

# SENTINEL SPORTS

## Knights - Roseburg to Clash for Dist. 6 Honors

(Dick Clark)

The local Knights of Columbus eyed the district 6 state tournament berth with greater enthusiasm than ever Tuesday night, after they trounced Bennett's Coos Bay team 11-1 before a capacity crowd at Kelly Field.

After dropping the opening play-off game to Roseburg Friday night, the Knights came storming back and defeated Roseburg 6-2 Monday in the return game and squeezed past this same Coos Bay team Sunday 6-5 in their first encounter. All this added up to a first place tie for the city champs with Roseburg—the playoff game for the state berth to be held on Kelly field this Friday night.

Errors and wild pitches proved costly to Coos Bay and after leading 1-0 at the top of the first they allowed six unearned runs to cross the plate for the Knights. In the first inning Neal of KC went to first after the catcher dropped the ball on the third strike, second and scored after two wild pitches. In the same frame Gordon Elfvig made first on a pitcher's error and then trotted home on a wild throw over the second baseman's head, on an attempted steal. After the first inning the writing was on the wall and the Knights led all the way. They added two more runs in the second, one in the third, four in the big fifth, and the remainder in the sixth and seventh.



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With one away in the fifth, Harold Wicks walked and stole second. Then Mike McKibben walked and Dugan beat out a punt to fill the bases. A pitcher's error scored Wicks and McKibben and Dugan scored on a long fly ball for the KC's.

An error and fielder's choice put men on first and second with one away for Bennett's bay team in the third, but a timely double play helped pitcher Perron Hocker out of a bad hole. The only other time the Coos team threatened was in the sixth when they had the bases loaded with two away. The third baseman fled out to center field to retire the side however.

During the seventh inning intermission Mayor Warren Edwards presented Father Sohler with the city softball trophy which is awarded each year to the championship team. The Knights have an impressive record of 14 wins without a setback in league play—and three wins in their first four district playoff games. Father Sohler noted that "credit should be given where credit is due" and commended the whole team in general and Captain and Manager Ivan "Bony" Patten in particular for a job well done.

The game at Kelly field this Friday should prove to be a scorcher, with both teams fighting to the ump degree to gain the coveted state tournament berth. The Scherner Squirts of Roseburg tripped the Knights 4-3 on Kelly field Friday, then lost on their own field 6-2 last Monday. Thus the two teams will meet for the third time at Kelly field Friday.

### Odd Fact

A feature of the Shrove Tuesday observances in the town of Olney, Buckinghamshire, England, was a women's pancake race in which the contestants had to run a certain distance while carrying a pancake in a frying pan and flip it three times during the race.

## Pairings for 16th Annual Softball Tourney Named

Eugene, August 22 — Pairings for the 16th annual Oregon State Softball Association tournament here August 28 - September 1 have been announced by State Director Don January, although many cities and districts are still in the throes of playoffs.

The schedule for the opening round Sunday will be:

12 noon — District 7 (Klamath Falls) vs District 13 (Seaside Astoria).

1 p.m. — District 4 (Albany Lebanon) vs District 10 (La-Grande, Baker, Nyssa, Ontario, etc.).

2 p.m. — District 11 (Pendleton, Hermiston, Milton-Freewater, etc.) vs. District 8 (Medford, Grants Pass, Ashland).

3 p.m. — District 5 (Corvallis) vs. District 12 (Bonneville-The Dalles).

4 p.m. — District 9 (Bend, Redmond, Prineville, Hines, John Day) vs. District 14 (Salem).

7:30 p.m. — District 1 (West Linn, Molalla, Tigard, Hubbard, Estacada, Oswego) vs. District 15 (Springfield).

8:30 p.m. — District 2 (McMinnville, Tillamook, Mt. Angel, North Lincoln county) vs. District 6 (Cottage Grove, Roseburg, Coos Bay).

9:30 p.m. — District 16 (Eugene) vs. District 3 (Hillsboro, St. Helens, Forest Grove, Orenco).

Two of the quarter-final games will be played Monday and the other two Tuesday night, at 7:30 and 8:30 p.m., respectively. The semi-finals will be played at 7:30 p.m. and the championship game will be at 8:40 p.m. Thursday.

The winner will enter the regional tournament in Boise, Idaho, and will be matched against the runner-up team from Seattle. Winner of the Portland title (the Rose City, for the first time, will not play in the state tourney) will be matched against the Seattle champs. Both games will be played September 3, at 1:00 and 9:30 p.m., respectively.

January also announced the regional pairings for the two Oregon girls' teams in the Boise playoffs, the Oregon winner meeting the Idaho champs at 8 p.m. and the Portland winner meeting the Washington champs at 7:30 p.m., both games to be played August 2.

## Knights Capture Softball Championship



These members of the Knights of Columbus softball team swept undefeated through both rounds of play this summer to capture the league championship, and represented Cottage Grove in the district playoffs with Roseburg and Coos Bay. They are, from left to right, standing: Gordon Elfvig, 1b; Mike McKibben, c; Ken Westfall, p; Bud Granum, cf; Ivan Patten (Manager) c. Kneeling: Father Zeller, 2b; Don Dugan, rf; Ellis Decker, 2b; Vernon Decker, lf; and Harold Wicks, ss. Frank Sulter, cf, missing from picture.

## Football Equipment Is Issued to 44 Hi School Boys—20 Suits Still Available

### Kip Taylor Faces Tough Job Before Football Opener

OREGON STATE COLLEGE, Corvallis, Aug. 23—When football practice starts at Oregon State next Monday, Coach Kip Taylor will launch a race against time to get his Orange squad ready for the conference opener a scant two and a half weeks later—UCLA at Los Angeles on September 16.

The task is doubly difficult because Taylor, who came to Oregon State from Michigan State last March, must complete the indoctrination of the squad with his system and at the same time get the club ready for an important ball game. Furthermore, all but one of his assistants will be getting their first look at the Beaver squad next Monday. Only Bump Elliott, backfield boss, was on hand for the spring drills. Newcomers are Len Younce, line coach; Pete Elliott, ends mentor; and Hal Moe, freshman coach.

For the first ten days of practice the Beavers will work out twice a day, from 9:30 until 11:30 in the morning and from 3:30 until 5:30 in the afternoon. Specialists—passers, kickers and pass receivers—will report a half hour early for each session.

Taylor expects 23 lettermen on hand for the initial workout. They are Rudy Ruppe, Stan McGwire, Bud Gibbs, Cliff Snider, and Craig McMicken, ends; Jay Simon, Arvid Niemi, Jim Inglesby and Jim Harker, tackles; Captain Tom DeSylvia and Ed Carmichael, guards; Ray Koch and Al Gray, centers; and Walt Kelly, Ken Carpenter, Dick Gray, Don Mast, Dick Vallancour, Ron Newton, Dick Twenge, Andy Knudsen, Duke Byers and Duane Moore, backs.

Remainder of the squad will be made up largely of sophomores up from last fall's strong freshman team along with a handful of varsity reserves and transfers.

Football equipment was issued to 44 boys Tuesday night at the union high school. Twenty suits are still available for any boys who wish to try-out. Regular practice sessions will be held nightly until the opening date of school.

Only five of the 22 boys who won letters last fall were present to receive equipment. Much will depend on the five returning lettermen: Red Englert, Bob Cook, Sonny Hayes, Walt Sorenson and Lowrey Hoyer. Promising transfer Jim Webb showed up with his wrist in a cast and it is doubtful as to his effectiveness.

Conditioning work is scheduled this week with heavy work-outs on the calendar for next week. The first appearance of the Lion varsity will be in the first annual Lane county football jamboree at Eugene, September 9. Teams from Eugene, University High, Cottage Grove and Junction City will compete that evening with opponents decided by lot.

**Words of the Wise**  
The discovery of what is true and the practice of that which is good are the two most important objects of philosophy.  
—(Voltaire)

First U.S. Hawaii Non-stop flight, between the mainland and Hawaii, occurred on 28-29, 1927. It was made by Lieut. Lester J. Maitland (pilot) and Lieut. Albert F. Hagenberger (navigator), of U. S. army air corps.



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### BARBARA WINS AGAIN

Ladies day, August 24, we had a good attendance and played the nine holes using only two clubs of our own choosing. Barbara Hill had the sensational score of only 50 playing under this handicap of two clubs for the entire course and had the lowest score of all. Belle Burkholder had the next lowest, thus was runner-up. However the money prize went again to Frances Hunter, with the closest putt on number 5. Belle had par on No. 5, but the rest of her putting was very poor. We will continue play till the weather prevents at 9 a.m. each Wednesday. Mrs. Hazel Wendling, a newcomer to the game, did some very good putting. We would welcome all ladies who wish to learn while the summer weather lasts.

Belle Burkholder, reporter for Ladies C. G. Golf Club.

### USUAL TWO BALL FOURSOME

Due to the early darkness, it has been decided to start the two balls a little after 5 p.m. instead of 5 as usual. In the nine hole play Barbara Hill distinguished herself by playing with two men partners having lowest score playing with Steve Gasper, and also tied as runner-up with Mark Kincart, with another couple namely: Georgetta Funk and Earl Hill, who also had second low. Belle Burkholder not knowing that the time had been set forward was late and played a lone hand with a very poor score. We are glad to see Mark Kincart playing again. The usual delicious potluck followed the play. We regret to say that Bob Gasper did not win this time. Belle Burkholder, reporter.

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(Astoria Tide)

|               |           | Hi Water | Lo Water   | Hi Water | Lo Water   | FISHING |
|---------------|-----------|----------|------------|----------|------------|---------|
| Perigee Equa. | Thurs. 25 | 1:42 8.4 | 8:17 -1.4  | 2:32 8.0 | 8:37 0.4   | Poor    |
|               | Fri. 26   | 2:30 8.1 | 8:55 -0.9  | 3:09 8.4 | 9:25 -0.1  | Poor    |
|               | Sat. 27   | 3:21 7.7 | 9:33 -0.3  | 3:46 8.5 | 10:15 -0.4 | Poor    |
|               | Sun. 28   | 4:13 7.0 | 10:13 0.4  | 4:27 8.5 | 11:11 -0.5 | Poor    |
| First Q       | Mon. 29   | 5:12 6.3 | 10:56 1.2  | 5:10 8.4 | -----      | Poor    |
|               | Tues. 30  | 6:17 5.7 | 12:11 -0.4 | 6:00 8.0 | 11:47 2.1  | Fair    |
|               | Wed. 31   | 7:32 5.2 | 1:18 -0.3  | 7:02 7.7 | 12:53 2.8  | Fair    |
| S. Equa       | Thurs. 1  | 8:56 5.1 | 2:31 -0.3  | 8:13 7.4 | 2:14 3.2   | Fair    |

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## Big Round-Up Dance

Saturday, September 3, Armory, 8:30 p. m.