

# Veterans Loans in State To Be Less, Director Reports

Salem - Oregon veterans' farm and home loans were granted to 198 veterans in Jackson county in 1959 in the amount of \$2,073,000. H. C. Saalfeld, director of the state department of veterans' affairs, reported this week.

Starting this year, however, Saalfeld said, loans will be reduced about 65 per cent because of a shortage of loan funds. This could mean that only 73 veterans in Jackson county will receive loans totaling \$767,000 during 1960 if the reduction were uniform statewide.

Actually, veterans' loan applications are being scheduled for funds statewide on a "first come, first served" basis. Loans for all of Oregon will be limited to about 120 a month, starting in April, as against the average of 430 loans granted each month last year.

**Shortage to Continue**  
Saalfeld said the shortage will continue through 1960, because the state veterans' department has reached the constitutional limit of bonds it may issue to finance the program. It may now loan only the money it receives from veterans' monthly loan repayments, after paying operating expenses.

Whether the shortage continues next year will depend on the outcome of a measure on the ballot in next November's election to increase the limit of bonds that may be issued. The loan program requires no tax funds and is self-sustaining.

Since the state veterans' loan program started in 1945, a total of 1,019 veterans in Jackson county have borrowed \$7,988,100.

**TIME RAN OUT**  
Juelich, Germany - UPI - Last Sunday was the golden wedding anniversary of Anton and Barbara Holz who lived in a village near here. She died early Sunday morning after a long illness and her husband was fatally stricken by a heart attack a few hours later, it was learned today.

**RECORD DOG SHOW**  
London - UPI - A total of 7,209 dogs have been entered for the Cruft's Dog Show to be held here Friday and Saturday - a world's record. Officials said the most popular breed was the miniature poodle, with 314 entries.

# SPORTS

## Grants Pass Grapplers Subdue Tornadoes 32-15

Grants Pass high wrestling team defeated Medford 32 to 15 in varsity rivalry at Grants Pass last night.

The Cavemen won eight of the 13 matches. Medford took three and two tussles were draws.

GP had a 41 to 25 margin in junior varsity scuffles.

## Gambee Scores For Cincinnati

Wilt Chamberlain and the Philadelphia Warriors are closing in on those front-running Boston Celtics.

The Celtics had a seemingly insurmountable lead in the Eastern division of the National Basketball Association a few weeks ago but the Warriors cut it to a mere three games Tuesday night when they beat the Cincinnati Royals, 109-107, and the Celtics bowed to the St. Louis Hawks, 114-113, at Madison Square Garden.

Nine of Syracuse's 10 players scored in double figures as the Nationals whipped the New York Knicks, 119-102, in the other game of the New York double-header.

Dave Gambee, former Oregon Stater, made his debut with Cincinnati Tuesday night and scored 13 points.

## House Resolution Deplores Markings

Washington - UPI - The House, by two unanimous votes, expressed "profound indignation and shock" Tuesday at the recent rash of desecrations of places of worship in this and other countries.

It first passed a resolution deploring the desecrations under routine "unanimous consent" procedures. Then Rep. Barratt O'Hara (D-Ill.), the chief sponsor, demanded a roll call. The recorded vote was 392-0.

The resolution, which now goes to the Senate, calls upon all persons and governments throughout the world to do their best to prevent any recurrence of "these shameful events."

# Crusaders, Cougars Win Jackson B League Frays

**JACKSON COUNTY B LEAGUE STANDINGS**

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Mary's	6	2	.857
Prospect	4	2	.667
Butte Falls	1	5	.167
Talent	1	5	.167

Floyd Scaife spurred the Cougar attack with 25 points. Laverne Baker and Raymond Abbott put in 13 each for the Loggers.

A field goal by Mike Lewis in the closing seconds gave the Crusaders a 32 to 30 nod in the junior varsity opener. St. Mary's overcame a 4 to 21 halftime deficit to win and tied the contest twice in the

last quarter before getting the winning bucket. Paul Elliott had nine points for SM and Dave Grimes eight for Talent.

Prospect junior varsity beat Butte Falls 48 to 22 with Stan Payne and Gene Wyatt each getting 13 markers.

**AWARDS NIGHT**  
VFW Rifle and Pistol club is holding its annual awards dinner this evening at the Veterans of Foreign Wars hall. The event is set for 6:30 p.m. and those attending are asked to bring a covered dish and their own table service.

Viscountess Astor, born in Virginia, was the first woman to sit in the British House of Commons in 1919.

MAIL TRIBUNE, Medford, Or. 9  
Wednesday, Feb. 3, 1960

**PLASTIC BAG SUICIDE**  
Jersey City, N. J. - UPI - A 57-year-old woman was found dead Tuesday night after apparently committing suicide by using a plastic bag, police said. Miss Rose Ebel was discovered on the bed in her apartment with a small plastic bag pulled tightly around her head.

Medford will entertain Klamath Falls at 3:30 p.m. Friday.

It was reported that the Southern Oregon freshman mat tourney will be Feb. 13 at Ashland. Schedules here had listed it for this week end.

**VARSIITY RESULTS:**  
98 - Pat Nicholson, G. dec. Jim Spitz, M. 7-2; 106 - Clay Varney, M. pinned Jim DeSantis, G. 2nd; 115 - Lee Roley, G. dec. Denny Pugmire, M. 7-1; 123 - Bob LaCombe, G. pinned Bill Owens, M. 2nd; 129 - Sonny Leffer, M. drew with Gary Holmes, G. 3-3; 136 - Bill Bramblett, G. dec. Wayne Fields, M. 5-1; 141 - Ray Smith, M. drew with Bill Grisel, G. 2-2; 148 - Ralph Ripley, G. pinned John de Place, M. 2nd; 157 - Bill Charley, M. dec. Ken Rhodes, G. 9-3; 168 - Jerry Coleman, G. dec. Bob Rix, M. 7-6; 178 - Richard Shorb, G. dec. Chuck Holt, M. 15-2; 191 - Chuck Shaw, M. dec. Bob Boyce, G. 7-1; Unlimited - Bill Cole, G. dec. Stan Hobbs, M. 4-0.

**MEDFORD JV WINNERS:**  
Dan Eddy by pin. Doug Robertson, Jim Burk, Tim White and Lee Cook by pins. Monte Jones, two matches, by pin and decision.

**AMICABLE**  
New York - UPI - Baseball Commissioner Ford Frick said today his first procedural meeting with Continental League President Branch Rickey was "amicable" but refused to disclose any details. Frick and Rickey met for 45 minutes Tuesday in the commissioner's private office. There were no aides or other officials present.

**SHERRY GETS AWARD**  
New York - UPI - Larry Sherry, who won two games and saved two others for the Los Angeles Dodgers in their World Series triumph of 1959, today was named winner of the "Babe Ruth Award" as the outstanding player of the series.

**GOLD RUSH STARTS**  
Palm Springs, Calif. - UPI - The California gold rush was on again today with the start of the \$100,000-added Desert Classic, not a horse race but a marathon 90-hole tournament on four courses here, running through Sunday.

**Three Men Alive In Japanese Mine**  
Yubari, Japan - UPI - Three Japanese miners who had been buried for 50 hours in a caved-in coal mine were brought to the surface today, alive and apparently in good condition. Five others were still missing.

The survivors were taken to a nearby hospital for examination.

Thirty four miners are known to have been killed by a gas explosion that ripped the big HTK mine here early Monday and the resulting cave-in. One rescue worker suffocated when his respirator ran out of oxygen underground.

## Beaverton School Districts To Join

Hillsboro - UPI - Twelve school districts in the Beaverton area will officially become one July 1, according to Austin Scrafford, Washington county school superintendent.

Voters will choose seven directors for the reorganized district Feb. 23. Scrafford said candidates must file with him by Feb. 16.

The overall vote in the 12 districts at an election Dec. 21 favored unification, although some districts opposed it.

## Control of TB in Oregon Predicted

Portland - UPI - Tuberculosis will be brought under control within five years as a cause of death among Oregon residents under 45 years old, the State Board of Health predicted today.

Dr. Richard Wilcox, state health officer, said the prediction was possible because of early discovery of cases and improved treatment methods.

In 1948 there were 256 TB deaths in Oregon and 100 of them were persons under 45. By 1953 the ratio was cut to 19 out of 112. Incomplete 1959 figures showed 11 deaths of persons under 45 out of 61 TB fatalities.

Prospect held off Butte Falls 50 to 46 in the other league fracas.

St. Mary's will be host to Prospect on Friday night while Butte Falls journeys to Talent.

The Crusaders of Medford went into the last quarter of their tussle here leading by 28 to 23. A long pusher by Talent's Ed Seaver widened to 32 to 25. St. Mary's widened to 25 to 25 on jump goals by Bob Evans. Then Seaver and SM's Dick Evans traded long pushers. Seaver followed with a pair of free heaves for 34 to 29.

Bob Evans touched off the Crusader clinching surge with a jumper. An interception by Ron Daley set up a fast break and Al Yates scored. Bob Evans netted a long jumper and Yates added a jump from the side for 42 to 29.

A stubborn Talent zone defense and cold SM shooting limited Crusader scoring in the first and third periods. The visiting Bulldogs also pestered the Medford team with a weave and drive offense and Seaver's long and mid-range firing added to the Talent threat. But Crusader defenders gave the Talent club fewer shooting chances than they themselves took. On offense SM shoved in 20 field goals to the Bulldogs' 14. St. Mary's had only three points on free tosses while Talent had five.

The Medford parochials broke away from a 9-each knot at the end of the first quarter to head by nine point margins. They led by seven, 24 to 17 at halftime and were outshot 6 to 4 by Talent in the third quarter.

Seaver was high scorer with 19 points. For St. Mary's the Evans brothers, Dick and Bob each had 12.

Prospect made good on more than 50 per cent of its field shots in the first half to get a good bulge on Butte Falls. The Cougars had quarter gaps of 18 to 12, 34 to 21 and 44 to 35.

## Prep Basketball

- TUESDAY GAMES**  
By United Press International
- Cleveland 57, Franklin 54
  - Benson 45, Lincoln 34
  - Roosevelt 56, Wilson 45
  - Jefferson 72, Washington 56
  - Grant 56, Madison 38
  - South Salem 68, Corvallis 53
  - Oregon City 51, McMinnville 47
  - Sandy 81, Silverton 53
  - Albany 49, Sweet Home 42
  - Forest Grove 50, Dallas 36
  - Parkrose 60, Molalla 41
  - Serra 45, Woodburn 41
  - Junction City 59, Pleasant Hill 53
  - Lebanon 59, North Salem 59
  - Beaverton 71, Central Catholic 50
  - Clackamas 66, Gresham 48
  - St. Helens 75, West Linn 69
  - Tigard 67, Newberg 44
  - Tillamook 61, Oswego 52
  - Clatskanie 47, Knappa 46
  - Creswell 37, Central Linn 33
  - Yoncalla 47, Drain 42
  - Reynolds 64, WyEast 50
  - Oakland 82, Canyonville 53
  - Elkton 49, Suberlin 33
  - Eddyville 75, Oregon Deaf 47
  - Fall City 54, Valselt 27
  - Westfir 55, Mohawk 17
  - McKenzie 60, Lowell 53
  - Coburg 48, Monroe 43
  - Harrisburg 71, Triangle Lake 59
  - Mosier 70, Corbett 60
  - Williamina 55, Sheridan 39
  - Independence 40, Aurora 38
  - Turner 76, Seib 58
  - Philomath 57, Dayton 35
  - St. Paul 50, Detroit 33
  - Prospect 50, Butte Falls 46
  - St. Mary's 45, Talent 33
  - Perrydale 71, Chemawa 59
  - OCE Frosh 65, Toledo 60
  - Colton 63, Gaston 48
  - Jesuit 45, Scappoose 41
  - Verona 89, Gervale 48
  - Star of Sea 46, Seaside 37
  - Salem Acad. 51, Nestucca 48
  - Sherwood 57, Amity 42
  - Tillamook Cath. 57, Warrenton 51

## BASKETBALL

- TUESDAY COLLEGE GAMES**  
By United Press International
- Syracuse 65, Connecticut 64
  - St. Francis (N.Y.) 70, Pratt 61
  - CCNY 65, King's Point 55
  - New York U. 67, Duquesne 58
  - Iona 71, Seton Hall 68
  - North Car. St. 87, Virginia 53
  - Georgia 66, South Carolina 65
  - Geo. Wash. 105, Virginia Tech 90
  - Auburn 48, Georgia Tech 45
  - Miami (Fla.) 80, Rollins 79
  - Notre Dame 71, Canisius 65
  - Texas Tech 82, Arkansas 79
  - Brandeley 83, Seattle 80
  - Cent. Wash. 65, Whitworth 60
  - Santa Clara 66, Texas A.M. 55
  - Chapman 72, Whitier 55
  - Long Beach St. 77, Cal. at Davis 32
  - S.F. State 75, Southern Oregon 55
- NBA GAMES TUESDAY**  
St. Louis 114, Boston 113  
Syracuse 119, New York 102  
Philadelphia 109, Cincinnati 107
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