

Rollin' Along

With Jerry Stone

Nice recognition for St. Paul's Sam Smith in being named as a member of the West B grid squad for next summer's annual Shrine clash at Pendleton. . . Sam, a ripping, snorting ball pucker was the shining light on the Buckaroos' six-man aggregation which gained the State playoffs in the fall—and he showed so much stuff in the six-man sport that he's bound to be a big help to the West in that coming eleven-man fracas. . . Also selected for the squad is Rudy Herr of Brownville, another six-man whizz, who staged a sterling duel with Smith in the playoff quarter final.

Walter O'Malley, proxy of dem Dodgers, says Brooklyn will have a new ball park in five years. Does that mean O'Malley will follow through on his talk about an edifice that's include such ultra features as an adjustable roof for playing area and all?

This O'Malley idea created quite a stir when it hit printed a couple of years ago. Most scoffed and said such an eye-opener wouldn't be much sooner arriving than a trip to the moon. . . But what a heaven-sent thing such a stadium would be in erasing schedule traffic-jams caused by rain-outs. The adjustable roof would make rain-checks a thing of the past. . . Open the roof on the sunniest days and the balmy nights; shut it tight when the rain drops come. . .



JACK KRAMER He's Still Best

M'Gosh! Same Old Game of Week Policy

The NCAA people, evidently not overly blessed with the ability to see the masses' side of things, aim to stick to the same old pattern in next fall's Game of the Week television schedule. That means schedules rigidly set up far ahead of time—and more griping like last season when most of the TV'd contests had no more national interest than a game of mumble-pet down in Pumpkin Corner. . .

Why doesn't pro tennis have the lustre of its amateur brother? Several reasons and firstly being what does it prove? You beat me one night and I beat you the next night—and that goes on for maybe 150 nights. . . Secondly, the current barnstorming troupe includes 38-year-old Don Budge. Now Don was one of the greatest of 'em all in his heyday, but it has been quite a few moons since his heyday. . . Thirdly, somebody will be named the champ when the extended tour is at an end—but he'll be a cheese champ since the best of 'em all, Jack Kramer, isn't even participating. Jack has tossed the racquet aside in favor of promotional duties. . .

Maybe, as with race horses, that Kentucky bluegrass also works wonders with the guys that tramp up and down the maple courts. Most everyone relishes the hope that Kaintuck's Wildcats get knocked off one of these nights—but it would seem to be an idle hope. . . The Wildcats seem to have the magic formula once again. . .

Sublimity's Townie cage club—they're called the Hawks—has played a couple of doubleheaders this season. That's a practice not overly common among basketeers. Where do the boys get that extra energy? . . .

Boston Ted's Ego Ranks Behind Others

The ego of Ted Williams has always been played to the skies, but that Korean stint must have mellowed Ted or else it was nothing but hot air in the first place. . . Whatever it be, Ted's name is not among those picked by baseball's scribes as the most concetted in the Majors. . . Some of the names might surprise you. There's Jackie Jensen, slated to be a new teammate of Williams' at Boston next season (and won't Jackie's ego suffer embarrassment at comparison with Williams' exploits). And there's Bob Lemon of Cleveland and Ted Gray of the Tigers and Saul Rogovin of Cincinnati. . .

And then there are three names that bring no surprise at all—Billy Martin of the Yanks; Buck Newsom, the old warhorse who's played with virtually every club in the Big Show and Russ Meyer, the hot-tempered Brooklyn pitching man. . . Martin, Newsom and Meyer never have been known as blushing violets. . .

Bevo Francis, who jumped Rio Grande College from a non-entirety into a name, remains in the stratosphere of pointmaking (43.5 average) and does it despite playing some bonafide and tough competition. . . Bevo's field goals are manufactured almost entirely to a jump push shot as contrasted with the hooking done by the bulk of the big scorers nowadays. If Bevo had a Houbregs style hook to go along with his present equipment, think of the possibilities. . .

Gervais Nips Indians 47-45

CHEMAWA (Special) — The Gervais Cougars Tuesday night capped a 47-45 Marion County B League basketball victory over Chemawa, escaping a fast finish by Coach Ed Bartlett's Indians. A basket by Jim Switzler was an eyelash after the final buzzer.

Chemawa led 10-7 and 26-23 at the first two period stops. Then Gervais went ahead 41-34. Don Reiling of Gervais and George Umtuch of Chemawa each had 13 points. The Chemawa Bees won the pre-lim 52-42.

The win was Gervais' fourth in league play against two losses. Chemawa now has 2-4.

Gervais (47) (45) Chemawa
Keppinger (5) F (13) Umtuch
Reiling (13) F (9) LaPlante
Schleicher (12) F (2) Miles
Thompson (11) G (8) Teller
Espe (10) G (6) Switzler
Reserves scoring: Gervais—Lacey
& Chemawa—Scott, Osborne, 2
Gallinau 2, Racehorse 2. Officials:
McNatt and Lightner.

Shedd Five Rips Falls City, 71-40

FALLS CITY — Shedd turned on the steam here Tuesday night in the second half to take a topsided 71-40 victory from Falls City.

Falls City, with Stanley Poe leading the way, piled up a 17-13 lead in the first quarter but lost it all in the second quarter as Shedd built up a 34-26 halftime mark. Shedd took the B game via the same uneven style, 40-18, with D. Miller hitting 20 for the winners.

Falls City (40) (71) Shedd
Palmer (2) F (13) Nickles
Poe (18) F (23) Miles
Sumpter (6) C (2) Adams
Murphy (7) G (11) Braden
McFall (17) G (11) Warren
Reserves scoring: Shedd — Warrenshaw 5, Grassnicklaus 2. Halftime score: Falls City 26—Shedd 34.

The first Cotton Bowl football classic was played Jan. 1, 1937, TCU, led by Sammy Baugh, defeated Marquette, 16-6.

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'Sucker Shift', Injury Faking NCAA's Targets

By BEN FUNK
SARASOTA, Fla. (AP) — College football rules may be rewritten in an effort to get rid of such problems as the "sucker shift," the fake injury and interference from the bench.

The football rules committee of

Rich Sinóles Bowling Meet Opens Friday

The First Annual ABC Sanctioned Open Singles bowling tournament is to get under way Friday of this week at the University Bowl, it was announced Tuesday.

The tournament will run until midnight, May 31, and before it is completed officials expect around 1,500 entries to shoot for the approximate \$5,000 in prizes.

There will be three divisions in the tourney, (1) men bowlers with averages of 180 or over, with handicap of 70 per cent of 200, (2) men bowlers with averages of 180 or under, also with handicap of 70 per cent of 180, and (3) women bowlers who are members of the Women's IBC. They will be allowed 70 per cent of 180 as handicap, with a 30 pin limit.

It is expected that many of the bowlers who will participate in the national ABC tournament, as well as those who will be appearing in the forthcoming tournaments at Albany and McMinnville.

Full details of the local meet may be secured at the University Bowling Alleys.

Valenti Talks To 30-Staters

The 30-Staters, Oregon State college alumni group, will host Paul Valenti, Oregon State college freshman basketball coach and assistant to Slat's Gill, and Ted Hal Carlson, assistant alumni director, tonight at 6:45 at the China Cafe.

Valenti and Carlson will discuss the current OSC season and the part Phil Shadoin, Valenti's junior varsity seven footer, might play as a running mate to towering Swede Halbrook. Valenti will conclude his talk with a basketball film.

Chet Loe, president, will present the program for the ensuing year. The tentative program includes meetings with Slat's Gill, Kid Taylor, Ralph Coleman, President A. S. Strand, and other key Oregon State faculty members.

Probe Pushed In Bet Case

NEW YORK (AP) — The Bronx County grand jury Tuesday began an investigation into the basketball betting of Jack Molinas, suspended national basketball star, and then adjourned until Friday.

Police Lieut. William Hyland, in charge of detectives attached to the office of Bronx Dist. Atty. George De Luca, was the first witness. He was questioned by George Tilzer, chief assistant D.A. who will present the case.

FIGHT OFF
OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — The 10-round fight scheduled for here

Sacred Heart Plays C-Prep Five Tonight

The Sacred Heart Academy Cardinals, who have won six of their first string basketball games this season, tonight play host to the Columbia Prep Crusaders of Portland in a clash at the Salem Armory. Game time is eight o'clock, following a prelim mix involving the Bee teams.

Coach Leo Grosjacques' Cards got off to a running start in the Capitol League race last week, downing Central Hi in overtime 54-50. The Cards play Stayton here Friday night, also at the Armory, in their next league excursion.

Starting for the SHA's in tonight's sortie with Columbia Prep will be Vince Matt and Clyde Fladwood at guards, Fred Staab at center and Jim Borsberry and Jim Moriarity at forwards.

Kottre Trims For Fistic Go

SILVERTON — (Special) — Harold Kottre of Silverton, who is to box Bill Boatsman in Portland for the Northwest lightweight title Thursday night, has been hard at training work in Portland, according to his manager Carl Budeau.

Kottre has been sparring with Jimmy Byrnes and W. C. Cage at the rate of 12 rounds per day, and has been doing three miles or road work per day.

Kottre goes into the scrap with a record of 27 wins in 32 fights, with two draws. Boatsman has won 28 of his last 29 fights.

The bout, a 10-rounder, is to be held at the Portland Armory, located at NW 10th and Couch Streets in Portland.

Tickets are available here at John Main's Jewelry Store.

Havana in International Loop

By JOE REICHLER
NEW YORK (AP) — The International League, oldest of baseball's minors, became a three-nation circuit Tuesday with the formal admission of Havana, Cuba.

At the same time, Richmond, Va., a charter member of the league in 1884, returned to the International.

The two cities replaced Baltimore, Md., which has become an American League city, and Springfield, Mass., where the Chicago

Thursday night between lightweights Johnny Gonsalves, Oakland, and Bobby Woods, Spokane, has been postponed indefinitely, promoter Jimmy Dundee announced Tuesday. Gonsalves is ill with a cold.

TECH TIP* EOCE
KLAMATH FALLS (AP) — Oregon Tech's basketball team defeated Eastern Oregon 83-81 here Tuesday night to even the opening round

of their Oregon Collegiate Conference action. Eastern Oregon won, 92-78, Monday night.

SALEM SOPHS WIN
The Salem Sophs defeated the

Stayton Eagle JV team last night in the Salem High gym 50 to 39. Ken Carl of the Sophs was high count man for the game with 15 points. Salem led at the half 25 to 14.

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