

Tornado, Pelicans Clash In Opening League Series

Medford high's 1958 basketball version of the Black Tornado, figured to be facing the Tornado's toughest Southern Oregon conference slate in four seasons, opens its league contention this evening and Saturday in what is expected to prove the most rugged series of the campaign.

For Klamath Falls the starters are expected to be Glenn Moore, 6-8, Bob Niles, 6-6, Dave Robinson, 6-5, Bob Peterson, 6-3 and Don DeLap, 5-11, or Smiley Herrera, 5-5. The Pels go into loop play after close and wide wins over Springfield, narrow verdicts over Marshfield and North Bend and lopsided victories over Tigard. Medford has nosed out Astoria twice and lost to Marshfield and North Bend by close scores.

Among the reserves, Pete Rasmussen has been looking good in drills and may get a chance to show his wares. Roelandt pointed out that each of his reserves has a little different role to perform. His indication was that these men would be called upon when needed for the particular strength. Don Bowling, moving a lot better now in his recovery of a foot fracture, may be able to see some service.

MEDFORD TRIBUNE SPORTS

Dissident Schools Shun Three Northwest Clubs In 1961-1962 Schedules

Los Angeles — The California, UCLA and USC, three teams on record as planning to withdraw from the Pacific Coast conference, were included today in PCC football schedules for 1961-62. PCC Commissioner Victor O. Schmidt said the schedules, made public Wednesday, were "unanimously" drawn by the athletic directors at a special meeting in San Francisco in mid-December. The schedules were subsequently approved by the faculty athletic representatives by mail vote, he said.

Rosi Picked Over Busso

New York — Light-weight contender Paolo Rosi is an 8-5 favorite to beat Johnny Busso when they finally meet tonight, after four postponements since last March. Their 10-rounder at Madison Square Garden will be televised and broadcast nationally by NBC at 7 p.m. (PST).

Angling Hearing On January 10

Portland — Oregon sportsmen will have an opportunity to submit their proposals for the 1958 angling regulations come Jan. 10. On that date the game commission will hold a public hearing at the Portland headquarters, 1634 S.W. Alder st., to set the tentative angling rules for the year.

Multnomah Votes County Park Plan

Portland — Multnomah county commissioners voted Thursday to acquire land for a county park system. The board approved a report of Chairman Jack Bain which made these recommendations: Immediate purchase of Blue Lake park, privately operated facility northeast of Portland.

Expert Arrives To Treat Penguins

Portland — An expert who has successfully treated aspergillosis, the lung disease killing off Portland's penguins, arrived here late Thursday to help in the fight to save the remaining Antarctic birds.

BROWNS SIGN THREE

Cleveland — Quarterback George W. Uker of the University of Arkansas and tackles Charles Mitchell and Gene Hickerson of the University of Florida and Gene Hickerson of the University of Florida are signed by the Cleveland Browns for the 1958 National Football league season.

UNITAS PICKED

Washington — Baltimore Colts quarterback John Unitas has been named the outstanding professional football player of the year by the Washington Touchdown club. Unitas, who was a unanimous pick, received the award in a special ceremony Thursday.

FUTURE LOOKS BRIGHT

Chicago — Marie Murley, Cook county picnic permit clerk, did a land office business Wednesday although the temperature hovered near zero. She began issuing permits at dawn to a crowd of persons seeking choice locations for club picnics in the county's forest preserves next summer.

BASKETBALL

THURSDAY COLLEGE SCORES Senior Bowl Championship Citadel 67, Spring Hill 55 Consolation Florida State 92, Georgia 80 Hampshire Invitational Harvard 55, Amherst 49 Championship Springfield 67, New Hampshire 60 California Tournament Amer. River JC 87, Cerritos JC 62 W Contra Costa JC 63, Fresno 54 San Jose 84, Elcamino JC 67 San Mateo JC 64, Los Angeles 57 Long Beach JC 79, Sacramento 64 Georgia Tech 74, Furman 64 Boston College 88, Brown 76 West Virginia 86, Canisius 65 Okla. St. 52, Kansas 50 p.t. Vanderbilt 85, Brigham Young 56 Wichita 74, Drake 69 Fresno State 85, Butler 75 Morehead St. 103, Wash. Lee 59 Houston 86, San Houston 76

Webfoots Cheered For Job Well Done

Eugene — Oregon's Rose Bowlers came home Thursday night to the cheers of thousands for a job well done despite a 10-7 defeat at the hands of national champion Ohio State. Gov. Robert D. Holmes, who saw the game, was the first to greet Coach Len Casanova as he stepped from the plane. Then he shook hands with each of the players.

NCAA Eyes Recruiting, Eligibility

Philadelphia — The National Collegiate Athletic Association opened its 52nd annual convention today with such touchy matters listed for consideration as alumni recruiting, enforcement activities, and the abuse of eligibility rules by keeping players out of competition until needed. The six day meeting of the NCAA and seven other national athletic groups opened with an afternoon meeting of its baseball rules committee and a meeting of the executive committee of the American association of College Baseball Coaches.

Ashlanders, Crater Start Loop Action

Oregon high school basketball teams get down to serious business tonight with several key contests scheduled in district play and other games of interest on tap. Medford travels to Klamath Falls for the opener of a two-game series while Ashland plays Crater at Central Point. Crater travels to Ashland Saturday night.

B Circuit Scrap Won By Talent

Talent high's hard-running, ball-dogging Bulldogs stretched their lead in the Jackson County B basketball league here last night by whipping St. Mary's 41 to 29. It was the fourth league win against no defeats for Talent and the second loss in as many loop frays for the Crusaders.

All-Army Runner-up Quint Here Sunday

A team which bears the prestige of 1957 runner-up in the all-Army tournament will contend on the Hedrick Junior High school basketball court on Sunday afternoon. Coach Hal Fischer brings his defending Sixth Army championship contingent for a 3 p.m. game with a combination National Guard-city loop all-star aggregation.

Bolt Choice In LA Golf

Los Angeles — All of a sudden the man to beat in the rich Los Angeles Open Golf Tournament turns out to be none other than terrible Tommy Bolt, the man with the best swing but the worst temper, among the touring pros. Terrible Tommy took the well-groomed Rancho Course apart Thursday with a six-under-par 65 to win low pro honors and \$400 in the annual celebrity-pro tournament preceding the \$40,000 event starting today.

Basilio Named Boxer of Year

Milwaukee, Wis. — Milwaukee champion Carmen Basilio, who wrestled the crown from veteran Ray Robinson during a "lion-hearted" performance, was named "boxer of the year" for 1957 by the National Boxing Association. Basilio was given the honorary title in the NBA's first ratings of 1958.

Boldogs Ahead at Half

Leadership changed hands several times in the first quarter which ended with Talent ahead 11 to 10. St. Mary's fought in front 15 to 11 in the second session but the Bulldogs climbed on top 19 to 17 by halftime.

Williams, Psaltis Star

Brown, Psaltis, Williams and Bondanza are veterans of last year's Sixth Army championship club. Williams, AAU All-American All-Army player and leading scorer last year in the All-Army tourney, and Psaltis, former all-coast player and member of last year's All-Army team, are the main guns of the Presidio quint.

Commissioners Knot in Vote On Coliseum

Los Angeles — The Dodgers seemed to be as far as ever from finding a home in the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum for the 1958 season today but there was a lot of argument about it. The coliseum commission again deadlocked Thursday on a proposition which would have opened the big stadium to the Dodgers as a temporary home until they can build a baseball home.

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Thirty two-man teams have entered teams in the holiday handicap golf tourney at Rogue Valley Country club. Frank Allen and Ed Hall are leading with 13 points after three matches. Each team will play 12 matches. The tourney ends the first week end in March.

Jim Martinez Foe of Moyer

Portland — Promoter Tommy Moyer said today that Jim Martinez of Phoenix, Ariz., had been signed to meet Phil Moyer in a 10-round midweight fight here Jan. 16 because Al Andrews, who was to be Moyer's opponent, is ill.

SF Giants Sign Jerry Robinson

San Francisco — The San Francisco Giants of the National League today signed a third outstanding college baseball prospect in a week's time. Jerry Robinson, a first baseman-outfielder from the University of Arizona, was signed to a contract with his hometown of Phoenix in the Pacific Coast league.

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New Eating Record

Bedlington, England — Joe Steele, who claims the title of "world eating champion," set another record Wednesday. He ate seven feet, 10 inches of sausage in five and a half minutes. He said he would have done better but he already had a hearty breakfast only a few hours earlier.

Red Raiders Tussle At Eastern Oregon

Counting play starts tonight in the Oregon Collegiate conference while Northwest Conference basketball teams start league action next Thursday. Defending champion Oregon Tech plays Portland State in a pair in Portland while Southern Oregon travels to La Grande to meet Eastern Oregon twice. OTI and SOC are favored. Portland State is hurt by the ineligibility of several of its players.

SEE THE DKW

Advertisement for DKW cars, featuring an image of a car and text: "Only 7 Moving Parts in Engine, Up to 35 Miles Per Gallon, Front Wheel Drive, COMPARE, Roominess, Economy, Initial Cost, Looks, Keith Schulz Garage, 116 N. Front - Ph. SP 2-4756"

Large advertisement for John Deere Day on Tuesday, January 7. Text includes: "Free NO TICKETS NEEDED Be OUR GUEST for— John Deere Day TUESDAY, JANUARY 7 Come and Stay All Day FREE LUNCH Served At Our Store 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. FREE SHOW Films In Color! CRATERIAN Starts 1:30 p.m. MAKE IT A DAY • BRING THE FAMILY • BE GUESTS OF HUBBARD-WRAY CO. • 25 So. Riverside"

Advertisement for Morse Motors Volkswagen. Text includes: "THE AMAZING VOLKSWAGEN Is Every Inch a Quality Car MORSE MOTORS West 6th and Ivy Sts. Phone SP 2-7155"