

Vikings to Try for No. Five

Roosevelt Tonight's Court Foe

The Salem high Vikings attempt to take win number five tonight when Harold Hauk's Vikings travel to Portland for a clash with the Roosevelt Teddies. The Vikings, with one loss this season, will be after their second win over the Teddies since Salem opened their season with a 50-46 win over them.

Tonight's contest is the last for the Vikings in preparation for the Big Six race. Salem has already beaten Springfield but must play Eugene, Albany and Corvallis in the next several weeks in the league race.

Veterans on Teddy Quilt
Hauk will probably stick with much the same lineup that played in Salem's 75-63 loss to the powerful Milwaukee Mustangs. The center will be the team's high scorer, Bob Wulf, with Jim Knapp and Gordy Domogalla at the guards and Tom Pickens and Larry Springer at the forwards. Wayne Erickson and Phil Burkland also see plenty of action at forward posts.

The Portland squad is composed mostly of veteran starters from last season. Dave Wanaka and Dennis Rodin are slated for starting duty at forwards, while Charles Geldaker will begin at center. Rich Curtis and Bill Wittala will probably start at guards.

Salem's win this season were 50-46 over Roosevelt, 72-63 over Hillsboro's Spartans, 63-56 over Springfield, and 76-56 over Hillsboro. After tonight's contest the Vikings meet Corvallis at Corvallis Tuesday in a Big Six game.

The Salem high junior varsity attempts to keep its five-game victory string alive tonight when they meet the Roosevelt junior varsity in the preliminary. Lee Gustafson's Vikings started off their season with a win over the same team.

TEDDIES
Tom Pickens F Dave Wanaka
Larry Springer F Dennis Rodin
Bob Wulf C Charles Geldaker
Gordy Domogalla G Bill Wittala
Jim Knapp G Rich Curtis
VIKING JVS TEDDY JVS
Don Zeh F Ramsell
Don Pigley F Royse
Dale Jones C Murray
Jim Michaels G Russell
Bob Tom G Gauter



Idaho Mum On Picking Its Coach

MOSCOW, Ida. (AP)—University of Idaho officials have refused to comment on reports that Dick Voris, coach at Hartnell Junior College in Salinas, Calif., was under consideration for the job of head football coach at Idaho.

President Jesse Buchanan said he "knew nothing" about it and had "nothing to say" about progress on selecting a coach to replace Raymond Babe Curfman, who resigned last month under pressure from alumni.

Athletic Director Gale Mix was shopping for a possible replacement at the National Collegiate Athletic Association meeting in Cincinnati, Ohio, and sources here said there would be "no news" on the matter until after they returned. Curfman also was at the meeting.

Jerry Williams, former Washington star now with the Philadelphia Eagles, and Lyle Smith, coach at Boise Junior College, have said they are interested in the job, but Smith said he would want a five-year contract. He was reported to be backed by Boise alumni, the most powerful alumni group in the state.

Real Gone! This is the tangle-footed end for John Opita as he topples tree-like to canvas in third round of 147-pound sub-welter Golden Gloves bout in New York City after being belted by Bill McKeitham. (AP Wirephoto.)

Huskies at WSC, Idaho At OSC in Division Play

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
The defending Northern Division basketball champion and the No. 1 claimant to the throne swing into action Friday night as the last of the league's five clubs join the tussle for the 1954 title.

Coach Tippy Dye's sophomore-studded Washington Huskies, division and "Pacific Coast conference" (title) last year, make their league debut in a two-game stand at Pullman with Washington State college.

Oregon State, the No. 10 team on The Associated Press poll this week and tabbed as the club most likely to cop at least division honors, will be host to Idaho at Corvallis.

The Oregon Ducks, who split a pair with Idaho in the season-opener this week, will rest until next weekend when they play WSC at Pullman.

Although Washington has yet to win a game, the Huskies rate as slight favorite over their cross-state rival in the series at Pullman. The Huskies dropped eight

straight games in pre-conference competition, but many of them were by narrow margins. WSC, in winning six of 11 starts, had a scoring average about 10 points per game, lower than Washington's.

The Huskies will be counting on tall Dean Parsons to lead them into the win column. Parsons, of Eugene, Ore., has averaged 18.3 points per game for Washington this year. He will hook up in a duel with WSC's Ron Bennick, who has averaged 19 points per game.

Oregon State's big 7-foot-3½ gun, of course, will be Swede Halbrook, currently leading the Northern Division in scoring with 27 points in 10 games. Halbrook towers over a team that averages 6-6 and boasts a win over defending NCAA champion Indiana among its seven pre-conference victories.

Idaho, ranked next to Oregon State on the list of contenders, fields a team of veterans including center Dwight Morrison who was a key man in the Vandals' win over Oregon Wednesday night.

THURSDAY'S FIGHTS

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
FALL RIVER, Mass. — Eddie Freeman, 124½, Philadelphia, outpointed Tommy Tibbs, 132, Boston, 10.
DETROIT — Oscar Pharo, 191, Detroit, outpointed Al Hunter, 211½, Detroit, 6.
NEWARK, N.J. — Jimmy Champagne, 149½, Philadelphia, outpointed Tommy Fixon, 150, New York, 8.
TOPEKA, Kan. — Bobby Bickle, 138, Topeka, stopped Eddie Brandt, 144, Omaha, 6.

RAM CENTER HONORED

PORTLAND (UP) — Hal Duffy, center on Central Catholic's state high school championship football team, has been named "lineman of the year" on the annual Catholic high school All-American team, it was learned here today. It was the fifth annual such team selected by the New World magazine in Chicago.

Dickey is cut in the same pattern. You may say that his chances are even less than Terry's, whose foibles have been dimmed by the years. For Dickey still is much in evidence on the baseball scene as a Yankee coach, and as one who can be bruff, churlish and downright rude. But, if you face facts as a voter, Dickey was one of the greatest catchers of all times, if not the greatest, and the balloting is supposed to be done from that angle.

They All Belong
DiMaggio needs no buildup, naturally. His feats were of such recent note that every baseball fan remembers them. His batting championships, 56—game hitting streak and value to the Yankees are legends of the sport.

It would be nice, this week, if the writers could lose their prejudices. These guys all belong.

Terry, Dickey, DiMaggio Rate Hall of Fame Spots

By OSCAR FRALEY
NEW YORK (AP)—The spot in which the baseball Boswells bury the hatchet will determine this week whether Bill Terry, Bill Dickey and Joe DiMaggio win their way into the Hall of Fame this year.

There can be small doubt that each of them belongs in the diamond shrine. But, up to now, for varied reasons the voters have preferred to bury the hatchet in the carcass.

As far as Terry and Dickey were concerned, the axing was of a purely personal reason. Too many guys simply didn't like them personally. In DiMaggio's case, it was the old East vs. West split among the baseball writers.

Last year when the New York writers were announcing calmly beforehand that DiMaggio would make it, the outside writers put their backs up and made doggone certain that DiMaggio didn't make it. Silly, sure, but human nature.

In the cases of Terry and Dickey the writers agreed to disagree. Both came close to winning their niche in the Hall of Fame but enough of the old die hards in each of the voting camps hung on to ancient feuds to make the two Bills miss.

Who can deny that they belong?

Too Many Enemies
Terry is the only man in the last quarter of a century to hit 400 in the National League. He made it with 401 in 1930 and nobody has nudged it since. But Terry, an irascible man, made too many enemies during his tenure as manager of the New York Giants. He was contemptuous of newspapermen.

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Named Lisle W. Blackburn, 54, head football coach at Marquette University the past four years, has been named head coach of the Green Bay Packers in the National Football League. (AP Wirephoto.)

NFL, Canadian Pro Grid Loops 'War' Over Stars

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—The National Football League and the Canadian professional leagues were at open "war" Friday with the cream of American football players as the booty.

The long-time friction over contracting players between the U.S. league and its northern rivals erupted Thursday in a series of charges, counter-charges and counter-counter-charges.

Orville Burke, vice-president of the Calgary Stampeders, said an all out war over players was in the offing and accused the NFL of hiring a "propagandist" to slander the Canadian game and persuade U.S. college players to stay home.

The NFL's voluble commissioner, Bert Bell, replied "if they (the Canadian leagues) want a war

over players we'll give them one. At least we haven't gone out and signed players we knew were under contract to somebody else the way they did."

Asked about the "propagandist" charge, Bell replied:

"If he means we are telling the American players the truth about Canadian football, then we've hired a propagandist."

Bell said the NFL had hired a man to go on the road and tell the graduating college football players the difference between American and Canadian pro football conditions.

Bell's volley was answered by Jim McCaffrey, a Canadian Rugby Union executive, who said the commissioner was mostly "popping off" when he spoke of a player war.

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(Ladies' City League)
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Doerfler 477; Senator Hotel (10)—Scott

George Washington Holds Scoring Average of 88.3

By BEN PHELAGAR
NEW YORK (AP)—George Washington's red hot Colonials today maintained their scorching basketball scoring pace but they're going to have to score even faster to set a record.

The Colonials topped neighboring Georgetown 88-64 last night for their eighth straight victory and held their season's average at 88.3, one-tenth of a point better than the Western Kentucky Hilltoppers.

The all time record scoring average is 90.2 set last season by Furman. George Washington ran third with 85.9.

Corky Devlin and Joe Holup kept the scorekeepers busy with a total of 62 points, just two less than the entire Georgetown team. Devlin connected with 32 and H-lup 30.

Richmond of the Southern Conference defeated Virginia of the Atlantic Coast Conference 78-69 after trailing by five points at halftime. Bob Witt and Ken Daniels hit 20 points apiece for the Spiders.

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