

Red Raiders Defeat OTI

By UNITED PRESS
Eastern Oregon again postponed Portland State's title-clinching in the Oregon Collegiate Conference basketball race with a 96-87 victory at La Grande last night.
The victory still leaves EOCE a mathematical chance to tie for first place.
Southern Oregon, meanwhile, kept right on the heels of Eastern Oregon winding up O.C.C. play with a 69-59 win over Oregon Tech. Either SOCE or EOCE will gain a berth in the regional NAIA playoffs. SOCE has completed its conference season with a 10-6 mark, while EOCE has two left to play.
Larry Pryse led Eastern Oregon last night with 19 points, while Paul Poetsch had 28 for Portland State.

Mexicans Defeat Portland Pilots

Mexico City — (U.P.) — A red-hot Mexican All Star quintet rallied back in the second half to down the towering Portland University team, 78-66, before some 3,500 hysterical basketball fans at the National auditorium here last night.
Dick Bartel was top scorer for the visitors with 19 points. Bob Altenhofen was second in the scoring list with 11 points.

TO HEAD STARS

New York — (U.P.) — Coach Ray Meyer of DePaul university will direct the College All-America basketball team on its nationwide tour with the Harlem Globetrotters this year, it was announced today.

Bowling

CLASSIC LEAGUE	W.	L.
Oak Knoll Golf Club	3	2
Henry's Drive-In	2	1
Hight Real Estate	2	1
Walker Real Estate	2	1
Stevens Kaiser-Willys	2	1
E. H. Mann Co.	2	1
Sierra Cascade Pine Co.	1	2
Santa's Sporting Goods	1	2
Valley Music Co.	1	2
Hammer's Sporting Goods	1	2
Medford Furniture Store	1	2
Pfaff Sewing Center	0	3

Results:	(1)	Henry's	(2)
Hammer's	546	G. Barr	512
C. Dawson	492	B. Curran	497
A. Hamner	513	P. Morgan	491
V. Sprinkle	568	A. Sacchi	514
P. Peden	491	W. Hawley	539
K. Preston	2610		2613

Pfaff	(0)	Oak Knoll	(3)
E. Lens	453	J. Colley	518
A. Klatt	521	B. Curran	527
B. St. Hilaire	466	G. Silkes	504
C. Smith	412	J. Kullner	492
C. Tennant	417	F. Driscoll	516
	2269		2517

Med. Furn.	(1)	Hight's	(2)
N. Hillyer	457	J. Mousan	533
A. Williams	480	B. Howell	493
F. Boone	466	B. Wilson	491
S. Stark	467	F. Peterson	491
S. Van Dyke	503	J. Burroughs	495
	2483		2503

Walker	(2)	Valley Music	(1)
R. Brock	533	T. Mitchell	519
R. DeVore	541	M. Cannon	550
F. Little	527	R. Speer	479
F. Knox	539	G. Clark	478
K. Wise	466	L. Schneider	516
	2606		2534

Sam's	(1)	Stevens'	(2)
D. Lubbers	582	Spaunhorst	589
J. Kantor	491	D. Wilson	523
W. White	559	D. Koblik	568
S. Straus	485	F. Harris	589
H. Schroeder	518	F. Stevens	571
	2645		2834

Mann's	(2)	Sierra Cascade	(1)
F. Anderson	541	H. Green	511
D. Kreer	515	J. Cabler	474
F. Beck	464	D. Snaun	508
G. Schultz	553	B. Dyer	465
K. Johnson	605	H. Vessey	587
	2678		2545

Standings:	W.	L.
Short Circuits	23 1/2	8 1/2
Delta Stars	18 1/2	13 1/2
H. Tension	18 1/2	13 1/2
Grounded Wyes	17	15
Hi Voltage	14	18
Atom Splitters	13 1/2	18 1/2
Hot Spots	13	19
Circuit Breakers	10	22

Results:	Atom Splitters	Hi Tension	3
B. Kight	412	L. Du	409
G. Guiley	372	J. Thompson	444
O. Hanson	446	V. Buseman	433
	1230		1295

SPORTS

Yellow Cab Play-Off Rival Looms Strong

It'll be a strong and also well reinforced Southern Oregon Ply-wood maplecourt quintet which Yellow Cab of Medford meets Thursday night in the play-off for the AAU District 10 championship.

Chiefs Take Hoop Offer

Seattle — (U.P.) — Seattle University announced today it accepted an at-large bid to the National Collegiate Athletic Association basketball playoffs.
Jack Gordon, the university's athletic publicity director, said Idaho State College, Rocky Mountain conference champion, also had accepted an at-large berth that would match the two schools in a playoff opener.
Gordon said officials of Seattle University and ISC would confer by long-distance telephone to set a site and date for the game. The contest would be played March 7 or 8.
The winner would advance to the western regional playoffs, to be played March 11-12 at Corvallis.

Knicks, Celtics Keep Up Struggle

The New York Knicks and Boston Celtics, only a half-game apart in their red-hot battle for second place in the Eastern division of the National Basketball association after hair-raising victories, continue their struggle on foreign courts tonight.
The Celtics gained a temporary tie for the position by beating the Syracuse Nationals, 97-95, on Bob Cousy's basket in the first game of a twin bill at Madison Square Garden Tuesday night, but the Knicks went ahead again by nipping Philadelphia, 103-102, in the second game.
In the only other league action, the Rochester Royals snapped a nine-game losing streak by drubbing Milwaukee, 87-71.
The Knicks tangled with Philadelphia again tonight at New Haven, Conn., while Boston meets Milwaukee at St. Louis. The only other games finds Minneapolis at Fort Wayne, as Fort Wayne defends its three-game Western division lead.

Mike Moran Sets Record

Eugene — (U.P.) — Mike Moran, six-foot-eight-inch center, scored 59 points last night for a new season's high in Oregon prep circles as his Eugene team drubbed Willamette 100-52.

Central Pointers Victors Over GP

Central Point—Central Point graders took two basketball wins from Grants Pass last night.
The seventh grade won 26 to 12 and the eighth grade kept its unbeaten slate intact by barely outlasting the Cavekids 28 to 26.
CP seventh led at halftime 16 to 2. Jerry Michael scored eighth tallies for the Pointers and Manan six for GP.
Wayne Allen with 13 was high for the Pointers in the eighth grade scuffle. Billy White was a power on the boards and got six points, Hayes, a GP scouter, picked up 12 counters.
Central Point winds up regular season play Thursday against St. Mary's. Seventh graders vie at 4 p.m. and eighth graders at 5 p.m.
Grants Pass eighth was without services of its big center, Dean, who was ineligible scholastically.

BEAVERS ADD
Portland — (U.P.) — Three more regulars were in the fold today as the Portland Beavers prepared to open spring baseball training next month. Shortstop Frankie Austin, Pitcher Lee Anthony and Outfielder Duane Helbig have signed up according to General Manager Joe Ziegler.

COMEBACK—Maureen Connolly, former U. S. tennis champ and Wimbledon title holder, practices at San Diego, Calif., for her first comeback tourney next month. She injured her leg last year in a horseback riding accident.

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LITTLE SIX DIVISION

BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

FEBRUARY 24-25-26

Eagle Point High School

Games Start

Thurs. & Fri. 7 p.m. — Sat. 6:30 p.m.

PARTICIPATING HIGH SCHOOLS

Phoenix — Eagle Point
Crater — Illinois Valley
Henley — Brookings

Tony Trabert Captures National Championship

New York — (U.P.) — Tony Trabert regarded by many as America's best tennis player but for a long time without a title to prove it, now owns a title as the national indoor champion.
Trabert gained the crown by defeating his Davis Cup teammate, Ham Richardson of Baton Rouge, La., in Tuesday's final round, 11-13, 7-5, 9-7, 6-3, in a match that lasted three hours but proved dull because of the similarity in styles.
The State of California paid bounties on 10,558 mountain lions from 1907 to 1950.

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MEDFORD (OREGON) MAIL TRIBUNE—NINE

LORAS NAMES COACH
Dubuque, Ia. — (U.P.) — Lt. Cmdr. Charles E. Toole, 33, was named head football coach at Loras college Tuesday. A graduate of Boston college, Toole has coached football at the Newport, R.I., Naval station for the past two years.

SAXTON ASKS GUARANTEE
Philadelphia — (U.P.) — Weight champion Johnny Saxton wants a \$100,000 guarantee to defend his title against Carmen Basilo, the No. 1 contender. Saxton's manager, Frank (Blinky) Palermo, made the an-

ouncement in reply to a Basilo clamor which reached into the halls of the New York legislature. "We'll fight Basilo anywhere he chooses, but we want \$100,000, Palermo said Tuesday.
Dead line Sunday. Classified as at noon Saturday; 10 a.m. Monday for Monday; other days 3:30 previous day.

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