

SPORTS REPORT

12th annual Bayou Classic to be held Nov. 23 in Superdome

The 12th Annual Bayou Football Classic, between Grambling State University and Southern University, will be held Saturday, Nov. 23, in the famous New Orleans Superdome.

Co-sponsored by Coca-Cola USA, it is the largest Black sporting event in the world. Attracting more than 77,000 spectators each year, the event features the nationally-acclaimed Grambling and Southern universities marching bands, and a "Miss Bayou" pageant, sponsored by Coca-Cola.

Winner of the pageant will receive a \$2,000.00 scholarship from Coca-Cola.

The football classic will kick-off at 3 p.m., CST when the Grambling team, coached by Eddie Robinson, will face Southern University, coached by Otis Washington. This season the teams' records are: Grambling 9-1 and Southern 5-4. Robinson has recently become the most victorious football coach in college history.

Proline Beauty Products sponsors benefit for Loaves and Fishes featuring LA Laker A.C. Green

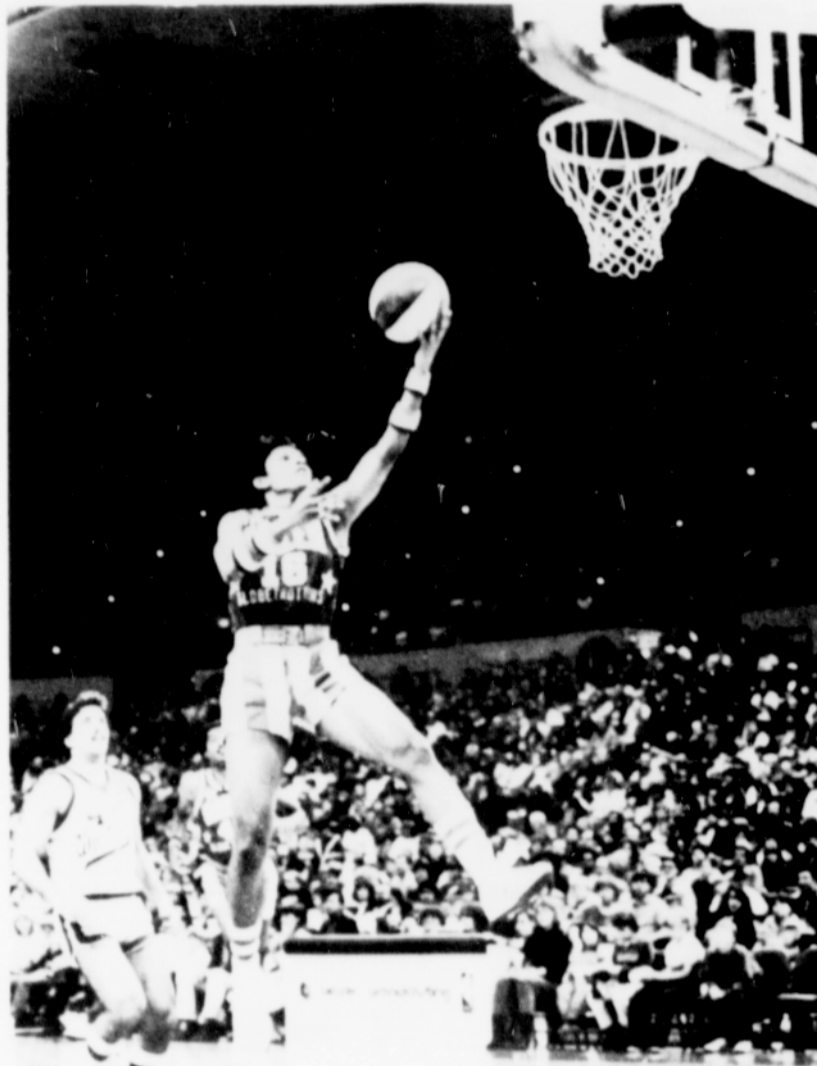
Proline Beauty Products and Salon presents a benefit for Loaves and Fishes featuring LA Laker, A.C. Green, Saturday, Nov. 23, from 12 noon to 2 p.m. at 705 S.W. Alder. A.C. will autograph photographs and talk with fans. All proceeds will be donated to Loaves and Fishes of Portland, Oregon.

Proline owner Virginia Bowen, an avid basketball fan, tracked A.C. Green's career from Benson High to OSU to the star rookie of the LA Lakers. Bowen testifies, "AC shows the Oregon youth a way to play and live clean."

Bowen chose Loaves and Fishes for personal reasons. She tells her story, "I am a fortunate, healthy 60-year-

old woman. I own a business and enjoy independence. But not all older people are as lucky. Loaves and Fishes prepares and delivers hot lunches to house-bound older people. Plus their centers serve these meals for those who can get out. You know, sometimes this is their only hot meal for the day."

Bowen asked Green to help their Oregon community. Kate Marx of Loaves and Fishes believes A.C. Green is a natural choice for the fundraiser. Bowen and Green believe in helping their community grow strong. Bowen adds, "Business cannot work in a vacuum, if the community didn't support us we wouldn't be here."



Lynette Woodard, first and only woman player for the Harlem Globetrotters, nicknamed the "Leaping Lizard" showed her unique combination of skill and personality during the team's recent appearance in Portland. Compiling an impressive college and Olympic record, Lynette won a competition for the first female Globetrotter. According to Woodard, the tour travel schedule is more hectic than the action on the court.

(Photo: Richard J. Brown)

Trailblazer Thompson and "Dribble Marathon"

Nov. 30, 2-5 p.m., Trailblazer Mychal Thompson and a group of his Trailblazer buddies will lead off a Dribble Marathon Benefit for Western Youth Ranch, a new concept in dealing with juvenile delinquency. The Dribble Marathon will include dribblers of all ages, who have each collected sponsorships to aid in the development of the Ranch. Free basketballs and T-shirts will be provided for the participants to use and keep. Special contests and events mean everyone has a chance to win some of the many prizes. Call 222-0070 for further details or pick up entry forms at Plaid Pantry stores.



1984 Olympic Silver Medalists Kitty and Peter Carruthers star in Ice Capades' newest revue. Unveiling their original and gravity defying moves, this strong, energetic brother and sister duo have an insatiable desire to attempt the new and daring.

United Grocer night means free football!

Free kicks. That's what 18,000 lucky football fans will get on United Grocers Night at Portland's Civic Stadium, Saturday, Nov. 23 when the Portland State University (PSU) Vikings take on the Matadors of California State-Northridge.

United Grocers has purchased \$15,000 worth of tickets—all of the general admission seats in Civic Stadium for that night. Portland State will use the revenue from the sale of tickets for purchasing team uniforms and equipment, travel and lodging expenses, and general program operating costs.

Oregon Food Share will also benefit from United Grocers Night. To claim a free seat, United Grocers ticketholders are being asked to present a can of food at the stadium gate. The collected canned goods will be given to Oregon Food Share, a statewide food distribution agency which feeds more than 270,000 hungry Oregonians every year.

Tickets will be available between Nov. 17 and the day of the game. To get a ticket (four per family limit) the public need only drop by any United Grocers store including Thriftway, Sentry, Food Warehouse, AG, Kienow's, and any of the fine independent grocers displaying the United Grocers symbol.

Half-time entertainment will feature more than a marching band.

United Grocers will give away a grand prize trip for two to Maui to one of five randomly selected football fans. The prize includes six nights lodging, roundtrip airfare on Northwest Orient Airlines, \$500 in cash and car rental with unlimited mileage.

Four ticketholders will also receive a \$100 gift certificate good at any United Grocers member store.

United Grocers hopes to make this an annual fundraising tradition, according to president Alan Jones. "We feel this event is an excellent way to support the PSU athletic program and, at the same time, help to feed needy Oregonians," says Jones. "Naturally, we also hope that our efforts will help encourage the public to further support the PSU athletic program by attending future games," adds Jones.

United Grocers, Inc. is a retailer-owned cooperative serving more than 340 retail member stores throughout Oregon, southwest Washington, and northern California. The company operates distribution centers in Portland and Medford. It is best known by its advertising groups Thriftway Stores, Sentry Markets, A.G. Markets, Food Warehouse, or by individual store names such as Strohecker's, Kienow's, Wizer's, Murphy's, Duffy's, Meister's, Wagner's, and other fine independent grocers.



Coach Eddie Robinson is a living sports legend as football's winningest coach and 44 years of success for Grambling State University.

Eddie Robinson: winningest coach

Grambling State University Coach Eddie Robinson has broken the records and made new ones as the coach to win the most games in the history of college and professional football.

Robinson is not just the first Black coach to achieve this, he is the "winningest" coach, Black or white, of all time, surpassing the legendary Paul (Bear) Bryant and George Halas.

The 66-year-old Robinson has spent 44 years at Grambling influencing the lives of countless students

and sending numerous successful players into professional football.

Although Robinson is now a living legend he takes his record-making success in stride. "All the record means is that I've been around a long time. You may talk about the record, but that's not the record. The record is 44 years at one school, one job and one wife. . . . Maybe one day I'll wake up and realize what I've done. Whatever it is, I just hope it means something to the youth."

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