

Bethel Team Holds Record

Not many basketball teams can claim an undefeated season's record, but the Bethel Lutheran five of the Tacoma Y.M.C.A. Church League did just that and then topped the Holywood Temple quint of Seattle 57-47 to take the intra-city crown as well.

The Seattle caecers hopped to an early lead but the sharpshooting of Ed Dorothy and Bert Backman led the Bethel five to a 30-23 half-time edge. In the final half the Lutherans executed in to win the Seattle-Tacoma barrels by 10 points.

High for the Bethel hoopers were Dorothy and Backman with 15 points each. Bert Bellitt had eight and Dick Saravella posted seven.

Other members of the church champions' squad are Roy Larson, Art Larson, Ken Johnson, Bill Sarr and Swain Aranson.

Lutes vs. Loggers Set for Wednesday

The Lutes will invade Loggertown Wednesday afternoon, April 14, at CPS in the first city league game. Last year the Lutherans won only one out of the four starts. Coach Mary Tommerovik's Gladiators show a lot of promise this year. With such newcomers as Wes Saxton, Lowell Knutsen, Wayne Brock, Don Greco and Paul Reimann, combined with those of last year, the outlook is much brighter this season.

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Lutes Split Games With Seattle Nine; PLC Gets First Win

Pacific Lutheran College opened their baseball season Monday afternoon at American Lake Vets' field by splitting a doubleheader with Seattle College. The Lutes took the first game 8-2, dropping the second 7-6. A return game will be played this afternoon in Seattle.

With the aid of Merv's Allen's strong right arm the Gladiators took the first game with ease. Merv was a little wild at times, but was tight in the clutches, striking out 10 batters, and giving them only one hit and two runs.

Blakely, who played in the outfield the first game, took the mound in the second game when the score was 6-3 in favor of the Lutes. From that time on the Lutherans got hot one hit, which was a long double by Chuck Loete in the fourth. Blakely struck in two important runs himself, to win the second game.

It was PLC all the way in the first game. With three hits and four Seattle errors the Lutes pushed across three runs in the initial inning. In the third, what looks like the history of the club set head of a couple. Wayne Brock doubled while Dwayne Rose and Jim Turman hit successive triples for two more runs. The Chieftain scored their lone two runs in the sixth, while the Lutes tallied three more runs in the same frame.

The Lutes took an early lead in the second game but the visitors would not give up and finally tied the score in the seventh, the last of the scheduled innings. In the eighth, two walks and a costly error on a would-be double play gave the Chieftains their winning run. Blakely received credit for the win, while Norm Sturm was the loser.

Wes Saxton and Dave Garner look good on the mound although they were touched for a couple of runs. The heaviest hitters for the Lutes were Chuck Loete with three hits for seven times at the plate, while Dwayne Rose and Jim Turman, each received two for five.

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Pictured above is Wayne Brock, husky WSC transfer who has done much to tighten the Lute diamond squad's infield defenses.

Sports Slants

By BOB ANDREW

McLaughlin Out!

The Glads cinder team has suffered a great loss in the track and some field events, when it was learned Harry McLaughlin will not be able to give his full efforts. Harry, who was a consistent 10 to 15 point getter in nearly every meet last season, will have to forego any strenuous athletics this spring, until he has recovered from his, forthcoming operation on his legs. The big fellow plans to have the continually troublesome veins of both legs removed early next summer.

St. Martin's Relays Set

This year when the respective trackmen from PLC, CPS, St. Martin's, and Port Lewis meet for the second annual St. Martin's Relays, May 1, teams will be pointing for that number one spot, which our own Lutes occupied last year. As the 1947 season was the first meeting of this annual affair, all

firsts were established as record marks. Pacific Lutheran holds sway in the record department with six winners. Del Schaeffer took the 440, Harry McLaughlin won the shot put and javelin throw, Ed Gamm topped the pole vaulters, Jim Nylander nabbed the broad jump, and McLaughlin, Schaeffer, Everett Cook, Dick Mason teamed up to win the mile relay. Our beloved crosstown rivals from Puget Sound were second in the standing and number of wins with five. Fort Lewis and St. Martin's were only able to gather three and one victories respectively.

Three new events have been added to the relay's agenda—they are 440-yard relay (4 x 110), medley sprint relay (440, 220, 220 and 880), and medley distance relay (1/4, 1/2, 3/4, and 1 mile).

McLaughlin Seventh Highest

It may seem as though this column is partial to "Big" Harry McLaughlin, but the fact remains, Harry is the most noteworthy man about the campus in sports. This week, news was released that McLaughlin was the seventh highest small college scorer in the nation, during the last basketball season, with 502 points and that he had a grand average of 15.7 per cent.

CPS Wins Northwest And Tacoma Ski Tilts

In the Northwest Conference ski tournament held at Paradise Valley April 3, the College of Puget Sound won both the Northwest Conference championship and the Tacoma city ski championship. The Loggers won four places out of six.

Team scores computed in seconds: College of Puget Sound, 417.8; Lewis and Clark, 439.4; Whitman, 443; Pacific Lutheran, 672.2.

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Invaade Luteville Tomorrow For First Logger-Glad Meet

Tomorrow at one p.m. the CPS, Shinclads invade Luteville for the season's opening track meet.

It will be an injury-riddled Lute squad defending the city crown Saturday afternoon. Cold weather, has produced so many pulled muscles and charley-horses that it would be a hard task to name all PLC's casualties. Harry McLaughlin's ailing pins will carry him in the javelin and shotput events, but Harry will have to pass up the high jump and running events this spring.

Bright spot in the Lute time trials was the 880 work of Leif Knutson. The long-striding Leif is rounding into one of the Lutes' better distance men. The distance runs appear to be the Lutherans' best bet with Louis Brunner and Grant Huffman also capably carrying the Lute colors.

Field Events Are Weakest

Weakest spot in the PLC armor seems to be in the field events. Pole vaulters, shot putters, high jumpers, and discus tossers are few. In the javelin throw, Harry McLaughlin is still kingpin and should take that event. Broad jumper Jim Nylander also is a steady performer.

The sprints and hurdles are both question marks that will be much depended on April 10. Thus far, much depends on the performances of

Harold Malnes, Hal Schrupp, Harold Aker and Alvin Hendrickson. Veterans Everett Cook, Del Schaeffer, and Dick Mason will be on hand as well as jack-of-all-trades, Ed Gamm.

Loggers Reported Strong

Reports from the north end of Tacoma indicate that the Loggers will field a much stronger squad than that of last year. All eyes will be on high jumpers Wayne Mann and Al Danielson in hopes of a new meet record. Last spring Mann cleared 6 feet 3 3/4 inches to top the previous mark. Other boys to watch when the maroon and white invade are Tomcheck, Fabulich, Stivers, Light and Kowalski (if eligible).

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First Students to Graduate in Music To Present Recital on Wednesday

Rumohr Gulhaugen, the first student to graduate in music from Pacific Lutheran College, will present her senior recital Wednesday evening, April 14, at 8 o'clock in the Student Union Building. Rumohr is a student of Mr. Karl Weiss.

Charles Martin, a pupil of Mrs. Gudrun Romning, will act as accompanying artist. Grace E. Blain Gulhaugen, sister of Rumohr, will accompany him.

The program will be as follows:

- French Suite, G. Major J. S. Bach II
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Picture Booklet To Be Distributed To PLC Students

"Education for Youth," Pacific Lutheran College Bulletin, will be distributed today to all students and to all persons and organizations on the college mailing list.

The Bulletin is a pictorial review of the life at PLC, rated primarily for the prospective student. It contains pictures of the buildings, the students and their activities such as "The Choir of the West," the zoology department of the science hall, dedication of the science hall, parties, homecoming festivities and basketball, football and golf scenes, and an aerial-eye view of the campus showing all buildings and the surrounding area.

General information is also given about the courses offered, accreditation of the College, and requirements for admission.

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World Affairs of Interest to Local Discussion Group

An informal discussion of the events of today which will be tomorrow's history took place at the home of John Szabo, junior, last Sunday evening. The occasion was the gathering of the newly-formed current events club which met to compare and share ideas concerning present national and international world conditions.

The spotlight of interest focused on such topics as the presidential candidates and the unharmonious Russian-American relations in Berlin. The radio programs of Walter Winchell and Drew Pearson also furnished plenty of conversational starting points.

The group will gather again at the home of the adviser, Prof. Michel Franck, Sunday evening, April 25.

Coach Cliff Olson Resigns Position

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regarding his resignation. The text of the letter reads:

"It is not easy to leave a place after being connected with it for nineteen years. It is doubly difficult when that institution means as much to one as PLC means to me. However, I have come to the conclusion that I have been here long enough. I have thought of making this change for some time, but there were so many things that our athletic program at PLC needed that I did not feel free to leave until more of these had been accomplished. Now we have tennis courts, a fine football field and running track, a baseball diamond, a golf course, and a beautiful gymnasium. We also have two fine young coaches who know PLC's problems and who intend to make coaching their life's work. For these reasons I feel that I can now leave with a good conscience. My work here has been a pleasure and a privilege and I have received wonderful cooperation from our presidents, faculty, students, alumni and friends of the college. I have had as fine a group of boys to work with as any coach has ever had. I have had a school spirit back of the teams that made the work much easier. I am deeply appreciative of all this. I want to thank all my friends for the help given me during the many kind-nesses shown me in the past, and I want to wish two swell young coaches the best of everything in their work at PLC.

"I'll have lots of pleasant memories of my coaching at PLC, starting with my first practice on the old gravel patch when there were nine boys out and when our entire schedule was a high school schedule. Then leading into Junior College competition and ending with tough college competition, as we have now. The boys who played then with no facilities and with no tradition back of them certainly blazed a trail, which should be an inspiration to present and future PLC athletes. While it is tough to leave, it is with pleasure I remember the privilege I have had of working with such a fine bunch and the fine support I received here."

"Sincerely yours,
"CLIFF OLSON."

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- AWSS conv. show, SUB lounge.
- SAT., APRIL 10 - Basketball banquet, Dittmer's.
- SUN., APRIL 11-12 a.m., Reception in SUB lounge for Augustana choir; 6:30 p.m., Fire-side meeting, SUB lounge; 7:30 p.m., Augustana choir concert, First Lutheran Church, Tacoma.
- MOX., APRIL 12 - Tennis and golf matches at CPS; 7:30 p.m., Business Club, SUB lounge; 7:00 p.m., Spanish Club, reception room.
- TUES., APRIL 13-12, special meeting of Letterman's Club; 4 p.m., Reception by Margaretta Neovius, SUB lounge; 7 p.m., Choir concert entitled in SUB lounge; 7 p.m., German Club, chapel.
- WED., APRIL 14 - Baseball game at CPS; 7 p.m., LDR; 8 p.m., Recital, Rumohr Gulhaugen, SUB lounge.
- THURS., APRIL 15-12:30. Campus Devotions; 7:00 p.m., AWSS in SUB lounge.
- FRI., APRIL 16-15A Retreat, Cauer d'Alenc, Idaho; 6 p.m., Spring banquet, dining hall.

Last Choir Trip

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hurry—my goodness! I wish just terribly nasty of them, wouldn't it?

Sunday morning we sang in the Lutheran church at New Westminster where the Gulhaugens' father was pastor when they were born. After the church service, we were served a delicious meal in the church parlors. The highlight of the meal was the dessert which consisted of jello with whipped cream as thick as ice cream, and heaps and heaps of tea cakes or pastries of some sort the like of which most of us had never tasted.

Revenge in Everett

Sunday evening in Everett the boys experienced sweet revenge and it must have been really sweet, judging from the mess they made of the girls' dressing room. I hate to go into the sordid details but in short here is the picture: Every suitcase was dumped into one general heap in the middle of the floor, thoroughly mixed and strewn about. Purse likewise were emptied. Then, for good measure, they emptied a whole box of Morton's salt all over and throughout. Write a thorough job, don't you think? I'll never know how they had to do all that. There is much more to be said about this amusing (?) situation but I am forced to leave the issue with the surface scarcely scratched).

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Three Outstanding Choirs Coming Here

Students of PLC and residents of Tacoma will hear three outstanding choirs in the next two months, Prof. Gunnar J. Malmn announced.

On Sunday, April 11, at 7:30, the Augustana Choir will appear in concert at the Central Lutheran Church and on April 22 the Women's Choir from the University of Oslo, Norway, will be at PLC for the day.

The Augustana Choir will spend the day on the campus Sunday and will be the guests of the PLC choir supper in the student dining room. Mr. Malmn says that our choir will probably sing for them but he doubts that the Augustana Choir will be able to sing here.

The Oslo Women's Choir will also be the guests of the local organization at a reception in the Student Union when they appear here. Mr. Malmn says the PLC choir and their guests will probably sing together at the reception.

The Oslo choir is making a tour of the entire U. S. and has been sponsored by many of the largest colleges such as Harvard, Yale and Columbia.

On May 23, the Norwegian Male Choruses of Seattle, Portland, Tacoma and Everett will convene at PLC and will present a concert directed by Gunnar Malmn. This choir will consist of approximately 150 voices from all over the Pacific Northwest.

Religious Activities

Mrs. Robert Olson will speak at the next meeting of the LDR, which will be held Wednesday afternoon, Fritz Butsching, soprano, will sing a solo.

A singsgiving, led by Iteald Josie, was the main part of the Program of the Fireside organization held Sunday, April 4. Rev. Milton Nesvig spoke to the meeting, using John 17 as the basis for his talk.

Joey Ruffcorn led devotions and TKo Holland gave the message at Campus Devotions yesterday. Paul Braafloot played a violin solo.

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