

In High School Basketball Heavy Weekend Schedule on Tap

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Thirty-five games are on tap Friday night in area high school basketball as the second week of action begins.

The total is only slightly less Saturday night.

Only North Eugene and Marshfield from District 5-A-1 don't see action this weekend. The Emerald League has a full weekend of games that count.

It's all non-league in District 5-A-1 with South Eugene, beaten 62-45 Tuesday night by South Salem in its opener, trav-

elling to North Salem Friday night.

Springfield, beaten by Thurston in its only game, faces a pair of weekend games at Klamath Falls. The Pelicans up-ended Roseburg twice a week ago.

Thurston goes to Albany Friday night, then to Sweet Home Saturday night.

Willamette, a 67-48 winner over St. Francis in its opener Tuesday, faces the rugged task of a pair of games at Medford. Cottage Grove has a Friday night home game with Crater

at Central Point, North Bend plays host to Coquille at the same time while Roseburg meets Corvallis at Gill Coliseum Friday night and then goes to Grants Pass Saturday night.

Emerald League

After an opening round that produced no real surprises, the Emerald League faces five games Friday night and five more Saturday night.

The big one sends St. Francis to defending state A-2 champion Pleasant Hill Saturday night.

Pleasant Hill, off and running

with an 83-63 win over McKenzie, plays host to Oakridge Friday night. Creswell is at St. Francis at the same time.

In other Friday night games, Central Linn travels to Harrisburg, McKenzie to Junction City and Drain to Elmira.

Creswell at Central Linn, Elmira at Harrisburg, Drain at McKenzie and Junction City at Oakridge round out the Saturday night slate.

Coast League

Two Coast League clubs — Toledo and Mapleton — have

entered the four-team Philomath Invitational while other clubs also face action.

Toledo meets the Corvallis JVs at 6:30 Friday night and Mapleton tangles with Philomath in the 8 o'clock game. The Tourney winds up Saturday night.

Newport steps up in class Friday night and plays host to Lebanon while Reedsport plays host to Bandon. Siuslaw goes to Douglas. Taft plays host to Neah-Kah-Nie and Waldport is at home against Yamhill-Carlton.

The Saturday night schedule sends Reedsport to Myrtle Point, Waldport to Bandon, Siuslaw to Douglas, and Yamhill-Carlton against Taft.

Umpqua Valley

Ten non-league games are with Sutherlin playing host to Yoncalla Friday night.

Douglas is at home against Siuslaw, Glendale against Rogue River and Riddle is at home against Oakland while Glide travels to Phoenix and Myrtle Creek to Gold Beach in Friday night games.

In Saturday night action, Douglas again plays host to Siuslaw and Myrtle Creek goes to Gold Beach to wind up a weekend series.

At the same time, Glendale will be at Illinois Valley, Eagle Point at Glide and Riddle at St. Mary's of Medford.

Trico League

Lowell, with two wins over Prospect, takes to the road for a pair of weekend games—Friday night at Tillamook Catholic and Saturday night at Astoria's Star of the Sea.

Alsea meets Siletz both nights at Alsea Friday night and at Siletz Saturday night.

Monroe does the same with Amity, traveling to Amity Friday night and then back to Monroe Saturday night.

In other Friday night games, Coburg is at home against Camas Valley, Mohawk goes to Detroit, Triangle Lake to Elkton and Westfir is at home against Gilechrist.

The Saturday night schedule includes Elkton at Crow and Eddyville at Triangle Lake.

Bico League

Oakland and Yoncalla take on A-2 clubs Friday night—Oakland going to Riddle and Yoncalla to Sutherlin.

While Camas Valley is at Coburg Friday night, Days Creek will be at Prospect and Powers at Myrtle Point. Powers is at Pacific, Elkton at Crow and Prospect at Days Creek Saturday night.

The two-night Canyonville Bible Academy Invitational starts Friday night with Butte Falls meeting Salem Academy at 7 p.m. and Canyonville meeting CBA at 8:30 p.m.

Machen Held 'Suspense Bowl' In Hospital On Again--Maybe

NAPA, Calif. (AP)—Eddie Machen, top-ranked heavyweight contender, was detained in a mental hospital Wednesday after a highway patrolman said he found him apparently contemplating suicide.

The patrolman said Machen told him he planned to kill himself because he was broke, couldn't get any more fights and "everything was all wrong."

The 30-year-old boxer was admitted to Napa State Hospital for observation.

Patrol Traffic Officer Bill McCluskey said he found Machen parked off U.S. Highway 40 near Vallejo, Calif., "a loaded gun next to him on the seat. He was writing a farewell letter."

A physician at the hospital said Wednesday night Machen was in "satisfactory condition and has no apparent injuries."

Tourney Set Friday

PORTLAND (AP)—The Knights of Columbus Invitational basketball tournament will get under way in Portland Friday night with Tennessee A & L State playing the University of Pacific of Stockton, Calif. The second game will pit the University of Portland against Loyola of Los Angeles.

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NEW YORK (AP)—Harried Gotham Bowl officials said Thursday requested expense money had been deposited for the Miami and Nebraska teams and that the football game definitely would be held Saturday at Yankee Stadium.

"The money has been deposited, the light is green all the way and the game is on," a spokesman said Thursday. "Miami arrives this afternoon and Nebraska will get in tomorrow morning."

The spokesman said the television arrangements had been completed and the game would be telecast by a network.

The Miami, Fla., Hurricanes had asked that \$30,000 be put in escrow and Nebraska had asked that \$35,000 be posted to guarantee expenses before the teams would leave for New York.

"Maybe we ought to change the name to 'The Suspense Bowl,'" Gotham Bowl executive director Bob Curran said Wednesday after a series of hastily-called conferences that lasted far into the night.

The whole confused affair culminated in the announcement by Miami University president Dr. Henry King Stanford that the university had been assured by legal counsel for New York Mayor Robert Wagner that funds covering team expenses would be placed in escrow Thursday.

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Curran's hurried conference with Mayor Wagner apparently prompted by Dr. Stanford's announcement that if expense funds were not put in escrow, the Miami Hurricanes would pull out.

Later, after receiving word from Wagner's office, he announced the team would leave for New York as scheduled.

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The Sports Wire Student Newspaper Suggests Cancellation Because of Clemson Segregation Policy

From AP, UPI Reports

A segregation tempest has popped up north of Dixie — at the University of Iowa, to be exact.

The university's student newspaper, the Daily Iowan, has proposed that Monday's scheduled basketball game with Clemson at Iowa City be cancelled because of Clemson's racial segregation policy. Iowa has several Negro basketball players.

"I would just as soon see the university not associate with universities that subscribe to these segregation policies," said James Murray, an associate professor of political science at Iowa.

But Iowa officials said they have no intention of canceling the game. Athletic director Forest Evashevski said the game should go on. "I would be against breaking the contract," he said.

A psychology professor, Don Lewis, chipped in: "Cancellation might cause more embarrassment than playing the game."

'Shamateurism'

"Shamateurism" was attacked in London as British tennis chiefs served notice they will renew the battle for open tournaments, with pros and amateurs playing alongside each other.

Oregon Swimming Team Leaves for Hawaii Sunday

The University of Oregon swimming team is soon to be Hawaii-bound for the Christmas holidays.

Coach Don Van Rossen, assistant coach Alton Takashima, frosh coach Doug King and 24 team members leave Sunday for their third straight yearly trip to Hawaii.

They will be guests of the 14th Naval District and will conduct a series of clinics on competitive swimming, diving and officiating — in addition to getting in some conditioning of their own. The Webfoots are making the trip at their own expense.

The Ducks will be officially greeted by Hawaii Gov. John A. Burns in ceremonies at Iolani Palace.

They will return Dec. 31 in time for winter term registration.

Invitations Sent To Top Milers

LOS ANGELES (AP)—The featured mile run in the Los Angeles Invitational indoor track meet Jan. 19 promises to be a pretty exclusive event.

Only those runners who have bettered four minutes have been invited, it was announced Wednesday.

Invitations have been sent to Jim Beatty and Bob Seaman, of the Los Angeles Track Club; former Oregon star Dyrrol Burleson; Keith Forman, Oregon; ex-Kansas runner Bill Dotson; Cary Weisiger of U.S. Marines, and Olavi Salonen of Finland. Beatty's 3:56.3 is the fastest of the group.

Second Twin Bill Won't Be Played

One doubleheader already is definitely scheduled for McArthur Court but a second won't come off.

The South Salem vs. South Eugene and North Eugene vs. North Salem doubleheader Jan. 4 is on.

But the proposal for a Grants Pass vs. North Eugene and Medford vs. South Eugene twinbill Dec. 22 has been discarded. Instead, the individual games will be played on the floors of the two Eugene schools.

Ted Avery, chairman of the British Lawn Tennis Assn., said open tournaments had been blocked by "a group of nations who just do not think with the times." He referred to Australia, Russia and other countries who voted against Britain's proposal for experimental open tournaments at last summer's International Tennis Federation meeting.

Deleting all reference to amateurs and professionals from the rules "would eliminate the hypocrisy which is so often associated with our game," he said. "There is no doubt that amateurism in some parts of the world has ceased to be a sacred moral code. We realize this."

A Revolver?

Jorge Fernandez, the Argentine boxer felled by a low blow from defending welterweight champion Emile Griffith Saturday night in Las Vegas, is still smarting from the outcome.

Asked about the possibility of a return bout with Griffith, Fernandez shrugged.

"What for? Under the conditions it is not worth it. It is impossible to beat him, unless I were given a revolver. That is the only way that I can be sure they will not steal the fight from me once again."

Two Ways to Spell 'Wisconsin'

The University of Southern California student rally committee took tongue-in-cheek note Wednesday of the reluctance displayed by their Rose Bowl opponents, the University of Wisconsin.

Referring to a suggestion by the Wisconsin student newspaper that this year's trip to the Rose Bowl should be the last because of "hypocrisy" in over-looking the school's policy against post-season games, the Trojan committee sent this wire to the Wisconsin rally committee:

"If the University of Wisconsin is unwilling to support the No. 2 team in the nation, please inform us, and we will split our rooting section in half and yell for you."

"By the way, the letters in Wisconsin, when rearranged, spell 'No. 1. SC wins!'"

Unhappy 'Moose'?

Longtime New York Yankee first baseman Moose Skowron recently was traded to the Los Angeles Dodgers—and the Cincinnati Enquirer says Moose is unhappy over the manner in which Yankee manager Roy Hamer informed him of the trade.

The story, quoting an "authoritative source," says Skowron now plans to quit baseball and take a ten-year contract to coach baseball at Purdue University, his alma mater. The Enquirer said Purdue has been talking with Skowron about the coaching job, but nothing has been settled yet.

Tiger Gets Award

Middleweight boxing champion Dick Tiger of Nigeria was named Thursday to receive the Boxing Writers Association's "Fighter of the Year" award.

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