



Salem, Dallas Win First Games In State Basketball Tournament

Viks Meet Eugene, Dallas Faces Cleveland Tonight

McArthur Court, University of Oregon, Eugene — Salem and Dallas, mid-Willamette valley's two entries in the 35th annual Oregon state high school class A basketball tournament, both won their opening-round games here Tuesday.

Salem, displaying strong strength after four members of its starting lineup had fouled out, defeated Hillsboro, 59-38 in an afternoon game. Dallas pulled a minor upset in squeezing out Astoria 44-41 in the final game of the opening round last night.

Other first-round games played here Tuesday saw The Dalles win its 25th straight game over a stubborn Ontario team 63-61, Albany defeat Medford 70-58, Eugene down Milwaukie 68-49 and Cleveland down Lakeview 52-44.

Salem and Eugene, two of the most ancient rivals in Oregon high school athletic circles, clash head-on in a quarterfinal game at 7:30 o'clock Thursday night. Dallas meets Cleveland at 8:45.

All 16 teams in the tournament were scheduled for action in a busy eight-team slate Thursday. Marshfield meets Central Catholic at 3 p.m. and The Dalles faces Albany at 4:15 in quarterfinal contests. Consolation games played this morning and early this afternoon pitted Clatskanie against Roosevelt, Ontario versus Medford, Hillsboro opposite Milwaukie and Lakeview against Astoria.

A total of 13,564 fans witnessed the three tournament sessions Wednesday, bringing the total for the first round to 18,764. This is about 4,000 less than the total attendance for the first round last year, when 7,150 fans turned out to see seven-foot Swede Halbrook play for Lincoln during the afternoon session.

SALEM 59, HILLSBORO 38

Salem Coach Harold Hauk used his reserves — through necessity — in the fourth quarter. The Viking substitutes salted the game away with an amazing performance of accurate shooting, ball hawking and defensive play.

Salem held a 38-32 lead as the fourth quarter got underway. Jim Knapp and Dave Johnson had already left the game on fouls. And before the fourth period was half over, Jack Bishop and Tom Pickens also were whistled to the bench.

That left only Guard Gordy Domogalla from the starting lineup on the floor. Hauk used Larry Springer at the other guard slot, Bob Miller at center and Jim Rice and Herb Triplett at forwards.

and Johnson providing the spark for the Vikings. The score was tied four times, at 2-2, 6-6, 8-8 and 10-10, before Salem took a 12-11 advantage by the end of the first period.

Hillsboro went ahead 14-13 soon after the start of the second stanza, but Bishop canned a jump shot for Salem to put the Viks out front 15-14, and Salem maintained the lead after that. It was 25-23 at halftime.

Domogalla led Salem's scoring with 13 points, while Pickens had 12. Domogalla hit four out of 13 shots, Pickens connected with five out of 10. The entire Salem team had a good afternoon from the floor, hitting 21 out of 59 attempts for a .356 average. Hillsboro had only a .164 average.

Bishop and Pickens were standouts under the backboards for Salem. Bishop grabbed 18 rebounds and Pickens 17. As far as teams were concerned, rebounding was about equal, Salem snar-

Indiana Noses Kansas; Huskies Win Third Spot

Kansas City, Mo. (AP)—In the end it was a single free throw, tossed calmly through the hoop with only 27 seconds to play, that told the tale in the "story book" basketball game.

The mighty one-pointer, chalked up by veteran Bob Leonard, brought Indiana its second NCAA basketball championship last night with a 69-68 triumph. And it smashed the hopes of Cinderella Kansas for "just one more miracle."

Kansas, the team that was supposed to be merely a ruin after losing four members of the team that won the national title last year, had confounded the experts by driving to a tie score, the 15th tie of the game, with a minute to go.

Then Leonard, the six-foot, three-inch ace who usually is Indiana's playmaker, got the biggest point in the history of this tournament to put the hot-shot Hoosiers ahead. Kansas got the ball, drove down-court for one last shot—a line-drive by Jerry Alberts.

The Jayhawks had climbed to that moment on a ladder of "miracles"—winning the Big Seven title, the Manhattan, Kans., regional, and the semi-finals against Washington.

ing 46 of them and Hillsboro 42.

DALLAS 44, ASTORIA 41
The fabulous shooting of Bob Olson, who sunk seven long set shots on 11 tries, was probably the big single factor in the Dragon triumph.

Dallas' clean play was another tremendously important item. The Dragons committed a total of only five personal fouls. That limited Astoria's chances from the free throw line.

This game was the most hotly contested, minute for minute, of all eight games in the first round. No more than five points ever separated the two teams, and the score was tied 11 times.

Dallas led through most of the first quarter, with Astoria taking the advantage momentarily. Astoria was on top 14-13 as the first quarter ended.

Coach Gordy Kunke's Dragons didn't manage to catch up in the second period, but they tied the score at 15-15, 17-17 and 21-21 as Harold Holdorf and Olson carried the attack for Dallas. Astoria led 25-23 at halftime.

In the third period the score was tied at 25, 27 and 31, but

Dallas still couldn't edge into the lead. It was 31-all when the third period ended.

Soon after the start of the fourth quarter, Herb Brandli hit a field goal from in close to give Dallas a 33-31 lead, the first time the Polk county crew had been ahead since the first quarter.

Hugh Seppa, who led Astoria in scoring with 13 points, hit a two-pointer from the right corner to tie the score again, this time at 33-33.

Brandli drove in for a lay-up that put Dallas out front 35-33, but Seppa duplicated his previous shot from the corner and it was tied again, 35-35.

Rex Domaschofsky connected with a shot while on the run to put Dallas into a 37-35 lead, and the Dragons managed to preserve their positions after that.

The biggest lead of the ball game was when Dallas led 44-39 in the final few seconds of play. Dallas played keep-away during the final two minutes, and succeeded in drawing enough fouls from desperate Astoria defenders to score their five points from the free throw line in two minutes—as many free throws as Astoria had scored all night.

Ron Smart, Astoria's highly-rated center, had a bad night trying to find the hoop, hitting only five out of 23 shots. But he stood out on the boards, snaring 17 rebounds, more than twice as many as anybody on the Dallas team.

THE DALLES 63, ONTARIO 61
Ontario out-field goalied The Dalles 27-20, but lost the game on free throws. The difference in the number of personal fouls called against each team told the story. Ontario was charged with 22 personal fouls, while the whistle was tooted for The Dalles infractions on only 12 occasions.

Ontario was ahead until the fourth period. The Tigers led 17-13 at the end of the first period, 31-30 at half time and 49-46 when the third period ended. But with two of Ontario's starters, Bill Stoner and Vance Savage, benched with five fouls, The Dalles outscored Ontario 17-12 in the final period.

Savage's loss was particularly painful to Ontario. He had scored 16 points before fouling out.

John Lundell of The Dalles led his team with 18. Charlie Garcia of Ontario also had 16.

ALBANY 70, MEDFORD 58
Dave Shelby, at 6 feet 7 inches the closest thing this tournament has to a Wade Halbrook, led Albany's victory by scoring 27 points and grapping 24 rebounds. He hit nine field goals on 17 attempts.

Albany got off to an 8-0 lead, but saw Medford come right back with an eight-point rally to tie the count at 8-8.

The game was nip and tuck after that, with Albany leading 18-16 at halftime and Medford out front 37-34 at the half. Albany began to roll in the third period, outscoring Medford 20-10 in that canto to take a 54-47 lead. Medford

never threatened in the last quarter. Both teams were hot in the shooting department, with Albany hitting 28 out of 85 shots for a .306 mark and Medford making 18 out of 59 attempts for a .305 figure.

EUGENE 68, MILWAUKIE 49
Wendel Rasor is the boy Salem will have to watch tonight. Rasor, a 5-10 Eugene guard who covers just about every square inch of a basketball court during the course

of a game, and is liable to shoot from any spot, scored 21 points.

Rasor, equally effective in congested quarters under the basket as he was on long-range shots from behind the key, dropped nine out of 17 shots through the McArthur court hoops.

Eugene was hard pressed until the fourth quarter. The Axemen led only 12-11 at the end of the first period and 34-26 at halftime. It was 46-38 when the third quarter ended. But in the final period Eugene outscored the Clack-

amas Country club 22-11. Rasor wasn't the only sharpshooter on the Eugene team. The whole Axemen team was potent when it came to hitting the basket. Eugene took 57 shots, made 24 of them for a .421 mark.

CLEVELAND 52, LAKEVIEW 44
Lakeview, trailing 22-1 at one point in the first quarter, came back to make a battle of it, and trailed Cleveland only 16-10 at the end of the first period and 32-26 at halftime. But Lakeview was held to

five points in the third period as Cleveland took a 42-31 lead. Lakeview outscored the Portlanders 13-9 in the final period, but Cleveland's lead was too much to overcome.

Three Cleveland players had individual scores in the double-digit category. Ron Nenow had 18, Ron Stemple 15 and Dick Jolley 13.

Eugene Williams led Lakeview with 16, while Robert Faria was close behind with 13.

Lakeview scored 10 free throws on 10 attempts.

Always Play Hunches
San Bruno, Calif. (AP)—It poured liquid gold for some lucky bettors at Transcom race track Wednesday. Just as showers began, Liquid Gold won the fifth race for a \$30.40 payoff.

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Scrap With Sparts Jack Bishop (No. 23), Salem high school center, is on the floor, but that doesn't stop him from scrapping for the ball during Wednesday's state tournament game with Hillsboro. In on the action for Hillsboro are Dennis Eckert (15) and Loren Michelson (No. 21). The two Spartan players behind Bishop are unidentified. No. 26 for Salem is Tom Pickens, while wearing No. 14 is Gordy Domogalla. Salem won the game 59-38 to move into the quarter-finals tonight.

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