

Gold Hill, Howard Capture Consolation Round Champs

Central Point, Mar. 11—Gold Hill won the consolation round class A championship and Howard captured top honors in class B of the annual county grade school basketball tournament held at Central Point Saturday night at Central Point gym.

Howard pulled away in the second half after a close first two quarters to down Rogue River 33 to 15. Foley earned 14 points to lead Howard in scoring while Stanfield got four to pace the losing quintet.

Jacksonville loses
Gold Hill bested Jacksonville 16 to 7 for its class A title, as Cameron pushed in nine points to lead the victors. Stevens, Heuner and Sletton each got two to pace Jville.

Games in the tourney Friday decided teams that would play in the finals on Saturday evening.

Jacksonville and Phoenix opened Friday's round with the Jville boys winning 25 to 15. Womack, with 18 points, paced the winners and Caster and Holt each got four to lead Phoenix.

Second game saw Rogue River second team topple Sams Valley 21 to 10 with Beck and Johnson each netting four points to lead the victors and Taylor pacing S. V. with six.

Gold Hill captured the win in the third game when it defeated St. Mary's 25 to 8. Maksiel with seven points led Gold Hill and Merrimand tallied six to pace St. Mary's.

First game Friday evening found Central Point second team nipping Lone Pine 26 to 18 in a close game. L. Hart led the losers in scoring with 11 and Parrent got 10 to pace C. P.

Last game witnessed Shady Cove pushing up a big first half lead to easily topple Central Point third quintet 28 to 15. J. Doherty led the victors in point-making with 12 while Geyer tallied six to pace the Pointers.

By winning Friday Jacksonville and Gold Hill won the right to play Saturday for the class A consolation title, while Rogue River second team and Howard were to battle for the championship consolation prize.

Shady Cove and the Central Point second team will play Saturday night in the consolation B championship game.

Howard and Jacksonville will play Saturday night for the consolation A championship.

Central Point and Jacksonville will play Sunday morning for the consolation B championship.

Howard and Rogue River will play Sunday afternoon for the consolation A championship.

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SPORTS

C. P. Baseball Slate; Seven Lettermen Out

Central Point, Mar. 11—Seven lettermen are competing for places on the Central Point high baseball team this season but still the squad lacks depth as far as experience is concerned. Coach Clarence Melby said Saturday.

The lettermen back from last season are Herb Colley, Merle Anhorn, Herb Truittman, Marlin Sandvig, Tom Rupp, John Bigham and Don Johnson. Bigham and Johnson are pitchers.

Melby said the rest of his squad except for perhaps four or five sophomores and juniors, will be made up of freshmen. Last year fans will remember Bigham in particular as showing fairly good form as a pitcher.

The Pointers will open their 1950 season against Eagle Point at the Camp White Veterans center field March 24 in a practice game for both. This will be a non-conference tilt.

Once again the Pointers will play in both the Southern Oregon and the J.D.J. conferences. The combined schedule for the two leagues follows:

April 7—At Medford; April 11—At Grants Pass; April 14—Illinois Valley at Central Point; April 18—At Eagle Point; April 21—Myrtle Creek at C.P.; April 25—At Ashland; April 28—Sutherland at C.P.

May 2—Medford at C.P.; May 5—At Illinois Valley; May 8—Klamath at C.P.; May 9—Eagle Point at Central Point; May 12—Grants Pass at Central Point; May 13—At Myrtle Creek; May 16—At Klamath; May 20—At Sutherland; May 23—Ashland at C.P.

The Central Point high field is west of the railroad tracks.

Nevada Protests Banning Of Team

Reno, Nev., Mar. 11—(U.P.)—Angry University of Nevada authorities today dispatched a sizzling protest to the NAIB demanding an immediate "explanation" of why the Wolfpack team was banned from the National Basketball tourney at Kansas City.

The NAIB Friday night withdrew its bid to Nevada apparently on the basis of stories that a Las Vegas gambler had offered the Reno team \$1000 to finance its trip. The gambler's offer was refused by the university.

Today's angry message to the president of the NAIB said the Nevada student body, basketball team, coaching staff and athletic board considered the NAIB's action "a personal insult."

Lillard will have Gorgeous Gus, Billy Fox's wrestling bear, for the free-for-all and hopes to line up four grapplers to go into the C. P. tilt.

The C. P. tilt, unbet here, said it is beneath its dignity to grapple a bear but Lillard believed yesterday that the "superman" could be convinced. Georges Dusette was uncertain yesterday if his foot, injured last Thursday here, would be sufficiently healed to permit him to wrestle.

The promoter said he was trying to sign an opening bout, in addition to the battle royal, adding that the two regular matches between survivors would follow the melee.

Tickets for the program are on sale at Brown's, 101 East Main street.

Point second team by winning Friday gained the class B championship finals.

Other teams in B bracket tie the finals were decided Thursday night while one of the others in the consolation B title game was decided Thursday (Howard) and the other was decided Friday (Rogue River second team).

Trophies were to be given Saturday night after the final game to each class champion, each second place team and each consolation bracket winner.

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LaSalle, CC, Kentucky Win Openers

New York, Mar. 11—(U.P.)—LaSalle joined Western Kentucky and City College of New York in the national invitational basketball tournament quarter-finals with a tense 72 to 66 first round victory over Arizona Saturday night.

C. C. N. Y. beat defending champion San Francisco 65 to 46 and Western Kentucky downed Niagara 79 to 72 in first round games Saturday afternoon at Madison Square Garden.

Western Kentucky won St. John's and the Syracuse-LU winner meets Bradley on Monday, while CCNY meets Ken-Kentucky and LaSalle plays Duquesne Tuesday in the quarter-finals.

LaSalle led most of the way in its game Saturday night but the white clad Philadelphians had to douse a blistering second half rally.

LaSalle started the game in command and showed to a 29 to 22 lead by the first 10 minutes. But the smaller and ever-battling Arizonans kept pressing to tie the score at 33 to 33 on Leo Johnson's free throw just as the half ended.

Lone Pine School Cagers Plan Trip

Eleven members of this season's Lone Pine school basketball squad plan to leave Saturday morning for Eugene, where they will attend the final games of the class A high school basketball championship at McArthur court that evening.

Lone Pine pulled a major upset of the year a few weeks back in winning the Oak Grove non-high school district basketball tournament and this last week went to the semi-finals of the county grade school basketball tournament played at Central Point.

The trip to see the state high school tourney is a reward for the Lone Pine boys' successful season. They plan to leave for Medford again right after the final game.

Principal T. A. Dodge will be in charge of the one-day trip.

St. Mary's Boys To Dine Tonight

Basketball and football players of St. Mary's high school will be honored at a father-and-son banquet today at 5:30 p. m. in Sacred Heart church parish hall at which time the youths will also receive letters for the sports they played.

C. A. "Dutch" Meyer, head of the southern Oregon sports officials group and elementary school principal at Central Point, will be principal speaker.

Among the others invited are Sports Editor Hank Green of The Mail Tribune and Jimmy Dunlevy of radio station KYJC, who will be toastmaster.

Sponsoring the dinner is the St. Mary's Parents' club.

Pro Basketball Score 141 to 104 Back East

The Sheboygan Redskins' latest assault on team scoring records was causing quite a stir Saturday in the National Basketball association.

The Redskins' fourth-place tenants in the loop's western division, went on a scoring rampage yesterday as they trampled the Denver Nuggets, 141 to 104.

The Redskins' total points scored erased the old single game mark of 121 set by the Minneapolis Lakers last November 20.

Mile-square Angel Island is the largest island in San Francisco Bay.

MEDFORD ROGUES—1950 SCHEDULE (Far West Baseball League)

Games at Home	Games on Road
May 2, 3, 4	May 9, 10, 11
May 5, 6, 7	May 12, 13, 14
May 16, 17, 18	April 26, 27, 28
May 19, 20, 21	April 29, 30
May 26, 27, 28	May 22, 23, 24, 25
June 2, 3, 4	June 9, 10, 11
June 5, 6, 7, 8	May 30, 31; June 1
June 20, 21, 22	June 27, 28, 29
June 23, 24, 25, 26	June 30; July 1, 2
July 4, 5, 6	June 13, 14, 15
July 7, 8, 9	June 16, 17, 18
July 11, 12, 13	July 14, 15, 16, 17
July 18, 19, 20	July 24, 25, 26, 27
July 28, 29, 30	July 21, 22, 23
Aug. 8, 9, 10	Aug. 15, 16, 17
Aug. 11, 12, 13	Aug. 18, 19, 20
Aug. 22, 23, 24	Aug. 1, 2, 3
Aug. 25, 26, 27	Aug. 4, 5, 6
Aug. 30, 31; Sept. 1	Aug. 28, 29
Sept. 2, 3, 4	Sept. 9, 10
Sept. 5, 6	Aug. 21; Sept. 7, 8

Season will open April 28 and will close September 10. *Indicates doubleheaders or holidays or Sundays.

July 10 all-star game between clubs in south of league and clubs in north will be played at Medford. Dates not listed above are "off days" for Rogues who will use those days for travel.

School Boxers Close Season With Victory

Medford senior high school completed one more sport in its annual calendar when the Black Tornado boxing team defeated Roseburg in a team match Friday night at Roseburg four bouts to three for the locals abandoned that sport until another winter.

The youths coached by Fred Spiegelberg completed the season with a record of two wins and one defeat but much of the time was taken up in finding schools for opponents.

Locals Look Best Spiegelberg said the local boys looked by far the best of the season in winning over Roseburg high.

Coe Brown (Medford) earned a draw in the 116-pound class, Royal Johnson (M) won a decision (120 pounds), Lee Lucas (M) won the nod (127), Mickey Loras (M) dropped a decision against a more experienced 130-pound senior and Dean Pratt (M) earned a draw in 135.

Chuck Christlieb (M) scored a tko in the third round of his 140-pound bout, Steve Crippen (M) won a decision at 142, Gayle Christlieb (M) lost a decision in 148-pound class and Ken Phillips (M) dropped the nod in the 150-pound class.

Roseburg had somewhat the more experienced boxers, the local coach said, and was expected to win the nods in the team matches. Roseburg had divided some team matches with Springfield which the local boys had tried several times to engage this past season.

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Kansas City, Mo., Mar. 11—(U.P.)—The University of Portland and Montana university kick off the annual NAIB tournament at 9 a. m. PST Monday, opening the week-long basketball competition to name the national winner of the Naismith title.

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