

# HOBSON'S CAGERS WIN RECOGNITION AS GREAT SQUAD

## Double Victory Over Bears—cats Ends Great Season—23-Game Schedule With Best Teams of State

By Billy Hulien.  
With the double victory over Willamette university last week-end, the Southern Oregon Normal basketball squad brought to a close the most successful season in the history of the institution.

Under the first-year direction of Howard Hobson, former University of Oregon star, the giant Sons blasted their way through a gruelling 23-game schedule which included the best teams in the state to run up the impressive record of 18 wins and 5 losses for a percentage of .783. Scores Averaged High.

The Sons scored a grand total of 901 points, an average of a fraction over 39 points per game, while their opponents gathered 655 markers for a fractional margin over 28 points.

An interesting sidelight to the great season is the fact that no team can claim a series victory over the Sons. The losses suffered by the Sons to Willamette, Oregon, Multnomah and Multnomah club were later wiped out by driving victories. It was at the halfway mark that the Sons really began to click. The last 11 games of the season were won, and mostly by overwhelming scores.

Power Proved.  
Without a doubt the Sons were the most powerful non-conference quintet in the state. Decisive victories over Multnomah Club, De Neffe and Texaco prove that.

The Sons' greatest victories, however, were those scored over Willamette, northwest conference champions, and University of Oregon Willamette fell, two out of three times, and Oregon dropped three out of four to Hobson's team. Sentiments in southern Oregon and in other parts of the state where the Sons have appeared, is to the effect that but one team is capable of a better brand of basketball. That team is Oregon State, winner of the Pacific coast conference, northern division.

W. Jones Scoring Ace.  
The individual scoring championship of the team goes to Willard Jones, from Washington high in Portland, who connected for 216 points; an average of over 9 per game. Wardlow Howell sunk the most free throws, 51, while Dick Jockiah committed the most personal fouls, 40. Individual scoring records follow:

	PG	FT	PF	TP
W. Jones	60	36	22	216
Howell	60	51	36	211
Yandle	44	28	13	126
B. Jones	44	20	44	108
Jockiah	34	22	60	90
McLean	22	8	5	52
C. Patterson	12	11	11	35
Forncrook	9	7	7	28
Reeder	7	3	15	17
H. Patterson	4	1	8	9
Kinney	3	0	0	6
Fromm	1	1	3	3
Philpe	0	1	1	3
Stevens	0	1	1	1
Fish	0	0	1	0

Total 376 189 245 901  
Scores of games follow:

48. Texaco	23
60. Granta Pass All-Stars	20
43. Oregon	26
36. Multnomah Intermediates	19
36. Multnomah Club	45
38. Willamette	40
38. Oregon	33
37. Oregon	33
17. Oregon	32
38. DeNeffe	25
34. Monmouth	46
28. Monmouth	33
40. Monmouth	31
35. Monmouth	26
35. Texaco	21
50. Klamath Cubs	26
62. Klamath Cubs	14
35. Chico State	25
45. Multnomah Club	19
49. Multnomah Club	23
38. Willamette	27
34. Willamette	32

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# OREGON AND STATE FOSS O'ER REFEREE

CORVALLIS, March 2.—(AP)—A controversy as to who shall referee the crucial basketball series between Oregon State and Oregon Friday and Saturday continued to disturb athletic officials of the two schools today.

Emil Piluso of Portland, scheduled to referee this series in which O. S. C. needs only one victory to clinch the northern division championship, has asked that another official be obtained.

This was revealed last night by Hugh Rosson, Oregon graduate manager. He said Piluso suggested another referee be selected, but did not make "his reasons public." "On the basis of Piluso's letter," Rosson said, "we feel that another man should be chosen and for that reason we objected to Piluso as referee for the games this week-end."

# PIRATES OPEN SPRING PRACTICE IN TOP FORM

PASO ROBLES, Cal., Mar. 2.—(AP)—In good physical condition with the spring training season just begun, members of the Pittsburgh Pirates baseball club work out here today in their second practice period.

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# To Michigan State



Charles Bachman, a Notre Dame graduate who has been coaching football at the University of Florida, was named to succeed James Crowley as head grid coach at Michigan State. (Associated Press Photo)

# SONS INVITED TO K. C. HOOP TOURNEY BUT LACK FINANCE

Howard Hobson, coach of the Southern Oregon Normal basketball team, late yesterday afternoon received official invitation from Kansas City to take his giant Sons quintet to the National A. U. tournament which is held yearly in that city. The invitation came in the form of a telegram from Dr. J. A. Reilly, chairman of the tournament committee and was a great surprise to Hobson and other school authorities as no serious thought had been given to sending the Sons to the tournament.

In a statement, Coach Hobson expressed doubt as to whether it would be possible to make the trip. "Our finances are in a state that makes it almost impossible to consider going," he said.

The tournament is invitational and only the strongest teams in the entire country are asked to attend. Olympic club of San Francisco is the only other Pacific coast aggregation invited.

The amount needed to send the Sons, it was said, would be in the neighborhood of \$750.

The tournament starts next week.

# BOWMAN'S DEFEAT TRIBUNE BOWLERS

Bowman's Barbers took the lion's share in their City Bowling league match with the Mail Tribune last evening. C. Walsh of the tonorialists toppled a total of 832 pins during the evening, garnering 204 of them in the final frame.

The Elks All-Stars and Copco meet tonight.

Bowman's Barber Shop.  
C. Walsh 150 175 204 532  
W. Pruitt 130 157 184 471  
H. Larsen 111 135 164 428  
G. Fabrick 104 128 172 404  
C. Bowman 138 145 155 438  
Handicap 85 85 85 255

Mail Tribune.  
J. Murray 101 150 180 420  
K. Murray 104 142 182 378  
A. Hagen 154 185 180 520  
W. Antle 106 106 106 498  
J. Grigaby 136 136 136 408  
Handicap 104 104 104 312

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# RANKINS HUMBLE ORRS ON ALLEYS

Bill Rose, bowling midget, was back in form again last night in the Elks bowling tourney, and toppled a total of 818 pins for high individual.

Rankin's team took all three games from Bert Orr's band.

Eads and Guenther will roll Friday night.

1 2 3  
Orr 129 122 158 419  
Erickson 144 168 138 450  
Jerome 163 151 190 504  
Elwood 139 149 124 412  
Strange 146 112 144 402  
Handicap 96 96 96 288

827 708 850 2475

1 2 3

Rankin 187 151 109 507

Smith 172 140 129 441

Moffatt 174 180 148 499

Sanderson 168 139 178 482

Rose 104 100 121 325

Handicap 91 91 91 273

906 861 900 2717

# GENE O'GRADY LOSES TO CHICAGO NEGRO

OAKLAND, Cal., Mar. 2.—(AP)—Roy Williams, 172-pound Chicago negro, won a decision over Gene O'Grady, 183 1/2, Ashland, Ore., in a four-round bout here last night. Williams had an edge in each round.

Soviet Russia still imports fertilizer for its agricultural program.

# PENNANT HUNGRY ANGELS GIRD FOR DETERMINED TRY

## First Step Is to Abandon Old Policy Waiting for Help From Cubs' Castoffs—Orville Mohler Interests

By Russell J. Newland  
Associated Press Sports Writer.  
SAN FRANCISCO, March 2.—(AP) Los Angeles, a club that is best described with two such words as "penant-hungry," is steaming up for a determined dash this season.

The first step in preparations was abandonment of an old time policy of waiting for help from the senior baseball holding of the Wrigleys—the Chicago Cubs.

Instead of going through the throes of a period of wistful waiting until the Cubs' spring training session had reached the stage at which players of non-major league caliber could be weeded out, the Angels this year are practically set already.

Mohler Interests  
In the early size up the Angels appear to be well taken care of in the pitching department; are fairly strong behind the plate; have an outfield patrol that no manager need be ashamed of and have the makings of a bang-up infield combination.

From both the playing end and the fan side of the frame most of the interest will center around a husky youngster named Orville Mohler, who reigned most of his athletic game as a football star at the University of Southern California.

In college, Mohler was as good a baseball player as he was at lugging a football. He was the best shortstop in the history of Trojan nine and his batting feats rival those of the mythical Frank Merriwell. His three year varsity batting average was nearer .500 than .400.

Steady Influence  
Those who should know believe the son of old Kid Mohler will make good from the jump. Besides, he will have the steady influence of Jimmy Reese, the former Oakland second sacker who went up to the Yankees; switched over to the Cardinals and now is back to the league in which he started.

The rest of the infield includes "Red" Olesby at first base and Dick Lillard at third. The Angels have hopes of obtaining Harry Taylor, a corking first sacker in the Coast circuit, from the Cubs. Lillard was groomed in the Western league and is said to have great potentialities.

Carl Dittmar, who has shortstopped these many years, may fit in a utility role.

Mound Reliance Back  
Pitching material includes Wyn Ballou, Ed Baecht and Fay Thomas. All reliable; Charley Moncrief and Hal Stitzer, both better than average and Dick Ward, young right hander with plenty of stuff. Marvin Gudat, southpaw handyman, pitches, plays first base and the outfield and is a fine hitter. Thomas, speed ball artist purchased from Brooklyn, will be especially effective for night games.

Roly Poly Bill Cronin will do the bulk of the catching again with Ike Danning, young but seasoned, as first lieutenant. Cronin is a good receiver but an ordinary hitter. Danning was taken on as a free agent. Huge Harry Hannah, who once stole second base and was an Angel catcher about the time the oldest inhabitant moved in, is a coach now but can still catch.

There are no worries about the outfield. Arnold Stutz, center fielder has no superior; Tut Stainback, right fielder, has been sold to the Cubs for future delivery, and Mike Kreevich, left field, will hold up his end.

Los Angeles won its last pennant in 1926 and all hands on the bat boy up believe six years is long enough to wait.

# KRUSE PINS AL FOLLOWING KAYO

PORTLAND, Ore., March 2.—(AP)—Bob Kruse, Oswego, heavyweight wrestler, defeated Al Karaick two out of three falls in a rough bout here last night. While the referee's back was turned Kruse let go a slashing right to the chin, putting Karaick down and piling on him for the final fall.

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# Dartmouth Queen



Queen of the winter carnival of Dartmouth college at Hanover, N. H., is Virginia Helm of Minneapolis, Minn. (Associated Press Photo)

be 24 years old until tomorrow. He was only 16 when he joined the Giants.

# FURTHER ACTION IN BALLOT THEFT DEFENSE NIPPED

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in Jackson county, and restore normalcy were manifest today.

Ask Resignations.  
The Ashland Tidings today editorially requested that County Judge Fehl and Sheriff Gordon L. Schermerhorn, both arrested in the ballot-theft case, and at liberty on \$8000 bonds, "temporarily resign to restore peace."

An early trial for all arrested in the case was also urged.

There was a persistent, but unconfirmed report, that Sheriff Schermerhorn would withdraw from the office, "turning it over to an appointee of the governor, until the pending case was settled." It was also reported that the surety company providing bonds for the sheriff in the sum of \$40,000, was considering action.

Late yesterday it was announced John Glenn of Ashland, named county jailer last January had withdrawn, and that Clark Thomas, deputy jailer, was temporarily filling the post. Glenn, among the first to be detained in the ballot theft investigation, was released on \$5000 bonds. Glenn was reported as ill. The last grand jury recommended that the post of deputy jailer be discontinued, as no provision for it was made in the budget.

Semi-official confirmation of the report that federal operatives have been in the city and valley for the past five weeks was made today. There was no confirmation of the report that dictaphones had been installed in this city several times during the past month. The authorities admitted that they had in their possession an incriminating letter written to a woman upstate, who turned it over to the local officers.

Banks Gunman Held.  
No additional arrests were made today in the ballot thefts, and at least one, and maybe more men, wanted, have disappeared from their accustomed haunts.

The police are detaining in the city jail a man whose name they refuse to divulge. He came here from California early in January, and has been active in local agitation ever since. He posed as a "Banks bodyguard."

Police claim he has been a steady patron at the county commissary. The authorities report that several transients, who have been living here the past six weeks, have departed the past two days.

# FRISBIE, MOBLEY WIN WILD BOUTS ON ARMORY MAT

## Local Grappler Slams Ryan Into Coma—Mobley Given Foul Tactics Employed

Wrestling came back to the Armory ring last night with a bang, a double main event, in the opening half of which Ray Frisbie, 205, Medford, won from Tommy Ryan, 180, with a disabling body slam in 24 minutes, and Rex Mobley was given the match with Thor Jensen on a foul, after each had taken a fall, providing the grappling-starved fans with plenty of their favorite dish.

In the opening fracas Frisbie showed great improvement since his last appearance here, though he found his smaller opponent a difficult nut to crack. Ryan has had a world of experience, is speedy and hard to tie up. Frisbie, however, has perfected a body slam which, once administered, would bring oblivion to an ox. He hauls an opponent over his shoulders and dumps him on the back of the head with stunning force. Ryan substituted for Glen Stone, who failed to show up and was barred by the boxing commission from ever appearing in a Medford ring.

Second Match Hectic.  
The Jensen-Mobley match provided the fireworks of the evening with the fiery Swede using unorthodox tactics from the start. His pet method of aggravating Mobley into leaving an opening was to stamp on his toes.

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Mobley wrestled clean throughout and won a following by his clever work. Mobley took the first fall with a series of rolling headlocks, in 17 minutes, while the Swedish lad used a body slam to good effect to take the second fall in 12 minutes.

With the resumption of hostilities the match grew rougher and wilder. Jensen missing Sonnenbergs and plunging about the ring like an excited baboon.

Roll Into Audience.  
The pair finally came to grips and rolled off the platform into the ring-side seats, where they continued to bite and gouge, while the fans gathered about them. They were finally separated by Referee Leo Weiss and returned to the ring, where Jensen launched an attack with his knees to Mobley's midriff, finally doubling him helpless in pain on the mat, from where Weiss raised his hand in token of a win by foul.

According to Promoter Mack Lillard, another mat could be staged here in two weeks, with the probability of Yaquie Joe meeting Mobley or some other good man, and a couple of others in a supporting match. Mack hopes to get "Logger" Heibert, who has been keeping the fans on their feet in Portland, into a ring here soon, and if patronage warrants will continue the mat through the balance of the winter and spring.

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