

stuff shots

Good tickets getting harder to discover

It's nice to have friends in the right places. Without them, it would be pretty difficult to see a good basketball game in this state.

That's the price one has to pay for having the nation's top-rated college basketball team nearby as well as one of the most popular professional teams.

The Oregon State Beavers gave an old-fashioned whipping to state rival Oregon last Thursday, the third defeat they've handed the Ducks this season. It was vintage OSU for most of the game as the Beavers sank 11 of their first 12 shots from the floor and ended the game with a mark over .700.

And that was with 6-foot-10 center Steve Johnson in foul trouble and All-Pac-10 guard Ray Blume on the bench in the second half with bronchitis.

OSU showed its poise in "The Pit," otherwise known as MacArthur Court. The Pit was rocking, hoping for an upset. But OSU effectively neutralized the crowd of 10,000 with a deadly display of shooting.

Incidentally, the halftime entertainment featured the women's volleyball teams from the two schools, and starting for the Beavers is former Sandy High star Christie Elliott, now a freshman at Oregon State.

Somewhat hidden by the good fortune of OSU and their own up-and-down year have been the Portland Trail Blazers. The Blazers were coming off their worst defeat in history Sunday night when the Utah Jazz came to town.

Utah is not a great team, but the Jazz seems to have Portland's number. Three times already this season, Utah has dumped the Blazers. And, after giving up 168 points to Denver on Friday, it looked like the Blazers were ripe for loss number four.

Not quite. The Blazers put on quite a show for the crowd, announced as 12,666, but much closer to 10,000. Portland outscored Utah 25-10 in the second quarter and went on to post a 118-84 win.

The game was a blowout and the crowd, silent for most of the night, sat back and enjoyed it. In fact, the biggest ovation of the evening came when the Coliseum announcer proclaimed the entrance of 6-11, 280-pound center Geoff Crompton into the game.

Crompton, also known as "The Incredible Bulk," was signed by the Blazers to replace an injured Kevin Kunnert. But in a few short days he has gained a popularity rivaled only by that of teammate Billy Ray Bates.

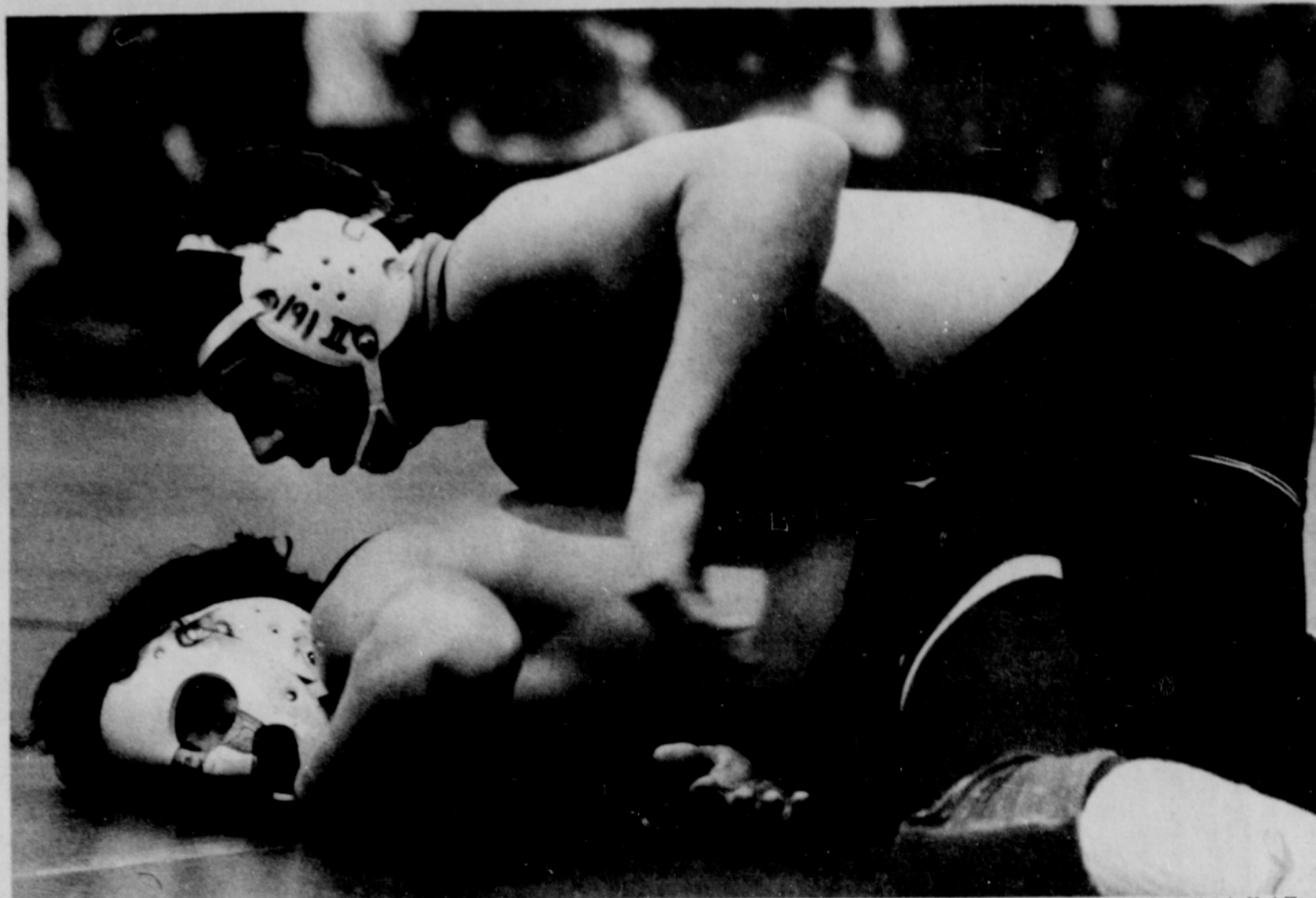
Crompton is just huge. It would require a lot of stamina just to run a lap around him. His style of play is what one might expect. Crompton sets up low in the post and waits for a teammate to shoot. On defense, he also sets up low. But once the ball is in the air, he sticks out his massive rear end and clears the key like a road grater.

The result is not very pretty, but Crompton is surprisingly effective. He picked up six rebounds, second-high for Portland, despite playing just eight minutes. He even sank a jump-hook off one of those boards at the offensive end.

Bates was his usual explosive self. Although many will claim that he got his game-high 25 points during garbage time, Bates actually was the offensive catalyst for Portland. Immediately after entering the game in the first and third quarters, he hit for four quick points and ignited the quiet crowd. That picked the Blazers up and they were never threatened the rest of the night.

The defensive key was Kermit Washington, who shut down Adrian Dantley, the leading scorer in the NBA. Washington bumped, grabbed, pushed and thoroughly outmuscled Dantley, who was held to 18 points, more than a dozen below his average.

A Civil War game and a 34-point Blazer romp. Not a bad week for basketball addicts.



Randy Carmony, 191-pounder for Sandy High's fourth-rated wrestling team, controls an opponent in a recent match. Carmony had the night off Friday.

winning by forfeit, but the rest of the Pioneers weren't so lucky as they went down to defeat at the hands of Molalla 29-27.

Molalla upends Sandy High wrestlers

Friday night's meet against Molalla was not the kind of outing a team would want to use as a springboard for district.

The Sandy High wrestling team, ranked fourth in the state, found the road pretty tough and suffered a 29-27 loss to the Indians in the Timber Valley League finale for both teams.

Sandy will compete at district this weekend.

"It was just a bad night altogether," Sandy coach Ron Calhoun shrugged. "The kids didn't wrestle well and in a couple of matches, the referees let things get out of hand. It just took a couple things and we lost it."

One of the major problems was the loss of Chris Jones,

the Sandy junior who is one of the best in the state. Jones was suffering from a sore knee and sat out the match. His presence might have made the difference.

The Pioneers dug themselves into a deep hole early in the match and couldn't quite scramble out of it. Molalla jumped out to a 23-6 lead at one point before the Pioneers clawed back into it.

Sandy took the lead, 27-26, after picking up a forfeit win at 191. But Kevin Paquette, Molalla's tough heavyweight, outdueled Tim Sytsma by a 7-1 score in the final match.

Larry Topliff got the Pioneers off to their usual hot start as he picked up his

usual pin. This time it was Wayne Barth who bit the dust against Sandy's tough 98-pounder, going down in 1:23. Those were the Pioneers' last points for a while, though.

Molalla's Dave Haqq nipped Mike Rohweder by a 6-5 score at 106. Armond Mendez gained a four-point win over Bill Mathews at 115 with a 16-6 decision and Ross Aylott turned over Sandy's Robert Paul at 123 and pinned him at the 1:38 mark. The Pioneers early lead had diminished in a hurry and Molalla was up 13-6.

They upped that margin when Duke Hobdon topped Scott Quick 12-1 at 130 and Tony Brewer pinned Carey Larson at 5:42 of the

136-pound match.

That gave the Indians their biggest lead, but the strength of the Sandy lineup was coming up. Senior Mike Russell pinned Jeff Davis at 1:51 of the 141-pound match and Dean Fischer scored a 4-2 win over Todd Fox at 148.

But John Lytle of Molalla held on to take a tight, 4-3 win over Cal McKinnis at 157 to break into the Pioneers' strength.

Dan Martin got the Pioneers back on track at 168 with a tough, 7-2 win over Sean Kelly. Kelly, despite losing to Martin, will likely be the top-seeded grappler at district because of a better record. Martin's victory, however, showed that he is ready for the district meet.

Scott Skipper picked up a big win for the Pioneers at 178, blanking Nick Roth 5-0. Randy Carmony then won by forfeit at 191 to set up the heavyweight match.

Sytsma has been wrestling at heavyweight all year for Sandy at a weight disadvantage. The Pioneers started with Alan Fry at heavyweight but lost him to an injury. Sytsma took over to avoid the loss of six points each match despite being a 191-pounder. He will wrestle at 191 at the district meet.

Sandy finished the year in third place in the rugged Timber Valley League dual meet race. Oregon City was first.

Four TVL teams are in the top 12 at state.

Photo by Mark Floyd

Eroded streambeds can be repaired

For more than 100 years, man has been changing the face of Oregon.

He has been converting it to his own use, often ignoring the laws of nature and usually paying the consequences. And nowhere is this better seen than in our local streams.

Few areas in the state, if any, are free from stream abuse. There are symptoms such as the absence of streamside vegetation to stabilize the banks, filter runoff and shade the water; raw soil banks that crumble and wash away with each rain; channels which have

widened and become shallow and change course during each period of flood.

Warm water temperatures



by Ken Durbin

and silted gravel beds often restrict or eliminate populations of fish and other

aquatic life. Debris can also choke a channel.

Causes of the problem have been many, including unrestricted livestock access, attempts to straighten or relocate channels, efforts to use every last foot of land for agriculture, past abusive logging and roadbuilding practices, to name a few.

But nature is a marvelous healer and once the abuse stops, nature goes right to the business of repairing the damage. With a little help,

that process can be accelerated. It is the kind of healing which can be measured year to year and the benefits begin almost immediately.

A section of Fifteenmile

Creek provides a classic example. Fifteenmile Creek is a small tributary of the Columbia River near The Dalles.

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calendar

SANDY HIGH SCHOOL

BOYS BASKETBALL
Feb. 20 - West Linn at Sandy, 7:45 p.m.
Feb. 24 - Canby at Sandy, 7:45 p.m.

GIRLS BASKETBALL
Feb. 18 - Oregon City at Sandy, 7:45 p.m.

WRESTLING
Feb. 20 - District meet at Oregon City, 12 p.m.
Feb. 21 - District meet at Oregon City, 12 p.m.

SWIMMING
Feb. 20 - State meet at Mt. Hood Community College, 9 a.m.
Feb. 21 - State meet at Mt. Hood Community College, 1 p.m.

SKIING
Feb. 21 - Slalom at Mt. Hood Meadows, 8 a.m.

BOYS JV BASKETBALL
Feb. 20 - West Linn at Sandy, 6 p.m.
Feb. 21 - Canby at Sandy 6 p.m.

BOYS FROSH BASKETBALL
Feb. 19 - Gardiner at Sandy "A", 4 p.m.

GIRLS JV BASKETBALL
Feb. 18 - Oregon City at Sandy, 6 p.m.

GIRLS FROSH BASKETBALL
Feb. 18 - Ogden at Sandy, 6 p.m.

CEDAR RIDGE

WRESTLING
Feb. 20 - Cedar Ridge at Ogden, 3:30 p.m.
Feb. 23 - Cedar Ridge at Kraxberger, 3:30 p.m.
Feb. 25 - Cedar Ridge at Corbett, 3:30 p.m.

GIRLS BASKETBALL
Feb. 19 - Cedar Ridge at Orient, 3:45 p.m.
Feb. 24 - Cedar Ridge at Corbett, 3:45 p.m.
Feb. 26 - Redland at Cedar Ridge, 3:45 p.m.

SANDY REC LEAGUE
"A" Division
Feb. 19 - Schoppert's Loggers vs. Deli Barn, 6:45 p.m.
Feb. 19 - Clackamas County Bank vs. Reliable Realty, 8 p.m.
Feb. 24 - Pleasant Home Mobil vs. Funny Farm, 6:45 p.m.
Feb. 24 - Deli Barn vs. Wooden Hutch, 8 p.m.
Feb. 26 - Funny Farm vs. Deli Barn, 8 p.m.

"B" Division
Feb. 25 - Drones vs. Sandy TV, 6:45 p.m.
Feb. 25 - Dairy Queen vs. Ron's No Place, 7:45 p.m.
Feb. 25 - P.C. Construction vs. Swimmers, 8:45 p.m.

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Sandy Early Birds Feb. 16, 1981		
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Eagle Foundry	20	12
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