

Stevenson Denies SOC Will Quit Far Western; Studies Dual Role

Dr. Elmo Stevenson, president of Southern Oregon college, squashed some reports about the college's future athletic connections in a statement this week.

Dr. Stevenson said under no circumstances is Southern Oregon college going to pull out of the Far Western conference and thereby give vent to the closure of that circuit.

Present Status First

In no uncertain terms, the college president said that the Far Western conference will come first and that any other decisions or additional commitments will have to be made with the assurance that they are not in conflict with the FW conference.

Bill Hulen, a Portland sports writer, wrote in his column: "While on the conference-quitting subject, it's reported Southern Oregon at Ashland is seriously considering dumping the Far Western in favor of the Oregon Collegiate (conference), in which operates the other state-supported schools—OCE, EOCE, OTI and Vanport. In the event SOCE does that thing, the Far

Western would be left with only three members—Cal Aggies, Chico State, and Humboldt State. This probably would be the end of the Far Western, and the Medford Pear Bowl football pact between the Northwest and Far Western conferences, which has three years to go."

Statement Answered

Dr. Stevenson's statements came in answer to this:

"We have a standing invitation to join the Oregon Collegiate conference and we may do so if it is possible to operate schedules in both conferences," the college president said.

He pointed out that the Southern Oregon sports schedules already include a number of contests with OCC members. The Red Raiders play Oregon College of Education in football and basketball and meet OTI and Vanport in basketball.

Considered Seriously

Dr. Stevenson admitted that serious consideration was being given to the OCC bid but that if it was accepted, a dual-conference schedule would have to be worked out.

The SOC leader said that with only four members of the Far Western conference, there were only three conference football games on the SOC schedule, which he said, really wasn't adequate. This, he intimated, would one of the reasons for trying the two-conference membership.

Diamond Lake Fish Restoration Problem Studied

Restoration of the famed Diamond lake trout fishery through a total fish poisoning program to eliminate trash fish now infesting the 5,000 foot high Cascade lake is being studied by the game commission.

If undertaken, the Diamond lake fish rehabilitation project would exceed all others in size and cost. Before treating Diamond lake with a fish toxin, rotenone, a number of knotty problems would have to be solved.

It would be necessary to lower the lake 20 feet to keep treated lake waters from entering the Umpqua river watershed through Diamond lake's outlet, Lake Creek. Maximum depth in Diamond lake is 52 feet. Unless retained until toxicity vanished, the treated waters could affect fish life in the N. Umpqua river.

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Majorette League		
Bosshard Lumber Co.	12	4
Trites Coffee Co.	9	7
Steak House	6	10
Lithia Nursery	5	11

Bosshard Lumber went into the lead when they won 3 from Lithia Nursery and Steak House took 4 from Trites Coffee Co. Mary Morris rolled high game of 215 and high series of 507. Myrtle Porter picked the 3-10 split, Eva Findlay the 3-10 and 5-8-10, Mary Morris the 5-10, Martha Drake the 4-5, and Irene Laird the 5-7.

Keglerette League		
Newbury Orchards	13	3
Omar's	10	6
Park View	4	11
Bob's Lunch	4	12

Newbury Orchards took 3 from Bob's Lunch and Omar's won 3 from Park View. Mary Morris rolled high game of 185 and Eileen Eaton high series of 489.

American League		
Mistletoe Lumber	13	7
Wiley-Reinholdt	11	9
Bryant's Shell	11	9
Liningers	5	15

Mistletoe won 4 from Bryants to go in the lead and Wiley-Reinholdt took 3 from Liningers to tie Bryants. Mistletoe rolled high single team game of 1097 and high series of 3106. Bud Curtis rolled high series of 612 and Les Myers high game of 245. Bob Smith, LeRoy Keeney and Frank Laws picked the 3-10 split; Bob Krause the 5-10 and 5-8-10.

Elks League		
Sox	16	4
Yanks	13	7
Dem Bums	8	12
Browns	3	17

The Sox won 4 from the Browns and Yanks took 4 from Dem Bums. Buster Forney rolled high game of 203 and Gene Morris high series of 542. Jim Harker turned in the 3-10 split; L. I. Martin the 2-5-7 and Wayne Campbell the 5-7.

Classic League		
Caton's Garage	13	7
Tiny's Body Shop	12	8
Royal Crown	11	9
Marshall - Wells	4	16

Caton's Garage took 3 from Royal Crown to go into first place and Tiny's Body Shop won 3 from Marshall-Wells to take over second place. Buster Forney rolled high game of 228 and Roy Trombley had high series of 603. Vern McCall rolled a triplicate with three games of 130. George Sikes, Harvey Bergstrom, Roy Trombley and Fritz Koester picked the 3-10 split; John Kufner the 6-7-10, and Buster Forney the 6-7-10 and 2-5-7-8.

Major League		
O'Brien's Motors	15	5
Peter's Union 76	13	7
Selby's Chevrolet	10	10
Oak St. Tankers	2	18

O'Brien's Motors won 3 from Selby's Chevrolet, and Peter's Union 76 won 3 from Oak St.

Court Records

POLICE COURT

Harvey D. Millett, operating motor vehicle making excessive noise by using exhaust whistle, bail \$7.50.

William Verver, expired motor vehicle license, bail \$7.50.

William L. Leonard, violating parking hours ordinance, bail \$2.

Leonard Heston, improper parking of motor vehicle resulting property damage. Car moving from Gresham street and striking light pole and meter in front of Steak House on Main street. Bail \$35, including damage.

Richard Chapman, parking motor vehicle in bus zone, bail \$2.50.

Fourteen-year-old girl from Crescent City, Cal., taken into custody here and turned over to county juvenile authorities.

William K. Owens, panhandling upon streets, 10 days jail sentence suspended.

B and G cafe reported January 31 illegal entry of premises: a window was forced and about \$22 in money taken; nothing else disturbed.

William Hampton, violating parking hours, bail \$2.

George Sennatt, parking motor vehicle in emergency zone, bail \$2.50.

Robert N. Tennant, failure to heed traffic signal, bail \$5.

Richard Chapman, parking motor vehicle in bus zone, bail \$5.

Richard A. Faulkner, no operator's license, bail \$5.

F. B. Fjelsted, illegal parking in cross walk, bail \$2.50.

James Roach, violation of parking hours, bail \$2.50.

James H. Toft, failure to heed traffic signal, bail \$5.

JUSTICE COURT

David Thomas Lindsay, no motor vehicle license, fine and costs, \$5.50.

Neil Nelson Stockebrand, failure to dim headlights for oncoming traffic, fine and costs, \$7.

Robert Alvin Young, improper muffler, fine and costs, \$5.50.

Leonard Ross Putman, concealed license plates, cited.

Orion Lindon Wells, no clearance lights, cited.

Dorothy Collins Laws, no operator's license, fine and costs, \$10.

Eugene Leonard Hutchins, passing with insufficient clearance, cited.

The broad objectives of the U. S. Defense Bond program for 1952 are: to widen the ownership of the national debt, further mobilize the power of regular saving behind our defense effort and thus help check inflation as the defense program expands.

Tankers to take over second place.

Bob Rametes rolled high game of 234, and high series of 569.

Bud Curtis and Les Myers picked the 5-7 split; Harry Morris the 3-10 and 4-5-7, Jerry Pettit the 3-10, John Kufner the 2-7-8.

YOUR COUNTY AGENT:

Landscape Meet, April 9-11

BY C. B. CORDY
County Agent, Horticulturist

It will not be long until spring rolls around and we will be faced with planting out shrubs and flowers to beautify our yards.

In order to help with this problem we have again arranged with Prof. I. B. Solberg of the landscape gardening department at the college to spend some time with us this spring. In each of the last two years we have selected homes and laid out landscaping plans or actually planted the shrubs to demonstrate a good yard layout. This year we are going to change our plans a little and make some of Prof. Solberg's time available for personal consultation as well as landscaping some homes in the field.

To Be Here

The weather has been so miserable for the last two years when we have tried to hold our meetings that we have delayed the work this year until early April. Prof. Solberg will be here on April 9, 10 and 11. On the 9th he will be available for personal consultations, and we may also schedule a public meeting at which time he can give a short talk and illustrate some of the basic principles of yard layout and beautification.

Anyone figuring on taking advantage of a personal consultation with Prof. Solberg should lay out on paper a scale drawing of his grounds and buildings, then one or two good pictures attached to the drawings would give Prof. Solberg a much better background for making concrete suggestions for the improvement of your individual yard. These consultations will be in the Courthouse auditorium and while individual attention will be given to your particular yard, it is hoped to have several people together at one time so that others may also be able to take advantage of the suggestions he makes. In order to insure that some people will be in the office at all times, and to keep too many people from coming in at once, it would be desirable if those of you who would like some individual assistance would call in and make an appointment. I know it's a long time until April 9, which happens to be a Wednesday, but

if you wanted to call in soon and make an appointment it would help us in organizing our program, and it would also assure you of a particular time when you could have personal assistance.

Plan Demonstration

On the afternoons of April 10 and 11 we will again hold outdoor meetings and actually landscape one home each afternoon. These homes will be the modestly priced group, and they will probably be new homes where no previous work has been done, or if a home already landscaped which needs some re-location of plants is available, we could use one of them. In any event, if you would like to have this work done we would be glad to take your name and consider it along with the others. When we do this work, Prof. Solberg furnishes the know-how, we furnish the muscle, but the home owner must furnish the planting material. Which plants to get would be mutually agreed upon ahead of time by Prof. Solberg and the home owner. If you are interested, drop us a card. We will probably select the home sometime about the middle of February.

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Elliott, formerly of Portland, defeated Ed Boehnke of Eugene, 33 to 27.

Howard Morgan, Monmouth, was elected chairman of the state democratic organization over State Treasurer Walter J. Pearson, 29 to 28. Morgan is a former state representative and Elliott was chairman of the Multnomah county central committee before coming to Medford.

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