

GRADE HOOPSTERS TO START TOURNEY AT GYM TODAY

Coach Bob Webb of the grade school has announced that the final plans for holding the Jackson County Grade School Basketball Tournament in Central Point February 22, 23, and 24 have been completed.

Fifteen teams are entering the tournament. The plans call for Butte Falls and Westside to start tossing the ball through the basket at the Howard gym at 3:00 o'clock and Central Point and Talent to square off against each other at the Central Point gym at the same time.

The schedule of games to be played, Thursday, February 22 is:

Butte Falls vs. Westside at 3:00 P.M. at Howard gym.
Central Point vs. Talent at 3:00 P.M. at Central Point gym.
Wagner Creek vs. Howard at 4:00 P.M. at Howard gym.

Oakgrove vs. Sams Valley at 4:00 P.M. at Central Point.

Wimer vs. Eagle Point at 5:00 P.M. at Central Point.

Jacksonville vs. Gold Hill at 7:00 P.M. at Central Point.

Phoenix vs. Prospect at 8:00 P.M. at Central Point.

Rogue River drew a bye for Thursday games.

The winners of these games will play for the championship cup. The losers will fight it out for the consolation cup.

Friday schedule of games will consist of the winners of the Jacksonville-Gold Hill game playing the winners of the Phoenix-Prospect game at 3:00 P.M. at the Central Point gym and the losers playing at the same time at the Howard gym.

At 4 o'clock Friday the winners of the Butte Falls-Westside game will play the winner of the Wimer-Eagle Point game at the Central Point gym. The losers will play at the Central Point gym at 5:00 P.M. The winners of Central Point-Talent game will play the winners of the Wagner Creek-Howard game at the Central Point gym at 8:00 P.M. Friday. The losers will play at 3:00 P.M. at the Howard gym.

The winner of the Oakgrove-Sams Valley game will play Rogue River at the Central Point gym at 7:00 P.M. The loser of the Oakgrove-Sams Valley game will draw a bye for Friday and enter the semi-finals for the Consolation cup Saturday morning at the Howard gym.

The semi-finals for the championship will be played at 9:00 and 10:00 A.M. Saturday morning at the Central Point gym and the semifinals for the consolation cup will be played at the same time at the Howard gym.

The finals will be played Saturday night at the Central Point gym. The third and fourth place game will start at 7:00 P.M. The game for the Consolation Cup will start at 8:00 P.M. The championship game will start at 9:00 P.M.

After the championship game the trophies and medals will be awarded to the winning teams and the all-star players by Supt. C. R. Bowman.

The trophies and medals, which were donated by Central Point businessmen are on display at the City Hall.

Butte Falls Bags County Title by Win Over Pointers

Paced by two sharp-shooting Little Ellis brothers who made 23 points between them, Butte Falls raced to a 35-21 victory over the Pointers in one of the greatest games ever played in the Medford high school gym. Starting off promptly at the opening whistle the Loggers from Butte Falls galloped up and down at break-neck speed and having made a couple of the first shots in the first minutes of the game the Loggers were never headed at all during the entire game.

Time after time the Pointer boys crept slowly up after them only to see the deadly shooting of the Ellis brothers keep Butte Falls in the lead. It was only in the last quarter that the Pointers put on a burst of attack that brought them nearest to the Loggers, the score being 24-27. But Leland Ellis kept shooting those deadly shots of his that managed to keep the Loggers out in the front 'til the end.

The Pointer players were decidedly off form as they played a ragged game 'til the last quarter when they really played in fine form but the damage had been done by the first three quarters. It is the opinion of many a fan that if the Pointers had clicked in the first quarter the story would have been considerably different.

Ellis brothers were the outstanding players in the game for Butte Falls and Red Holland played a whale of a game for the Pointers.

It is Butte Falls' first county title since 1923 and all credit is due to them.

WRESTLING NEWS

In a battle of dropkicks and non-bergs that packed plenty of thrills into 13 short minutes of main-event fireworks, Portland's Ernie Piluso hung a two-fall to one grappling defeat on Big King Kon Clayton before an enthusiastic armory crowd last Monday night.

With one fall a piece, Sgt. Bob Kenaston fouled out in the third heat to Dan Schulz, lanky German, in the middle event.

In the opening event, Prince Seka-Hi Mehalik took two straight falls from Joe Lynam.

Sport Gags

By K. D. P.

I am sorry to see so many people of this town rave at the method of Coach Hulbert's having sent a second string substitute in the game in the first quarter of the county championship game between Butte Falls and our boys. But on a more sober thinking I think it was a very move though it did not do much good.

All the players on Pointer squad were very skittery and very nervous as the game neared and Coach Hulbert may have had lots of trouble to calm them down. But when the game started, the boys were way off form and could not even hang on to the ball and their passing was decidedly off form. And even the first string substitutes were jittery because they knew that one of them may go in to take place of others. So Coach Hulbert decided to put in the second string player who was not so nervous because he had never a thought at all that he might go in to relieve the first string players. I think that Coach Hulbert put him in in the hope that the second string player might snap the first string players out of their doldrums and I believe that he did wake up the players a little and they played a little better ball afterward.

So I call that brainwork and a smart piece of coaching though it did not do a great deal to help. You, fans, would never have said one word if Pointers had come out on top. But Pointers lost and you blamed that on the substituting of the second string player.

I think that if Coach Hulbert had put in the entire second string in the first few minutes of the game, the first stringers would be sitting down on the bench and watching the second stringers attempt to stop the Butte Falls five, it would have calmed them considerably and when out on the floor they would in all respects have played a better game. But it's all in the game because in the first place it may not work at all. And to coach young lads like the Pointers is plenty nerve-racking and Coach Hulbert has had the toughest job in town because every day in the year he is being criticized by fans who are popularly called the bleacher coaches.

Mark my word, in the coming tournament at Ashland you will find our boys playing a much better brand of ball that will more than make up for the defeat of our team by Butte Falls. So, Coach Hulbert, keep on your work, I, for one, am completely satisfied with your work.

Bag Limits Set For Trout Fishing

The opening day for the general trout season in Oregon was set for April 13 by the state game commission when it met last week to establish the 1940 angling regulations. The closing date is October 15.

The general bag limit for lakes and streams will be 15 pounds and 1 fish but not to exceed 15 fish in any one day, or 30 pounds and 1 fish but not to exceed 30 fish in any seven consecutive days or in possession at any one time.

Another change of major importance to the coast section was the reduction in the bag limit of cutthroat trout over 10 inches to three a day or six in any seven consecutive days during the period between January 1 and April 13 in tidewater and other waters open the entire year to this form of fishing.

A deadline of approximately 400 yards up from the ocean was established for certain coast streams and lakes to give protection in the shallow areas to fish migrating upstream from the ocean.

A complete tabulation of the open and closed waters will be issued by the game commission in printed form within the next few weeks, but following is a partial list of changes affecting local waters:

Clackamas and Multnomah Counties—Closed to angling: Burnt lake, North Fork Molalla, Clear, Deep, Milk, Cedar, Gordon, Trout, Buck, Big Beaver, Cherry, Bridal Veil and Herman creeks, Salmon river, and that part of Bull Run river above powerhouse bridge.

Columbia County—That part of North Scappoose creek above the highway, closed to angling. Green creek, opened to angling.

Douglas County—Fall creek and tributaries, and Lake creek, tributary to Loon lake, closed to angling. Diamond lake, open season May 20 to September 20.

Lane County—Betty lake, Bryce, Layng, Martin and Mosby creeks and their tributaries, and that part of Indian creek from mouth of West Fork to Taylor creek, opened to angling. All tributaries of Sweet creek, closed to angling.

Linn County—Canyon and Moose creeks, opened to angling. Little Wiley creek, Bryant creek and Calapooia river, open season April 13 to July 1. Pine lake, open season, June 30 to August 4.

Marion County—Claggett and Bayes lakes, opened to angling. That part of South Silver creek east of Silver creek falls highway, open season June 15 to September 15.

Washington County—Hedge creek, open to angling. That part of Rock creek for a distance of 200 feet above mouth of Tualatin river, open to angling for spiny-ray fish.

Benton, Clatsop, Jackson, Lincoln, Polk, Tillamook, Yamhill, Curry, Coos, Josephine counties—No changes from last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Pendleton returned to their home here Monday. They have been staying with Mrs. Pendleton's mother, Mrs. Koepsall, for a couple of weeks. Mrs. Pendleton has been ill with the flu but is better.

Aid for Children Discussed at Meet Women Voters

What the county, state and federal governments are doing to aid the needy child was discussed at the February general meeting of the Jackson County League of Women Voters Monday evening in the county courthouse in Medford. Speakers were Mrs. Esther Kelly Watson, Portland, staff assistant of the state public welfare commission, and Judge E. B. Day of the county court, Medford.

The Portland speaker reviewed the national social security act as applied to children who are delinquent, dependent or crippled and then told how the Oregon commission is operating. The commission paid out \$76,000 in December of last year, Mrs. Watson said, for 4,401 dependent children. This is an average of \$40 per family and \$17 per child. Previous to the enactment of the social security act, only a small number of children received public aid, and funds were very limited the speaker said. Under the present set-up, half of the funds are supplied by the federal government with the state and counties furnishing the remaining half. Aid is given up to 16 years, or 18 years if the child is in school.

"The tendency in this country has been to neglect dependent children in favor of the aged," Mrs. Watson said. "This is due to the fact that the aged have organized, articulate groups seeking special legislation in their favor, while this has not been done to such a great extent for children." Mrs. Watson said that while great strides forward have been made in caring for needy children, that more money and social workers were still needed. She pointed out that since children are the coming generation, their needs should be considered ahead of adults and that their emotional as well as physical problems should be solved. Broken homes are the greatest cause of children becoming delinquent or dependent, Mrs. Watson said.

"In my opinion the juvenile work of the county court is its most important work," Judge Day stated in opening his talk. He reviewed the cases handled by the court since August, 1933, stating that 64 dependent children had been committed to institutions, and that 23 had either been dismissed or placed with relatives or in private homes. The court has also handled 208 delinquency cases in that period, committing 46 children to institutions. At present 170 children are receiving aid from the public welfare commission in Jackson county.

Judge Day also reviewed the work of the Jackson County Public Health association, telling of the dental, well baby and tuberculosis clinics and other work. More than 100 persons attended the meeting, which was arranged by the department of government and child welfare of the League. Mrs. O. A. Eden is chairman of the department.

Untapped Revenue

A recent humorous drawing depicts a young couple at the window of the county clerk. They say: "We want to renew our marriage license for another year." People have to renew automobile driver's licenses; why not marriage licenses? Here is an opportunity for school folks who are looking up means of raising more revenue. The receipts from license renewals could be devoted to equipment and maintenance of kindergartens.—Monmouth Herald.

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Meeting Called to Select Successor for Scout Executive

Medford, February 17, 1940
Dear Fellow Executive Board Members:

It is with a great deal of pleasure and satisfaction that I pass on to you the announcement that our local Scout Executive, "Bing", has been selected by the Regional and National Council to assume the Scout Executive responsibility for one of the three largest Councils in the Northwest.

As a complete surprise to Mr. Irving P. Beasley, the request for an interview with him came from Mr. Seth Richards, President of the Inland Empire Council with headquarters at Spokane, Washington. "Bing" returned to Medford this afternoon, and after complete consideration and discussion, we have decided that he should accept the promotion.

I know that this will be a surprise to all of you, and as members of the Executive Board it places with us the responsibility of immediate selection of his successor. There is to be a Scout Executive's Regional Conference in Portland this coming week end, February 22 and 23. Our Regional Executive, Mr. L. Curtis, has suggested that I attend with "Bing" if possible, in order that I might have an opportunity to look over the field of available men for our Council. Several of the local members of the Board think this will be a very good plan. I will appreciate hearing from you as soon as possible.

Will it be possible for you to plan on an Executive Board meeting 2:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon, February 25, here at the Hotel Medford, at which time we can accept Mr. Beasley's resignation after almost 5 years and select his successor from the several recommendations I bring back with me.

Sincerely in Scouting,
LARRY SCHADE
Council President.

Former Local Girl Wins Prize for Doll

When 100 Spokane, Washington girl scouts took part in a health day feature of the annual Girl Scout week in the Y.W.C.A. pool in that city, Sally J. Weaver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Weaver, formerly well known here and in Medford, won first in "dog paddle".

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Sams Valley Ladies Club Holds Meet

The Sams Valley Ladies Club met for the regular bi-monthly meeting on Thursday, February 15th at the home of Mrs. J. E. Weaver with Mrs. Earl Bigham as co-hostess.

Mrs. Walter Grant, the newly elected president, presided over the business meeting. After which the large gift and valentine box was brought forth and contents divulged. A handkerchief shower for the two retiring officers, Mrs. Everett Brown and Mrs. Paul Schulz, was also in evidence.

Other amusing entertainment followed 'til the hostesses served light refreshments in true Valentine form, with Valentine favor on each tray. The weather for that day was ideal and a goodly number were in attendance.

The next meeting, March 7th will be at the home of Mrs. Pete Burrenson with Mrs. Sadie Frink as co-hostess.

The Club recently purchased soup bowls for use of school hot lunches and they also are putting some finishing touches to the school auditorium stage curtain which they had previously donated.

Push---Don't Knock!

Again we have heard the remark made as to how much damage has been done to Central Point since the moving of the highway. At that time we could count on one hand all the cars to be seen on the Central Point streets and many new businesses were not here that have come since. It probably did do some damage to part of our businesses. As we drove into Medford, just for fun we noticed the kind of business houses on the highway, mostly service stations, garages, one drug store, a few cafes, a few grocery stores on the outskirts of town, all the big merchandise stores were as far from the highway as our business section is, and a number of thriving business houses at least 7 or 8 blocks from the highway. So the highway is not going to either make or break us unless we all move onto the highway and make a pathway to Medford and say "It has just killed our town".

We have a good group of Boosters here and in spite of everything we are going ahead—Get your shoulders to the wheel and push, don't knock.

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Lane County Man Announces Desire For Treasurer's Job

Earl Hill, Lane County Legislator and businessman, Saturday announced his candidacy for state treasurer. Mr. Hill, a Republican, is a native Oregonian, born and raised in Lane County. He received his early education in the public schools of Portland and Lane County. He is 49 years of age, married and has one son, Irvin, age 25, a graduate of the Oregon Medical School, now an interne in the city of Portland.

In his younger days Mr. Hill was employed in various capacities in lumber mills and camps. In 1910 he entered the general merchandise business at Cushman, Oregon, in which business he is still engaged. The Cushman post office has been operated continuously in connection with Mr. Hill's mercantile business.

Long active in civic, state and community affairs, Mr. Hill has served as Treasurer of the Port of Stuslaw, is at present director of the Union High School District, the Cushman local school board, and a member of the House of Representatives of the State Legislature. He also served in the Legislative sessions of 1931, 1933, and 1935.

Mr. Hill who stated that his complete platform would be announced later made the following statement Saturday.

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