

Lean Years Hit Oregon Hoop Teams

Small Men and Situation of Battling Own System of Play Has Cut Into the Webfoots' One Time Sensational Success; Nelson Sends Greetings to Dunn

By JOE PIGNEY

Starvation years have emaciated the University of Oregon basketball team...

The only team to really stop the Webfoot hoopsters in 1925 and 1927 was California...

Reinhart had magnificent players in those years—players greater than any individual player since...

The Webfoot basketball supremacy began to decay in 1925 when Westergren, Okerberg and Gunther were graduated.

It was just about that time, however, Reinhart was forced to fight his own system for victory. His overpowering speed of his fast-breaking, short-passing, underhillman, sniping style of play...

In place of the tall, slender Okerberg and his high scoring, in place of the phantom Westergren, the accurately shooting Gunther and Hobson, and the stalwart checking of Jost, Reinhart had to mould his team from the smallest men on the Pacific coast.

It was impossible these mid-gets—Bill Keenan, Kermit Stevens, Cliff Horner, Windsor Calkins, Henry Levoff and more—could keep up the Oregon march to victory.

So now Oregon is suffering a lean basketball era. Defeat follows defeat, and the only team which still has leaner men than normally baffled with the Webfoot system of offense is Oregon State.

Reinhart has not been handicapped by the absence of players. His time has been taken away from the court with his work as a backfield coach and basketball coach.

If there is any sort of financial privileges accompanying athletic ability at the University of Oregon—it can be safely assumed that that is none of it, or very little of it at the most, goes to men on the basketball team.

This friendly tiff over rabbit hunting has departed from the realm of sport and entered into the garrulous activities of politics.

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Sportsmen Hit Tule Game Refuge Extension

RESOLUTION TO BE DISPATCHED TO S. F. MEET

At a joint meeting of the Klamath Sportsmen's association and Modoc chapter of the Isak Walton league, held Saturday evening...

The resolution, which will be presented by Fensler at the Western States Game Commissioners' meeting in San Francisco Tuesday...

The resolution is signed by organizations of Siskiyou and Modoc counties of Northern California, and claims that the farmers in that district provide 100 per cent of the feed for the birds...

H. M. Worcester, federal game protector, read a report on the number of crippled birds reclaimed since the close of the hunting season. He said that over 500 pintail ducks, crippled by hunters...

WALTONIANS MEET TUESDAY

Modoc chapter of the Isak Walton league will meet in regular session Tuesday night. At this session Dr. C. V. Rugh has agreed to project the moving pictures taken during a recent trip down the Rogue river in boats.

Regular business will be transacted, and a review given of the proceedings of the special joint meeting of the Klamath Sportsmen's association and Modoc chapter on Saturday evening.

KLAMATH TRIUMPHS OVER BEND QUINTET

The Pelicans galloped off with their first major basketball series Saturday night by making it two straight over the Bend Lava Bears at Bend. Dwight French's team won the second game of the week-end, 22 to 20.

The fast-moving Pelicans went into the lead in the first half and at the rest period were in front 18 to 9. A strong offensive spurt by the Bears in the second period kept the Pelican score down to four points and added 11 to Bend's.

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JOE LAPONICK, CLEVELAND IS ONE OF THE TALLEST MEN IN PRO BASKETBALL—HE STANDS 6 FT.-4 IN. GIBERT REICHER, CLEVELAND AMATEUR WHO PLAYS WITH THE ST. BENEDICTS STANDS 7 FT.-5 IN.

Klamath's Sixth Annual Ski Carnival Set for February 21

FORT KLAMATH, Jan. 11.—(Special)—Klamath's sixth annual winter sports carnival will be on Sunday, February 21, it was definitely announced today by the Crater Lake Ski club...

Promising to surpass all of the previous winter sports carnivals sponsored by them, the club directors and committees in charge of this year's show are...

England requires every person 14 years of age or older to keep at least one dog. There are between 50,000,000 and 60,000,000 dogs in the nation.

Race Cut 10 Miles

The 42-mile Crater Lake and return ski race will be cut this year to 32 miles, starting and finishing at the winter play grounds, five miles above Fort Klamath.

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3 TEAMS WIN, LOSE 1 EACH IN WEEK-END

SEATTLE, Jan. 11. (AP)—With Oregon State, Oregon, Idaho and Washington each winning one game and losing another in the first four contests of the season Friday and Saturday night, a close battle was promised for the 1932 Northern Division Pacific coast conference basketball championship.

The fifth school of the conference was to swing into action tonight when Washington State college entertains the Oregon Webfoots at Pullman. A second game will be played tomorrow night by the same teams.

Idaho got the jump on Oregon at Moscow, Idaho, Friday, winning the battle 21 to 26 but the second tilt 29 to 33 Saturday.

The four games left the teams tied with one victory and one defeat apiece and gave either Oregon or Washington State a chance to step out in front tonight and tomorrow night.

Other contests on the program this week will see Washington playing Washington State at Pullman Friday and Saturday and Idaho meeting Oregon State at Corvallis on the same nights.

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OWEN FIGHTERS PREPARED FOR INITIAL CARD

Herb Owen, promoter for the Klamath Falls boxing commission, will set out on his job as matchmaker here Monday night at the Legion hall, 8:30 o'clock.

A new set of fighters and reduced admission prices will introduce the most recently appointed athletic regime to the fight fans of this city.

Thirty rounds of fighting, divided into three six-round bouts and three four-round bouts, will start off Owen's plans which include either a boxing program or a wrestling club every Monday night.

The men showing here from Portland will be Teddy Fox, Frankie Monroe's opponent in the feature six-round fight; Young Dr. Snell, who will fight Buddy Ambrose of Portland; Johnny Garbie, Johnny Jackson's rival, and Louis Nelson, young man who is confident of trimming Butch Johnson, Chiloquin Indian.

Two other fighters will put in their first appearances at the Legion hall when Chief Thomas, Coquille, strides out of his corner to fight Pete Becker, Colorado, in a six-round bout.

Owen declared that all his second game will be played tomorrow night by the same teams. Oregon State showed a lot of power in defeating Washington, defending champions, 26 to 24 in overtime here Friday night.

The Huskies came back Saturday to nose out a 10-27 victory and even the series. Idaho got the jump on Oregon at Moscow, Idaho, Friday, winning the battle 21 to 26 but the second tilt 29 to 33 Saturday.

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SILENT SCOT LEADS L. A. GOLF TOURNEY

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 11. (AP)—A steady, silent Scot, Macdonald Smith, who took no chances and gave neither his opponents nor par any quarter, was five strokes ahead of both today as the seventh Los Angeles \$7,500 open golf tourney swung into the final play of 36 holes.

The veteran master from Carnoustie put two par plundering rounds behind as he faced the last hole of both today and the last of his course, bent on taking into himself his third Los Angeles open championship and the attendant \$2,000 first prize money.

He started out to lead Saturday with a 68, and then to prove there was nothing unusual about this, shot a 63 yesterday for 137. Four tried and proven and a newcomer in the ranks of the leaders were five strokes behind the New Yorker as they turned the halfway mark.

Walter Hagen, making one of the best showings he ever displayed in the big western money tournaments, had two fine par-equaling rounds of 71 for his 142; Leo Diegel, the Agua Caliente, Mexico, pro, appeared to be warming up to the kind of game he hopes to play on his own course later in the week, when the \$15,000 open in Baja California starts, also had par matched on successive days for a 142.

Jackrabbits, forty of them, provided the main course for Sunday dinner at Hooverville, according to Police Chief Guy Merrill who delivered the rabbits and 20 loaves of bread to the "jungle" Saturday night.

Mayor Mike of Hooverville has promised the "gang" rabbit dinners every Sunday from now on—until the rabbit supply is exhausted.

HUGE RESERVOIR To safeguard Melbourne, Australia, against water shortage in dry seasons, a reservoir has been constructed that next year will have a capacity of 8,800,000,000 gallons.

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Coast League To Meet at Oakland

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 11. (AP)—Call for a meeting of directors of the Pacific Coast Baseball League, to be held in Oakland January 18 was issued here today by H. L. Baggerly, president of the league.

The principal business to be discussed at the session will be adoption of the 1932 schedule, he said. A proposal to split weekly schedules will be considered, he stated.

A mathematical formula to enable scientists to determine just how much vitamin B a person needs to improve his system has been reported to the National Academy of Sciences by Prof. George H. Cowgill of Yale University.



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