

Willamette Spills OCE 78-70 for Season's Third Win

Bearcats Play Next Here Jan. 1

Monmouth — It's vacation time for both Oregon College and Willamette university which ran and scrapped their ways to a 78-70 victory for Willamette here Saturday night.

It was the third win against six defeats for the Bearcats, while the Wolves are limping with five losses and one conquest. OCE will return after the holidays to host St. Martin's Jan. 1, while Willamette will host Central Washington, Jan. 1-2.

Frantz Scores 26

Height was a noticeable advantage for Willamette, who had long arms to spare against the 6-1 or under Wolves. This was true on rebounds, giving Willamette possession at critical moments. However, in field goal accuracy, the Bearcats of Coach John Lewis hit 28 of 52 attempts for .538 percent, some better than the still-good average of OCE—22 of 63.

It was an OCE player, versatile shooting Bob Frantz, who led scoring with 20 points — seven free goals and six of seven free throws. Willamette's Tom Gooding was hooking them in from right of the bucket from 10 to 15 feet away for 19 points. He and Dick Hoy and Pete Reed accounted for 46 of their team's 78, Hoy getting 13 and Reed 14.

Willamette had a consistent lead throughout, building it up to 22 points with 6:33 remaining, at which time Lewis slipped in four reserves. OCE then put on a ball-stealing show which saw numerous bearcat passes intercepted. Chuck Pinion, of football fame, three times swiped the ball for baskets within one minute.

Gap Closed to Six

This closed the gap to 72-66 with 3:30 left, then to 75-69 with a half minute to go.

Quartertime scores were all in favor of Willamette—20-12, 39-29 and 60-45. The basket which made it 60 points was begun in the final five seconds of the third quarter with a length-of-the-floor pass to Jerry McCallister, who tore it away from a defender and dropped it in as the buzzer buzzed.

A small crowd of about 250 attended.

Willamette (78)	OCE (70)
Reed 20	Frantz 20
Hoy 19	Gooding 19
Bishop 13	Pinion 13
Chapman 11	St. Martin 11
McCallister 10	Wolfe 10
Gooding 7	Wolfe 7
Casper 6	Wolfe 6
McCallister 5	Wolfe 5
St. Martin 4	Wolfe 4
Pinion 4	Wolfe 4
Wolfe 3	Wolfe 3
Wolfe 2	Wolfe 2
Wolfe 1	Wolfe 1

Spartans Organize Firefighting Unit In Blaze in Hotel

Pasadena, Calif. (AP) — A group of Michigan State football players here for the UCLA Rose Bowl game, organized into a firefighting and rescue crew Sunday when a blaze threatened the Huntington Hotel where they are quartered.

The fire, of undetermined origin, started shortly before noon in a basket in a linen closet on the third floor of the main hotel building.

Many of the players are housed on the same floor of the rambling 300-room hotel. No one was injured, although a number of players helped firemen bring the blaze under control.

Basilio Draws With Langlois

Syracuse, N. Y. (AP) — Top welterweight contender Carmen Basilio said today he was eager to meet middleweight Pierre Langlois of France in a return bout, but he first craved another shot at Kid Gavilan's welter crown.

Fiercy Basilio, one of the ring's most interesting fighters because of his aggressiveness and punch, admitted he was surprised and somewhat peeved because Frenchman Langlois had held him to a 10-round draw at the Syracuse auditorium Saturday night.

Prineville Loses To Sweet Home In Overtime Tilt

Sweet Home — Sweet Home won its second of seven games here Saturday night, squeaking by Prineville, 44-42, in an overtime. Les Birdsall, who scored 18 of his 18 points in the second half, made the winning basket with 15 seconds left in the overtime.

The regular game ended at 38-38, with Elliott deadlocking it with a free throw at the finish, his only point of the night.

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Sweet Home will play at Elmira tonight.

Score by quarters: 14-4 for Prineville, 20-12 for Prineville, 27-33 for Prineville.

FAN FARE

By Walt Ditzon



Almost Duane Shield, Willamette university guard, roars under the basket for an attempted lay-in which missed because of the leaping maneuver of Larry Chamberlain (left), Oregon College guard who comes from Salem. The ball is just off the edge of the rim.

Shaw Is Only Unanimous All-Coast Pick by Coaches

Los Angeles (AP) — George Shaw, star Oregon football player, was the only unanimous selection on the All-Coast team announced Sunday by Coast Conference coaches.

Shaw, who played quarterback and occasionally shifted to halfback and end, was named along with Quarterback Bob Garrett of Stanford, and Halfbacks Paul Cameron of UCLA and Aramis Dandoy of Southern California.

The line consisted of Ends Sam Morley and John Steinberg, both of Stanford; Tackles Charles Doud and Jack Ellena, both of UCLA, Guards Milt Bohart of Washington and George Timberlake of Southern California, and Center Matt Hazeltine of California.

Two Oregon players were named on the second team. They were Guard Jack Patera and Center Ron Pfeister.

Getting honorable mention were End Wes Ediger, Guard LaVerne Ferguson, Center Joe Fulwiler and Back Ralph Carr of Oregon State and Tackle Hal Reeve and Back Dick James of Oregon.

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Lindsey, Jons Challenged By O'Reilly and Vagnone

A near-brawl within the unfriendly confines of the ring last week has developed into something which will be explored more fully in Tuesday night's Australian tag team wrestling match at the Salem Armory.

It was Jack O'Reilly, as tough as they come in the grueling mat world, who issued the challenge after last week's untimely interference David Jons which resulted in disqualification of Luther Lindsey.

Jons, viewing O'Reilly's "cruel" tactics against Lindsey, vaulted into the ring to get even with O'Reilly, and no one, the referee or Matchmaker Elton Owen, could budge him.

O'Reilly, burned up, snorted: "If that Jons and his pal Lindsey want to team up on me, okay, I will get my partner Red Vagnone and let's have at it."

They will "have at it" in the match for the Northwest trophy now possessed by O'Reilly and Vagnone.

The semi-final will have Carl Engstrom squaring off against "Golden Boy" Lenx, a cocky and muscular specimen from Texas.

Kurt Von Poppenheim, known as the Proud Prussian, will take the hisses and bows in the special event at 8:30, meeting Danno McDonald, his bitter rival.

Greatest Gate Crasher, One-Eyed Connelly, Dies at 83

Chicago (AP) — St. Peter may catch a crafty, one-eyed Irishman walking backward through the Pearly Gates today.

But the good Saint will have to keep awake because the way this man does it he looks just like someone walking out.

The Irishman would be James Leo (One-Eyed) Connelly, the world's greatest gate crasher. He died yesterday at Zion, Ill., rest home at the mellow age of 83.

His friends and admirers think he may have a ticket to heaven, but they wonder if he will violate a principle and use it.

A native of Lowell, Mass., the jovial Connelly spent his life traveling from coast to coast, sneaking into the great sports events, political conventions and other spectacles of past decades.

Most of the time the ushers knew he was coming and exactly what he looked like. And most of the time, he made suckers of them anyway.

Connelly could sneak in, climb in, bull his way in and, if necessary, talk his way in. Although his energy was boundless, he boasted he never did a day's work in his life until World War II broke out.

Then he took a Detroit defense job as a patriotic gesture.

Matson, Mann Lead Ft. Ord To Bowl Crown

San Diego, Calif. (AP) — Fort Ord, Calif., army eleven, led by former University of San Francisco star Ollie Matson, scored a lopsided 55 to 19 victory over the Quantico, Va., Marines yesterday in the second annual Poinsettia Bowl game.

The former USF fullback and track star scored twice on runs of 72 and 13 yards and averaged 13 yards per carry in nine times with the ball as 13,000 fans witnessed the clash between the two top-rated service teams.

Halfback David Mann scored twice for Fort Ord on 40 and 28-yard runs, while the Marines' top ground gainer, former Notre Dame star John Pettibone, made a seven-yard average in nine tries.

17 Prep Games Set This Week

Arrival of Christmas vacation won't keep 31 high schools from playing basketball games this week, for there are four games scheduled tonight and 13 more Tuesday night.

Salem high school and both local academies will be in action Tuesday. Hillsboro will venture into the Viking gym, Sacred Heart will repay Silverton for a visit and will go to the Silver Fox den, and Salem Academy will host Taft, also a return visit.

GAMES THIS WEEK

Vernon at Tenthredin
Corvallis at Philomath
Perreille at Astoria
Sheridan at Philomath

TUESDAY

Hillsboro at Salem
Menorah at Mill City
Lebanon at Willamette High of Eugene
Molalla vs. Seaside
Sandy at Parkrose
Dallas at Parkrose
Springfield at Albany
Taft at Salem Academy
Sheridan at Silverton
Sacred Heart at Silverton
Corvallis at Marshfield
Paris City at Astoria
Yamhill at Gaston

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Sacred Heart Wins Fifth Game, Beating Silverton

By DON WICKMAN

The Silverton Foxes took the short end of a 42-39 score in the Salem armory last Saturday night from the Sacred Heart Cardinals.

The Foxes led at the first quarter, 10-8, but the Cards got hot in the second period for a 20-18 score at halftime.

The third quarter was a basket for basket fight ending in 32-29 for the Cards. Things really started popping in the fourth stanza when the Foxes' Coppelie field-goaled and Roger Umbenhow free-threw to the score. Staab of the Cardinals hit for one point on a foul and Moriarty dunked in a

two-pointer to give the Cards a 35-32 margin.

Then Umbenhow and Coppelie each returned with floor shots to push the foxes to the lead, 36-35. Staab tossed in a free one for the Cards and then Moriarty fouled out. Coppelie made his free-throw.

The local boys started showing strength. Fladwood and Matt each pushed through a long one and Barr took a free shot to set S.H.A. out in front, 41-37. With two seconds to go, Coppelie hit a two-pointer and Endres of Sacred Heart made a free shot. The buzzer sounded and the Redbirds claimed their fifth victory in seven non-league tries.

For Sacred Heart, Matt made 11, Moriarty 9; for Silverton, Coppelie was high with 16, and Umbenhow hit 15. Sacred Heart plays Silverton tomorrow on the Foxes' floor. S.H.A. also took the JV game, 34-27, with Don Forcier making 12 for the Cards.

Dallas High's Mat Squad Due Tonight

Dallas high school will bring its wrestling team over tonight for a match with the Salem squad coached by Hank Juran and Al Gray. Juran said that the varsity program of 12 bouts will start at 8 o'clock at the Salem high gymnasium. Exhibition bouts will start after weigh-ins and continue until 8 o'clock.

Salem won its opening match last Tuesday at Sweet Home, 45-12, taking nine bouts. Juran indicated his line-up tonight would be the same except possibly in the heavyweight class, if all can make the weight.

Merrells Gain Boxing Prize

Marie and Homer Merrell rolled 1182 to win the Sunday night mixed doubles at the University Bowl, edging Merle and Dean Curtis by one pin.

The Merrells won \$11 and the Curtises \$6.50. In third place were Marion and Clarence Lienhard, with 1177 for \$4.30.

Lienhard had the high game and high series with 258 and 602 scratch. Gertie Carr led the women with a high game of 177 and a 487 series.

The door prize of a 13-pound turkey was won by Elinor Lutz.

Mangrum Scores Montebello Win

Los Angeles (AP) — For the fourth time the Montebello Open Golf title has been won by Lloyd Mangrum.

He fired a 66 on the final round Sunday for a 54-hole total of 202. His final score was 6 under par.

In second place was Fred Hawkins of El Paso, Texas, with 205. Zell Eaton, the host pro, and Charles Sifford, Los Angeles, tied for third with 206.

SERVES 'EM RIGHT

San Francisco, AP — A gang of safe crackers probably will be more cautious about having a full "gas" tank after today.

Reno Peilgrini, poultry market owner, found a torch and an empty acetylene tank near his safe. The thieves had come within a fraction of an inch of cutting through to the \$2,000 inside when they ran out of fuel.

"BRIDE" TURNS OUT TO BE MAN

Hong Kong (AP) — A Hong Kong judge Monday pondered the case of a Chinese bride who turned out to be a man 10 days after the ceremony. Six sets of underwear and "delaying shyness" prolonged the deception.

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