs racked up 33 points boosting his total for the season to 589, 337 of them in division play. Five of the points were on free throws, setting a new division record of 83. Eric Roberts of Washington State set the old mark of 80 in 1952. The win gave Washington a 22-1 record for the season.

Mase Ranks 6th In Northwest Conference Stax

Dick Mase of Willamette ranked sixth in Northwest conference individual scoring statistics as of last Wednesday, official league figures showed today.
Mase has scored 136 points in nine games. Leading scorer in the league, R. C. Owens of College of Idaho, has 169 points in eight games.
Dick Hoy of Willamette rates 12th among conference scorers with 98 points.
Other Willamette players, the number of points they have scored in league competition, and their ranking among the 90 players who have seen action in the league:
Jack Scrivens, 80, 19th;
Duane Shield, 75, 20th; Bill Colvard, 70, 23rd; Pete Reed, 59, 29th; Jerry McCallister, 50, 32nd. Dave Gray, 39, 38th; Daryl Girod, 30, 43rd (called into army after two games); Bob Shepard, 19, tie for 49th; Jim Hensle, 16, tie for 57th; Dick Bertram, 6, tie for 64th; Chuck Lewis, 5, tie for 65th; Leroy Lewis, 1, tie for 73rd.

Bones McKinney, former star for the Boston Celtics and Washington Caps in the NBA, is the concessionaire at the new Memorial Coliseum in Fort Wayne.

Willamette Dropped to 3rd Spot

Bearcats Lose 2 to Whits; Play at C of I Tonight

(By The Associated Press)
Lewis and Clark clung to first place in the Northwest Conference basketball race by running wild in an overtime session to beat Pacific, 68-57, Saturday night.
But College of Idaho stayed only a game behind when it defeated last-place Linfield, 89-83, in overtime to sweep a two-game week-end series from the Wildcats.
Whitman swept another week-end series by overwhelming Willamette, the 1952 champion, 94-67. The loss dropped Willamette into third place, just ahead of Whitman.

The schedule favors Lewis and Clark. The Pioneers play host to Whitman for two games next week-end and to College of Idaho for another the following Monday. The Idahoans must travel to Forest Grove for two week-end games with upset-minded Pacific before meeting Lewis and Clark.
Monday night, Willamette will play at College of Idaho, while Linfield will be at Whitman.

In Saturday's Lewis and Clark-Pacific contest, the score was tied 13 times and the lead changed 10 times before the Pioneers won with 16 overtime points to five for Pacific.
Lanky John Feuz, second in the conference scoring race, led the Pioneers with 16 points.
Guard Dale Stewart, who sent the game into overtime with a free throw and a basket in the final regulation seconds, had 15 for Pacific.

Center R. C. Owens, the conference's top scorer, and Guard Don Speiss paced College of Idaho in its overtime victory over Linfield, which had led nearly all the way. Owens collected 21 points and Speiss, a former Oregon City high school star, registered 24, most of them on long shots.
Center Dave Sanford posted 17 to lead Linfield.
Center Rex Gwinn and For-

ward Don Robinson scored 80 points in sparking Whitman to its win over Willamette. Gwinn, hitting uncannily with his hook shots, registered 27, while Robinson rolled up 23.
Forward Dick Mase scored 16 for Willamette.

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Mason Talks to Dubbers At Salem Breakfast Club

Salem provides as good a chance for the beginning golfer as any other place in the United States, Hanny Mason, Salem golf club professional, told members of the Salem Breakfast club at the Senator hotel this morning.
Mason has two golf courses, both public, and both very cheap, inexpensive for the player, Mason pointed out. He said that greens fees at the Salem courses are just about as cheap as you'll find any place.
"The initial cost is what worries most golfers," said Mason. "The amount to be spent," he said, "is just about completely up to the individual. Initial outlay can run anywhere from \$10 to \$500, depending on how elaborate equipment is wanted."

Mason conducts junior classes for beginners up to 17 years each summer. Next summer he plans to inaugurate a class for advanced juniors in which golf etiquette would be stressed.
It's never too late to begin the game, Mason reminded. And he also said that there are some golfers 80 years of age who play regularly three times a week.
Chances of an ordinary golfer making the big time in the professional golfing circuit are rare, "about 10,000,000 to one," according to Mason's estimate.
"Out of 35,000,000 golfers in the United States, about 5,000,000 of them men of potential professional age, only

two have gone to the top in the last five years," Mason pointed out. He referred to Julius Boros, who came from nowhere to win the United States open last year, and Cary Middlecott, the dentist who vaulted into one of the game's top money-makers.
Mason said he would like to see a private golf course started in Salem. The cost, he estimated, would be about \$300,000 for the course itself, plus whatever the members want to spend for a clubhouse.

92 Archers Now Members Of Wapita Club

Lebanon — Wapita Bowman, the archer's club organized here in December, has already attained a membership of 92. They have a busy week of shooting scheduled, with the junior division slated to work on the indoor range at the armory Friday evening. Adults will shoot there Monday and on Sunday, Feb. 22, all club members will meet on the Golden Valley outdoor range at 10 a.m. for a shovel shoot.
Targets will be set up and brush cleared on the shooting lanes. The range is located 3 1/2 miles up the Golden Valley road.
Club President Mel Schmidt said Monday's shoot for adults will be a novelty session, with the targets having prizes attached to them. He explained that the club name Wapita, is the Indian name for bull elk.

Will Back Pulpit

Donn Moomaw, All-American line-backer on UCLA's 1952 football team, announced in Los Angeles that he will study for the ministry. He may still play professional football next year if he can work it into his schedule. (UP Telephoto)

Committee Heads For State B Hoop Tournament Named

Committee chairman for the Oregon State class B basketball tournament, to be held at Willamette university March 12, 13 and 14, have been announced by Oscar Specht, general chairman.
The tournament, as in the past, is being sponsored by the Exchange club of Salem, and all committees will be comprised of members of that club.
Committee chairmen are: Hosts, Otto Skopli; visitors, Tom Kay; awards, Glenn Fravel; tickets, Otto Wilson; program, Dell Findley; gate, Bob Gorman; recreation, Dick Grabenhorst; publicity, R. H. Hamilton.

Mount Angel Defeats Saint Francis, 48-44

Eugene—Mt. Angel defeated St. Francis of Eugene 48-44 in a high school basketball game here Sunday afternoon.
St. Francis stayed right on Mt. Angel's heels through most of the game. Mt. Angel led 15-11 when the first quarter ended, 26-24 at halftime and 39-39 at the end of the third period.
Jim Zauner led Mt. Angel's victory with 13 points, but high for the game was Larry Walsh of the losers, with 14.
In the preliminary, St. Francis' B team defeated the Mt. Angel Jayvees, 36-26. Robinson's 13 points topped St. Francis, while Jim Anderson led Mt. Angel with six.

Woodburn Club Planned by Pee-Wee League

Woodburn — The Woodburn Rotary club has launched a campaign to revive interest in baseball in this community was the recent announcement of President J. F. Lacey. Present plans call for organizing a "pee-wee" baseball league locally this summer as a foundation for future Legion junior and possible semi-pro teams here.
Anyone interested in such a project is urged to contact either Homer Wadsworth, N. F. Taylor or H. M. Austin, members of the Rotary committee. The project is also planned to encourage greater use of the new lighted field here.

Wrestling

MAIN EVENT—
Tony Ross vs. Don Kindred
SEMI-MAIN—
Al Sessa vs. Gino Nicoletti
OPENER—
Henry Lens vs. Bronco Lubich

SALEM ARMORY
Tuesday, 8:30 P. M.
Sponsored by Am. Legion No. 1

TIDE TABLE

Table with columns for Time, Height, and Tide. Includes data for February 16 and 17.

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