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SPECIAL EVENT

BRONCO LUBLICH vs. DANNY O'ROURKE

FIRST MATCH STARTS 8:30 P.M.

Next Point For O'Brien Sets New Mark

NEW YORK (AP)—The next point for the amazing Johnny O'Brien scores for the Seattle basketball team will give him a new four-year record for college basketball.

The point-scoring prodigy, the first collegian to top the 1,000 mark in one season, contributed 29 points to Seattle's 102-101 victory over New York University last night and now is tied with Nate DeLong, who scored 2,592 points for River Falls, (Wis.) State Teachers College. From there it's only a short hop for the agile O'Brien to the career record of 2,902 set by DeLong in five years.

Headlines Taken

Thus, Johnny once again takes the headlines away from his twin brother Eddie, his teammate ever since they first started tossing a

basketball around in their native South Amboy, N. J. Eddie scored 33 points, including two vital foul shots at the end, and was at least equally as important as his more publicized brother to the team's victory.

But it was only another contradiction in the career of the twins who went to a college 3,000 miles from home on baseball scholarships. That's right, baseball—Coach Al Brightman got the scholarships for them after seeing them perform in the National Semi-Pro Baseball Tourney at Wichita, Kan.

No Pro For Me

"Pro basketball would be nice, but I'm really more interested in baseball," Johnny said last night.

"I'm an infield and Eddie's an outfielder. We both bat and hit right-handed, but I once pitched a softball game left-handed."

He didn't discuss any pro offers but it's reported the Pittsburgh Pirates are definitely interested in him.

Last night's victory, scored before 12,752 who saw the highest-scoring game in the 19 years of college basketball at Madison Square Garden, was a triumphal return engagement for the O'Briens. When they played in the National Invitation Tournament last spring, a large delegation of family and friends came over from Jersey but Holy Cross turned back Seattle, 78-73. Johnny got 21 points, but 15 were on foul shots as Holy Cross held Johnny to three field goals.

How about Seattle's defense? "Shucks, we're one of the weakest defensive teams in the North-

west," Johnny said with an Irish grin.

Defense or no, Seattle has won seven games and lost only to the Peoria Caterpillars, the AAU champions.

Here's another oddity about the O'Briens—they're about to be among the first, if not the first, college basketball players ever offered a testimonial dinner before even finishing their career. The folks in South Amboy are planning one for Jan. 3.

Considering the Garden crowd last night, the homefolks probably could postpone that dinner until March, when Seattle and the O'Briens very easily could return for the NIT tourney again.

Showings Spotty For Sugar Fives

NEW ORLEANS (AP)— Defeats absorbed by three entries may push basketball into a back seat this year in the six-sport Sugar Bowl carnival.

Basketball has rivaled football as top-interest sport in the Sugar Bowl program since 1946. Teams brought long winning streaks, name stars and national rankings. But the Sugar Bowl will have only one unbeaten team this year. St. Bonaventure has won its five early games, all against good teams.

The other three entrants are disappointments. Villanova has won four games and lost two. Louisiana State lost its first tough game after five warmup victories, and St. Washington remaining before the tournament, has won only two of four games.

On the other hand, the competing football and boxing teams and tennis and track meets have an imposing array of stars and records.

Georgia Tech and Mississippi, both unbeaten, will clash in the New Year's Day football game. Tech finished the season with 11 straight victories and number two ranking—the top-ranked bowl eligible as national champion. Michigan State can't make a bowl appearance.

Mississippi, after being tied twice, finished as the seventh ranked team and winner of the year's top upset, a 21-14 victory over Maryland's previously unbeaten "defending" Sugar Bowl champions.

College Scores

COLLEGE BASKETBALL
By The Associated Press

FAR WEST

Wyoming 56 Oregon 54
Montana 85 Washington State 61
Eastern Wash 71 Utah State 69
Montana State 76 Colorado Mines 58
Carbon 77 Westminster (Utah) 59
Pepperdine 68 New Mexico Western 54
San Francisco State 64 Humboldt State 56
San Francisco Olympic Club 93
Stanford 75
Los Angeles Loyola 63 Whitworth 50
Hawalian Ambassadors (AAU) 66
Linfield 59

EAST

St. Johns (Bkn) 67 N. C. State 56
Seattle 102 NYU 101
Marshall (WVA) 102 Memphis State 76

SOUTH

West Virginia 83 South Carolina 73
Columbia 61 Georgia 51

MIDWEST

Minnesota 77 Illinois 73
Wayne (Mich.) 71 Duquesne 59
Drake 77 Missouri 57
Wichita 78 San Diego State 56
Southwest Missouri 78 Portland 72
Phillips Oilers 94 Springfield (Mass.) 46
St. Marys (Calif.) 81 Detroit 78
Colorado State 51 Hastings 50
California at Nebraska, cancelled (snowstorm)

SOUTHWEST

Rice 87 Stephen F. Austin 66

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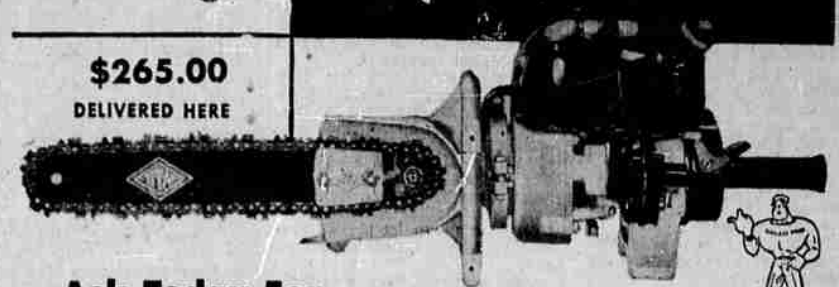
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