

Tar Heels, Cincinnati Trim Foes

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North Carolina and Cincinnati are picking up steam in their downhill race to conference championships and berths in the NCAA basketball tournament.

The second-ranked Tar Heels held on to first place in the Atlantic Coast conference Wednesday night by turning back Maryland, 64-57, for their seventh straight victory while a 38-point barrage by Oscar Robertson helped Cincinnati defeat Dayton, 96-74. It was the fourth-ranked Bearcats' ninth straight triumph. North Carolina dominated the second half without high-scoring sophomore Doug Moe of Brooklyn, N.Y., who is nursing an injured foot. However, two other "Yankees" Tar Heels took up the slack. York Larese and Harvey Salz accounted for 25 of North Carolina's 28 points in the second half.

Robertson, the nation's leading scorer, upped his season average to 33.2 points per game against Dayton.

Moran Scores
Marquette, another streaking team with tournament dreams, racked up its 14th straight victory and its 16th win in 17 games by bowling over Bowling Green, 93-62. Mike Moran scored 21 points for Ed Hickey's 13th-ranked Warriors, who have already received "feelers" from the NIT selection committee.

George Raveling scored 27 points and grabbed a record 28 rebounds in leading Villanova to a 72-63 triumph over Wagner College. Raveling's rebound total was the highest ever recorded by a Villanova player and also established a new mark for the Philadelphia Palestra. The Wildcats (13-3) also are being considered for the NIT jamboree.

Infant Adopted By Willie Mays

San Francisco (UPI)—Willie Mays the slugger was benched today in favor of Willie Mays the father.

The famed San Francisco Giants outfielder was admittedly a rookie in his new role as he became acquainted with his one week old adopted son, Michael Rosiny Mays.

He returned to San Francisco Wednesday night for the first time since September.

He sold newsmen at the airport that he was sure the baby's walls would not bother him any this season.

"I can sleep through anything," he said, although he later conceded he just might get up during the night to help out his wife, Marguerite.

He said he and his wife had considered adopting a baby for the past two years and "decided on it for sure a couple of weeks ago."

Smith, Teutsch Gain Top Spot In Holiday Handicap Golf Mix

Ranny Smith and Tom Teutsch netted 13 points in three matches last week to boom into first place in the holiday handicap golf standings at Rogue Valley Country club.

The two won seven points from Houston Pitts and Forrest Casey and another seven from Ed Milne and H. E. Nulton but lost one to Deane Lambert and Jack Mitchell. They rose from third place and now have a total of 29 points.

Clayton Lewis and Frank Allen, who had led the tourney since the start, are now in second place. While losing the lead, they still gained in point total with a 1 up win over Lambert and Mitchell. They now have a 24 count.

Paul Meyers and Dick Hogan also added points although being pushed from second to third. They won three markers from Lloyd Pope and Dick Travis and

Bates, DeSylvia Get State Sports Honors

Portland (UPI)—Ted Bates and Tom DeSylvia walked off with the top awards Wednesday night at the 11th annual Bill Hayward Banquet of Champions here.

Bates, Oregon State's all-American tackle, won out over 11 other finalists as the athlete of the year for Oregon in 1958.

DeSylvia, coach of Jefferson high's state A-1 champion football team, was picked as man of the year.

Those attending included Gov. Mark Hatfield and Mayor Terry Schrunk of Portland. Although football dominated the top awards, track and the University of Oregon dominated the nominee list. Six of the 12 nominees were from the Eugene school, three of them freshmen. The fresh included Glen Moore, Klamath Falls basketball ace; Daryl Burleson, prep mile record holder from Cottage Grove, and Jim Puckett, the 9.5 dash man from Cove. Other Ducks nominated were football guard Bob Grottkau, miler Jim Grelle and decathlete star Dave Edstrom.

The other five nominees were Terry Baker, the all-around Jefferson high athlete; Bob Patterson, Portland public golf star; Bill Long, Willamette football center; George Freese, Portland Beaver batting star, and Dave Gambee, OSC basketball star of 1957-58.

Speakers included Jack Curtsie and Jim Sutherland, football coaches at Stanford and Washington State.

Bullshivers, Roses Leading Saturday Loops

Bullshivers in the morning league and Roses in the afternoon circuit are the lone unbeaten leaders in Saturday recreation basketball at Medford High school.

Roses clipped the Misfits 39 to 30 last week and Bullshivers downed the Bachelors 34 to 26. Misfits and Bachelors had been unbeaten.

Other results last Saturday were Blobs 53, Buzzards 25 and Horde over Bony Five by forfeit in the morning league and Hoopsters 36, Eagles 27 in the afternoon loop.

Games this week will be Horde against Bullshivers, 9 a.m.; Bony Five versus Buzzards, 10 a.m.; Bachelors meeting the Blobs, noon, and Misfits playing Things, 1 p.m.

STANDINGS
Morning League
Team W. L. Pct.
Bullshivers 4 0 1.000
Bachelors 3 1 .750
Horde 3 1 .750
Blobs 2 2 .500
Buzzards 0 4 .000
Bony Five 0 4 .000

Afternoon League
Roses 3 0 1.000
Misfits 2 1 .667
Things 2 2 .333
Hoopsters 1 2 .333
Eagles 1 3 .250

RVCC pro Ron Caperna has issued a reminder to contestants that the tournament concludes on Sunday, March 1. He pointed out that golfers must play at least 12 matches to be eligible for a prize and added that at least eight matches should have been played by this time.

STANDINGS:
Matches Points
Smith-Teutsch 10 Plus 29
Lewis-Allen 10 24
Meyers-Hogan 8 7
C. Knight-Parsons 11 16
Voegly-Covining 6 10
L. Clark-P. Mitchell 9 10
Sears-Mayer 11 7
Odell-Nulch 7 6
Haviland-Humphrey 8 5
Moore-Dunley 13 5
Dougherty-J. Lewis 9 4
Fabric-Wells 8 4
Lambert-Mitchell 9 3
Boals-Miller 11 1
Teeter-Olsen 1 1
Kalibak-Eidewick 7 1
Schmidt-Lubbers 9 1
Phillips-Gilbertson 2 0
Pitts-Casey 12 Minus 2
Nichols-A. Broyles 12 2
Milne-Nulton 8 8
Conrad-Anderson 8 4
Fink-Sullivan 5 4
Cottlingham-Alexander 7 3
Marten-Somers 6 3
Robinson-Leonard 4 1
Gordon-Lynch 1 1
Pickell-Withrow 5 10
Sanborn-Morris 4 10
Pope-Dick Travis 13 10
Hall-Brown 5 13
Rementis-Barclay 4 16
Getchell-Van Duker 9 2
H. Holmes-Baker 11 25

HOCKEY

AMERICAN LEAGUE
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The three-team battle for fourth place in the American Hockey league is getting tighter every day as the season approaches its final stages.

The Springfield Indians and the Providence Reds, struggling for the final playoff berth, were both victorious Wednesday night while the Rochester Americans lost to the Hershey Bears.

The Indians rammed in five goals in a wild second period to down the sagging Cleveland Barons, 6-4, at Cleveland, and the Reds edged Buffalo, 4-3, on the Bisons' home ice. Meanwhile, the Hershey Bears trimmed Rochester, 5-3, at Hershey.

The action left the Americans and the Reds deadlocked for the fourth spot with 42 points each, with Springfield only one point behind.

On the humorous side, Sutherland was given a "No Bowl" award, football coach Tommy Prothro of OSC was given a first aid kit; Len Casanova of Oregon got some turf from the Miami end zone, Oregon lost to Miami, and hoop coach Slats Gill of OSC received a statue of a one-armed basketball player in honor of finally allowing one-handed free throws.

SPORTS

GP Victor Over Crater Wrestlers

Grants Pass—Grants Pass high thumped Crater 32 to 12 Tuesday in a wrestling match here.

The Comets won four of the first six matches from GP which was riddled by injuries in its lighter-weight classes.

Gary Meade, Crater, was injured by a body slam in his 98-pound match with Lee Roley. He was taken to Josephine General hospital and kept there for observation.

GP also won the junior varsity portion of the matches 29 to 11.

RESULTS:
88—Lee Roley, GP, won by default over Gary Meade, C.
106—Butch Barber, C, beat Jerry Carson, GP, 4-3.
115—Chuck Warren, C, edged Bob LaCombe, GP, 4-3.
126—Kirk McIntyre, GP, downed Bill Allen, C, 4-2.
136—Russ Walker, C, topped Dargill Theford, GP, 4-2.
147—Tom Marchant, GP, defeated Bob Bibey, C, 4-2.
157—Russ Gibson, GP, pinned Dean Lamp, C, 25 sec. of the second round.
156—Lynn Cheney, GP, toppled Al Lamp, C, 2-0.
168—Wendell Winterbottom, GP, pinned Rick Burns, C, 1:37 of the first round.
178—Larry Drake, GP, walloped Len Miller, C, 9-4.
Heavyweight—Bill Cole, GP, pinned Howard Misner, C, 51 seconds of the first round.

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Guerin Sparks Knickerbockers

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Richie Guerin's steady drive is lighting a fire under the New York Knickerbockers and making the former Iona star a man to be reckoned with in the National Basketball association.

Guerin, who appears ready to pass his season total high of 1,041 points with ease, scored 12 of his 39 points in the final period Wednesday night to give New York a 129-126 come-from-behind victory over the Boston Celtics.

St. Louis, blowing a 20-point lead, surged back to defeat Syracuse, 113-111, and Detroit edged Philadelphia, 119-117, in double overtime in the only other games played.

Callooh Appears Yacht Winner

Nassau, Bahamas (UPI)—Callooh, a 42-foot yawl owned by Jack M. Brown, of Miami, Fla., today was declared the unofficial winner of the Miami-to-Nassau yacht race.

Skipped by veteran Emil Mosbacher, Callooh was the fifth craft to reach the finish line Wednesday night but Nassau Commodore Bobby Symonette predicted the Florida-owned entry would be declared both the over-all winner and the class B champion when the corrected times are announced.

Caribee, another sleek yawl from New York, reported home first and was followed in order by Good Hope, Hilera, Marie Amilia, Callooh, Salty, Ariel V, Erivale and Rhubarb.

DEFEATS ROSEWALL

Sydney (UPI)—Frank Sedgman advanced to the final round of the Jack Kramer professional tennis tournament Wednesday when he defeated Ken Rosewall, 7-9, 7-5, 9-7, 6-2. Sedgman will meet the winner of the Pancho Gonzales-Lew Hoad match for the title.

OSC Bills UO Quintet

Corvallis (UPI)—Oregon and Oregon State meet in their final 1958-59 season basketball game here Friday night with Oregon after its first win in three tries against the Beavers.

Officials said about 3000 general admission and 700 reserved seat tickets were left for the game.

Oregon State meets Washington State here Saturday night and Oregon plays the Cougars at Eugene next Monday night.

Tourney Ticket Applications To Be Mailed

University of Oregon, Eugene—Officials of the athletic department, the Eugene Active club and the OSAA have concluded preliminary planning for the annual A-1 high school basketball tournament to be held at McArthur court March 17-21.

A. Oden Hawes of the OSAA, the sponsoring group, discussed operational plans with the co-host athletic department and Active club represented by Athletic director Leo Harris of Oregon and president Dick Olson and tournament chairman John Northam of the Active club.

No major changes are planned in the tournament operation, which has been increasingly successful in the years since 1947 when it was moved here from Salem.

Can Buy Same Seats
Harris said ticket applications for the 1959 tournament were now ready and would be mailed next week end. Season ticket holders from previous tournaments will be given an opportunity to purchase their old seats again and the general sale for the reserved seats on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings will get underway.

Hawes announced some minor changes in the ticket prices, the first in 10 years, would be made this year to help meet rising costs. Single session general admission tickets for morning and afternoon sessions will go up five cents for students and 10 cents for adults and the tournament tickets for students will be boosted from \$4.00 to \$4.50.

There are no changes in reserved seat prices or in the \$10 adult tournament ticket.

Medalist Out At Palm Beach

Palm Beach, Fla. (UPI)—Upset winner Alice Dye faced Judy Bell of Wichita, Kans., today in the second day of match play in the Palm Beach Women's Amateur golf championship.

Double rounds were scheduled today despite unfavorable weather predictions of cloudy skies and possible rain. The semi-final round will be Friday with the final Saturday.

Mrs. Dye, a young Indianapolis housewife, sank a 25-foot birdie putt on the 20th hole Wednesday to knock out favored Betty Kerby of Akron, O., who won medalist honors in the qualifying round.

But Jones, already concerned that American tennis may become complacent because of the return of the cup, said "many matters have to be evaluated first, including private business responsibilities and those as president of the Southern California Tennis association."

He expects to meet early next week with Southern California tennis leaders before making a decision.

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Cards Obtain Philly Player

St. Louis (UPI)—Bob Miller, veteran relief pitcher for the Philadelphia Phillies, today was property of the St. Louis Cardinals, at least for a time. General Manager Bing Devine said Wednesday Miller was bought on a conditional basis from the Buffalo club, a Philadelphia affiliate in the International league.

Miller's performance with the Red Birds during spring training at St. Petersburg, Fla., will determine whether or not he stays, Devine said. A decision on his contract will be reached by April 10, opening day for National league play.

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