

# SPORTS

## Pirates, Hornets Seek Tourney Spot

Phoenix-It's the end of the campaign for one team and into district title contention for the other tonight after Phoenix and Henley basketball aggregations vie here.

Winner of the tussle will go into the four-team playoff for the District 6 A-2 banner at Roseburg.

Neither Ron Baker nor Tom Atchison of the Phoenix squad were in school yesterday but it was thought that both would be on hand for this evening's encounter. Baker turned an ankle in Wednesday practice and Atchison was thought to have had a cold.

Phoenix tied for second in the Rogue league. Henley played an independent slate in the southern division of District 6, reserving the right to meet the Rogue No. 2 team for one of two southern berths in the district tourney.

## Dodgers Enter War of Words

United Press International They've taken the Dodgers out of Brooklyn but they can't take Brooklyn out of the Dodgers.

Here it is barely the opening of the spring training season—a real good fast ball has yet to be thrown—and the Dodgers are embroiled in a war of words. Their antagonist is an old pal—Charley Dressen—who left them as a coach to manage the Milwaukee Braves.

And the "needle" which got under the Dodgers' skin was a story in a national magazine in which Dressen stated, "the Dodgers can't repeat."

"What's blabber mouth got to say now?" asked outfielder Carl Furillo. "He's always popping off. That's typical of him. All I can say is that it'll keep us alive."

"You can't win by talking," quipped Manager Walt Alston, who then neatly sidestepped further debate with Charlie the talker.

## Volliers Ahead By 2 in League

Standings: W L Pct  
Valley Volliers 5 3 .625  
Jumping Jills 3 3 .500  
Time Outs 3 3 .500  
Scrappers 1 5 .167

Valley Volliers have a two-game lead in Medford YMCA women's intramural volleyball tournament play after winning both their matches last week.

They defeated the Left Over Scrappers 15-13, 8-15, 15-9 on Tuesday and the Jumping Jills 16-14, 15-17, 15-10 on Thursday. In other matches this week the Jills bounced the Time Outs 15-11, 15-3 on Tuesday and the Time Outs nudged the Scrappers 15-13, 16-14 on Thursday.



**HOCKEY TEAM JUBILANT**— Jubilation on the ice in Squaw Valley's Blyth arena yesterday when the United States hockey team upset favored Canada 2-1. Members of the Yank team pile on top of goalie John McCartan to congratulate him for his 39 saves in the game, 11 in the final period. The upset was one of the most stunning ones in the Winter Olympic games. (UPI Telephoto)

## Yankee Hockey Team Spills Canadians in Olympic Tilt

Squaw Valley — (UPI) — The medal standings in the Winter Olympic Games (gold for first place, silver for second and bronze for third):

Country	G	S	B
Russia	6	3	7
Germany	3	3	0
Sweden	2	2	0
Switzerland	2	0	0
United States	1	2	2
Austria	1	2	2
Norway	1	2	0
Finland	1	1	2
France	1	0	0
Canada	1	0	0
Holland	0	1	1
Poland	0	1	1
Italy	0	0	1

But the Yanks—the devilish puckmen—were the heroes of a screaming mob of 8,000 which jammed Blyth Arena to cheer them on.

## Jenkins Trails Czechoslovakian In Skate Test

Squaw Valley — (UPI) — The United States, its hopes for a clean sweep in the event shattered, today still looked at slender nervous Dave Jenkins for a gold medal in Olympics men's figure skating.

The 23-year-old ice artist from Colorado Springs, Colo., trailing Czechoslovakia's Karol Divin after two days' skating of compulsory figures, was favored to win the gold medal because he excels in free skating.

But it was to take some performance in today's free style exhibition for Jenkins to assume the crown won by his brother, Hayes Alan Jenkins, in the 1956 games in Italy.

Twenty-year-old Alain Gilette of France won the crown for Europe this year, regaining the honor he held in 1955-56-57. Gilette was in third place in this Olympics, the third he has been in.

Tim Brown of Berkeley, Calif., picked as Jenkins' closest rival in pre-Olympics guessing, had trouble with the compulsory figures and went into the free style in fifth place. In fourth was Canada's Don Jackson, second to Jenkins last year in the world championships.

Norbert Felsinger, of Austria was next in line, trailed in seventh position by the third U.S. entrant, Bob Brewer of Alhambra.

## Adams Resigns As Hoop Coach

Forest Grove — (UPI) — Vic Adams said he has turned in his resignation as head basketball coach at Pacific university which has lost 36 straight games over two years.

Adams, an outstanding high school coach before returning to his alma mater has head hoop mentor four seasons ago, said he planned to return to teaching.

Uncle Sam's boys methodically took the Canadians apart in the first two periods, building up a 2-0 lead, and then sat back and played the finest defensive game of their lives in the last period.

When it was all over they mobbed their goalie, John McCartan of St. Paul, Minn. They picked him up, they jumped on him and then built a "log pile" in the middle of the ice with McCartan on the bottom as they "congratulated" him. He had made 39 saves during the game — and was under continual bombardment during the last period. But he survived—and is ready to take on all comers.

"We feel we have proved ourselves — to ourselves," he said after the game. "Now we feel that we can beat the hell out of anybody."

They'll get that chance on Saturday. They tangle with the Russian Bear — defending champions and games favorites despite the fact they have been held to a draw by Sweden.

But the heroes all weren't U.S. representatives Thursday. Finland had a stand-out in Veikko Hakulinen, the aging lumber jack who anchored the relay team to victory. The Finns were trailing Norway by 200 yards going into the six-mile final lap and the Norwegian skier was Hakon Brusveen, gold medal winner in the 15-kilometer race.

Hakulinen took out after him, collared him with a mile to go — and then hung on to win by half a ski length, a little more than two feet, in one of the closest ski race finishes in the history of the games.

The U.S. team finished 11th — and last — in this event. On it were Andrew Miller, Crested Butte, Colo.; Karl Bohlin, Minneapolis, Minn.; John Dendahl, Boulder, Colo., and Peter Lahdenpera, Fort Leavenworth, Kan.

## U. S. Prospects Bright

But the gold medal prospects for Uncle Sam were bright today.

Penny Pitou, Laconia, N.H., with second place finishes in both the downhill and giant slalom is a good bet to win the world's ladies' Alpine championship. All she has to do is finish 10th. And many believe that, barring tough luck, she will win the Olympic gold medal in the event. Betsy Snite of Norwich, Vt., also gives the U. S. team a good shot for a medal.

## Scandinavians Bid in Skating

Squaw Valley — (UPI) — The Scandinavians challenged Russia's domination of Winter Olympic speed skating today when they took their best shots in the 1500 meter event, the "metric mile."

The 1500 meter race is one of the classic events of speed skating and the top men from Norway, Sweden and Finland were trying to bring home the gold medal that in skating is to them the most desired of winter competition.

## Jeff, Grovers Capture Titles

Jefferson in the National League and Oak Grove in the American circuit scored victories yesterday to win varsity championships in Medford district grade school basketball.

Jefferson nipped Roosevelt 30 to 29 for its seventh victory. Oak Grove wound up unmarred in its loop by trimming Lincoln 34 to 15. No inter-league play-off is planned.

## Tornadoes Take On Comets Tonight, Ashland Saturday

Darrell Miller won't be in uniform but Lowell Dean will suit down and might see some action. Coach Frank Roelandt reported this morning as the Medford high basketball contingent eyed its next to last week end of 1960 Southern Oregon conference rivalry.

Medford opposes Crater at Central Point this evening and has its last home game against Ashland on Saturday night on Hedrick floor. Varsity games are billed for 8:15 p.m.

Other league scraps will be Grants Pass at Ashland and Crater at Klamath Falls tonight.

Miller has been missing from the Tornado squad all week because of flu. Dean didn't see duty against Klamath Falls last Saturday because of an ankle sprain. Roelandt said that Dean might play "a little at a time" in the Crater and Ashland tussles.

## Crater High Freshmen Grab Toga

Crater high's freshmen claimed the southern Oregon ninth grade unofficial basketball diadem last night after whipping McLoughlin of Medford 61 to 42.

Central Point eighth grade trimmed McLoughlin 33 to 27 and the Mac seventh tipped the Pointers 23 to 15 in other games.

The Comet frosh completed their season with an 18-2 record.

Mike Glines zoomed in 34 points to spur the Crater club last night. He had 14 field goals on 24 shots and six free points on 10 tries. His total would have been higher but for four missed lay-ins. Jack Lowery had 17 points for the Bulldogs.

The teams were close together in scoring much of the time but the Comets capitalized on steals to get their final margin. McLoughlin ninth led at the quarter 7 to 6 and Crater at the other period stops 22 to 14 and 40 to 27.

CP eighth broke away from a 27 to 25 edge to tally three goals to Mac's one in the last 33 seconds. The Pointers had 16 to 9, 21 to 13 and 21 to 18 quarter margins. Burd put in 11 points for CP and Jim Allen eight for the Bulldogs.

McLoughlin seventh completed 7 to 2, 14 to 8 and 18 to 13 quarter differences. Phillip Rupp sparked the Bulldogs with his all-around play and nine points.

LINEUPS:  
61 Crater — McLoughlin 43  
F 4 Wald — Lower 17  
F 34 Glines — Farnsworth 2  
C 3 Jones — Sander 3  
G 10 Alvarez — Neathamer 4  
G 10 Pepper — Watkins 2  
Substitutions—For Crater: Branson, Mason, Sharp; for McLoughlin: Parisafas 8, Salvors, Henry 1, Bell, Stiger, Couch, Deffley 6.

## Tourney Paced By Stranahan

San Antonio, Tex. — (UPI) — Frank Stranahan, who admits he's one of the world's worst on short putts, didn't leave himself many chances to prove that theory in building up the three-stroke lead he carried into today's second round of the Texas Open.

Thursday as he sank eight birdie putts ranging from six to 40 feet in fashioning a splendid 32-32-64 over the treacherous par 36-36-72 Fort Sam Houston layout. That was good enough for a fat lead over his competitors, the closest of whom was 24-year-old fledgling pro Davis Love Jr. of El Dorado, Ark., who had a deft putting touch working for him, too, as he posted a 33-34-67.

She needed only to stay on her feet and finish at least 10th to take home the world trophy.

"I don't care about that world title," declared the saucy U. S. star. "What I want is a gold medal and I'm going all out."

At Hedrick on Saturday sophomore teams start out Ashland-Medford rivalry at 5:15 p.m. Jayvees will follow.

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