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OREGONS HAVE RETURNED

Complete 10,000 Mile Journey Having Won 50 Games Out of 58 Played--Hold Coast Championship.

After a journey of over 10,000 miles, the Oregon basketball team arrived in its home city Friday night. On the preceding evening the redoubtable aggregation had added to its record a victory over Multnomah Athletic Club in Portland by a score of 21 to 13.

Back of them lay two weeks' clear record of victory in Oregon and California, and a record of success unequalled, through 20 other states, so there were no regrets to mar their welcome when they stepped off the train—"home again."

A dense throng banked the street about the depot, crowding out to the track on which the Portland train pulled into the city. On the train itself was another throng—friends of the team, who unwilling to wait for its arrival, had gone down on the afternoon train, met the boys and returned with them.

In these two crowds the basketball veterans were engulfed as rapidly as they stepped from the cars. In celebration of the event of their arrival, a

mass of red fire lighted at the moment the train appeared, cast a brilliant light over the surging mass of people, and the whistles of the sawmills and factories vied with each other in apparent efforts to drown out the band, which was playing in the edge of the crowd.

All of that evening and all of the following day, the newly returned Oregons and their coming game against Multnomah Athletic Club were practically the sole topics for conversation. In the evening the streets seemed utterly deserted, the people being all drawn away to the gymnasium to watch the game which was to mark the close of the long tour. Monmouth, Independence, Falls City and many other cities outside of Polk county were represented in the crowd.

And indeed the game merited the throng of spectators who attended it. Sharp, the referee, called but few fouls on either side and kept the ball in play every minute, making the game swift and thoroughly inter-

esting. Throughout the first half the score was nearly equal at all times, although the evident superiority of the Oregons over their opponents showed in their every play. In spite of the hopes of the Dallas supporters the half closed with the score 8 to 9, one point in favor of the Multnomah five.

From that time, however, the clubmen were beaten at every point. The speed of the play became terrific in the last half, many of the passes being made so rapidly that the eye could scarcely follow the ball. Fenton and Reed at forward played like wizards, while the work of the two guards, Morton and C. Shaw, was probably the prettiest ever seen on the home court. No ball seemed to go too high or too low for them to get, and the clubmen were able to score only a single goal during the entire half, so close was the guarding.

Ned Shaw starred in the goal throwing during the second half tossing six baskets over Morris his big opponent,

who failed to get any after the first half in which he had thrown two. The record made by Shaw during the tour has never been equalled in any similar case and he bears the distinction of being the only center who has ever made such a tour and played in every game from its start to its finish.

The scoring for the two teams was divided as follows: Oregons: Fenton two baskets; Reed one and four on fouls; Ned Shaw six baskets, and Morton awarded one point on a foul. Multnomah: Dent two baskets and one on a foul; Morris two and Percy one.

After the game the members of the Dallas and Multnomah aggregations and a number of their friends were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Coad and Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Coad at the home of the latter with a most enjoyable reception. About fifty guests were present including the members of the two teams.



Front row (left to right)—Fenton, C. Shaw, E. Shaw. Rear row—Reed, Teats, H. L. Fenton (business manager) Morton and Savery.

Oregons, 43.....Vancouver, 6	Oregons, 23.....Redwing 16	Oregons, 24.....Canton, 16	Oregons, 24.....Provo, 26
Oregons, 34.....Winlock, 4	Oregons, 27....." 9	Oregons, 31.....Delaware, 6	Oregons, 25.....Logan, 24
Oregons, 34.....Seattle, 16	Oregons, 31.....LaCrosse 23	Oregons, 35.....U. of U. 22	Oregons, 32.....Lehl, 13
Oregons, 42.....Rosslyn, 17	Oregons, 31.....Portage 21	Oregons, 20.....Notre Dame, 31	Oregons, 32.....Santa Cruz, 13
Oregons, 57.....Ellensburg, 3	Oregons, 39....." 15	Oregons, 28.....Decatur, 17	Oregons, 54.....Watsonville 31
Oregons, 55.....Spokane, 14	Oregons, 37.....Neenah 24	Oregons, 37.....Princeville, 25	Oregons, 35.....San Jose, 31
Oregons, 22.....Anaconda, 16	Oregons, 14.....Fon Du Lac 24	Oregons, 40.....Shenandoah 14	Oregons, 2.....U. of C. 9
Oregons, 97.....Billings, 8	Oregons, 19....." 23	Oregons, 40.....Malvern, 9	Oregons, 53.....Ashland, 16
Oregons, 50....." YMCA 15	Oregons, 19.....Neenah 11	Oregons, 50.....Red Oaks, 11	Oregons, 53.....Albany, 7
Oregons, 39....." Co K 15	Oregons, 2.....Detroit 0	Oregons, 32.....Shenandoah 10	Oregons, 45.....Woodburn, 7
Oregons, 60.....Dickinson 10	Oregons, 20.....Buffalo 23	Oregons, 37.....Kansas City 23	Oregons, 21.....M. A. A. C. 13
Oregons, 36.....Jamestown, 15	Oregons, 26.....Linesville 15	Oregons, 18.....Haskell, 23	Oregons, 23.....M. A. A. C. 11
Oregons, 29.....Minneapolis 29	Oregons, 48.....Mansfield 20	Oregons, 40.....Lincoln, 12	
Oregons, 33....." Co B 16	Oregons, 76.....Ada, 7	Oregons, 31.....Peru, 11	
Oregons, 14.....Stillwater 29	Oregons, 23.....Alliance, 24	Oregons, 36.....Greely, 30	

OFFERED TWO POSITIONS

Postmaster-General Hitchcock Would Give R. E. Williams Government Appointments.

The following dispatch from Washington, D. C., was published in yesterday's Oregonian:

"It was learned Sunday that Postmaster-General Hitchcock is very anxious to appoint National Committeeman Ralph E. Williams, of Oregon, to one of the important positions in his department, and has offered Mr. Williams his choice between two places, one in the department here in Washington, and another an outside position.

"Williams left for New York on Friday, without reaching a conclusion, but his friends believe he will decline Hitchcock's offer, because it would mean severance of his important business connections in Oregon. Hitchcock is a warm personal admirer of Williams, and very anxious to have him accept office.

"It is understood the Washington position was one of the Assistant Postmaster-Generalships."

Legal blanks for sale at this office.

Passed State Examinations.

The result of the recent state teachers' examination was announced Saturday by J. H. Ackerman, superintendent of public instruction. Two grades only of certificates are issued by the state department, the state certificate valid for five years, and the state diploma valid for life. Following are the successful applicants from Polk county: Myrtle L. McReynolds, of Independence; Mary M. Thone, of Butler; Smith B. Holt, of Buena Vista; Adrian B. Owen, of Falls City; Mary Beatrice Scollard, of Independence. The following Polk county applicants also completed the examinations successfully, but lack one of the requirements, either age or experience: David C. Henry, Alice M. Rasmussen, Mabel E. Robinson, Percy Stroud, Mrs. P. M. Stroud and Mary E. Whitney, of Monmouth.

The price of tickets to the lecture by Thomas E. Green, Thursday night has been reduced to 25 cents, including reserved seats, so that the opportunity of hearing this gifted speaker may come easily within the means of all.

M. W. Walker returned to Falls City yesterday after a few days' visit in Dallas.

CITY COUNCIL MEETS

Routine Business Transacted and Judges and Clerks of Election Appointed.

A large amount of routine business was transacted by the city council last night, dealing mostly with street improvement. A petition by a number of the business men of Dallas was filed, requesting that the macadam be laid this summer be placed on the principal streets on which people enter the city from the rural districts, and action will probably be taken on the matter at the next council meeting.

A petition was also filed by the property owners on Levens street asking that the laying of macadam on that street between Clay and Washington be deferred, and after consideration, the request was granted. The proposed ordinance to regulate beer and pool parlors was laid over until the next regular meeting.

Following are the judges and clerks for the city election to be held Monday, April 5:

First ward: John G. Brown, S. R. Kennedy and Arthur Cutler, judges; E. V. Dalton, H. G. Campbell, clerks;

poling place, the Woodman Hall. Second ward: Charles Black, A. J. Martin and John Lynn, judges; N. L. Guy, W. A. Ayres, clerks; polling place, City Hall.

Third ward: Frank Kerslake, William Kersey and S. Carter, judges; John S. Ashbaugh, Walter Muir, clerks; polling place, H. L. Crider's office.

Will Operate Handle Factory.

E. G. Matke and B. J. Friedman, formerly of Portland, have purchased the factory and business of the Pacific Coast Handle & Manufacturing Company in this city and will have full control of it in future. They will put the factory in full operation as soon as the machinery can be put in thorough preparation and arrangements for securing supplies of handle timber can be completed. It is their purpose to enlarge the plant as rapidly as their business warrants. The resumption of this industry will add materially to the payroll of Dallas and vicinity.

Alva Morton resumed his work as mail clerk on the Dallas-Portland train yesterday after an extended leave of absence.

MANY HOP CONTRACTS

Those Filed Since January 1 Involve 500,000 Pounds At From 9 to 11 Cents.

Hop contracts involving more than 500,000 pounds, for periods of from one to three years, and at prices ranging from 9 to 11 cents, have been filed at the office of the county clerk of Polk county since the first of January.

The list of the firms contracting and the amount and contract prices are as follows:

Elsas & Fritz with A. Lindstrom; a three years, contract for 10,000 pounds at 10 cents.

Falk, Wormser & Company with J. D. and John Walling; contracts for 40,000 pounds of 1909 hops at 9 cents.

Joseph Harris with N. F. Gregg; 15,000 pounds of 1909 hops at 9 cents, and with J. T. and J. E. James, a three years' contract for 10,000 pounds at 10 cents.

Horst & Company with John Simkins 8,000 pounds of 1909 hops at 10 cents; F. L. Neville, 15,000 pounds 1909 hops at 10 cents; Richard Bridges, 8,000 pounds 1909 hops at 10 cents.

McNeff Brothers with G. B. Gates and H. G. Campbell, 16,000 pounds of 1909 hops at 10 cents; J. H. Foster & A. Buhler, 10,000 pounds 1909 hops at 10 cents; J. H. Foster and Dallas City Bank, 15,000 pounds 1909 hops at 10 cents.

Charles S. May & Company with G. H. Harris, a two years' contract for 10,000 pounds at 10 cents; H. and J. N. Wood, a three years' contract for 15,000 pounds at 9 cents; J. D. Allen, 20,000 pounds of 1909 hops at 10 cents; W. A. and C. O. Sloper, a three years' contract for 60,000 pounds at 10 cents.

Isaac Pincus & Sons with H. L. Hart, 15,000 pounds 1909 hops at 10 cents and 15,000 pounds 1909 hops at 10 cents; McNeff Brothers, 41,000 pounds 1909 hops at 10 cents.

Julius Pincus & Company with Walker Brothers, 50,000 pounds of 1909 hops at 10 cents; R. H. and Fannie McCarter, 10,000 pounds of 1909 hops at 10 cents; A. J. Housington et ux, 15,000 pounds of 1909 hops at 10 cents.

T. Rosenwald & Company with C. W. Beckett, a two years' contract for 10,000 pounds at 11 cents; Ed Loose, a three years' contract for 10,000 pounds at 11 cents.

T. A. Livesley & Company with Clifford A. Ball, 15,000 pounds 1909 hops at 10 cents; J. L. Hanna, 30,000 pounds 1909 hops at 10 cents; E. S. Harris, 20,000 pounds 1909 hops at 10 cents.

Succumbs to Heart Trouble.

Mrs. Marie Kilewer died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Friesen, Sunday morning, her death being due to a complication of heart trouble and dropsy. She had been in poor health for a long time but her condition did not become critical until recently. The deceased was about 68 years old and had been a resident of this vicinity for about five years. She is survived by a number of near relatives in both Oregon and Washington. The funeral services will be held at the Menzies church near Salt Creek, Wednesday afternoon at one o'clock.

Prepare For Mohair Pool.

H. L. Fenton, who has just returned from his trip to the East, is actively at work preparing for the sale of the mohair pool during next month. He announces that all mohair raisers in Polk county who intend to get into the pool, should report their fleeces to him at once and get sacks. Sacks may be secured at the following places: Dallas Mercantile Company; Simpson Brothers, Alrie; Jake Chambers and Miller & Alcorn, Kings Valley, and Ivy & Payne, Sheridan.

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An elegant line of New Wool Dress Goods, White Goods, Percales, Ginghams, Calicoes, Embroideries, Laces, Belts, Plain and Fancy Hosiery. Try a pair of Black Cat Hose.

A swell line of Men's Hats for Spring 1909. All the new shapes and shades. If you want a good hat try a Kingsbury, none better made for the price, \$3.00

We are showing a swell line of up-to-date Boy's Knee Pant Suits. We invite your inspection.

New Oxfords just arrived. Take a look at them, they are certainly a swell lot of shoes.

Yours for business,

Campbell & Hollister

CASH STORE

Electricity for Lighting

Is only expensive to people who are wasteful and careless. To you, who are naturally careful, it does not come high.

It is economical because it can be quickly turned off when not needed. With gas or kerosene there is the temptation to let light burn when not needed to save bother of lighting and adjusting. In some homes the electric light bills amount to only one or two dollars per month. You can probably get some kind of artificial light for less money than electric light, but does it save you anything when it limits opportunities for work and recreation—ruins your eyesight—smokes your walls—mars decorations and increases household work. You could probably save a dollar tomorrow by going without your meals but it wouldn't be economy. It is not so much what you save, but how you save that counts.

WILLAMETTE VALLEY CO. RATES—Residence on meters, per Kilowatt 15c; Residence, flat per month, 16c 50c. RATES FOR BUSINESS HOUSES—25c per drop and 5c per Kilowatt up to 10 drops; over 10 drops 20c per drop and 5c per Kilowatt up to 40 drops; over 40 drops 17c per drop and 5c per Kilowatt. A drop figures 16c or less. For power rates apply at the office. We are always ready to explain the "ins and outs" of the lighting proposition to you, call on us or phone to us, we are never too busy to talk business.

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