

Klamath Pelicans Whip Bend Hoopsters, 38-23

Perkins, Palmer Pace Pelican Attack With Nine Counters to Lead Scoring

The Klamath Pelicans turned tables on the Bend Lava basketball team Saturday night by handing the Bend cagers a 38-23 defeat in the final tilt of a two-game series played at Ashland January 31-23.

The count was deadlocked at 10-10 in the first frame five to five, but the K-men turned on heat in the second canto to get a half-time lead of 10-12.

In the third stanza the Pelicans maintained their advantage by scoring 12 points while holding the Lava bears to eight points, making the count, 31-12.

In the final period the Bend was able to pick up only three points, while the K-men added seven to bring the score to 38 to 23 on the Pelican side of the ledger.

Palmer and Bob Perkins led the Klamath offense, both scoring nine counters, and Wirtz held scoring for the Lava Bears with six points.

The K-men had their fast offense functioned effectively Saturday night in the height of domination by Bend. The Pelicans seemed to be in better playing condition in the latter tilt and turned in a good ball game.

The Klamath hoopsters will next open hostilities with the Ashland Grizzlies in a two-game series played at Ashland January 15-16.

Summary:
 Klamath Falls (38): Bend (23)
 Palmer, 8 F..... Murphy, 4
 Pope, 5 F..... James, 4
 Thorne, 5 C..... Higgins, 0
 White, 4 G..... Smith, 5
 Perkins, 9 G..... Wirtz, 5

Subs: Klamath Falls, Mason 1, Alexander 2, Zaroninski, Bussman, Hahn, Noel, Redkey. Bend: Moore 3, Hawes 2, Rasmussen, Plath, Hilligan, Fretwell, Brogan.

Navy Eleven Wins Poi Bowl Game

By MORRIE LANDSBERG
 HONOLULU, Jan. 8 (AP)—A fast-charging navy team of former college and professional stars held the football championship of the vast Pacific ocean area today, victors over a seventh army air force outfit, 14 to 0, in Hawaii's first Poi Bowl game.

An estimated 20,000 service men jamming the 22,000-seat furling stadium at Pearl Harbor yesterday saw Edgar (special delivery) Jones hurl touchdown passes in the first and last quarters.

In the opening stanza navy Halfback Charlie Timmons, ex-Clemson player, missed a 40-yard field goal, and then the navy was pinned back with a 53-yard punt by Glenn Dobbs, the Tulsa all-American whose bullet passes were a prime army threat.

In the closing minutes Jones completed a 47-yard pass to Steve Lach of Duke and the Chicago Cards, then a nine-yard aerial to End John Rokiski of Duquesne. After picking up three yards through the line, Jones passed from the six to Fullback Bob Morrow, former Chicago Card, over the goal. Timmons placekicked the extra point.

Midway in the fourth period the navy took over on its own 24 and Jones again set up a touchdown, with passes to Rokiski and End Greg Browning of Denver. Browning took the last aerial, covering 42 yards, for a touchdown. Again Timmons added the point with a place kick.

The navy gained 137 yards on the ground, while the army wound up with a net loss of 17 yards. The navy rolled up eight first downs against the army's seven.

By HUGH MARTON, JR.

HUGH FULLERTON JR. NEW YORK, Jan. 8 (AP)—The National Football League meets in Chicago this week and it will entertain a proposition to abolish the point after touchdown and substitute a "penalty" overtime period. Or maybe the club owners while they are at it. . . . On the theory that it will be harder to count 22 rule changes than the now listed, this corner of still another way of eliminating it. That is to borrow "rouge" from Canadian football.

AD NEIGHBOR'S GAME
 The Canadian game a ball into the end zone (25 deep there) must be run onto the playing field or score a point for the home team. . . . If the ball goes over the 25 yard line out of bounds after the goal line, the point automatic. . . . The "rouge" term used when the defense team has a chance to the ball out and doesn't. . . . If the pros substitute for the unending automatic touchback, there are plenty of chances to tie-breaking points, a lot of hopeless field goal tries to be eliminated; there'd be a word for good kicking and advancing the ball near the end zone. . . . For the fans, there'd be added excitement of running from behind the goal line. At least, it should be better "sudden death" periods—would be just that, the those guys play.

Bremerton Kegler Wins Bowling Bee

SEATTLE, Jan. 8 (AP)—Red Criter of Bremerton, one of the last to finish in the ideal New Year classic bowling tournament, dumped 1474 pins yesterday and edged out Jack Solberg of Portland by six points after Solberg had held the lead since early Saturday.

The victory gave Criter first prize money of \$500. Solberg drew \$400. Pvt. Joe Wilman of Fort Lewis and Chicago finished third with 1462 to college \$375.

Dick Goodenbour of Seattle slipped in ahead of Fred Converse, Spokane, for fourth money of \$250 with 1428 pins. One pin back, Converse got \$200.

Team scores in the five-man event, led by Ideal of Seattle with 1427, included:
 Bob & Elmer, Bellingham, 2687; the Spar, Aberdeen, 2616; recreation, Everett, 2611; Elks, Bellingham, 2559; farwest, Aberdeen, 2486.

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When a story from Hollywood comes to the Peru, Ill., News-Letter the other day saying Les Horvath, Ohio State's terrific footballer, would screen test, Sports Editor P. Metzinger scribbled headline: "Horvath At Screen Pass."

THIS WAS HIS LAST. . .

CHARLES C. PETERSON PLAYED BILLIARDS IN AN AIRPLANE 5000 FEET ABOVE ST. LOUIS, AUG. 14, 1930

SOFT TOUCH

BROWNELL BRYANT SCORED 80 POINTS IN THE OTHER NIGHT AS LINCOLN MEMORIAL ROUTED TENNESSEE WESLEYAN, 127-33

J. BOURDEAU'S 327 15 YEAR IS LOWEST WIN A.L. BATTING SINCE TY COBB'S 224 IN 1908

Old Bones Smiles Again



Exterminator, famous old campaigner and winner of 1918 Kentucky Derby, heartbroken at loss of his long time pal and stable companion, the pony Peanuts, perked up after final view of body, and now takes an interest in new Shetland companion.

Fog Holds Up Los Angeles Open

By RUSS NEWLAND
 LOS ANGELES, Jan. 8 (AP)—The final round of the 72-hole Los Angeles Open golf tournament started today in a mild state of confusion. The two-section affair, as it were, was due to a fog-bound finish late yesterday that stalled the works, believe it or not.

Some of the stars couldn't finish their third round in the swirling haze that rolled in from the ocean to blanket the Riviera course.

Among those caught in the extraordinary atmospheric conditions and resuming play today were Sam Byrd, the former New York Yankee's outfielder, now a golf pro at Detroit; Ray Mangrum, Los Angeles; Leland Gibson, Randolph Field, Tex.; Harold McSpaden, Sanford, Maine; Johnny Revolta, Evanston, Ill.; and George Schneider, Salt Lake City.

Byrd, Mangrum and Gibson had driven off the 18th and the other three were fog-trapped on the 15th fairway. The entire course was obscured by the soupy thick fog. The fairways couldn't be seen from the clubhouse. You'd have to see it to believe it. All of it happened in five minutes.

Byrd, one under par, only needed a par 4 to snatch undisputed leadership from Byron Nelson, Toledo, O., and Sgt. E. J. "Dutch" Harrison, Dayton, O., who had finished earlier with 54 hole totals of 213.

Consequently these two teed off today as the pace setters.

Byrd, particularly, still had a good chance to grab third round leadership with 212. Mangrum needed a birdie 3 on the 18th for a 212. Revolta and McSpaden each had to complete the last four holes in one under par figures to get into the 212 bracket.

Schneider and Gibson, the other non-finisners, were too far back to take the lead in the \$13,333 war bonds event.

The balance of the reduced field of 81, meanwhile, went about fourth round business, second choice favorite Nelson and Sgt. Harrison tied, teeing off.

The two Portland entrants finished down the list. Ted Longworth shot 148-75—223 and Jimmy Mozel had 151-80—231.

Sports Leaders Await Orders From Military To Cease Competition

By JIMMY JORDAN
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Marine Hoopsters Down Willamette Five, 41-36

Behind the stellar play of Pivotman Red Gilbert, the marine basketball team "brought home the bacon" as requested by their commanding officer, Col. George Van Orden, in a pre-game telegram, by defeating Willamette's Navycats 41 to 36 at Salem Saturday night.

Although Gilbert had some trouble with the pre-war seamless ball the Navycats used for the fray, he was the outstanding man on the court, setting up buckets and controlling the ball off the backboards. However, he wasn't at his best in timing, and missed numerous tip-in shots by a hair.

Southpaw Jow Domitrovich

Marines (41): FG FT PF TP
 Mills, f..... 3 1 2 7
 Money, f..... 3 0 1 6
 Gilbert, c..... 2 4 1 8
 Domitrovich, g..... 4 2 3 10
 Cox, g..... 0 1 8 8
 Meach, g..... 1 0 1 2

Totals..... 17 7 9 41

Willamette (36): FG FT PF TP
 Tate, f..... 1 1 2 3
 Ward, f..... 3 0 0 6
 Gilpes, f..... 1 1 0 3
 Odgerard, f..... 1 1 2 3
 Stoff, c..... 1 0 4 2
 Mayfield, c..... 0 0 1 0
 Zault, c..... 4 2 1 10
 Liebele, g..... 2 0 2 4
 Goodman, g..... 2 1 1 5
 Sanderson, g..... 0 0 2 0

Total..... 15 6 15 36

Weston Students Die In Car, Train Crash

WALLA WALLA, Jan. 8 (AP)—Two Weston high school basketball players, en route home after a game here, were killed Saturday night when the car in which they were riding collided with a train at an intersection near the outskirts of town.

A third youth was seriously injured.

The dead were Donald E. Wren, instantly killed, and Robert R. Swaggart, who died in a hospital here shortly after the wreck. Lawrence Beamer suffered a fractured leg and arm and cuts and bruises.

Charles Snyder said a light rain apparently obscured the driver's vision.

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Basketball Results

- (Saturday)
 By The Associated Press
 Oregon
- Medford 39, Eureka (Calif.) 26.
 - Chemawa 32, Silverton 33.
 - Baker 33, La Grande 22.
 - Hood River 39, Parkdale 19.
 - Grants Pass 32, Roseburg 22.
 - Klamath Falls 38, Bend 23.
 - Medford 39, Eureka (Calif.) 26.
 - Chemawa 32, Silverton 33.
 - Hood River 39, Parkdale 19.
- Washington
- Everett 22, Anacortes 17.
 - Snohomish 47, Arlington 20.
 - Lake Stevens 24, Skyhomon 15.
 - Monroe 25, Edmonds 22.
 - Sultan 39, Twin Cities 23.
 - Darrington 43, Granite Falls 37.
 - Walla Walla 37, St. John 17.
 - Lewiston (Idaho) 32, Dayton 31.
- College
- Whitman 57, Gonzaga 45.
 - Klamath Falls Marines 41, Willamette 36.
 - Montana State 36, Idaho Southern 33.
 - Carroll College 42, Gore field (Mt. Falls) 37.
 - Great Falls (Mont.) Air Base 58, Montana Mines 53.
 - Washington 42, Oregon State 22.
 - Oregon 41, Idaho 38.
 - Washington State 56, Eastern Washington College of Education 49.
 - Southern California 42, San Diego Naval Training Center 48.
 - St. Mary's Preflight 44, California 34.
- Sunday
- Univ. of Havana 29, Univ. of Puerto Rico 25.
 - Gulf Port Army Air Field 50, Loyola (La.) 51.
 - Smyrna (Tenn.) Air Base 68, Fort Knox 55.
- Stars, Eagles Lead Hockey Standings
- SEATTLE, Jan. 8 (AP)—The Seattle Stars and Portland Eagles were perched atop the Pacific coast hockey league's northern sector standings today, all even after the Stars defeated the San Francisco Shamrocks 7 to 4 here last night while Portland was losing to the Vancouver, Wash., Vanguard, 8 to 5.
- Owen "Lulu" Lennon collected four goals and two assists to lead the Vancouver attack and Hal Labor paced Seattle with three goals, two assists.
- Whitman Hoopsters Down Zags, 57-45
- SPOKANE, Jan. 8 (AP)—The Whitman college Missionaries, trounced in their first start against Gonzaga Friday night, bounced back Saturday to rack up a 57-45 basketball triumph. Ackerman of Whitman filled the hoop with 22 points to lead the scoring, pouring home seven first-half field goals to give Whitman a 34-18 edge at the recess.

Huskies, Webfoots Down Opponents in Cage Race

Oregon Cagers Drop Vandals Twice; Washington Takes Two From Beavers

By The Associated Press
 Those one speed-wide open—University of Washington Huskies and the University of Oregon Webfoots strolled arm in arm today along victor's alley in the northern division of the Pacific coast basketball conference, but Oregon had a challenger looking sternly over its shoulder.

Winners in a pair of games over the University of Idaho Vandals Friday and Saturday, As Washington beat Oregon State for the second time, 42 to 22, and Oregon took a 41-38 decision from Idaho, WSC trounced Eastern Washington college Saturday night 56 to 49, the first defeat of the season for eastern's giant-killing savages.

The Huskies are idle until Friday and Saturday, when Idaho invades the Washington pavilion, and Oregon State rests until a Saturday collision with Oregon at Corvallis.

Illness and penalties cut the props from under Oregon State's battling Beavers Saturday night, and what was expected to be a tight argument developed into a free-for-all between the Huskies, Big Ted Henningsen, ill with a bad cold, failed to answer the starting whistle. OSC fought through the first half on fairly even terms with the host five, but began to fade when Hal Puddy went out on fouls as the second period started with Washington leading, 18-14. Red Rocha and John Moore were added to the OSC list of penalty victims before the final gun checked Washington.

Don McMillan, holder of the individual one-game scoring record for the division, 34 points, collected 15 to pace the Washington attack. Puddy, with 7, topped Oregon State.

At Moscow the Vandals made it a battle up to the last 6 minutes, when a toss by Dick Wilkins cracked a 35-35 deadlock and put Oregon in front to stay. The lead had been swapped seven times in the first period and there were five ties, but Idaho never could get better than the one tie in the second half.

Taylor of Idaho set the scoring pace with 11 points and a teammate, Pyne, and Wilkins of Oregon had 10 each. The winners led at halftime, 24 to 19.

The standings:

Team	W	L	Pts For	Pts Ast
Washington	2	0	1,000	90
Idaho	0	2	650	78
WSC	0	0	697	67
WSC	0	0	600	60

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