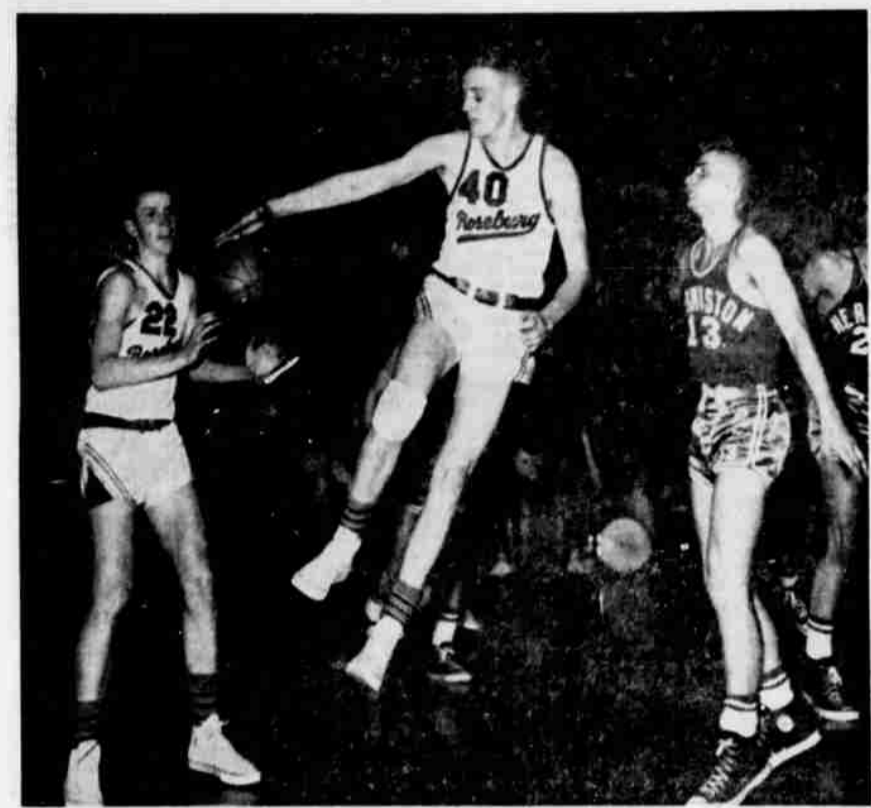


Roseburg Dumps Hermiston, Enters A-1 Semifinals



GOING HIGH in the air for this rebound, which gets by him, is Larry Sloan (40) of the Roseburg Indians in Thursday night's 57-49 victory over Hermiston Bulldogs at MacArthur Court in Eugene. Wes Jackson (22) of Roseburg and Ray Fields (13) of Hermiston await the result. The win for Roseburg puts them in the semi-final round against the Grant Generals tonight starting at 7:30 p.m. (Eugene Register-Guard)

Grant Due Tonight; Steele, Jackson Receive Injuries

By BOB MONROE
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The Roseburg Indians moved one step closer to the state A-1 basketball finals Thursday night with a close 57-49 victory over the Hermiston Bulldogs to advance into the semifinals with Klamath Falls, Franklin and Grant.

Roseburg, after taking an early lead, had to rally in the closing minute of the third quarter to keep its lead. The Bulldogs were never in the lead, although they did knot the score up at 22 in the first period and 35-30 in the third period.

Shooting at a .521 clip from the field, Roseburg still had to fight hard for the win, as the Bulldogs found the range in the final half and finished with a .362 mark, good enough to win most games.

The final tie at 35-35 came with 1:14 left in the third quarter, but Gary Cripps with a free throw and a field goal gave the Indians a 38-35 advantage at the end of three quarters and the Bulldogs could come no closer the rest of the game.

Big 6-6 Tom Barrong with six points in the first quarter and Cripps with five led the Indians to a 19-9 first quarter lead, and with Larry Sloan and Barrong providing most of the second quarter points, still had a seven-point, 27-20 lead, at halftime.

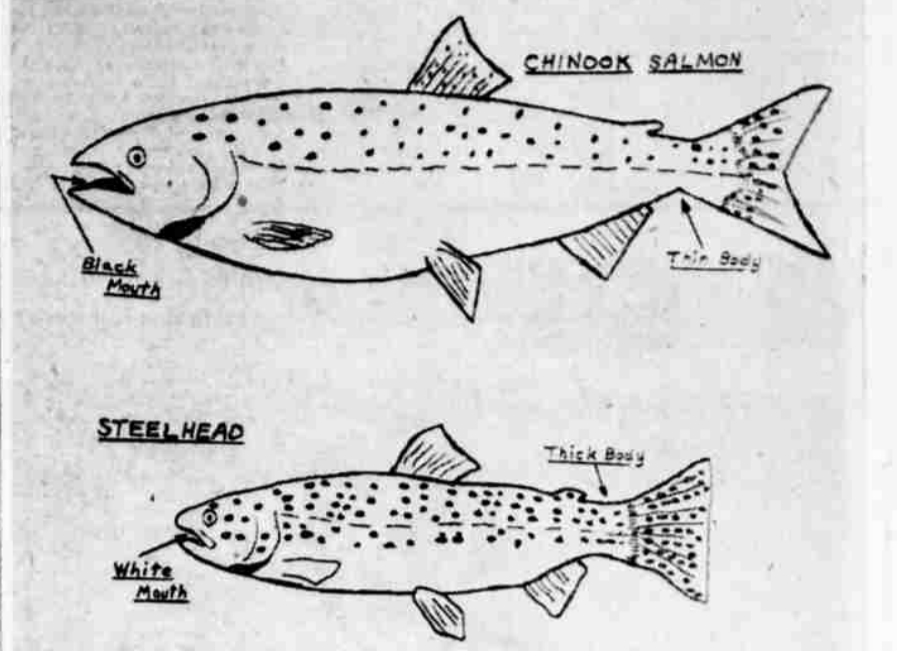
Steele In Hospital

With just six seconds left in the first half, Bob Steele and Wes Jackson of the Indians hit head-on in the middle of the floor and both players were taken out of the game. Jackson returned for full time duty in the second half, but Steele was admitted to the hospital for a possible concussion. He remained there overnight.

Both clubs exchanged baskets throughout the first five minutes of the third quarter, but Hermiston, behind by a 25-28 tally, hit the nets for seven straight points to knot the game all up at 35-35, before Cripps pulled the Tribesmen out of danger.

Hermiston cut the Roseburg lead to four points with 2:50 left in the game on a pair of baskets by Dick Phelps, but again the Indians put on a short point spree

Here's What To Look For In Salmon Season



Salmon Season Opens Saturday

A tape measure and a picture book of fish will be the handiest items for spring chinook salmon fishermen as the season opens Saturday.

Jerry A. Bauer, fishery agent for the state Game Commission at Roseburg, reported today that anglers must return jack salmon under 20 inches and any trout or steelhead regardless of size to the river if they catch them.

He said only chinook salmon 20 inches and over are legal to take and keep until May 24.

In Douglas County, the open areas for fishing for spring chinook are the main Umpqua River, North Umpqua below the narrows at Rock Creek, South Umpqua below the mouth of Jackson Creek, Elk Creek below highway bridge at Drain, Calapoosa Creek below highway bridge at Oakland, Mill Creek, Smith River below the west branch, the north fork of Smith River and in all tidewater areas.

Bauer said some anglers might be confused as to the difference between spring chinook and steelhead. He gave this description of distinguishing characteristics:

Spring chinook: A large fish that will average 15 to 20 pounds. Mouth all black on the inside. Some black spotting on back, dorsal fin and tail. Tail has silvery sheen. Body is thin just in front of the tail.

Steelhead: Medium sized fish averaging 8 to 10 pounds. Mouth all white on inside. Heavy black spots on back, dorsal and adipose fins and all over tail. Body is thick just in front of tail.

First Salmon Making Way Into North Umpqua River

Spring chinook salmon have made their appearance in the North Umpqua River.

With the season on chinook salmon opening Saturday in the Umpqua River and its main tributaries below Rock Creek on the north fork and Jackson Creek on the south fork, the southwest regional office of the Oregon Game Commission has encouraging news that at least a few fish already have made their appearance.

Twenty-nine adult and 10 jack salmon were counted through the checking station at Winchester Dam through March 15, according to the twice-monthly report from same period last year, the 29 fish counted to date is the highest to be recorded for the same date. By March 15 last season 92 fish had passed over the counting board. But because of unfavorable water conditions the migration dropped off in later months. Many fish are believed to have spawned in tributaries of the lower river, rather than attempt passage through the low, warm water of the upper river.

Other water open Saturday for salmon fishing includes Elk Creek below the highway bridge at Drain; Calapoosa Creek below the highway bridge at Oakland; Mill Creek, Smith River below West Branch, north fork of Smith River and all tidewater areas.

Chinook season above the highway bridge at Scottsburg closes June 8.

Salmon anglers are warned that the taking of trout and steelhead is illegal.

Tabulation of the fish count at Winchester through March 15 is reported as follows:

Injuries May Hex Tribe In Quest For Hoop Title

By BOB MONROE
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It's a happy day for the Roseburg basketball team and fans.

The Indians have earned their way into the semifinal round against the Grant Generals tonight, and a possible berth in the state A-1 finals that will be played Saturday night in MacArthur Court.

Getting one of the best games of the season out of Tom Barrong and some sharp shooting by Wes Jackson and Gary Cripps, the Indians go into the semifinals as one of the two dark horses of the meet. The Franklin Teddies are in almost the same boat as Roseburg, both teams getting where they are, when no one thought they stood a chance.

But the Indians have their troubles.

Forward Wes Jackson is favoring a sprained ankle and guard Bobby Steele is in the hospital with a possible concussion. Steele might be ready to go tonight against Grant, but that will not be known until some time today. Jackson played most of the game against Hermiston, but was not up to par, as the ankle gave him more than a little trouble.



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in town and enjoying the many activities that have been planned by the Eugene Active Club.

The 521 average racked up by the Indians in the win against the Hermiston Bulldogs Thursday night was the high game average of the tournament so far. Closest to that total is the .475 average by Springfield Thursday morning

Close Games Mark Tourney As A-1 Scramble Continues

EUGENE — The semifinals of the Oregon A-1 high school basketball tournament will send Franklin Portland vs. Klamath Falls, and Roseburg vs. Grant of Portland Friday night.

Klamath Falls earned its berth with a 56-42 victory over Roseburg of Portland.

Franklin downed Pendleton, 59-45.

Roseburg whipped Hermiston 57-49, and Grant of Portland posted its 24th straight victory this season, rolling over Astoria 55-40.

Thursday losers play Friday afternoon for a crack at fifth place. Pendleton vs. Roseburg, and Hermiston vs. Astoria.

Roseburg put up a stiff fight against Klamath Falls and the score was tied 21-21 at the half.

There was another tie at 25 before the Southern Oregon team went ahead to stay on a field goal and free throw by Bob Petersen. Roosevelt could get no closer than five points after that.

Petersen Tops Scorers

Petersen led all scorers with 16 points and Sherman Cochran was high for Roosevelt with 15.

Grant had an easy time with Astoria. The Portlanders took a two-point advantage 7-5 in the opening minutes and increased the margin as the same progressed. Grant led 19-12 at the end of the first quarter, 31-20 at the half, and 40-26 at the three-quarter mark.

Bill McKenzie of Grant was high for the game with 18 points and Gordon Scott led the losers with 15.

Roseburg's victory was marked by an injury to guard Bob Steele. He suffered a possible concussion in a mid-floor collision with his teammate, Wes Jackson.

Hermiston, which dropped behind early, managed to tie the score 35-35 in the third quarter, but there the rally stalled. Tom Barrong led Roseburg's attack with 17 points while Dick Phelps of Hermiston was high for the game with 19.

Franklin Pushed

In the opening afternoon game Franklin had to scramble to pull out its victory over Pendleton.

The Portlanders held a 10-point advantage late in the game and then Pendleton surged, tying the score at 43-43. Franklin took the lead again—and held it—when Dew Porter and Gerry Bergstrom scored.

Franklin's George Staehne was high with 16 points. Dick Bunch had 11 for Pendleton.

Thursday night's attendance was 6,747. The total for the day was 17,091, and for the tournament through Thursday night, 39,223. These figures are below those of last year.

From The Baseball Camps

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

SARASOTA, Fla. — Jim Pagliaroni has joined Sammy White, Pete Daley and Haywood Sullivan in the Boston Red Sox catching corps.

Pagliaroni, on terminal leave from the Army awaiting separation, worked out with the team for the first time Thursday and delighted manager Mike Higgins by showing up 10 pounds lighter than when he left for the service.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. — Del Ennis of the St. Louis Cardinals, a notoriously slow starter is moving at a fast clip this spring.

"He's swinging like it is mid-season," said Manager Fred Hutchinson.

The stocky outfielder is hitting .384, third among the Cards.

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla. — Virgil Trucks, starting his 20th year in professional baseball, was loose-armed and effective in his first appearance of the spring Thursday.

Trucks pitched the seventh and eighth innings for the Kansas City Athletics against the Pittsburgh Pirates. He had said beforehand he wouldn't throw hard, but he held the Pirates scoreless.

He gave up two singles and two walks, properly spaced.

Pittsburgh already had the game wrapped up 7-4.

BRADENTON, Fla. — Manager Al Lopez of the Chicago White Sox plans to take about 14 pitchers north with the club and four of these will be assigned elsewhere by May 15.

Among the 18 hurlers on the staff, only Paul LaPalme and Stover McMillan have not yet pitched in competition. The last two moundsmen not on the roster, Vince Zetis and Gary Peters, both with Colorado Springs, will leave Sunday for Hollywood.

MESA, Ariz. — Gordon Massa, portly catcher, has been optioned by the Chicago Cubs to Portland of the Pacific Coast League.

The move stripped the Cubs' active roster to 23 players.

Massa, former Holy Cross athlete, was to leave Friday for Brawley, Calif., where Portland is training.

Players afflicted by "valley virus" were infielders Eddie Miksis and Jim Marshall, outfielders Bob Neiman and Lennie Green and pitchers Billy O'Dell and Art Houtteman.

Richard delayed minor league assignments for infielder Wayne Causey and outfielder Bill Lajoie. Earlier, they had been assigned to the Vancouver triple-A affiliate in the Pacific Coast League.

The virus attack is comparable to intestinal grippe.

Prep Basketball

Oregon A-1 Prep Basketball Tournament
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Championship Round

Franklin (Portland) 49, Pendleton 45

Klamath Falls 58, Roseburg (Portland) 42

Roseburg 57, Hermiston 49

Grant (Portland) 55, Astoria 40

Consolation Round

Springfield 71, McMinnville 50

Beaverton 56, North Salem 36

St. Helens 40, Bend 55

Grants Pass 55, Corvallis 40

HOCKEY AT A GLANCE
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2 Ohio Teams In Finals Of National Invitation

NEW YORK — Impressive victories by top-seeded Dayton and unranked Xavier have set up an all-Ohio championship game in the National Invitation Basketball Tournament.

The Flyers rode over St. John's of New York 80-36 and Xavier knocked off third-seeded St. Bonaventure 72-53 in Thursday night's semi-finals in Madison Square Garden.

The finals will be played Saturday and will be preceded by a consolation game for third place between the Bombers and St. John's.

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NCAA Basketball Finals Due Tonight

LOUISVILLE, Ky. — Three-time champion Kentucky and neophyte Temple, Kansas State and Seattle tonight begin the scramble that in 24 hours will lead one of the four to the NCAA basketball championship.

Kentucky (21-6) meets Temple (28-2) in the opening semifinal, followed by K-State (22-3) vs. Seattle (22-5). Tonight's winners play for the title Saturday night after a consolation game for third place.

Big bruising Kansas State, the Big Eight champion, rates even money favorite with the oddsmakers. Kentucky's Southeastern Conference kings, old hands at NCAA play with 10 appearances and three titles, moved up at a late hour as second choice at 9-5. Temple, pride of the Middle Atlantic Conference and winner of 23 straight, was 3-1 and Seattle, the only "at large" survivor, 9-2 despite the presence of All America Elgin Baylor.

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