

# K-Men Drill for Series With Grants Pass Five

## Stub Ringstead Works Out With Pels In Fast Scrimmage Session Tuesday

A cheering note was introduced into the Pelican cage camp Tuesday afternoon with the return of Stubby Ringstead. Stub transferred to Grants Pass, Oregon, this year and returned to the Pelican fold only recently. Ringstead may well aid the Klamath cause as he is a good dribbler and has a good eye for

the bucket. Coach Marble Cook had his charges engage in a fast scrimmage session Tuesday afternoon and Ringstead looked promising.

The K-men travel to Grants Pass this weekend to take on the cellarite Cavemen in an attempt to gain their second conference victory. The Cavemen have been dumped by both Ashland and Medford and will face the Pelicans on the maple for the first time this year Friday night.

Jerry Thorne, lanky Klamath pivotman, will not be able to patrol the keyhole slot for the K-men in this series, but will be ready to start practice next week. With the loss of Bob Perkins, Cook has worked out a combination of Jim Palmer and Jim Pope at forwards, Buz Bussman at the center position, and Jim Noreen and Larry White at the guard slots.

Bud Biehn and Don Noel showed up well Tuesday with Noel hawking the onion consistently and Biehn looped in some nice counters from outside the keyhole. Ringstead worked his way loose for a couple of nice lay-ins and, all in all, the Pelicans looked like a different ball club than the one that took the floor against the rough Medford Black Tornado.

The K-men are virtually out of the running as far as the conference is concerned, but Cook has his eye on the district tournament coming up at Ashland and is grooming his boys with it in mind.

The Pelicans could still finish second in the loop by dumping the Cavemen and then bouncing the Grizzlies when they play a return series here soon. Medford seems destined to cop the bunting, but the K-men will be in there scrambling, you can bet on that.

## Marines Wallop Redmond Cagers By 55-43 Count

Without the aid of these men it would have been almost impossible to stage this game for the benefit of the crippled youngsters of the United States. We too feel grateful to the members of the Shannon ball club for making the trek from Portland so that some little boy or girl may walk again.

Our goal Saturday night is \$1000! We are informed that no basketball game in Klamath Falls has ever brought in that amount. But heck, fellows, there's a first time for everything. We cannot help but feel that the goal will be reached in so fine an athletic contest for so humane a cause.

We think it significant that the American people are in the midst of a campaign to benefit humanity when so many are bent upon destroying it. From now on, it's up to you folks, we're counting on you!

## Gail Bishop "Held" To 17 Counters—Warriors Still Win

FORT LEWIS, Jan. 24 (AP)—Holding Gail Bishop to 17 points, Eastern Washington college came within two points of trimming the Fort Lewis Warriors last night, losing the basketball game, 34-35 on a goal tossed by Sub Joe Harvey of the Warriors in the last 30 seconds. Roffler of EWCE scored 16 points.

## NYU Grid Chant Is Now New Guinea War Cry, Greeting

NEW YORK — "Hubba-Hubba" call the natives when an American GI passes by in New Guinea. The expression, peculiarly adapted to New Guinea dialect, can be traced to New York university, where football players used it. Capt. Bob Connolly, Violet end of 1937-38-39, brought the chant to New Guinea. A guerrilla skirmish followed. Shouting "Hubba-Hubba," the men put the Nips to rout. Much impressed native carriers returned to their villages, and now the collegiate war cry of NYU has become a chant of the jungle.

## Stars for Eli



John Warstler . . . small and fast, like a bunny.

## Washington Governor Sets Aside Plans for Ousting Four Game Commissioners

OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 24 (AP)—State game commissioners will not be asked for immediate resignations, Governor Wallgren said Tuesday morning. Indicating the meeting he held with 30 representatives of the Washington State Sports Council here late yesterday produced agreement on game problems, the governor said he has shelved

plans for ousting the four commissioners still on the board. Terms of two other members expired last week.

"I have invited the commissioners and the state sports council's directors to meet with me here Sunday afternoon to further explore where we are going," Wallgren said.

"I explained to the sportsmen yesterday that if the present commission accepts my viewpoint on our mutual responsibilities, and if it is agreed that the appointment of a director responsible to me as governor shall be made by me, then I will have no particular objection to retaining the present commission setup."

"The thing is I don't know these men. I have no doubt they are fine men trying to do a good job. But I want to feel assured they see things the way I do."

The governor said he has a federal wildlife official in mind for appointment as director.

"I know he'd go day and night building our game resources," he said.

The governor's meeting with sportsmen yesterday had the effect of stopping letters he had dictated requesting resignations of game commission members, he added.

## BADGERS ELECT SHAFER FOOTBALL CAPTAIN

MADISON, Wis.—Allan Shaffer, Badger quarterback who died of injuries sustained in the Iowa game here last season, was elected captain of the Wisconsin football team by his fellow players. Voter of the winners of coveted Badger W was cast unanimously in favor of their late teammate.

FOX RIVER GROVE, Ill.—Eugene Wilson, Coleraine, Minn., leaped 190 and 191 feet in win Norge club's ski-jumping tourney.

## Beavers Top Husky Five, 57-43

### "Red" Rocha Racks Up 27 Markers to Lead OSC Five In Handing Huskies Defeat

CORVALLIS, Ore., Jan. 24 (AP)—Ephrum Rocha, the red-thatched flash from Hawaii, saturated the basket with 27 points last night to conduct Oregon State's Beavers to their most satisfying victory to date in the Northern Division, Pacific Coast conference hoop season—a 57 to 43 triumph over the University of Washington's defending titlists.

It was the first conference loss for the Huskies in five starts and failed to dislodge them from the pace position, but weakened their hold on the top spot to a point where another loss to Oregon State tonight would send them into second, a half-game back of Oregon's Webfoots.

The Beavers, with three wins and three losses, remained in third spot and will stay there regardless of the outcome tonight, but another victory would put them just one full game away from the leaders.

Remembering their double loss to the 1944 champions at the start of the current season in Seattle, the Staters plunked home the ice-breaking basket right after the opening tipoff and ran the count to 16-4 before the Huskies could catch their breath.

With the count at 25-11 Rocha took a breather on the bench and Washington carved down the advantage to nine points at halftime, 36-27. OSC switched from man-to-man to zone defense in the second half, slowing the action, upsetting the Washington comeback intentions and retaining a comfortable lead.

Bob Jorgensen pitched 16 points to lead the Husky scoring and Whitey King seconded him with 13. Bernie McGrath collected up 13 for OSC. Washington was up against a manpower problem, with high scoring Don McMillan and several other aces left at home because of navy regulations preventing V-12 trainees from making the road jaunts.

After tonight's fracas Washington rests a day, then switches to Eugene for a double session Friday and Saturday nights with Oregon, Idaho and Washington State, current tail-enders, also clash at the week's end.

Summary:

Oregon State					Washington				
	G	F	PF	TP		G	F	PF	TP
Puddy, f	1	2	0	4	Carnovale, f	3	0	0	6
Labhart, f	2	0	2	4	Creveling, f	2	0	2	4
Hennington, f	2	2	0	6	Mosich, f	0	0	0	0
Rocha, c	13	1	0	27	Blowers, f	0	0	0	0
McGrath, g	6	1	0	13	Brooks, c	1	0	3	2
West, s	1	1	3	3	Bitman, c	1	0	0	2
Moore, g	0	0	0	0	King, g	6	1	2	13
Totals	25	7	7	57	Jorgensen, g	8	0	2	16
					Anderson, g	0	0	1	0
					Totals	21	1	10	43

Half time score: Oregon State 36, Washington 27.

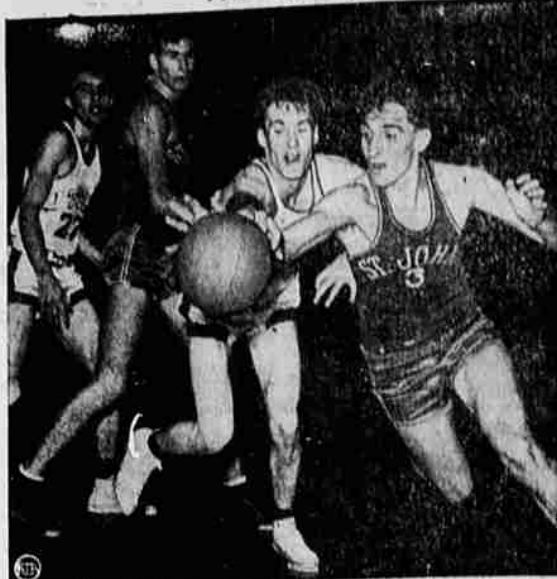
Missed free throws: Oregon State, Labhart, Rocha, McGrath 2; Washington, Carnovale 2, King 2, Jorgensen 2.

Referee—Emil Piluso, Umpire—Phil Warren.

AGUA CALIENTE, Mex.—Corona Corona, \$5.60, beat With Regards in photo finish to win Acapulco handicap at Tia Juana.

BOSTON — Gil Dodds said farewell to track by easily winning two-mile run in 9:58.4 in YMCA indoor meet.

## The Lineup



Players appear lined up for turns at dribbling as Bill Kotsores, 3, of St. John's and Murray Satterfield of Utah battle for ball at Madison Square Garden. Behind them are Arnold Ferrin, left, of Utes and Ivy Summer of Redmen. Brooklyn boys win, 39-36, evening score with Salt Lake squad which beat them for national championship last spring.

## Benny Leonard to Receive Memorial Plaque Tonight

NEW YORK, Jan. 24 (AP)—Boxing's 400 will put on their best bib and tucker tonight and honor Lt. Commander Benny Leonard at the annual dinner of the New York boxing writers at Ruppert's brewery.

Leonard, stationed at the Sheephead Bay training station of the merchant marine where he teaches seamen the tricks that brought him fame as lightweight champion 20 years ago, will receive the Edward J. Neil

memorial plaque. The plaque is awarded annually to the boxer whose work reflected the most credit to the sport.

Former Mayor James J. Walker, one of the chief speakers, will present the plaque to Leonard who thus joins the select group honored in previous years, Jack Dempsey, Joe Louis, Billy Conn, Barney Ross and Henry Armstrong.

Pvt. Beau Jack, former lightweight champion (New York-Pennsylvania version) and Gen. John J. Phelan, former chairman of the state athletic commission will receive two other awards. Jack will receive a medal of merit as the fighter of the year presented by Publisher Nat Fleischer of the Ring magazine. Gen. Phelan will receive a gold pen and pencil set for long and meritorious service to boxing.

## BASKETBALL Results

By The Associated Press OREGON PREP

Clatskanie 29, St. Helens 23. Eugene 43, Junction City 23. Milwaukie 43, Molalla 9. Gresham 33, Hill Military (Portland) 18. McMinnville 51, Forest Grove 23.

University (Eugene) 44, Roseburg 40. Milton-Freewater 41, Prescott 26.

Lebanon 32, Springfield 25. Columbia Prep (Portland) 49, Sandy 28.

MIDDLEBURY, Vt.—University of Vermont captured skiing honors at Middlebury college winter carnival.

NEWARK, N. J.—William Meyer again named manager of Newark International league baseball club.

## Bomberette



Alline Banks Pate . . . basketball's pin-up girl.

## Draft Plans to Be Presented To Major League Moguls Soon

By JIMMY JORDAN CHICAGO, Jan. 24 (AP)—The question of conditions under which baseball will enter a fourth wartime season 12 weeks hence may be bound up in a straight-from-the-shoulder report on plans of selective service to be presented major league moguls at New York on February 3.

Ford Frick, National League president, has the report. He obtained it Monday during discussions with Lewis B. Hershey, director of selective service, at a conference in Washington.

Frick sought to determine just how far-reaching a recent war department directive may be in regard to review of all professional athletes now classified 4-F, or with medical discharges, before they are rejected for military service. Frick has given no intimation of the contents of the report, but he said in New York: "I asked Gen. Hershey just what information we desired

and he responded frankly and honestly. He didn't pull any punches. He told us exactly what we could expect under the current rulings. That was all we wanted to know."

Frick said the joint meeting of major league club owners February 3 would be given a full report on the discussions. Leslie M. O'Connor, secretary to the late Kenesaw Mountain Landis, baseball commissioner, and now a member of the advisory board administering the commissioner's office, said he had not heard from Frick regarding the discussions with Hershey.

Will Harridge, American league president, also said he had no report on the conference

but, as was O'Connor, he was interested in having the details presented to club owners.

Harridge and Frick are the other two members of the advisory board. All three have said repeatedly they did not intend to seek continuance of baseball if it "would postpone V-Day by even an hour." Clubowners have echoed that sentiment.

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## Ross Re-Match With Milt Olsen In Opening Bout

The opening tussle crunched Friday night in a re-match. Olsen fought can guzzle Tony and Mack Lillard and decided his fine showing in his previous bouts here.

This rounds out a top features a bout between Gust Johnson and Mr. Olsen as the headline event. Olsen has been hollering for a masked menace and Olsen Piluso was unable to appear. Olsen has obliged him in top spot. Gust has extra however, as he has not defeated here and is a hard grappler.

In the semi-windup Jack will tangle with many Euin in a bout that should be fun to watch. Jack is in for an interesting night.

The first brawl will get away at 6:30 p. m. Moss will again officiate. Tickets for the brook are going fast and capacity house is assured.

## TUCSON, Ariz.—Stan announced he would start golf circuit because of element and rest up for challenge match with Bronson in New York this year.

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