

Pelicans Face Freshmen Invasion Tonight

Setter Top Dog in America

Kennel Club Shows Prove Breed Is Closest To Perfection.

Shows held in 1935 show that sporting dogs are the nearest to perfection of all the more than 100 breeds bred by Americans.

Actually, the gloriously beautiful English setter leads all lists as the closest to perfection. Irish setters and pointers tied with several other breeds for third place, back of wire fox terriers, with cocker spaniels fourth.

In each licensed American Kennel Club show—other shows don't mean much—provision is made for best of breed. Breeds are divided into a half dozen groups, such as bird dog, hound, working dog, terrier, etc. Best of breed winners then compete for best in group, and best in group for best in show.

So it follows that the breed able to win best in show the greatest number of times most nearly represents the ideal of American breeders to breed perfect dogs.

The English setter captured best in the dog, or bird dog group no less than 58 times and went on to bag best in show awards 39 times. Wire fox terriers were best in group on 72 occasions, but best in show only 23 times. Pointers, Irish setters, and Scottish terriers captured the best in show award 14 times each, while cocker spaniels got the coveted award 13 times.

A significant feature of this is that best in show awards did not average in favor of the larger breeds numerically speaking. English setters are as popular as Boston terriers, which lead all lists, cocker spaniels which are second, or wire fox terriers which are third.

There were 73 English setters registered with the American Kennel Club in December, as against 860 Boston terriers, 570 wire fox terriers, and 868 cocker spaniels.

That pointers and setters should rank so high in the minds of expert dog men is interesting from another angle. A number of years ago a group of dog men, who considered that bench shows for sporting dogs were preposterous and who objected to seeing a grand field dog beaten because of some minor fault, organized the Field Dog Stud Book.

The aims of this club were to sponsor purebred gun dogs but to breed, not for perfection of body but for nose. Members of this club have bred a race of hard, stringy dogs able to stand up to the terrific pressure of the field trial circuit. The recent death of the brilliant Tomahawk, due to heart trouble, is evidence of this strain.

Whether the field dog representatives are superior in nose is something of a debatable question. Whether the field trial dogs actually are superior in stamina also is a question.

If the experience of spaniel breeders is any criterion, the nose is and always has been "in the blood." Dogs, the ancestors of which have been in bench competition for as many as five generations, are winning field trials today. Experience has taught that most field trial winners are dogs closely confronting to bench show standards.

This fact again brings up the unusualness of the supremacy of the English setter on the bench. For though American cocker spaniels admittedly are the greatest in the world and though springer and cocker bench champions are winning field trials, they apparently still are under the English setter in bench show perfection.

OREGON FROSH TEAM STRONG

Yearlings Beat Medford; Klamath Scores Win Over Lakeview

Victorious Friday night against Medford high school, the Oregon Freshmen will swing over to Klamath Falls tonight to meet the Pelicans in one of the major contests of the season.

The game will get underway at the high school gymnasium at 8:15. The late starting time was designed to permit the attendance of business people employed late Saturday night.

A preliminary between two grade school teams will start at 8 o'clock.

The rangy combination from the university upset the Medford Tigers, 42 to 20. The Frosh gained a substantial lead in the middle of the first quarter and played a fast game throughout.

Bob Smith and Laddie Gale were the stars for the winner. Smith was high with 10 points.

While the Frosh were defeating the Tigers, Klamath scored a win over the Lakeview Honkers.

LAKEVIEW, Feb. 15. (Special)—Klamath Falls' Pelicans trampled over the Lakeview Honkers, 37 to 16, Friday and so kept clear their east-mountain victory record in which they find some consolation for their goose-egg standing in games against Rogue River valley teams.

Klamath's victory tonight was a comparatively easy one, and from the Pelican point of view the tilt appeared little more than a warm-up for tomorrow night's contest with the Oregon Frosh at Klamath Falls.

Lakeview made its first and last stand in a slow first half. The Honkers managed to hold Klamath to a two-point 13-11 lead at mid-game.

Thereafter the Klamath quietude made hay, with the whole Pelican squad getting a chance to pitch at the Honker basket. Expert passing and some sensational play by Reginato and Giovanni, the latter of whom tallied 17 points single-handed, were principally responsible for the Klamath victory. Reginato was banned in the last quarter for too many personal fouls.

Bussey, with six points, was Lakeview's individual scoring star.

Former Cougar Gridder Kayoed

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., Feb. 15. (UP)—Joe Bauer, Cleveland heavyweight, packed a wallop in his western ring debut when he stopped Frank Wallula, former gridiron athlete at Washington State college, in the sixth round.

The Ohio fighter punished Wallula with a blistering body attack from the start, and floored him four times in the fourth round with blows to the mid-section.

In the next round the ex-football player took a six count. When he went down again in the sixth, Bauer's hand was raised. Wallula weighed 196 pounds and the winner 187, when they stepped into the Legion stadium ring last night.

The fight was a close one, with Bauer's hand raised in the sixth round.

Twelve Arrested For Stealing Coal From Train Yard

CRESTON, Iowa, Feb. 15. (UP)—Twelve men were held and other arrests anticipated Friday after 100 men raided Burlington railroad coal supplies for fuel to keep their families warm.

Receptacles of all kinds—hand sleds, toy wagons, tubs and sacks—were brought to cart away the coal, officers said. Homes of six of the men were entirely without fuel because of Iowa's coal shortage, it was found.

The raid, which occurred last night, was "planned in advance," C. C. Palmer, Burlington special agent, said. "That is proved by the number of men that 'ganged up' in the raid."

The wire fence about the Burlington coal yard was cut, police said. An estimated 15 tons was stolen.

Nine of those held were WPA workers, one a national youth administration worker, and one was on relief.

The premier's wife, Rachele, was at Mrs. Mussolini's bedside. The funeral will be held Sunday. Di Duce is not expected to attend.

Germany, America Form Plane Treaty

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15. (UP)—Representatives of the American and German governments Friday concluded an agreement for reciprocal use of government air fields in a transatlantic air service between Germany and the United States.

So minute are tobacco seeds that a thoughtful man will furnish enough plants for an acre of ground.

Wildcat of Wrestling



George Wilson, nationally famous as a football player at the University of Washington, will come back to Klamath Falls next Tuesday night to meet Ken Hollis, Arkansas, in the main event match at the armory.

Wisconsin Plans Dismissal of Both Spears, Meanwell

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 15. (AP)—Overriding the sentiment of the faculty board, University of Wisconsin regents voted 10 to 2 today to oust Athletic Director Walter E. Meanwell and Head Football Coach Clarence W. Spears, effective next July 1.

A formal recommendation, reported by the Milwaukee Sentinel to be the dismissal of the University of Wisconsin athletic department's two doctors, was ready for delivery today to the board of regents by its five-man committee which investigated cardinal athletic troubles first aired last December.

Two Support Spears
The Sentinel said it had learned that Dr. Clarence W. Spears, football coach, and Dr. Walter E. Meanwell, athletic director, would be asked to leave not later than the end of the college year.

Indications of the action, the Sentinel said, were given in unofficial polls of sentiment, which showed only two regents favoring retention of Spears, and that none favored keeping Meanwell.

Strife Between Meanwell and Spears
Strife between Meanwell and Spears burst forth last December when John Golemski, football captain-elect, said Meanwell had promised him jobs and other favors if he would ask squad members to petition for Spears' removal.

In its inquiry the regents' committee learned, from admissions of Spears and Meanwell: That Meanwell gave liquor to two players after a game last season.

The Patents Office in London has recorded approximately 150 different systems of traffic lights.

In Lake Hopalong, San Salvador, a volcanic crater roared above the surface in a single night.

Coast Star Signs With Yankees



After refusing two contracts proffered by the New York Yankees, Joe DiMaggio, San Francisco outfielder, now is definitely on the roster. He signed the third contract, said to call for \$8000 salary. Only 21, DiMaggio has been playing in the Coast League four seasons. In 1934 the Yanks gave \$25,000 and four players for his services.

HUSKIES DRIVE TOWARD TITLE

Washington Wins From Vandals, Beavers Whip W.S.C.

By The Associated Press
Washington continues its unobstructed race for the northern division Pacific coast baseball title while Stanford, Southern California and California argue over southern division honors.

They have not been stopped yet, and the University of Washington Huskies were favored to win their tenth straight northern division coast conference victory tonight in a return contest with Idaho.

Beaver Chances Slim
At Corvallis tonight Oregon State will eling to its slim mathematical chance for pennant honors in a game with Washington State.

Washington defeated Idaho, 50 to 20 last night, while Oregon State measured Washington State, 33 to 25.

The Huskies received their biggest scare of the season during the first half with Idaho. The Vandals led, 23 to 22 until seconds before the half time gun when Lovelich counted to put Washington ahead, 24 to 23.

Free Throws Decide
In ten minutes of the second half the Huskies, discarding individual efforts for teamwork, ran the score to 42 to 25, holding Idaho to but one basket.

Wagner with 16 and Lovelich, with 14, led U. W. scorers. Geraghty, Ida., had 11.

Ability to convert foul shots gave Oregon State its game over Washington State.

Northern Division

Washington.....W. L. Pct.
O. S. C.....3 4 .436
W. S. C.....3 5 .375
Oregon.....3 5 .375
Idaho.....1 9 .100

Southern Division

Stanford.....6 3 .667
U. S. C.....6 3 .667
California.....5 4 .556
U. C. L. A.....1 8 .111

CORVALLIS, Feb. 15. (AP)—Oregon State college reaped 15 points from gift lane for the margin of a 33 to 26 win over Washington State college last night.

The teams play here again tonight. Oregon State still has an almost impenetrable chance to win the northern division championship, but Washington State's hopes faded entirely with its fifth defeat.

Wally Palmberg, loose-jointed left hander, picked up 11 points for the Beavers to remain slightly above the per game average of Bobby Galer who set a new high scoring mark last season.

Oregon State methodically gained a 17 to 12 halftime lead and then extended it at the start of the second half before the Cougars narrowed the gap.

The game was somewhat ragged. Of the 34 personals, 22 were on the Cougars.

The Cougars matched goal for goal with Oregon State, but gained only nine points from free throws.

Lineups:
Wash. St. 26.....33 Ore. St.
Holstine 1.....F 11 Palmberg
S. Carlson 6.....F 9 Tuttle
Nelson.....C 5 Conkling
Dahlke 4.....G 6 Bergstrom
Hooger 4.....G 2 Foley
Johnson 3.....G Lyman
Kellstrom 4.....G
Dannas 4.....G
C. Carlson.....G

Seattle Hawks Hold Top Spot

CALGARY, Feb. 15. (AP)—Seattle's speeding Seahawks held the top spot in the tightening northwestern hockey league race today, a full game ahead of the Vancouver Lions, after taking a fast 5-3 verdict from the faltering Calgary Tigers here last night.

The Tigers, striving to pull out of the cellar position, rattled in two goals for one in the opening session, but they didn't count on the Sammy McAdam-Harold Tabor combination, which accounted for three of Seattle's five goals.

McAdam was responsible for three Hawk tallies, two with the assistance of Tabor and another on a lone effort. Tabor marked up one on a pass from the Seattle center.

The U. S. Bureau of Standards has a machine for testing anchor chains that will exert a pull of 2,300,000 pounds.

Mustard gas is not affected by being buried in earth, so digging in a saturated area is dangerous.

ATTENTION RESERVE OFFICERS

You are invited to attend dinner at CCG Camp 16, 2:00 p. m., February 16, courtesy officers in charge. Credits allowed for trip.

H. R. BRYANT,
Secretary, Klamath Chapter, R.O.A.

SOUTHERN CAL. Defeats UCLA

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 15. (UP)—University of Southern California chalked up its third successive victory over University of California at Los Angeles Friday by a 36-32 margin.

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Wilson's Aggressive Style Feature of Main Event

The same hard, aggressive type of performance that made him an all-American fullback will be unleashed in the Klamath armory next Tuesday night when George Wilson, charging athlete from the state of Washington, meets Ken Hollis, the season's ruling ruffian.

Having his attack on the flying tackle, Wilson has been a spectacular grappler for nearly ten years. He is classed high in the ranks of the outstanding heavyweights, and still is an often-mentioned contender for the championship.

The former line crasher will be the favorite to capture honors in the one-hour main event. That a lively match is in the making is assured by Hollis' determination to win by fair means or foul—probably foul, if he continues along the line of his previous appearances here.

This will be Wilson's first showing here since his return to America from a tour of Europe.

Ted Christy, sought by Mack Lillard for several weeks, will make his debut in the semi-wind-up against Duke Pettygrove of New Orleans. Christy is reckoned as an extremely rough grappler and is under a 30-day suspension in the south.

Considerable interest was associated with the return of Frankie Peck, who has been wrestling in southern California since leaving Klamath Falls.

Peck has been signed to meet Wayne Long of Kansas in the opening one-hour event.

Basketball

Klamath Falls 37, Lakeview 16.
Malin 26, Merrill 7.
Malin 17, Merrill 6.
Klamath Freshmen 26, Dorris 12.
Klamath Wildcats 24, Dorris 23.

Oregon State 33, Washington State 26.
Washington 50, Idaho 30.
California 63, Stanford 30.
Southern California 36, UCLA 32.

Whitman 44, Willamette 37.
Oregon Frosh 42, Medford 20.
Oregon Normal 37, Southern Oregon Normal 32.

Malin Townies Score Victory Over Tulelake

Malin Townies defeated the Tulelake Townies Wednesday night in Malin 31 to 27. Malin scored first and never lost the lead throughout the game.

Summary:
Malin 31.....27 Tulelake
Wilke 4.....F 4 Albertson
Thomas 8.....F 4 Poole
Rajhus 8.....C 4 Gee
Konyon.....G 4 Buck
Kallina 6.....G 1 McComb
Johnson 1.....S Burke
Stastny 2.....S 6 McCulloch
Haley 2.....S 2 Nickson
S.....S 2 Fletcher

Monmouth Wolves Beat Elephants

ASHLAND, Feb. 15. (AP)—The Oregon Normal Wolves returned home today with three out of four games in their sizzling series with the Southern Oregon Normal basketball team.

The Wolves won 37 to 32 last night, but only by coming from behind in the second half. The Sons won the night before 34 to 32.

In last night's game Monmouth rallied for five points after the score was tied at 32-32 late in the game.

Lineups:
Monmouth 37.....32 Sons
O'Connell 9.....F 9 Walton
Ralkko 5.....F 5 Leavens
Butworth 12.....C 12 Hardy
Borden 2.....G 1 Winkle
Osborne 5.....G 1 Scroggins
Bothwell 2.....S 4 Schopf
Hastings 2.....S Reeder

Merrill Swamped by Strong Malin Team

MERRILL, Feb. 15.—Malin defeated Merrill here Friday, 25 to 7, in the annual "big game" of the southern basketball season.

Merrill scored two baskets in the first minutes of play, and thereafter it was all Malin's game. Score at the half stood 12 to 4 in the Mustangs' favor.

Spectators were amazed by the margin of Malin's victory, as earlier games had indicated the two quintets to be closely matched. Absence of May and Haskins, regular center and forward, from Brookman's team, partially explained Merrill's poor showing.

In a low-scoring preliminary, Malin's B team edged out a 7-6 win over the Merrill second stringers. The game was close from start to finish, with the lead alternating frequently.

Southern Cal. Defeats UCLA

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 15. (UP)—University of Southern California chalked up its third successive victory over University of California at Los Angeles Friday by a 36-32 margin.

The United States has nearly as much invested in the city of Shanghai as it has in the whole of Japan—\$355,000,000 and \$500,000,000 respectively.

GUN CLUB SHOOT Klamath Gun Club

Sunday, Feb. 16 at 11 a. m.
VISITORS WELCOME

Portland Downs Mt. Angel Five

PORTLAND, Feb. 15. (AP)—The University of Portland basketball team today gained revenge with a 47 to 32 win over Mt. Angel college in a fast, rough game here last night.

Vengelien, pilot forward, was high scorer with 14 points. Saalfeld was high for the Angels with eight.

Coast Teams Will Play in Tourney

PULLMAN, Feb. 15. (UP)—Northern and southern division winners in the Pacific Coast conference basketball race had assurance today of qualification for a four-team tournament to select the west's entry in the American Olympic team tryouts in New York, April 3-6.

Dr. J. F. Rohrer, chairman of the northwest district, said the northern and southern winner, and an additional team from each section to be decided by tournaments, will compete late in March for the New York chance. Non-conference teams also will be eligible for the second place from each section.

Rohrer said the coast tournament probably will be held in Seattle.

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