



BEAVERS, TROJANS CLASH TONIGHT IN DECIDING CONTEST

Guttero Is Man For Oregon State To Watch—Palmberg Gave O. S. C. Victory Margin In Opening Game

CORVALLIS, Ore., March 11.—(AP)—The heavy bombardment basketball artillery of University of Southern California and Oregon State college clash here tonight in the deciding coast conference championship game. Two nights of heavy fighting saw Oregon State emerge with a 38 to 35 victory and then Southern California evaded the campaign with a 36 to 31 triumph Saturday night. Oregon State not only will be fighting tonight for its second coast championship, but will battle to maintain the recent superiority northern division teams have enjoyed over conference teams of the southern division.

North Holds Edge
The past four seasons northern division teams have won three, California being the only southern team to break in by taking the coast championship in 1932. University of Washington won in 1931, Oregon State in 1933 and Washington again last year.

The all-time record is eight to four in favor of the southern division, with University of California the winner of six, half the total play-offs of the past. Lee Guttero, phenomenal Trojan center who has scored 32 points in the two current playoff games, is the player Oregon State must slow down or outscore. And Guttero's cohorts, all six footers or better, have been hitting the hoop regularly, particularly Jack Hupp.

Palmberg Given Edge
Oregon State's victory in the first game rode on the 15 points scored by Lefty Palmberg, just as rubber-legged and versatile as Guttero, although not so consistent, for he scored only four points the second game.

Another scoring hope for the Beavers is Captain George Hibbard, only veteran of Oregon State's 1934 coast champions. A steady scorer and passer, Hibbard is considerably behind Guttero for series scoring but only two behind him in field goals.

FRIDAY DEADLINE FOR HOG-CORN CONTRACTS

Next Friday, March 15, is final day for signing of 1935 hog-corn contracts and to date 84 of the 104 holders of last year's hog-corn contracts have resigned. County Agent Fowler reported today. This is much better than he expected, the county agent said. The 1935 contracts have been simplified, according to the county agent. It is expected that before the final day, all the old hog-corn contracts will be renewed.

Beaver Scoring Threat



A sparkling performer in nearly every game this year, Wally Palmberg, sensational left-handed forward scoring ace, will see plenty of action for Oregon State against Southern California in the Pacific coast conference basketball playoff at Corvallis March 8, 9 and 11. Playing his first season as a regular, Palmberg scored 113 points in 16 games to tie for third among northern division scorers.

BATES HIGH GUN IN SUNDAY TRAP SHOOT SCORING

At the Medford Gun club traps Sunday morning Will Bates was high with a score of 49 out of 50 targets shot at, while Geo. Porter, H. Croissant and Dr. Low each broke 46 for second place. In the Oregonian telegraphic tournament the club's team score was 72 out of 78 which will likely lower the club's standing considerably. There are four more Sundays to shoot in this tournament and the local shooters hope to make a better showing than they have thus far.

At the skeet traps Geo. Jantzer and T. E. Daniels tied for high score, each breaking 22 out of their 25. The skeet ladder tournament is attracting many shooters and each Sunday witnesses several challenge matches. The five shooters at the top of the ladder at this time are Geo. Jantzer, Ron DeVore, Jim Moore, H. Croissant, and Sam Jennings.

Scores at 50 targets:

Bill Bates	49	Total	25
Geo. Porter	46		40
H. Croissant	46		46
Dr. Low	46		46
Geo. Jantzer	22		46
T. E. Daniels	22		46
Dr. Durno	21		43
Chas. Woods	21		42
Dr. Lagason	20		42
Roland Hubbard	20		42
R. B. Miller	19		42
S. G. Mendenhall	21		41
Jack Porter	16		37
M. H. Palmer	15		37
Clarence Esda	24		34
Ed Lampert	24		34
Ed Newton	24		34
Sam Jennings	23		33

WIN OVER HAMAS GIVES SCHMELING BOUT WITH CHAMP

Heavyweight Fight "Absolutely Set" For New York In June—German Impressive In Stopping Hamas.

HAMBURG, March 11.—(AP)—A Max Baer-Max Schmeling heavyweight fight for New York in June is "absolutely set," Joe Jacobs, the German's manager, told the Associated Press after conversations with Col. John Reed Kilpatrick, president of Madison Square Garden, and James J. Johnston, his matchmaker. "I agreed to terms for Schmeling," Jacobs said, "and Baer's terms already were set in his original contract with the Garden. "It will be a great fight. Schmeling will win by a knockout sure. He's better than ever before."

HAMBURG, March 11.—(AP)—The answer to Max Baer's prayer for an adequate heavyweight challenger in June may be Max Schmeling, now in the midst of a comeback as stirring as any in the annals of the division. The terrific beating Schmeling handed young Steve Hamas before a howling crowd of 25,000 yesterday sent the Teuton's stock sky-high and apparently gave him the inside track for a title match with Baer this summer.

Looking more like the Schmeling of the days when he punched his way to the world's championship, the German cut down Hamas in nine rounds and gave the New Jersey star so unmerciful a lacing that the crowd was waiting for a halt as early as the seventh round. German Aggressor

Carrying the fight to the bewildered Hamas from the start, crowding him constantly, jolting him with the short, deadly rights that comprise his chief stock in trade, Schmeling had the young American staggering from the second round on, flooring him three times for counts of nine in the sixth, and dealt out a brutal body bombardment that finally forced the referee to stop the bout after a minute and 20 seconds of the ninth and award the victory to Schmeling on a technical knockout. The bout was to have gone 12 rounds.

Although Hamas declined to offer any alibi, saying simply "I ran into a better man," his manager, Charley Harvey, declared Steve had sprained a ligament in his left arm a week ago and still was suffering from the effects of the injury. A German physician said he had treated the American for five days.

EXERTION IN SOCCER GAME BRINGS DEATH
PORTLAND, March 11.—(AP)—Exhausted from strenuous exertion in a soccer game here Sunday, Gus Moessner, 38, was taken from the game and helped to the clubhouse. He lay down and in a few moments it was discovered he was dead. The coroner took charge of the body.

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Total	942 848 897 2683
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Handicap	89 89 89-267
Total	767 793 904 2464

Schmeling's mastery performance. The Jersey man ran into a body barrage midway through the first round, a pair of stinging rights stunned him in the second round and through the next three he took a terrific lacing.

The slaughter in the sixth round was brutal. The round had barely opened when Schmeling's right crashed home and Hamas went down for the count of nine. Twice more the Jerseyman went down, each time taking a nine count, and only the bell saved him.

The American staggered out wearily for the seventh but was so obviously unable to cope with Schmeling's smashing attack that the crowd yelled for the referee to stop it. Between the seventh and eighth rounds, the referee pleaded with Hamas to quit but he flatly declined and the punishment went on. Finally in the ninth the referee finally stepped in and halted the uneven battle with Hamas draped against the ropes.

Real tornadoes were comparatively few and far between during 1934, says the weather bureau's annual tornado summary.

Farmers say fields which are visited frequently by sparrow hawks are always free of mice and other small predatory animals.

ASHLAND TO FACE BENSON IN FIRST DAY OF TOURNEY

By the Associated Press. Eleven high school basketball teams had today surmounted every obstacle that had stood against them in their march to the state basketball tournament at Willamette university in Salem this month.

Other teams remain to be selected and all elimination tournaments will be completed this week. The Salem tournament will be played March 20, 21, 22 and 23.

Aspen high, defending champion, had a lot of fun in its play-off, trouncing St. Helens 41 to 11 to return to Salem again this year. At Hood River, the quietest from The Dalles high won the district 2 playoff by defeating Pendleton 37 to 24.

McMinnville won the district 6 playoff by a 29 to 17 victory over Tillamook. At Union, La Grande and Baker will meet in the finals tonight. On Saturday Baker took Nyssa 42 to 17 and LaGrande won from Union 45 to 21.

Klamath Falls high won from Bend 29 to 25 to top the right to represent district 3 in the Salem tourney. Gardiner, a school with but 14 boys crushed Sams Valley high 63 to 18 in the Ashland tournament and thus won the right to attend the Salem class "A" meet.

At Albany, Oakridge beat Coburg 29 to 5 in the finals, and at Roseburg, Marshfield defeated Myrtle Point 26 to 11 for the Douglas-Cooe county title and a ticket to Salem.

Other tournament winners are Corvallis, Ashland, Salem, and Benson Tech of Portland. Others are to be determined. Tentative plans for the first day of the Salem tournament call for this schedule: Salem vs. Baker or La Grande. Marshfield vs. Columbia (Portland)

Preps or Clackamas county winner. Benson Tech vs. Ashland. Lincoln or Jefferson (both of Portland) vs. Eastern Oregon B school. Astoria vs. Northwestern Oregon B school. Corvallis vs. Klamath Falls. The Dalles vs. McMinnville. Gardiner vs. Oakridge.

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