

# Billy Cannon Voted UPI Player of Year

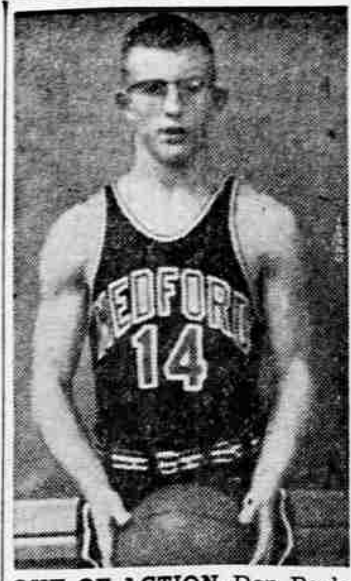
By JOHN GRIFFIN  
 United Press International  
 New York—UPI—Billy Cannon, junior triple-threat star who believes Louisiana State's national champions can post another perfect record next season, today was named college football's "Player of the Year" for 1958 in a nationwide poll conducted by United Press International.

The Tiger halfback, who previously was voted "Back of the Year" received the first-place vote of 85 of the 293 sports writers and broadcasters throughout the nation who took part in the balloting.

Dawkins Second

Pete Dawkins, Army's All-America halfback who was runner-up to Cannon in the voting for top backfield honors, once again finished second to the LSU flash with 64 first-place votes, followed by passing star Randy Duncan of Iowa in third place with 38 and halfback Joe Kapp of California a distant fourth with 18.

Center Bob Harrison of Oklahoma, who previously was voted "Lineman of the Year," topped all linemen in the "Player of the Year" voting with 14 first-place votes. All told, 29 different players received mention in the balloting.



**OUT OF ACTION**—Don Peek, above, senior letterman guard, has been lost to the Medford high basketball team for a month or more. He underwent an appendectomy yesterday.

# Intersectionals Top Basketball Program For Coast Colleges

United Press International  
 Intersectional games highlighted tonight's slate of coast college basketball clashes.

At Berkeley, surprising California runs into one of the nation's powerhouses, the aptly-named Kansas State Wildcats.

The Bears have parlayed height and ball control into three straight wins and may have enough stuff this season to capture another Pacific Coast title despite heavy graduation losses.

Tonight's test will be indicative. The Wildcats downed Big Ten toughies Indiana and Purdue in their first two contests. Six-foot-eight Bob Booser, labeled a "sure All-American by observers, leads the Staters. He popped in 45 points against Purdue.

Another big battle pits Washington against visiting Houston. The Huskies, preseason pick for the coast title,

looked lackluster while dropping a pair to Colorado last week end. The pressure will be on for a lopsided Washington victory tonight.

**Kansas Plays UCLA**  
 Kansas meets UCLA and Iowa State plays USC in a pair of Southland games.

At San Diego, four teams will compete in the San Diego invitational tourney with final action Saturday. The contestants include San Jose State, San Diego State, Pepperdine and the San Diego Marines.

Other clashes tonight will find Montana State at Idaho, Washington State at Brigham Young university, Los Angeles State at Arizona and the Denver Truckers meeting the San Francisco Olympic club.

In action Friday night, all-league guard Chuck Mobley run up 26 points as Sacramento State won their first game by defeating Long Beach State 76-64.

# 8 Players Foundation For Pelicans

Klamath Falls—A group of eight players form a foundation on which defending state champion Klamath Union High school is building its basketball fortunes for the new campaign.

The eight were members of the state tournament squad. Heading the group is Bob Peterson, 6-4, only member of the "Big Four" of Klamath's titular team. He won all-state and top rebounding laurels at Eugene and was third among Southern Oregon conference scorers. Also back is Smiley Herrera, 5-5, normally the fifth man in the Pelican starting combination.

Others are Paul Bishop, 6-1, Dave and Don Delap, 5-11, Steve Binney, 6 feet, Bob Drace 6-2, and Jim Hall, 6-2.

In addition to these players on the current varsity crew are Bob Lewis, 6-5, Dean Dunson, 6 feet, Don Eastman, 6-2, Jim Parks, 5-10, Bill Santo, 6-3, and Ron Olvera, 5-9.

**Dean White Coaches**  
 The Pelicans have a new head coach this year in Dean White. He moved up from jayvee tutor to replace Don Megale who took an Oregon State college post.

Kamath is reported to be showing a great amount of promise in drills, although they will remain an unknown quantity until after this evening. The Pels play Springfield at Klamath Falls tonight and Saturday night.

Six weeks of work on the practice court have gone into

# Dick Daugherty Plans To Retire

Los Angeles—UPI—Dick Daugherty, 29, veteran line-backer for the Los Angeles Rams, says he will retire from professional football after Sunday's game with the Green Bay Packers at the Coliseum.

The former University of Oregon star who has been with the Rams since 1951 when he started out as an offensive guard said Thursday he intended to take a position with the William R. Staats Co., a brokerage firm at Glendale, Calif.

Last year Daugherty was chosen by the Rams as the most valuable player and only last week he won a game ball for his fine playing against Baltimore.

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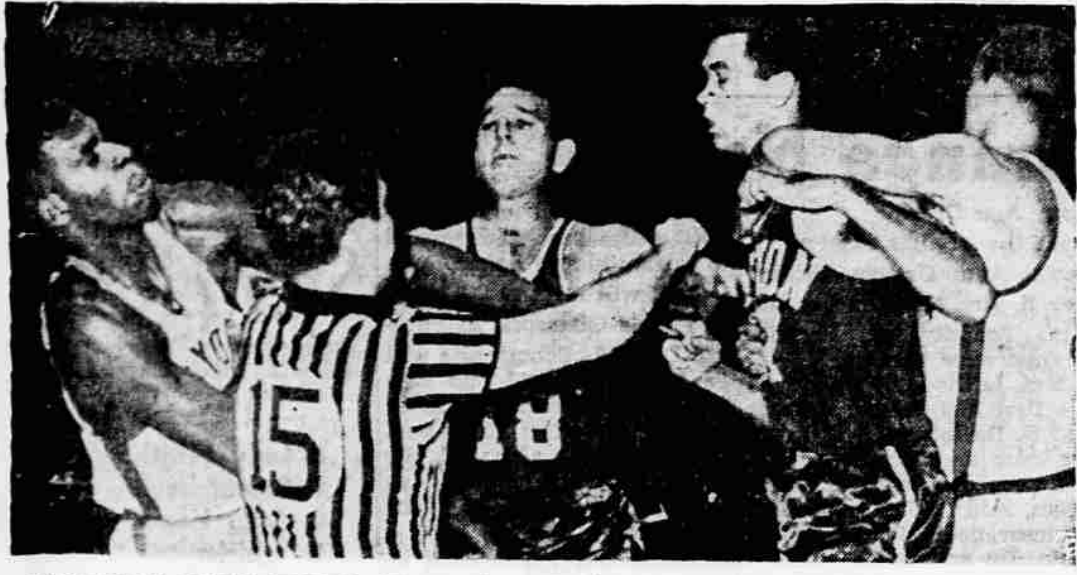
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**STOPPING BASKETBALL GAME**, Gene Conley, Boston Celtics, tries to clout Ray Felix (left), New York Knickerbockers as Guy Sparrow (right), Knicks, grabs him by neck. Also separating battlers are referee Richard Powers, Loscutoff, 18, Celtics.

Club President Vic Morabito, who sat in on the press conference as Albert announced his resignation after three years at the helm, said he had no immediate plans for a successor.

"But I know what we want and don't anticipate any trouble finding that man," said Morabito. "I don't know how long it will be before we announce the successor. All I'm worried about right now is winning Sunday's game against the Baltimore Colts."

Morabito said Albert called him Thursday night to announce his resignation.

# MEDFORD TRIBUNE SPORTS

## Beaver Hoopsters Seek First Victory

United Press International  
 Oregon State hopes to get back on the winning trail in a pair of week end basketball games on its home court in Corvallis.

Coach Slat's Gill's Beavers, losers of three straight games, meet Hawaii tonight and Wichita Saturday night.

The tall Wichita team will be in Eugene tonight to meet the Oregon Ducks, who won their last two games from Brigham Young. Oregon so far has been led by Dale Herron with a 20-point per game average.

Lewis and Clark, which has been highly impressive so far, goes after its fourth straight victory against Central Washington tonight. College of Idaho, also 3-0, plays Northwest Nazarene. Raiders to California.

Other week end games send Humboldt State to Portland State tonight, Portland State meets Central Washington Saturday night. Eastern Oregon goes to Reno to play Nevada, Southern Oregon travels to California to meet San Francisco State tonight and Sacramento State Saturday night. Oregon Tech is at home against a Redding AAU team, Pacific meets Oregon college tonight and College of Puget Grants Pass.

Sound Saturday night, Whitman plays St. Martin's tonight and Eastern Washington Saturday, and Willamette meets Humboldt State Saturday night.

## Hornet 9th Beats SGP

Ninth grade grapplers of Hedrick Junior High school opened their season yesterday by nosing out South Grants Pass 28 to 27.

Hornet wrestlers won six of the matches, four by pins and two by decisions. One match was a draw. South GP took four tussles by falls and one by forfeit.

Four Hedrick youths won exhibitions.

## Frank Albert Quits Forty-Niner Post

By HAL WOOD  
 San Francisco—UPI—Frankie Albert resigned as head coach of the San Francisco Forty Niners today "because I love my family more than I do football."

Albert said the reason he decided to quit was because his wife and three daughters were being subjected too much to the pressure of the game.

"My wife and daughters, aged 15 and 12, ran out of supermarkets where they could shop without being insulted," said Albert. "My oldest daughter, Nancy, quit coming to football games this year because she couldn't stand to sit in the stands and hear her father called a bum."

"My second daughter, Jamie quit coming about a month ago; and my wife, who was sick, missed her first home game last week. When we won, she decided not to come any more, because she thinks she brings the team bad luck."

## GP Winner Over AHS

Ashland—Grants Pass High won nine of the 12 matches last night to down Ashland 37 to 10 in a wrestling card.

Ashland had two victories and gained one draw. Ken Mitchell and Bob Snyder had the Ashland wins. Buzz Parker drew with Bob Lacomb of Grants Pass.

- RESULTS:
- 95—Ken Mitchell, A, pinned Jerry Plante, G.
  - 103—Jim Trotter, G, dec. Doug Fisher, A, 5-0.
  - 112—Buzz Parker, A, drew with Bob Lacomb, G.
  - 120—Vilon Goff, G, pinned Darrell Farrington, A.
  - 127—Kent Williams, G, pinned Larry Schmalz, A.
  - 133—Bob Snyder, A, dec. Tom Marchant, G, 9-2.
  - 138—Larry Borsian, G, dec. Glen Ross, 11-0.
  - 145—Richard Johnson, G, dec. Ron Johnson, A, 4-0.
  - 154—Lynn Cheney, G, pinned George Moses, A.
  - 165—Wendell Winterbottom, G, dec. Larry Haynes, A, 8-3.
  - 175—Larry Drake, G, dec. Glen Tabor, A, 5-0.
  - Unlimited—Bill Cole, G, pinned Don Wood, A.

## Portland Traffic Toll Reaches 39

Portland—UPI—Portland's traffic fatality toll for 1958 has grown to 39 with the death in a local hospital Wednesday of Anna C. Hempt, 73, from injuries suffered in a two-car crash Nov. 30.

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## St. Francis Phoenix Foe

Phoenix—All members of the 12-pan Phoenix high traveling crew are expected to see at least some service this evening when the Pirates oppose the St. Francis high basketball team at Eugene.

Coach Jack Woodward said that possible starters are Mike Reese and Mike Consbuck, guards, Dave Barlow, center, and Warren Blessing and Bill Dillree, forwards. Don MacKintosh and Gerald Sloper will alternate at forwards and Jim Floyd at guards.

Others making the trip are Dave McClurg, Othar Richey, Gordon Caster and Ron Baker.

Woodward has worked his players this week on individual defense, slowdown tactics and full court pressing.

## HOCKEY

AMERICAN LEAGUE  
 United Press International  
 The American Hockey league season hasn't reached the half-way mark yet, but already there is a bitter battle shaping up for fourth place, the final qualifying spot for the Calder Cup playoffs.

The Springfield Indians hold down the fourth spot, but they are only two points ahead of the Rochester Americans and the Providence Reds, who are tied for fifth.

The Indians could loosen the log-jam tonight when they meet the Americans at Rochester. The Ameriks have been especially tough for Springfield this season, though, having taken four of the five meetings between the teams.

In the only other AHL activity tonight, Providence is at Cleveland.

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