

# Oregon Cagers Three Up In Coast Basket Chase

**Oregonians Drop Washington State Cougars for Third Conference Win**

Oregon's dark horse basketball entry was three laps out in front in the Coast conference northern division basketball race today—and going strong.

The Eugene quintet, on the severe road test across the mountains that has wrecked many a title hope, defeated the favored Washington State Cougars last night, 40 to 36, for its third straight conference win. The teams meet again tonight, Oregon defeated Idaho twice to open the conference race earlier this week.

Meanwhile, two favorites who haven't had a chance to get away from the starting gate yet—Oregon State and Washington—each chalked up their tenth victories in 11 starts against nonconference opposition.

Oregon State looked like a team worthy of defending its championship in routing the strong Vancouver Ramblers 53-39 at Corvallis while Washington looked second-rate in squeezing past an alumni quintet 32-29.

Coach Hec Edmundson ordered drills Saturday and Sunday for his Washington Huskies in preparation for the opening series against OSC at Corvallis Tuesday and Wednesday. Edmundson was dissatisfied sharply with the Huskies' sharp slump from the all-American form they showed in downing the Harlem Globe Trotters two nights previously.

With Forward Cecil leading the way with 16 points, Oregon State snatched the drive of Coach Slat's Gill's great championship team.

The Washington State-Oregon contest was a battle until midway in the second half. With 12 minutes to play, WSC was ahead 28-27, then Oregon spurred to 13 points while the Cougars bagged only two. That was just about the end of the Washington State hopes, which were lowered before the game by the loss of Capt. Owen Hunt with the flu.

Center Bob Sheridan of WSC topped the scoring with 11. Gail Banoop, the usual Cougar scoring ace, got only eight. Roger Wiley, Oregon's sensational freshman center from Bremerton, and Bob Newland set the pace for the Webfoots with 10 apiece.

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War has claimed a lot of former athletes in the Klamath basin. Gale Bradley, formerly a Henley High school gridder and later a tackle on Matty Matthews Portland university squad, applied for duty with the Naval Air Corps. He just made it before the enlistments were closed.

Carol Howe of Henley High school writes us to say that Fred Beymer and Rolfe Cheyne of Henley together with Keith Gentry and Bob Nelson of Lake have volunteered in the Marine Paratroopers according to word received here by their parents. The boys say that the conditioning program in the outfit outdoes any previous training which they have encountered, but that the silver wings and parachute, which they will receive if they are successful, will be well worth their effort. Incidentally the boys hope this may hasten the day when they can bag a few Japs.

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# Globe Trotters Here Monday

THE TROTTERS ALWAYS GET THROUGH!



ABE SAPERSTEIN, MANAGING THE HARLEM GLOBE TROTTERS FOR THE SIXTIETH SEASON, 2,163 WINS, 162 LOSSES, A RECORD NO OTHER TEAM EVER APPROACHED.

# All Stars Named for Trotter Go

Coach Wayne Scott announced Friday the selection of the Klamath All-Stars from the city's best basketball players which will play the Harlem Globe Trotters on the local floor Monday night.

Players on the All-Stars will be Mike Eittrlein, Ernie Bishop, Russ Marshall, Marion Reginald, Jay Mayhew, Phil Blohm, Jess House, Dick Cada, Dick Vaillancour, and Frank Michaelson. Some of these players are former Klamath all-stars and others are selected from current Victory league teams.

Though the Trotters are hard hit by the draft—one of their members was taken by his draft board just as he stepped on the train for their current tour—they will have a well manned team. They will probably play Roosevelt Hudson, Goose Tatum, Al Singleton, Bob Powell, Roscoe Julien, Tony Peyton, Inman Jackson, and Everett Marcell—all prominent in pro basketball.

# BASKETBALL SCORES

**WEST**  
Southern California 41, Stanford 32.  
Wyoming 66, Utah 28.  
Alabama Naval Air Base 54, San Jose State 25.  
**EAST**  
Colorado State 47, Colorado College 35.  
Utah State 43, Brigham Young 28.  
Gonzaga State 32, Colorado Mines 28.  
Santa Clara 48, St. Mary's Pre-Flight 46.  
**SOUTHWEST**  
West Texas State 78, Texas Tech 61.  
Arkansas 2, Rice 26.  
**SOUTH**  
Miami (Ohio) 67, Ohio Wesleyan 63.  
Buffalo 46, Western Reserve 34.  
Ithaca 55, Albion 28.  
Hampden Institute 47, Virginia State 43.  
Massachusetts 60, American International 42.  
Hamilton 66, Stone Hill Depot 15.  
Penn State 35, Carnegie Tech 32.  
**MIDWEST**  
Vanderbilt 59, Georgia 55.  
Washington & Lee 50, Maryland 46.  
Tulane 41, Alabama 28.  
North Carolina 59, VPI 54.  
Florida 55, Tampa 24.  
North Carolina 59, VPI 54.  
**MIDWEST**  
Michigan 28, Wisconsin 21.  
Southwestern 32, Kansas 16, Pittsburgh 36.  
**NORTHWEST**  
Oregon 46, Washington State 36.  
Oregon State 53, Vancouver Ramblers 39.  
Washington 32, Alameda 29.  
Western Washington 51, Central Washington 46.  
Gonzaga 45, Whitman 46.  
Eastern Washington 72, Pacific Lutheran 27.  
WSC Fresh 51, Eastern Washington Junior Varsity 34.  
**HIGH SCHOOL**  
Hood River 22, The Dalles 21.  
Salem 41, Oregon City 27.  
Springfield 38, Cottage Grove 18.  
Beaverton 21, McMinnville 27.  
Eugene 47, Junction City 22.  
St. Mary's 26, University 25 (both Eugene).  
Silverton 46, Molalla 28.  
Conner 28, Washington 25 (both Portland).  
Grant 28, Lincoln 21 (both Portland).  
Jefferson 23, Benson 27 (both Portland).  
Franklin 23, Benson 27 (both Portland).  
La Grande 41, Milton-Freewater 40.  
North Central 45, Central Valley 38 (both Portland).  
Pendleton (Ore.) 31, Walls Walla 38.  
Colfax 31, St. John 34.  
Rainier 28, Vernonia 25.  
Sherwood 26, Tigard 41.  
Scappoose 22, Clatskanie 14.  
Cathy 27, Mount Angel 15.  
Silverton 46, Molalla 28.  
Independence 33, Dallas 17.  
Central Catholic (Portland) 21, Parkrose 17.  
Grants Pass 32, Medford 28.  
Ridgefield 25, Woodland 18.  
Rainier, Ore., Vernonia 23.  
Longview Jr. High 19, Kelso Jr. High 17.

# Joe Peralta Nods Before Bronx Jake

By SID FEDER  
NEW YORK, Jan. 16 (AP)—Proving once again that fight odds-makers are the "craziest people," Joe Peralta is just about eliminated from the laughable lightweight tournament today and California Jackie Wilson is just about ditto from Ray Robinson.

For little or no reason, the charitable betting wise-guys installed Wilson a 1 to 4 favorite in his Madison Square Garden debut against Jake Lamotta last night, and California Jackie, generally regarded as one of the world's three ranking welterweights, obliged by dropping a ten-round decision to Bronx Jake, who made good use of a 16-pound weight edge.

# Wildcats, Frosh Drop Main Hoop Squads Friday

Moving in for their seventh straight win of the season, Frank Ramsey's Wildcat hoopers defeated Malin high school on the Malin floor Friday night 31-15, while the high school freshmen cagemen, traveling with them, dropped the Malin second team for a 33-18 loss.

Tonight the Wildcats meet Bonanza at the local high school gymnasium at approximately 8:00 p. m. and the high school freshmen battle the Bonanza second team in the preliminary.

Tuesday night the Wildcats will play the Chiloquin cage squad at Chiloquin.

# Chief Specialist Bob Feller, Ace Pitcher, Marries

WAUKEGAN, Ill., Jan. 16 (AP)—Chief Specialist Bob Feller, of the navy, former Cleveland pitching ace, and Miss Virginia Winther of Waukegan will be married tonight in the First Methodist church.

Miss Winther accompanied Feller here yesterday from Van Meter, Ia., where they had attended the funeral of Feller's father, William A. Feller, 56.

# Angels Go to Anaheim

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 16 (AP)—The Angels will go to Anaheim, President Clarence Rowland of the Los Angeles Baseball club, announcing the team's spring training site yesterday, said battery-men will report March 29, other players April 1. The season opens April 20.

# EWC Gets Second Win

OLYMPIA, Jan. 16 (AP)—Jack Perrault led Eastern Washington College of Education to its second straight victory over St. Martin's college here Thursday getting 12 points in his team's 42 to 25 victory. The Cheney five led 25-17 at halftime.

# Idaho's American Dog Derby Frozen For War's Duration

ASHTON, Ida., Jan. 16 (AP)—The American dog derby, a feature in this eastern Idaho outdoor sports mecca for years, was "frozen" yesterday for the war's duration.

The race, held annually on Washington's birthday, was that sport's outstanding contest in the intermountain states.

# Wilson Gets Physical

KITTANNING, Pa., Jan. 16 (AP)—The draft board of Jackie Wilson, NBA featherweight champion, disclosed today he would be summoned for physical examination in a few days. Wilson is a resident of Leechburg.

Regular tire inspection will subtract 30,000,000 man-hours from the number available for regular vehicle maintenance.

# Pelican Cagemen Drop Lakeview Honkers 58-37

**Lakeview Constant Threat by Basket Bombardment, Pelican Accuracy Wins**

Though the score doesn't show it, the Pelican cagers' 58-37 victory over the Lakeview honkers last night was a close battle. The Lakeview team by constantly bombarding the basket was an ever present threat to the safety and happiness of the Klamath high school hoopers.

The Honkers kept the air blue with baskets down by the hoop, but their percentage of sinners dropped to less than .100, and though they tried valiantly they couldn't overcome the accuracy of the Pelicans.

Conroy was high point man for the Pelicans with 14 counters to his credit. Bocchi scored him closely with 13. Beroth, who substituted for Weisen, came through with nine tames as Wayne Scott put in his second and third string to even the game.

High point honors for Lakeview were divided evenly between Verling and Price who tallied eight, followed by Greene with six and Ouey with five. Lakeview substituted at will throughout the game.

Lakeview made the first counter of the game and led for one minute of play. Klamath then found its feet and ended the first quarter leading 12-0. ... (The score was 2-11 for the Pelicans, and third period score was 43-23.)

The preliminary game was as good as promised. After a ding-dong battle all the way, the first National Bank hoopers took out a 22-20 win over the Lak Lok team from the Victory League.

On occasion the Tik Tok led the battle, but the superior height and rebound possession of the ball on the backboards gave the first National Bank an advantage which finally won.

During halftime lull, Peebler and Powell entertained the crowd with a weight lifting performance.

Tonight the Pelicans play the Grants pass hoopers a return game at Grants pass. The Cavenmen lost a double header series

**Summaries:**  
Pelicans (58) (37) Lakeview  
Bellotti, 9 ..... 8, Greene  
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Conroy, 14 ..... 2, Armstrong  
Bigger, 1 ..... 5, Utley  
Cox, 2 ..... 2, Flynn  
Young, 5 ..... 8, Price  
Bocchi, 13 ..... 2, Shippen  
Metz ..... 2, Taylor  
Foster, 4 ..... 0, Dollarhide  
Pope, 4 ..... 0, Favell  
Morris, 0 ..... 2, Wilson

# Ball Clubs Exposed to Education

Baseball Clubs Take Spring Work at Colleges, Vacant Golf Links to Lick Travel

By AUSTIN BEALMER  
NEW YORK, Jan. 16 (AP)—Don't blame the New York Giants if they make a hole-in-one instead of a home run, or the Cincinnati Reds if they make an "A" in philosophy instead of a hit in the clutch.

Blame the transportation shortage which caused the major league baseball teams to give up their sun-drenched training camps in favor of quarters which will be somewhat cooler but considerably closer to home.

A checkup disclosed today that 11 of the 16 clubs have selected spring training bases in the vicinity of their own back yards since the major leagues turned thumbs down on trips to the sunshine belt 10 days ago.

The others expect to pick their sites within the next few days and the beginning of the pre-season workouts in mid-March will find most of them drilling amid comparatively unfamiliar surroundings—including several institutions of higher learning, a golf course and a ski run.

The latest to swap their sport coats and flannels for ear muffs and snowshoes and bid goodbye to Florida and California for the duration of the war are the Brooklyn Dodgers and the Pittsburgh Pirates.

After investigating numerous possibilities, the Dodgers announced yesterday that they would pitch camp at Bear Mountain, a Hudson river winter resort, just 45 minutes from Broadway. "This a far cry from the tropical setting of their 1942 camp at Havana.

When the weather is bad they will run up to West Point, five miles away, and use the U. S. military academy's field house.

The Pirates, who have been going to San Bernardino, Calif., for many years, also announced yesterday that they would get not farther away this spring than Muncie, Ind.

The Cincinnati Reds, erstwhile spring residents of Tampa, Fla., will invade the campus of the University of Indiana at Bloomington.

And the New York Giants will be at Lakewood, N. J., after trekking to Miami, Fla., for years.

# Teams Share News-Herald Grid Trophy

The coveted News-Herald gridiron trophy awarded each year to the Klamath County B School football champions will be shared this year by Bonanza and Henley. Both teams were undefeated in league play, but played to a 6-6 tie on the Henley field.

Arrangements have been made between officials of the two schools to share the cup after the names of both schools have been engraved upon it. Bonanza will take the trophy until the end of the spring school term, then it will be placed on display at the Henley high school until another school wins it.

The cup, presented three years ago to the county schools by Malcolm Epley has spent one year at Henley and one at Merrill.

# Chicagoans Get Crack on Record Of Games Lost

CHICAGO, Jan. 16 (AP)—The University of Chicago basketball team, which hasn't won a game since December 6, 1941, and has dropped 32 consecutive Big Ten conference encounters has a chance to tie a league record tonight in its game with Indiana university.

The Maroons, with 27 consecutive defeats against all competition, won its last conference beating Minnesota, 35 to 32.

If they lose tonight, however, they will tie the losing streak of 33—a conference record—also held by University of Chicago quintets.

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Though we have never seen the Harlem Globe Trotter in action, we have it on competent authority that they present a top-notch basketball show.

Looking over various clippings from such places as Vancouver, B. C., and Seattle which were sent to Stanley Woodruff of the high school by the Trotter manager, Abe Saperstein, we were mildly overcome by their record.

True, they have had losses. One was to the Washington Huskies in Seattle Monday. But they have had championship teams. In 1940 they were the pro hoop titlists. However, now several of the boys have scattered to the four winds in Jap fighting and the team the All-Stars will play Monday night is a war edition of the 1940 titlists.

However, the boys are plenty good, and we confidentially expect them to take the local lads Monday night, but it will be a good show with Goose Tatum, the Harlemite who jumps eleven feet to protect the basket, and the rest of the colored laddies clowning for the fans.

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