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# SPORTS

## Long Blast Hit By LA Aspirant

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The "big rookie" of the 1960 training season is Frank Howard of the Los Angeles Dodgers.

It's true literally because Howard stretches 6 feet, 7 inches and weighs about 250 pounds and it's true competitively because the \$100,000 bonus baby just could be ready to make the big time this year. And, if that's true, those Dodgers are likely to become solid choices to make it two straight National League pennants.

Willie Mays of the San Francisco Giants and Ted Williams of the Boston Red Sox flexed their muscles in intra-squad games Wednesday but it was Howard who produced the eye-popping news—a tremendous wallop that not even Arthur (Red) Patterson, who ran down Mickey Mantle's famous 565-foot drive in Washington, D.C., could find!

### Dead Center Shot

Howard, who hit 43 homers in the minor leagues last season and is regarded as certain to be a great major league slugger some day, cleared a tree in dead center field, 442 feet from the plate at Vero Beach, Fla.

Howard is trying out for first base with the Dodgers and will force a complete re-

## Oregon's Webfoots Subdue NM Staters

Corvallis, Ore. — (UPI) — The University of Oregon basketball team defeated New Mexico State, 68-60, last night to gain a berth in the NCAA Far West Regional tournament at Seattle.

The Ducks, picked as an "at large" team, will meet Skyline Conference champion Utah in the regionals, which open tomorrow night.

alignment of the team if he makes it. Manager Walt Alston admits it and so does veteran first-baseman Gil Hodges, who could wind up in the outfield or at third base if the big kid comes through. Mays belted two homers in the Giants' intra-squad game while Williams connected for a 380-foot homer on the first pitch served up to him in the Red Sox' game.

### PLAIN HORSE SENSE

Walsall, England — (UPI) — George Melia pleaded innocent in court Wednesday to a charge that he allowed a horse to stray onto the highway. "It wasn't a horse," he told the court, "it was a white mule." The court agreed and dismissed the case on the ground the summons had been incorrectly worded.

California, defending NCAA champion and Big Five champ, will meet Santa Clara of the West Coast Athletic Conference in the other second round game.

The winner of the Seattle tournament will enter the NCAA finals at the San Francisco Cow Palace on March 18-19.

### Warren Hero

Charlie Warren was Oregon's hero last night. The Ducks trailed 34-27 at half-time, but Warren came off the bench to score 13 of his 15 points in the second half.

Four other Oregon players scored in the double figures. Chuck Rask had 13, Benny Strickland added 12, Bill Simmons scored 11, and Dale Heron had 10.

George Knighton of New Mexico was the top scorer of the game. He tallied 22 points for the Border conference champs, but fouled out with seven minutes remaining.

Oregon trailed 48-44 midway in the second half when it scored 11 straight points to take a 55-48 lead.

Oregon shot 444 in the second half with 16 out of 36 from the field while New Mexico State had 6 out of 31 for a paltry .194 second half.

## 22.3 Points Per Fracas More Than Hoop Rivals Black Tornado Averaged

Medford High school's Southern Oregon conference District 6 A-1 championship basketball team shot at a 408 average from the field and 686 from the free stripe and outscored its opponents at an average of 22.3 points per game in establishing its 19-win, 3-loss record during the 1959-1960 regular season campaign.

The Black Tornado, No. 1 rated among preps of the state, netted 1,551 points over its 22-game route to rival's 1,069. Its per-game average was 70.5 to adversaries' 48.2.

Jerry Anderson led Medford individual scoring with 140 field goals and 86 free tosses for 366 counters. He hit at a rate or 16.63 points per game.

Bob Quinney was second high scorer with 209 points. Jerry Shults put in 200 and Lowell Dean 163. Others with more than 100 were Ken Durkee 144, Dick Ragsdale 141, and Booth Deakins 140. Among the cagers who played

the most, Quinney was tops in accuracy with .460 from the field and .819 from the free line.

### Andy Leads In Rebounds

Anderson was the team's rebound leader with 207 retrievals from the backboards. Lowell Dean had 160 snafus, Quinney 155, Ragsdale 96 and Booth Deakins 88.

In averaging 70.5 points per contest, Medford score ranged between 36 in an early season loss to North Bend and 92 in a triumph over Ashland. Tornado totals exceeded the per game average 13 times. Rival scores ranged from 72 by Roseburg in topping Medford in a December fray to 32 by Ashland. Opponents bettered the 48.2 average in only nine games.

The Black Tornado next week will make its fifth trip in six years to the Oregon big school basketball tourney at Eugene. Medford will open on Wednesday at 8:45 p.m. against Jesuit of the Willamette.

Name	g	ft	av.	ft	av.	reb.	pf	tp	av.
J. Anderson	22	310-140	451	133-56	637	207	49	366	16.63
J. Barry	19	27-9	333	23-15	632	15	5	33	17.3
B. Deakins	22	126-47	373	63-48	730	88	24	140	6.32
C. Dean	21	53-23	334	47-21	660	54	22	77	3.19
L. Dean	21	134-59	383	66-45	872	160	38	163	7.76
K. Durkee	22	197-64	323	24-16	667	36	30	144	6.54
K. Jensen	13	6-3	375	12-5	417	6	8	11	8.46
D. Miller	17	44-21	477	8-7	875	18	2	49	2.88
H. Olson	14	18-6	333	5-2	400	12	13	14	1.00
B. Quinney	22	163-75	460	72-59	819	155	31	209	9.50
D. Ragsdale	22	120-52	433	52-37	712	96	23	141	6.41
J. Shults	22	187-79	401	63-42	689	74	62	200	9.09
S. Dowson	2	3-2	687	0-0	000	2	1	4	2.00
S. Eaton	1	1-0	000	0-0	000	1	1	0	0.00
Totals	22	1421-580	408	570-391	686	844	349	1551	70.50

## Tennessee Has Close NAIA Call

Kansas City, Mo. — (UPI) — Top-seeded Tennessee A & I shoots for smoother sledding in today's quarter-finals in its bid for an unprecedented fourth consecutive National Association of Inter-collegiate Athletics (NAIA) basketball tournament title.

The Tennessee State Tigers blew a 16-point lead in the second half and had to battle for their life before downing a much shorter West Virginia Wesleyan team 84-79 in Wednesday night's second round.

The week-long 32-team tournament goes into the quarter-finals with only two of the top seeded teams out of action. Even Oklahoma Baptist, the team that ousted third-seeded Southern Illinois, was on the sidelines as New Mexico Highlands became a Cinderella team by downing the Oklahoma in the second round.

Also missing was seventh-ranked Stetson of Florida, first round victim of unseeded William Jewell.

In tonight's quarter-finals, Tennessee A & I will meet eight-seeded Wofford College of Spartanburg, S.C. Second seeded Southwest Texas State meets Grambling of Louisiana, fourth-ranked Westminster College of Pennsylvania meets fifth-ranked Hamline University of Minnesota and William Jewell of nearby Liberty, Mo., plays New Mexico Highlands in the other quarter-finals.

## BOWLING

Standings	W.	L.
Mechanic's Laundry	15	5
Moore Steel	15	5
Ellis Market	14	6
United Grocers	12	8
Earl and Roy's	12	8
Mann's Dept Store	9	11
Stevens Auto Parts	10	10
U. S. National Bank	9	11
Hauptert Tractor	7	13
Medford Neon	7	13
City Hall	3	15
O. K. Market	3	17

Standings	W.	L.
Darrell Miller Co.	10	2
O. N. S. Bank	8	4
Crater Lake Motors	8	4
Saleway Twelve	7	5
Medford Health Club	7	5
Taylor-Salade	6	6
Cal Spray	5	7
Saleway Top	5	7
C. F. Van Lines	5	7
Faber's Market	5	7
McDonald Candy	4	8
O. K. Tires	2	10

Standings	W.	L.
Put Holders	47	25
Alley Busters	39	33
Three Mrs.	37	35
Jokers	36	36
Stragglers	35	36
Lucky Strikes	35	36
Three Slippers	35	37
Sparebowlers	32	40
Merry Trio	31	40
Slowpokes	31	41

Standings	W.	L.
Union Club	24	12
Beck's Bakery	24	12
Medford Cleaners	22	14
Jorgensen's Dairy	18	17
Pick's Apparel	18	17
Rogue Distributing Co.	18	18
Wooden Shoe	17	19
Hawkinson's Tire	15	21
Ross Lumber	15	21
Crater Inn Motel	15	21
Crater Logging	15	21
Cummings	14	22

Standings	W.	L.
Parrish Construction	16	0
Builders Supply	11	5
Rambler	11	5
Dean-Taylor	8	7
Barbers	8	8
Gleason's Sporting Gds.	8	8
Hopkins Richfield	6	10
Sam Jennings	4	12
Team Nine	4	12
Mike's Seat Cover	3	12

Standings	W.	L.
Harley & David	23	9
Weisfield's Jewelers	19	13
Orion Venter Co.	16	16
Linninger Ready Mix	15	17
Western Hot Coffee	14	18
Prospect Shopping Center	13	19
Beneficial Standard Life	12	20
Team One	11	21
HiWay Tavern	8	24

Standings	W.	L.
Medford Motors	34	14
U. S. Bank	28	19
Chuck's Market	26	20
Van Lee's	27	21
Bateman's Insurance	27	21
Hilbert Oil	26	22
J. C. Federal	25	23
Hunter's Tavern	25	23
Yuking Sewing Center	25	23
Ping's Gardens	25	23
Faber's Market	21	27
Quality Market	16	32
Pioneer Cafe	15	33
Hal's Flying "A"	13	35

### Fishing Conditions Poor in Southwest

Portland — (UPI) — The weekly report on fishing conditions prepared by the state game commission: Southwest: Fishing poor and expected to remain so unless weather breaks; fishing good in small creeks toward end of last week in Coos Bay area; stripe bass fishing on Coos Bay could improve.

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