

SPORTS

Six May See Most Duty for Crater In Roseburg Tilts

Central Point-Six men will share most of the load Friday and Saturday when Crater High school basketball team opens its season against Roseburg, Comet coach Lloyd Hoffman has reported.

Hoffman indicated that he will pick his starting crew from among Chuck Turner, Dave Sharp, Earl Cooper, Denny Edwards, Tom White and Loyal Higinbotham.

Turner, 6 feet, is classed as the Comet's best all-around man. He has a good jump shot and is the top rebound retriever. Sharp, 6 feet, has long arms and big hands which help make him a good ball handler. He's a good shot.

Cooper Hustles
Cooper is said to be the club's best defensive man. At 6-1, he's a hustler. Edwards, 6-3, is a good tough man on the post. He's real strong under the boards and is a good tipper. White, 6 feet, is real aggressive and has a good jump shot. Higinbotham, 5-8, is the Comet's top player for the fast break and has a good one-hand shot from the outside.

Others who may see duty are Jeff and Bill Anhorn and Jim Allen. The Anhorns have the fine knack of thinking ahead of the play. Allen is a good shot.

The games are set for 8 p.m. after 6:30 prelims. Prospect varsity will meet Crater jays in the Friday opener.

Most publicized player on the Roseburg aggregation is Jim Jarvis, who was a stellar player for Coquille in the A-2 ranks before moving to Roseburg for this school year. The high scoring player is a junior. His father, Curt Jarvis, is Indian coach.

Tornado's Mat Varsity Faces Comet Grapplers
Medford high opens its varsity wrestling season here on Friday evening.

Matches will begin at 6:30 p.m. at the senior high gym. Tornado grapplers defeated Crater 55 to 48 on Tuesday in junior varsity competition. Medford won 11 of the individual matches. Ten were taken by the Comets and two were draws.

Webfoots Will Face Fresno Five
Eugene - UPI - Coach Steve Belko's Oregon Webfoots, perhaps the best quintet here in the last eight years, open their 1959-60 basketball season Friday and Saturday nights against Fresno State.

Both games will be played in McArthur court starting at 8 p.m.

Belko admits this is the best balanced team he's had since he has been at Oregon. Although he hasn't announced his starting lineup he may open with veterans Dale Heron and Stu Robertson at forwards, sophomore Glenn Moore at center, and Denny Strickland and Chuck Rask at guards.

Strickland has been moved to guard from forward. Also sure to see plenty of action are returning guard letterman Butch Kimpton and soph forward Charlie Warren.

Fresno State is coached by Bill Vandenberg, a former Washington star. Fresno State has no one over 6 feet 4 inches in its front line and was hurt last week when soph center Floyd Gross, the team's top rebounder, quit school.

Babe Williams, a six-foot guard with a 13.5 scoring average last year, leads the Fresno attack.

Archery Hunt Season Opens
Portland - UPI - The weekly report on fishing and hunting conditions prepared by the state game commission:

HUNTING
Southwest - Douglas County: Waterfowl hunting in the Umpqua valley is fair to good. Coos county: Large numbers of waterfowl are in Coos Bay area, mostly wideopens. Hunting should be fair. Jackson Josephine counties: Waterfowl hunting in Rogue river valley will be poor. The Rogue valley archery season opens December 5 and goes through December 20.

Central - Mild and sunny weather prevails in the Klamath area. There are good numbers of birds in the basin but they are not flying.

FISHING
Southwest - Steelhead angling will remain spotty on the Umpqua river unless a rise in the river occurs. If rains come, fishing should be fair to good in the Idleyld and Winchester areas.

At Agness steelhead angling is fair. Steelhead fishing remains good in the Marial and Agness area. Excellent catches continue to be made on hotshots and other lures. The season is closed on the Rogue above Mule creek at Marial.

Rainbows Overcome OSC 56-51

Honolulu, Hawaii - UPI - The University of Hawaii Rainbows staged a final 10-minute scoring spree Wednesday night to upset the visiting Oregon State Beavers, 56-51.

The Rainbows trailed throughout most of the contest but caught fire midway in the second half to tie the firing Beavers, 35-35. The lead changed hands three more times, and Oregon State took a 48-46 lead on a 10-foot jump shot by Ron Critchfield with four minutes remaining.

A pair of free throws by Arnie Kaliszewski and a hook shot by 6-9 center Tony Davis then pushed the Rainbows in the lead to stay.

Oregon State's 6-10 center Karl Anderson did an excellent first-half job of bottling up Hawaii's high-scoring Davis, but fouled out with 15 minutes left to play. Davis went on to finish the evening as high scorer with 19 points, 16 coming in the second half.

Critchfield topped OSC scorers with 12 and Jim Woodland tallied 11.

Oregon State led at halftime, 22-18.

OREGON STATE	FG	FT	PP	TP
Anderson	1	0	4	2
Carty	1	3	1	2
Woodland	2	2	5	16
Critchfield	4	1	2	12
Johnson	1	0	3	3
Stafford	1	1	3	3
Wold	1	1	3	3
Jacobson	1	1	3	3
Totals	19	15	35	51

HAWAII	FG	FT	PP	TP
Kaliszewski	1	0	0	0
Douglas	0	0	0	0
DeLauro	0	0	0	0
Ching	0	0	0	0
Oshima	0	0	0	0
Lankford	0	0	0	0
Yarborough	0	0	0	0
Totals	0	0	0	0

Free throws missed: Oregon State - Flynn 1, Carty 2, Anderson 1, Critchfield 2, Stafford 3, Hawaii - Kaliszewski 3, Douglas 1, Davis 4, DeLauro 3, Ching 1, Yarborough 4.

Halftime score: Oregon State 22, Hawaii 18.

Tall, Green Ashlanders Entertain Californians
Ashland - Ashland high has the tall timber for basketball this season, but coach Earl Iba will send a green squad into action.

Of the players who will see action here on Friday night against Eureka, Calif., and on Saturday against Fortuna, Calif., not one was a regular last year. Only one was a letterman.

The monogram man is Bob Hardy, 6-5, who'll start at the post. Others who may be in the opening five are Phil Tucker, 6-4, Dave Jackson, 6-2, Harley Dickerson, 5-8, and Jerry Houck, 6 feet.

Doublebill Starts Play At Garden
United Press International

St. John's and New York university, who started the ball bouncing in Madison Square Garden 26 years ago, will help launch another series of college basketball doubleheaders at the famed sports arena tonight against dangerous Midwest invaders.

The Redmen, coached by old pro Joe Lapchick, play St. Louis university and NYU faces Marquette.

St. John's was ranked 13th and St. Louis was 14th in the pre-season ratings of the United Press International Board of Coaches, so their meeting should get the Garden season off to a good start.

Both teams scored runaway victories in their opening games Tuesday night. The Redmen scalped the University of Bridgeport, 90-66, and St. Louis romped to an 89-64 win over Abilene Christian.

Marquette, coached by Ed Hickey, an old Garden favorite, is a slight favorite over NYU in the season opener for both teams. The Warriors knocked off NYU last season at Milwaukee on their way to an impressive 23-6 record.

Pittsburgh upset invading Michigan, 75-57, and Villanova rolled to a 66-46 victory over Princeton in major games on Wednesday night's slim schedule.

Cougar Coach Comes Friday
Jim Sutherland, Washington State University head football coach, will visit Medford tomorrow and Saturday.

He'll be at a no-host stag dinner for alumni and friends of WSU on Friday at 6 p.m. at Rogue Valley Country club. With Sutherland will be Bob Gambold, an assistant coach, and Stan Bates, also of the WSU staff.

A film will be shown on WSU football.

Four Comet Footballers Gain Individual Awards

Central Point - Gary Johnson, Jim Eldred, Glen Cote and Harold Tweedell were announced as award winners Tuesday night at a banquet honoring the Crater High football team and coaches.

Johnson, quarterback, was named most valuable player and Eldred, halfback, was recipient of the sportsmanship award. Cote, tackle, took downfield blocking and outstanding lineman laurels and Tweedell, end, was top tackler on the Comet squad.

Their names will be put on trophies at the school. The dinner in the Crater cafeteria was sponsored by Gold Hill and Central Point Lions. Parents and friends of the team attended along with the players.

Dr. Elmo Stevenson, president of Southern Oregon college, was speaker. Crater tied for second place in the Southern Oregon conference.

Butte Falls Has Height In Abbott

Butte Falls - Butte Falls high basketball team this season will have some experienced height but it will be centered in one man.

He's Raymond Abbott, 6-6, senior, back for his third varsity season with the Loggers. One other man on the squad is over six feet, Larry Barlow, 6-1 junior, but new coach Dick Pepple says he'll likely see mostly junior varsity duty.

There are two other lettermen, Dan Remsen, sophomore, and Roger Ellerson, junior. Other seniors on the squad are Daryl Hawkins and LeRoy Thompson. Juniors include LaVerne Baker, Ira Rambo, Steve Deen and Doug Fisher. A sophomore is Clarence Monroe. Freshmen players are Arthur and Neil Ellis, Mike Stratton, Arthur Rambo and Roger Skinner.

Pepple, who took over the head reins on the departure of George Bray, has indicated that Arthur Ellis will be a top reserve.

The Loggers open their new slate with a non-league game on Saturday at home against Rogue River.

Open Skeet Tiff Sunday
Medford Gun club's annual competition for its open skeet championship will be conducted on Sunday.

Contenders will fire at 100 targets in the event. Only the open will be held this time. Smallbore events are to be shot sometime after Christmas. It was pointed out that all skeet rivalry at one time makes too long a day.

However, there will be regular 16-yard and handicap shooting. Traps will open at 9:30 a.m.

A Medford Elks and Medford gun club turkey, ham and bacon shoot will be held at the club on Sunday, Dec. 13.

Links Trophy Dinner Sunday
Rogue Valley Country club golf awards dinner will be held on Sunday, Dec. 6, at 7 p.m.

Awards for 1959 in men's and junior rivalries at the club will be presented. All of those who earned awards are asked to be at the dinner. They can bring a guest, if was said. Reservations should be telephoned to the club.

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JIM ELDRED Sportsmanship Honored

Harold Tweedell Top Crater Tackler
(Photo by Knackstedt)

Glen Cote Comet Line Standout
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LC Rushing Leader in NW Chase

Portland - UPI - Willamette, 1959 Northwest conference football champion, failed to win a single individual title, final statistics showed today.

Teamwise, Lewis and Clark took the rushing title with an average of 228.1 yards per game. Pacific was the passing champion with 123 completions in 234 attempts for a .534 mark.

College of Idaho won the total offense title with a 339.1 average.

Linfield was best in rushing defense with a 120.9 per game average. In pass defense by allowing 65 completions in 159 attempts by the opposition and in total defense with a 212.6 yard per game average.

Abbie Heads
Individually, Jack Abbie of Lewis and Clark led in rushing with 843 yards and a 5.6 yard per carry mark.

Chuckin' Charlie Alvaro of College of Idaho took the passing crown with 78 completions in 147 tries for a .531 mark, 1,121 yards and a dozen touchdowns.

Bill Hughes of Pacific was the top receiver with 46 for 543 yards. Dell Smith of College of Idaho won the punting title with a 35.4 average.

Whitman's Tim Smith was the scoring leader with 12 touchdowns for 72 points.

Frick Says Approval Conditional
St. Petersburg, Fla. - UPI - Commissioner Ford Frick, facing a showdown with Branch Rickey, insisted today he's all for the Continental league provided it establishes a pension fund for its players and compensates the minor leagues.

"When the Continental league fulfills three important conditions which we have laid down, they will find that one of our biggest boosters is the commissioner of baseball," Frick said.

"But first they must prove to us that they have eight cities ready and able to operate a franchise," he continued. "They must have a pension fund for their players, like the major leagues, and they must remunerate the minors for the cities they move into."

Miami Beach Sessions
"I will not sell the players nor the minors down the river," the commissioner emphasized.

Frick's remarks followed an announcement by Rickey, president of the founding Continental league, that officials of his circuit will meet in Miami Beach, Dec. 8, concurrently with the National and American league meetings there.

"The Continental league intends to be there when a decision is made so that it may respond at once to that decision," Rickey's state ment said.

The first successful submarine telegraph cable was laid between Dover, England and Calais, France in 1851.

RETURNS TO BASEBALL
Lancaster, Pa. - UPI - Phil Cavarretta, former Chicago Cubs manager and first baseman, will return to baseball next season as pilot of the Lancaster club in the Class A Eastern league. Cavarretta was out of baseball last season.

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UP! Coaches Board Predicts National Title for Bearcats

By JOHN GRIFFIN
New York - UPI - Oscar Robertson's bid for a record third straight scoring championship will lead the University of Cincinnati to the 1959-60 national collegiate basketball championship, the United Press International Board of Coaches forecast today.

The board, composed of 35 famous coaches throughout the country, named "The Big O" and his Bearcat mates the No. 1 team in the country in the annual pre-season rating released today.

California's Coach Pete Newell's defense - conscious crew which won the NCAA tournament last spring, was ranked second behind Cincinnati, narrowly nosing out always powerful Kentucky for the runner-up spot. Completing the top five were West Virginia, last year's eastern NCAA champion built around All-America Jerry West, and North Carolina.

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