

Salem High Scrimmages for Roosevelt Game Here Friday

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By BOB BROWN

DON'T SCORN THE "BANK BEAVER"

Are you one of those "unmentionable" steelie anglers who gets a kick out of just sitting on a log, watching the tip of your rod to the pull of the current? Well, friend, you have plenty of company, and you have nothing to be ashamed of. Most steelhead fishermen began that way, and many still revert to sittin' and watchin' occasionally.

Though steelhead anglers are by and large a democratic bunch, they do exhibit a certain "class consciousness" now and then. Seems they put the bank beaver way down on the list, with the drift angler next, and the artificial lure purist right on top of the heap. Once an angler gets to be a part of the "upper class" he promptly forgets that he ever evolved through the other two.

It's always been our contention that the fun a person gets from fishing determines his success. And many folks get a big kick out of fishing the rain-swollen coast rivers



from a choice spot on a good hole, right next to a warm bonfire and a simmering pot of coffee. And if the water is right and the fish are in, many's the steelie that will wind up on the bank.

Here's a tip given to us by an old "bank beaver". Take some Presto Logs, soak 'em awhile in stove oil, then put them aside to drain. Then, when you go coastwards, you'll have the start of a roaring fire, no matter how wet the day.

NO MINNOWS FOR MINNICH!

When a youngster goes fishin', anything can happen. On Sunday young Corby Minnich of Salem, in company with Hank Killever of Dallas, went over on the Salmon river not far from Rose Lodge. Using spinning tackle, Corby hooked and landed (of all things for this late in the season) a fat silver salmon.

The fish, in good condition, succumbed to salmon eggs. After being dressed out, it topped the scales at a neat 9 pounds. Nice going, Corby! How about taking us fishing sometime?

Coast fishing was not so good over the week-end, despite optimism by many, including this reporter. However, with the rains holding off, water conditions should soon be ideal, and then the fish stories will really begin to circulate!

ARCHERS SCHEDULE FOUL-WEATHER SHOOT

Nothing daunts the Salem Jabberwalkies, and this coming Sunday they will hold a shoot despite what the weather may bring. These archers are as crazy as duck hunters! Registration will start at 10 a.m., and proceeds will go to the aid of a member whose home was recently razed by fire. Seems that the Jabberwalkie not only have fun promoting good sportsmanship, but they do a bit of good samaritan work along with it.

BRANT SEASON STARTS TODAY

At noon today the Brant season began and will continue to Feb. 10, 1954. Three Brant per day or in possession is the limit. Brandt are found only along the coast, and this reporter is frank to admit he knows nothing about hunting them. If any of our readers are experienced Brant hunters, we'd like to hear "where and how" from them.

DUCK HUNTING SPOTTY

Conditions are good for the duck hunter, but the ducks are not yet in the valley in sufficient numbers to provide top hunting. Some hunters in good locations have done well, but most hunters have not been too successful. Of course, there is a great deal of water in the valley, and the birds can pick and choose where they want to come in. Right now, we think that the Willamette river around Albany is the best bet. We were in that country on Sunday, and the gunning sounded like the siege of Corregidor. Also near Albany Sunday was Al Brown of Wicklund's. Al was in the company of Hugh Govire and Hugh's brother-in-law, Bud. They did not get limits, but did put birds in the bag. One hen mallard pulled a queer trick on the boys; she cut in low over the decoys, then flared, not up and away, but directly into a heavy stand of brush and trees. According to Al, the last seen of that bird was its tail feathers, as it dodged through trees like Johnny Lattner going ninety-yards for a touchdown!

Beavers Still Vie for Team Spots for Opener Friday

Oregon State College, Corvallis—Oregon State's promising basketball squad, full of new hope and a 7 foot 3 inch center, will open the 1953-54 campaign here Friday and Saturday nights against the touring University of Hawaii Rainbows.

The Beavers have been drilling long and hard for the opener, with battles for starting positions still in full bloom. Wade "Swede" Halbrook, the 7-3 sophomore, is sure to open at center, with junior letterman Ron Robins and Bill Toole likely regulars at guards. Robins is 5-8 and Toole 5-10.

Coach Slat's Gill, now in his 26th season as OSC head man, can just about take his pick in selecting the forwards. Right now, three lettermen and a pair of sophomores have the inside track. The veterans are Tex Whiteman (6-6), Ted Romanoff (6-8) and Tony Vlastelica (6-8). Larry Paulus (6-3) and Jay Dean (6-4) are the sopho-

Viks Short On Height, Experience

By PAUL HARVEY III

The Salem high basketball team, facing their first game of the season Friday with Roosevelt of Portland at Salem, will scrimmage all week to find a starting combination. The Vikings, coached by Harold Hauk, are short of experienced height this year with the loss of Jack Bishop, Bob Miller, and Dave Johnson.

Wayne Erickson, 6-foot-2-inch center, has been working in the center position with 6-4 Bob Wolf right behind him. Erickson, a letterman forward, is the tallest man in a probable Salem line-up that has Tom Pickens and Larry Springer at the forwards and Jim Knappy and Gordy Domogalla at the guards. Dick Anderson, 6-5, senior, is the tallest man on the team.

Well Fixed at Guards

Salem is well fixed at the guards with Knapp and Domogalla, both starters from last year. Herb Triplett, letterman, Neal Scheidel and Marv Rhine, both up from the sophomores, are also slated for duty at the guard posts.

Gary Paterson, Pete Paulus, Phil Burkland, and Herb Juran are fighting it out for second string berths as forwards. Paterson is a letterman while Paulus saw duty on the junior varsity last year and Burkland and Juran were starters for the sophomores.

The Vikings will be one of the fastest teams in the Big Six, which opens its schedule shortly before Christmas. Roosevelt is always a strong Portland title contender and last year beat the Vikings in the opening game and then Salem bounced back to beat them in the second game.

Salem Tankmen Compete Against Lake Oswego

The Salem high swimming team attempts to extend its winning streak to three this afternoon when they meet the strong Lake Oswego team at the University of Portland. The meet starts at 4.

Lake Oswego edged the Vikings in Salem's first meet but since then Chet Goodman's squad has topped McMinnville and West Linn. Salem has been strengthened by the return of Paul Beck, a member of last year's team who has been playing football.

The probable Salem line-up is: 40 yard freestyle—Dave Kromer and Paul Beck; 100 yard breaststroke—Jim Hardie and Rich; 220 yard freestyle—Jim Lawrence and Del Frahm; 100 yard backstroke—Dean Angove and LeRoy Gibbenow.

100 yard freestyle—Jim Boudreau and Dave Socolofsky; 120 yard individual medley—Dave Kromer; 180 yard medley relay—Dean Angove, Jim Hardie, and Dave Socolofsky; 160 yard relay—Jim Boudreau, Jim Lawrence, Paul Beck, and Dave Kromer.

ROLFE TO DARTMOUTH

Hanover, N. H. (AP)—Robert (Red) Rolfe, former New York Yankees star third baseman and later manager of the Detroit Tigers, will return to Dartmouth, his alma mater, as athletic director next July 1.



Decapitation? Frank Gifford

right, of the New York Giants leaps to deflect pass intended for the apparently headless Jerry Williams of the Philadelphia Eagles in first period of game in the New York Polo Grounds, Nov. 29. Pass was thrown by Bobby Thomson. Giants scored 10 points in fourth quarter to win 37 to 28. (AP Wirephoto)



Cardinals Starting lineup for Sacred Heart academy in the season's opener Wednesday night at Sublimity are the players above. Left to right are Gil Lulay, forward; Jim Moriarity, forward; Fred Staab, center; Clyde Fladwood, guard; and Vince Matt, guard. Moriarity and Staab are 6 feet 3.



Bearcat Pete Reed, 6-foot-4 sophomore from Scappoose, Ore., will be starting at forward this Thursday night against the University of Hawaii. Reed played center for Willamette university last season and has been used at forward in practice with arrival of other players with height.

Linfield to Open Wednesday Against Clark Jr. College

McMinnville—Linfield Wildcats started a rugged ten game non-conference schedule this week, with Coach Roy Helsler still not satisfied with his team's progress on the fast break and set offense patterns in scrimmage sessions.

Nevertheless the Wildcats had three games on tap this week, and another seven before they take on conference counting games, January 8. A definite starting lineup was still unsettled, and non-league games looked to be the laboratory experimenting site for Helsler. It will be Linfield vs. Clark Juco Wednesday at ancouver.

No-one on the 16 man squad looked to be sure of a starting berth, including eight returning lettermen, three of whom were starters last year. Helsler is also faced with a highly unbalanced squad of nine guards, and only three centers and a d four forwards. The Cats were also weak on forward strength last year.

The Wildcat mentor had praise for one of three freshmen to crack the varsity squad. He labeled Bud Walsh, 6'5", center from The Dalles, as an "outstanding prospect." "He is coming along fast and can score and backboard on Walsh. It is possible that the big freshman may be switched from center to forward.

Old Grad Tourney Director of Athletics Paul Durham, meanwhile, is making final preparations for the Second Annual "Old Grads" tournament. A total of 16 teams are scheduled to compete in the four day joust between clubs coached by former Linfield athletes. 1952 champion Oakridge will not be on hand to defend its title, but all seven of the other teams in last year's tourney

will be back again this year. The tourney is scheduled for December 9, 10, 11, 12. The meet has been divided into two separate brackets, which have been labeled "Cardinal" and "Purple". Each division will run separately, thus making it two separate tourneys within a tourney. Positions and bracket will be decided by draw.

U.S. Football Crown Won By Maryland

New York (AP)—Mighty Maryland, which trampled all 10 of its opponents to compile the only perfect record among major football teams, today was acclaimed the 1953 mythical champion by the United Press board of coaches.

The 35 leading coaches who make up the United Press rating board voted Coach Jim Tatum's Terrapins the honor by a margin of only six points over Notre Dame. In the final ratings, Maryland received 20 first place votes to 13 for the Irish, whose record this season was marred only by a tie against Iowa.

Notre Dame, ranked No. 1 in the nation for eight straight weeks before its game against Iowa, picked up added support in the final ratings after its impressive 48-14 romp against Southern California last week end.

Michigan State, the 1952 national champion, finished third in this year's ratings, with its Rose Bowl rival, U.C.L.A., ranked right behind.

Oklahoma, which will play Maryland in the Orange Bowl at Miami, Fla., New Year's Day, was fifth followed by Cotton Bowl 8 bound Rice, Illinois (co-champion of the Big Ten conference with Michigan State), Texas which shared the Southwest conference title with Rice, Georgia Tech which will play in the Sugar Bowl, and Iowa completed the top 10 teams for 1953.

- Team:
1. Maryland 10-0
 2. Notre Dame 8-0-1
 3. Michigan State 8-1
 4. U.C.L.A. 8-1
 5. Oklahoma 8-1-1
 6. Rice 2-2
 7. Illinois 1-1-1
 8. Texas 7-3
 9. Georgia Tech 5-2-1
 10. Iowa 5-3-1

Second 10 teams—Alabama, Texas Tech, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Kentucky, Army, Stanford, Duke, Michigan and Ohio State.

Basketball Scores

- (By The Associated Press)
Monday's Results
- FAV WEST
Wash. State 64, St. Martin's 52.
- EAST
Buffalo 74, Brockport Teachers 55.
Hofstra 77, Rensselaer 62.
St. Francis, Pa. 106, St. Vincent, Pa. 61.
- SOUTH
Louisville 113, Kentucky Wesleyan 66.
Clemson 80, Belmont, Tenn. 67.
Florida State, Ala. 78, Louisiana Tech. 54.
- MIDWEST
Loyola, Chicago 81, Kimburl 42.
Creston 85, St. Ambrose, Iowa 73.
Phillips 66, Oskaloosa 57, Shurtleff College, Ill. 40.
Cornell, Iowa 78, Mountside 57.
Omaha 78, Midland 58.
Missouri, N.D. Teachers 78, Northern Montana 48.
- SOUTHWEST
North Texas State 79, Northwest Louisiana State 73.
Fort Hays, Kans. 79, Northwestern Oklahoma State 61.
Pittsburgh, Kan. State 88, Northwest Oklahoma 75.

Pekars Turkey Tourney Reset

The mixed foursome Pekars turkey tournament, postponed Nov. 22 because of bad weather, has been rescheduled for Dec. 13 at the Salem Golf Club.

Colleges Usher in West Hoop Season This Week

Seattle University's Chiefs, entering their second year of major college competition, are next on the line, opening a two-game stand with powerful Wichita of the Missouri Valley Conference at Seattle Thursday.

And on Friday and Saturday nights, Oregon State, rated as the team to beat in the Northern Division, makes its season debut playing the University of Hawaii at Corvallis. The same nights, Washington, the defending PCC champion, takes on Stanford at Seattle; Oregon hosts San Jose State at Eugene, Washington State entertains Montana at Pullman, and Portland University meets Utah State at Portland.

Idaho has a single game scheduled with Gonzaga Uni-

25 Turn Out for Salem High Wrestling Squad

About 25 prospects, including 10 lettermen, reported to Coach Hank Juran for wrestling tests Monday at Salem high school to try to defend the Vikings' Big Six and district mat championships.

Salem also finished fourth in the state meet last year. The season will open Dec. 18 at Sweet Home.

Leading the letter wearers is Roger Morse, a senior who finished in fourth spot in his division in the state. He is expected to weigh in at 104 pounds this season.

Other lettermen out are Jer-

ry Booz, junior, 121; Jim Berger, 175, senior; Bob Cameron, senior, 135; John Cummings, junior; Harry Juul, junior; Don Phillips, senior, 130; Terry Salisbury, junior, 178; Jack Stryfeler, 165, senior; and Frank Williams, senior.

To win a letter, a competitor must win three matches or place in a tournament, Juran explained.

Today Juran will continue to issue equipment, orient prospects on a training schedule and see that they have their physical examinations and athletic insurance.

Champion Stojack to Test Lindsey's Power Tonight

Frank Stojack, the Tacoma city councilman who holds the world light heavyweight title, will try some politics in the ring tonight when he meets Luther Lindsey at the Salem Armory.

There are many Salem fans who will vote for Lindsey, who last week came as near winning the world heavyweight championship from Lou Thesz as anyone could. Thesz admitted it was a close call, a matter of seconds as he lay prostrate and Referee Tony Ross counted both of them out.

Stojack, who will be giving away several pounds, won't be risking his title, however. His speed, dropkicks and body slams are his strong points.

A boiling warmup will find tag team match between Jack O'Reilly and Red Vagnone, who claim the Northwest team championship, and the opposition of Carl Engstrom and Danno McDonald, a young and smooth combination which last week won from Hardy Kruskamp and Vagnone.

This semi-final will be a 30-minute limit or best two out of three falls.

Opening the 8:30 card will be Tony Ross and Don Kindred, as usual putting Kindred in the role as a rascal for his head-butting technique which is as subtle as a sledge hammer.

US Sen. Mundt To Be Walton League Speaker

U. S. Sen. Karl Mundt (R., S.D.) will speak at the state convention of the Isaac Walton league which will meet in Eugene Dec. 4-6.

Jack Binford, state president, said the South Dakotan will talk on conservation problems during a banquet at the Eugene hotel Dec. 5. Mundt, a member of the South Dakota division of the league, is expected to relate his views on measures affecting the entire west.

Eugene Burns, author and naturalist from San Francisco, also will speak, his topic on "Fruit of the Land" to be given at a buffet supper Dec. 4. He is the author of the 300th anniversary edition of Isaac Walton's "Compliat Angler".

Chapters will be represented from Salem, Silverton, Ashland, St. Helens, Bend, Canby, Portland, Coos Bay, Eugene, Grant county, Harney county, Jackson county, Klamath-Mo-doc, Lake county, Mid-Columbia, Nestsucca, Oregon City, Prineville, Rogue River, Tillamook, Waldport-Alice, Wallowa and Washington counties.

REJECTS BOWL BIDS

Cincinnati (AP)—The University of Cincinnati has rejected bids to three minor bowl games, the Sun, Tangerine and Refrigerator. Coach Sid Gillman said yesterday the offers were not accepted because "10 games is a good enough season."

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FRANK STOJACK met politician

Oregon Golf Pros Elect, Schedule 1954 Tourneys

Portland (AP)—Ed Hogan has been re-elected president of the Oregon Professional Golfers organization, which held its annual meeting here yesterday.

Howard Bonar was named vice president and Bob McKendrick, secretary. Directors elected were Dave Killen, Eugene; and Larry Lamberger, Tom Ely, and Joe Mozel, all of Portland.

The Oregon pro tournament was scheduled for April 4-6 at Laurelwood Golf club in Eugene; Oregon Open, May 3-5, at Tualatin; Northwest pro-am, September, Eugene; Hudson cup, September, Eugene; Pendleton Open, May; Roseburg Open, August; Northwest Open, July 28-28, Seattle.

These sweepstakes were set: Medford, March 22; Astoria, April 28; Oswego, May 17; Royal Oaks, June 7; Eugene, July 12; Salem, August 9; Bend, September 27; Riverside, October 25; Glendover, November 22; Waverly, December 6.

BRUNDAGE RETIRES

Washington (AP)—Avery Brundage has retired as president of the United States Olympic Association, but his policies are expected to continue under the direction of his successor, Kenneth L. Tug Wilson.

TIDE TABLE

Times for Tull, Oregon—December, 1953

Month	Day	High	Low	Time
December	1	8:37 a.m.	6:4	3:08 a.m. 1.9
	2	8:47 p.m.	6:4	2:53 p.m. 1.1
	3	8:58 a.m.	6:1	2:51 p.m. 2.6
	4	9:08 a.m.	6:5	4:28 p.m. 0.6
	5	9:17 a.m.	6:7	2:34 a.m. 2.9
	6	11:14 a.m.	6:3	4:18 p.m. 0.1
	7	10:20 a.m.	6:9	1:18 a.m. 1.2
	8	10:29 a.m.	6:9	1:18 a.m. 0.1
	9	12:29 a.m.	6:9	4:51 p.m. 2.3
	10	10:33 a.m.	7:1	4:57 p.m. 2.3
	11	10:33 a.m.	7:1	4:57 p.m. 2.3
	12	10:33 a.m.	7:1	4:57 p.m. 2.3
	13	11:27 a.m.	7:3	7:04 p.m. 0.8
	14	11:28 a.m.	7:3	7:04 p.m. 0.8
	15	11:28 a.m.	7:3	7:04 p.m. 0.8
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	29	11:28 a.m.	7:3	7:04 p.m. 0.8
	30	11:28 a.m.	7:3	7:04 p.m. 0.8
	31	11:28 a.m.	7:3	7:04 p.m. 0.8