

SAWDUST

Friday, January 26, Gordon Crowston fired two blank shots into the Psychology room during third period. Mrs. Bolmeier was experimenting to see the reactions of the students in the class.

Student Council minutes have not been available for the last two weeks.

Jim Thompson does a good job of announcing the JV and Frosh basketball games.

Monday, January 29, was report card day for the high school. There were many sad faces that day.

Chris Cameron, freshman at VHS caught an eight pound steel-head last week.

Quite a few students from VHS have taken advantage of being able to change classes at the end of the semester, with some changing practically all of their classes.

The girls PE class is now doing a unit on First-Aid; most of the girls are learning how to set splints.

The girls' basketball game which was to be played Thursday night at WGS was postponed to a later date. The opposing team had too many members absent due to illness.

Ole Bergerson, Varsity basketball player, returned to school Wednesday, January 24, following a six-day illness with the walking pneumonia. Ole missed both league games against Portland Christian and Concordia over the weekend of January 19 and 20.

The girls' intramural team headed by Kelly Nance, won their second game in a row last week.

Mrs. Ellen Hanson is back in school this week from the hospital where she had minor surgery last week.

Miss Zenda Ellis substituted for girls PE teacher Mrs. Juanita Arrant Wednesday, January 24. Mrs. Melvin Nice also substituted for her on Friday, January 26.

Loggers Dump PC Royals in Last Quarter

The VHS Loggers snatched a win from the jaws of defeat Friday, January 19, when Vernonia played the hosting Portland Christian Royals.

The team, missing two of its top players—Earl Abercrombie and Ole Bergerson—seemed cold from the field in the first quarter as they hit only four of 19 shots, while Portland Christian shot a hot nine of 11.

This, together with Logger turnovers, enabled the Royals to take a big 19 to 11 lead at the end of the first period. The second quarter saw Vernonia come to within one point of the hosting team late in the period, but a last second field goal again gave the lead to Portland Christian by a narrow margin of three points.

Second quarter action gave Logger fans something to cheer about as Vernonia took the lead by four points early in the quarter, but a quick offense on the part of the Royals gave them the lead again by three points at the end of the third period.

The fourth quarter was the turning point for the Loggers. Rick Davis put in three straight baskets for Vernonia to give them the lead to keep. Half of the quarter was wasted by the locals in an effort to keep the Royals from coming back. The game ended with Vernonia outscoring Portland Christian, for a total of 63 to 52.

Rick Davis again took shooting honors for Vernonia with 21 points. Next was Rob Hammeyer with 13, Mike Smith dumped in 12, Keith Gardner 10, Mickey Borst 6, Mark Kreiger and Walt Floeter each got one point.

Top shots for the Royals were Walters with 17 and Frieson with 14. Vernonia shot 64 times and 26 were sunk, while PC put up a much smaller total of 56 shots from the field, making only 23 of them. Top rebounder for VHS was Rob Hammeyer, who pulled down 12 rebounds for the locals.

In the JV game Vernonia walked Portland Christian by a score of 67 to 35.

School Menu

Monday, February 5 - Chicken noodle soup, peanut butter and honey sand, cheese and crackers, pineapple slices, milk
Tuesday, February 6 - Spaghetti, tossed salad, dinner rolls, chocolate cake, milk
Wednesday, February 7 - Hamburgers, dill pickles, potato chips, apple sauce, milk
Thursday, February 8 - Mashed potatoes and turkey gravy, butter sand, cookies, milk
Friday, February 9 - Pizza, green beans, French fries, peaches, milk

Dave Parrow, the announcer at the varsity basketball games, left for Kansas City, Missouri, January 22, to train with an airline training school.
Dave has helped to back the Logger team for two years as an announcer for VHS.
He will be attending the Weaver Airline School in Kansas City. He left a week early to have time to stop in South Dakota to visit with his grandparents.
Tom Merritt will be taking over as announcer for the remaining Varsity games at VHS.

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ALBERTO ALLEGRE, lower right, is surrounded by VHS school-mates who gathered at the Frank Dechebach home to join him in celebrating his 18th birthday January 27.

Alberto Joined For Birthday

Saturday, January 27, Alberto Allegre, foreign exchange student from Mexico, now attending Vernonia High School, celebrated his 18th birthday at the home of his "foster" parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dechebach.

Among those enjoying refreshments of ice cream and chocolate cake were Carol Nelson, Mark Busch, Dave, Anne and John Dechebach, members of his host families. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nelson, fall term "foster" parents, assisted in the serving.

As part of the birthday celebration, Alberto called his parents in Mexico where he spoke to all the members of his family.

Sunday, his birthday was also noted at the St. Mary's Church where Mr. and Mrs. Dave Brunsmann and Dick take him for worship. He was presented with a painting of the church by Mrs. Alla Schmidlin.



JV Wins Extend Streak to Nine

Friday, January 26, the VHS JV's easily defeated the Catlin Gabel Eagles by a score of 50 to 35 in a game played on the Loggers' home court.

The first quarter was a defensive battle with neither team able to find the range. Vernonia led at the end of the quarter by a score of nine to four.

The Loggers exploded for 18 points in the second quarter while holding the Eagles to six. At halftime the scoreboard read Vernonia 27, Catlin Gabel 10.

By the end of the third quarter, Catlin Gabel had pulled to within 10 points of the Loggers, outscoring Vernonia 14 to 7, and trailed by a score of 24 to 34.

Vernonia coasted in for the victory through the last quarter to extend their win streak to nine as well as improving their league record to 6-0. The final score was Vernonia 50, Catlin Gabel 35.

Vernonia's scoring was led by Scott Ellis who connected for a game high of 20 points. Others scoring for Vernonia were: Titus 11, Holsey 7, Brunsmann 8, Collins 2, Allegre 2.

Next game for Vernonia is slated for Saturday, February 3, when they journey to Rockaway to take on the Neah-Kah-Nie Pirates.

First Aid Course Taught in Girls PE

Last week the girls PE classes, under the direction of Mrs. Juanita Arrant, started the Multi-Media First Aid Course.

Multi-Media First Aid is based on the 10-hour Standard First Aid Course with the help of films, workbooks, and practice sessions.

The course is designed to be covered in a two-week period, going over incidents such as shock, bleeding and mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.

The purpose of the course is to teach the skills and knowledge that are needed for emergency care of the injured until a doctor arrives, and to prevent accidents through the elimination of their causes.

A workbook is used to test the material learned from the films and practice sessions. Each part of the film runs between 2-7 minutes and the practice sessions run between 8-18 minutes.

This course is put out by The American National Red Cross Association.

Loggers Log

Thursday, February 1-GAA basketball Vernonia vs. Warrenton at WGS gym. Wrestling here - 7 p.m. - against Oregon Episcopal Freshman basketball at Banks - 6:30 p.m.

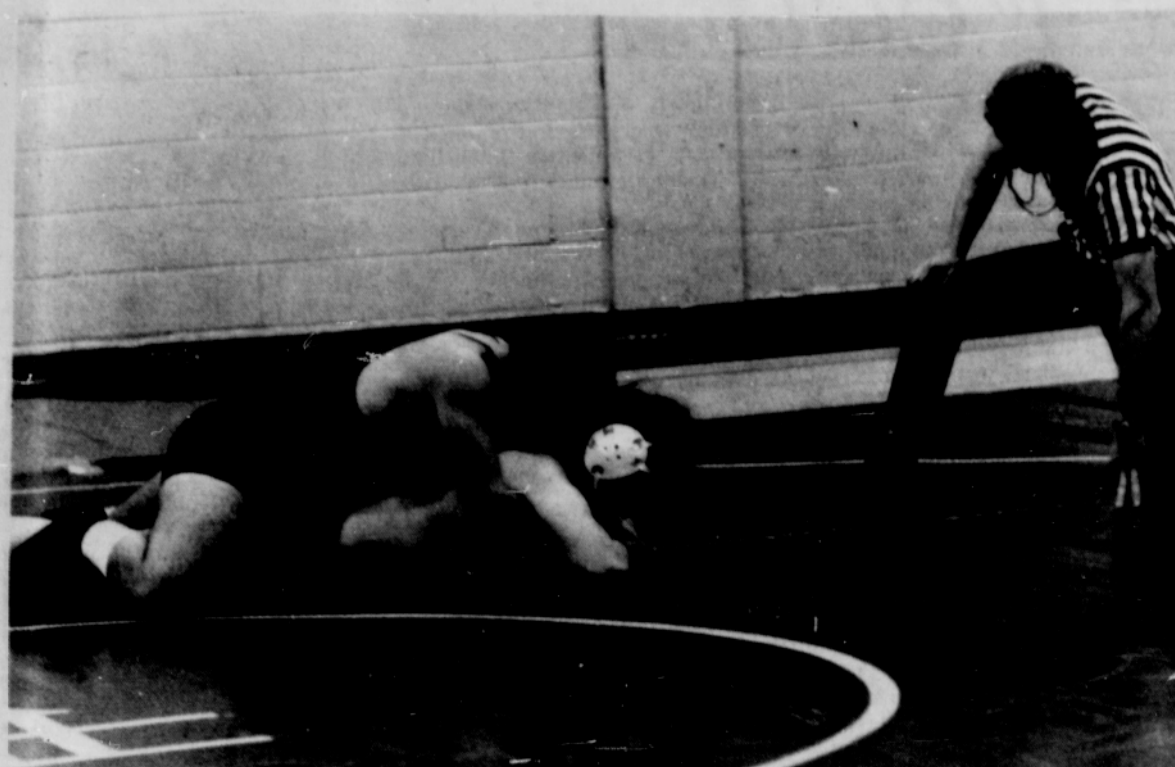
Friday, February 2 - Wrestling at Corbett - 7 p.m.

Saturday, February 3 - JV and Varsity basketball at Neah-Kah-Nie, 6:15 p.m.

Tuesday, February 6 - GAA basketball at Corbett, 7 p.m.

Thursday, February 8 - Wrestling here against Oregon Episcopal, 7 p.m.

Freshman basketball at Banks, 6:30 p.m.



MARTY KOCH appears to be in trouble, but soon reversed the advantage Knappa's Tim Barber is enjoying. Koch pinned the Knappa grappler in the

second round of their match. Koch's pin aided in the 46-27 win over the Knappa squad.

Band Members To Participate

One hundred top student musicians from ten neighboring high schools will gather at Clatsop Community College for an honor band concert on Friday, March 9.

Clatsop music director Arthur Vaughn reports that Professor Gordon Solie, director of bands at Portland State University has accepted the invitation to serve as guest conductor. Solie will conduct full rehearsals on March 8-9, while Vaughn will rehearse the group on the three preceding Saturdays. Students will be chosen on the basis of their musicianship and the provision of a balance of instruments.

Participating high schools are Astoria, Seaside, Warrenton, Naselle (Wash.), Tillamook, Neah-Kah-Nie, Knappa, Clatskanie, Scappoose, and Vernonia. The Friday night, March 9 concert at the college will be open to the public.

No matter how bad you aim, when you throw your bouquets at a man they always hit the right spot.

Vernonia Grads Form New Cheering Group

Anyone walking by the stage in the high school gym might notice that on both ends of the stage there are signs reading "VHS South 40." Saturday, January 13, when VHS played Warrenton, a group of Vernonia grads and students got together and started yelling chants and cheers for VHS. The group was headed by '68 grads Dave Serafin, Randy Holce, and Curt Poetter. They got the idea from Linfield College, which has a "Linfield South 40" group. Dave, a 1971 graduate of Linfield, was a member of the South 40 and kept some of the yell and handed them out to the other guys in the group.

The South 40 was a big hit with the hometown Vernonia crowd and was missed against Concordia and Catlin Gabel, but Dave has been sick and it didn't get organized. He said they will try hard to make it for the next home game against Corbett February 9.

Two of the yells that were heard are: "California oranges, Texas cactus, we play Warrenton just for practice," and "Ref, you make a big mistake."

Mailings Late For UO Preview

High school seniors and future community college transfer students who have not received information and registration materials for the University of Oregon's preview on February 10 should write to the Office of Admissions at the U of O and the materials will be sent to them immediately.

Registration forms, including forms for parents, were sent to individual students earlier this month, as were bulk mailings to high schools and community colleges. Delays in mail services may have held up delivery.

Admissions director Vernon L. Barkhurst points out that the Saturday, February 10 program is a prime opportunity for students who are interested in learning about the University, the academic programs it offers, available housing, financial aid, and opportunities to participate in student government and special interest activities.

Parents also are invited to the U of O Preview. Special sessions have been planned for them to acquaint them with the institution and its educational opportunities.

Wrestlers Win Match at KHS

The VHS wrestlers traveled to the home of the Knappa Loggers last Thursday, January 25, and came back with a 46 to 27 victory.

Although the VHS wrestlers won, there were only three matches that the VHS matmen won without forfeit. These three victors were Jeff Reck, Marty Koch, and Don Knight. Jeff won by decision over Thomas by the score of 14 to 0. Marty won by a pin with :57 gone in the second round over Tim Barber. Don pinned Tim Barber's brother Kevin with :50 gone in the second round.

Vernonia's other victories included forfeits at 98, 106, 157, 168 and 178. Robbie Hanson received the forfeit at 98, Bob Warburton the forfeit at 106, Lov Moore the forfeit at 157, Roy Dunaway the forfeit at 168, and Danny McLean the forfeit at 178.

Losing wrestlers for VHS included Jim King at 115, Cole Owen at 130, Mike Sutherland at 136 and Gale Slaughter at 141. Bill Rhoades was decided by Ring by a score of 2 to 0 at 148, to round out the night's wrestling.

Coach Taylor's comment after the match was, "They forfeited five times to help in our victory but I'm not satisfied with the matches we did wrestle."

The matmen's next match is Thursday, February 1, when the Loggers play host to Oregon Episcopal at 7 p.m.

'Captain Kangaroo' Seen by History Class

Gary Curtis' first period Civic class and second period History class were in the library, Wednesday, January 24, to listen to Dr. Kissinger speak on the peace agreement.

The history class also was permitted to watch the final 10 to 15 minutes of Captain Kangaroo, after Dr. Kissinger finished talking. After Captain Kangaroo was finished the class watched President Johnson's funeral procession from Washington, D.C.

The class thought Dr. Kissinger was interesting, but several remarked that they had not seen Captain Kangaroo in several years and were delighted that they had gotten the chance.

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