

## Red Raider Thinclads Practice

Ashland - Coach Dan Bulkley said the Southern Oregon college track squad should be much stronger in the sprints, discus, and pole vault this year but will be hurting for runners in the distances and middle distances in addition to the high jump and hurdles.

Bulkley has been working extra hard with the distance runners in an effort to get ready for the Willamette Relays April 2.

"We are pointing toward the interclass meet March 30 which will determine just who will make the trip to Salem for the annual relays," the Raider cinder mentor stated.

Ten lettermen are back from last year's Oregon Collegiate conference third place squad. They are headed by Stuart Baker and Pedro Colley who placed in the district NAIA finals in Portland last year.

**Co-Captains**  
Baker was a member of the record setting relay squad in addition to running in the 220 and 440-yard dashes. Colley competes in the discus and shot. Last year he went to Sioux Falls, S.D., for the nationals in the discus.

Team captains were elected last year with Baker and his running mate in the 440, Chuck Swingle, coming out on top. Swingle also competes in the mile relay unit.

Strength in the pole vault will come from John Harvey, who reached 12-6 on a number of occasions in high school competition at Medford.

Larry Derry and Jack Kopacz are returning vaulters but Kopacz will be confined to limited duty. His baseball playing conflicts. The same is true of Jim Dietz, who is a baseballer and 440 and relay speedster.

Letterman Bill Stewart returns to the shot and discus while Al Born is a returnee in the hurdles. The sprints are being bolstered by freshmen Doyle Branson, John Mills and Don Story with Mills having the best time last year at :9.8 seconds. Johnny Jones, a transfer from Lewis and Clark college, figures in the sprinting roles and the broad jump.

Frosh Don Korth has been working with the javelin and Jones will probably also compete with him. Jack Johnson, a letterman and fifth place finisher in the OCC last year, may return to the mile and relay if his practice teaching and studies do not take too much of his time.

## Park Property Proves Costly

Los Angeles - (UPI) - The Los Angeles Dodgers yesterday paid \$50,000 for a one-third interest in property located on the site of the baseball club's proposed Chavez Ravine stadium.

The payment was more than 15 times the assessed value of the property.

Superior Judge Clyde C. Triplett approved the payment to 19-year-old Charles W. Scott for his interest in a three-bedroom house and the 60 by 110-foot lot it stands on. The city appraised the property at \$10,500.

The ball club paid \$150,000 for the full piece of property, the balance going to Scott's brother, Francis, and his wife. Court approval was required on Charles Scott's sale because he is a minor.

The pending approval of the sale by the court had been holding up excavation work at the stadium site.

Portland - (UPI) - University of Portland officials said today that Santa Clara, Gonzaga and Iva College of New York would compete here next Dec. 16-17 in the second annual City of Roses basketball tournament.

# MEDFORD TRIBUNE SPORTS

## Sport Parade



By OSCAR FRALEY  
United Press International

New York - (UPI) - What with St. Patrick's Day just around the corner, if you're wondering what happened to the fighting Irish a broth of a boy named Denny Moyer can tell you in one word.

"Nothing."  
Denny is well qualified to speak on the subject. He's Irish. He's a fighter who has lost only one of 25 bouts. And as a welterweight championship contender he is merely the junior member of the "fighting Moyers."  
In Spotlight Friday  
The clan includes his two

## Providence NIT Choice

New York - (UPI) - Providence college is a five-point favorite to overpower Memphis State tonight in the opening round of the National Invitation Basketball tournament.

In the first game of a double-header at Madison Square Garden, Villanova is a three-point pick over Detroit, which is making its first appearance in the nation's oldest college basketball carnival.

The Villanova-Detroit winner will play second-seeded Utah State and the Providence-Memphis State survivor will meet third-seeded St. Louis Saturday. In other Saturday games, Holy Cross will face St. Bonaventure and Dayton tackles Temple.

Top-seeded Bradley and fourth-seeded St. John's will not swing into action until next Tuesday night.

## Canton Keglers Take Over Lead

Toledo, Ohio - (UPI) - Four Winds Restaurant No. 2, Canton, Ohio, took over the lead among open teams in the American Bowling congress tournament's fifth day here.

Al Campese, Ashtabula, Ohio, grabbed second spot in all-events.

Four Winds combined games of 1009, 1000 and 930 for a 2939 series, to end the Cincinnati Western Bowl No. 1 team's stay at the top of the open teams list after three days.

Charles Friend, Fairborn, Ohio, moved into third in singles with games of 211, 223 and 212 for a 646 total. One pin behind him on the same squad was Donald Daub, Walkerton, Ind., with 645 and fourth place. James Bautch, Minneapolis, rolled 639, good for sixth.

## NEWELL HONORED AGAIN

New York - (UPI) - Pete Newell of California, United Press International's coach of the year, has been accorded a similar honor by the New York Metropolitan Basketball Writers association. Newell, who steps up to the post of athletic director after the Golden Bears complete their NCAA tournament competition, guided California to a 24-1 record during the regular season.

## PALMER PICKED

Pensacola, Fla. - (UPI) - The \$15,000 Pensacola Open golf tournament got underway today with Arnold Palmer a solid favorite to win his third straight tournament, something no one has done since 1952.

uncles, Tom and Larry, both former boxers of note; his father, Harry, who won five Pacific Northwest amateur titles, and his brother, Phil, currently a middleweight contender.

Denny takes the spotlight away from the rest of the family this Friday night when he goes against flashy Emile Griffith, the Virgin Island cha-cha expert, in the televised main event from Madison Square Garden. It's a pick-em affair but due to the proximity of the great green day the sentimentalists award the 20-year-old Dennis the edge.

## Lost to Jordan

Ranked number five in the welterweight division, Denny is quite naturally shooting to get back for another crack at the title. He had one, last July, and dropped the decision to champion Don Jordan.

"I was a year away," he says bashfully. "But time is on my side."  
It is, indeed. Because had he beaten Jordan last year he would have been the youngest champion the ring has had in 60 years. The last was another Irishman, the ill-fated terrible Terry McGovern, who became the only 19-year-old world champion when he won the bantamweight title in 1899.

## KC Baseball Owner Dies

West Palm Beach, Fla. - (UPI) - Arnold M. Johnson, millionaire industrialist and owner of the Kansas City Athletics baseball team, died this morning after suffering a cerebral hemorrhage.

The 54-year-old, Chicago-born executive died at Good Samaritan hospital, where he was taken hours earlier after collapsing at the wheel of his car on a downtown street.

**Slumped Over Wheel**  
A policeman found Johnson slumped over the steering wheel of his car. Johnson apparently had sensed the onset of the attack and was able to stop the car before collapsing.

**Bought in 1954**  
He was conscious when taken to the hospital but later lost consciousness and was placed in an oxygen tent.

With Johnson at his death were his wife, Carmen, and a brother, Earle. He is also survived by a daughter, Wendy, 11; and a son, Jeffrey, 9.  
Johnson purchased the Athletics from the Connie Mack family in 1954 and shifted the club to Kansas City the following year. He sank millions into the chronic second division team.

He was vice-chairman of the board of the Automatic Canteen Corp., a vending machine organization, and also was active in building contracting and hotel management.

## SPANAKOS CHAMPS

Chicago - (UPI) - The 21-year-old Spanakos twins, formerly boxers at College of Idaho, grabbed two championships here Wednesday night in the Western Golden Gloves finals. Petros, the lighter of the twins, punched out a decision over Darrell Shaanoux of Denver for the 118-pound crown. And Nick Spanakos claimed the 126-pound title with a decision over Tom O'Shea of Chicago. The twins had represented Burns, Ore., in Northwest Golden Gloves tournaments.

## Nine Vets On Raider Ball Squad

Ashland - Nine lettermen were among the 40 hopefuls that turned out for the 1960 Southern Oregon college baseball team here this week as the Raiders prepare to defend their two-year old Oregon Collegiate conference title.

Jim Dietz, Chuck Nevi, Jack Kopacz, Edon Francis, Gordy Carrigan, Phil Sword, Don Vannice, and Kermit McLemore were the lettermen working out for the first practice which was devoted to hitting. Jess Munyon has reported but was not able to begin practice until today.

SOC opens the 1960 season with at least a pair of games against the University of Oregon March 25 and 26. The first game will be played in Ashland on the SOC diamond and the following day the two teams will go to the Oregon campus.

**Possible Twinbills**  
Raider Coach Ted Schopf indicated there will be two doubleheaders played on those dates if the weather allows and if both coaches agree.

Schopf feels the Raiders will be in contention for the OCC toga again if he can fill the first base slot and bolster the pitching staff. Larry Maurer, an OCC all-star at first base, and pitchers Dave D'Olivo, Tom Speelman, and Dale Walter are missing from last year's squad.

Vannice and McLemore both saw plenty of action last year on the mound.

Dietz, Nevi, and Carrigan rounded out last year's infield with Kopacz as the leading reserve. Munyon saw action at third and behind the plate.

## Francis Mainstay

Francis was a mainstay in the outfield with Sword. Francis saw some action in the infield and Sword was behind the plate on occasion where he will probably be most of the time this year.

Two left-handers have been added to the roster in the pitching department as Marty Vogler and John Younger turned out. Both played summer baseball in the Eugene area and proved to be effective.

Helping Schopf with the coaching chores this year will be graduates Jim McAbee and Ron Owings. McAbee was an all-conference catcher last year and Owings played some years ago before turning professional.

Tentative plans are in the making for a junior varsity this year in an effort to make it possible for more players to see action.

## STOPWATCHES USED

Memphis, Tenn. - (UPI) - Sen. Estes Kefauver (D-Tenn.) has come to the aid of postal clerks who complained that postal officials used stopwatches to time them at the job of placing letters in pigeon-holes. Kefauver said he would ask Congress to stop "this misguided attempt to apply scientific management measurement techniques to a field where they are not suitable."

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## Evansville Advances

Evansville, Ind. - (UPI) - Defending champion Evansville and neighboring Kentucky Wesleyan, both rated among the nation's top 10 small college teams, made the form chart run true today in the NCAA's college division basketball tourney.

Evansville, rated number one nationally, advanced to the semi-finals with a 101-91 triumph over American university of Washington, D.C.

Eighth ranked Wesleyan, paced by 25 points from All-American guard Kelly Coleman, romped over St. Michael's, 99-55, winning by the largest margin ever in the tournament.

Cornell of Iowa, a five-point underdog, upset Northeast Missouri State, 83-81, and Chapman of California, a seven-point underdog, tripped the 1957 national champion, Wheaton, 73-67.

In tonight's semifinals, Evansville and Wesleyan meet in their rubber game of the season, each winning once previously, and Cornell and Chapman tangle for the western championship.

## PICTURE TAKING

New York - About 26 million U.S. families snap 1.7 billion pictures yearly with their own camera equipment.

## BASKETBALL

**WEDNESDAY COLLEGE GAMES**  
NCAA Regional  
Oregon 68, New Mexico St. 60.  
NCAA Small College  
Tournament  
(Quarter-finals)  
Cornell (Iowa) 83, N.E. Miss. 81  
Chapman 73, Wheaton 67  
Ken. Wes. 99, St. Michael's 55  
Evansville 101, American 91

**NAIA Tournament**  
(2nd Round)  
Westminster (Pa.) 59, Whittier 50  
Grambling 113, Villa Madonna 97  
N.M. Highlands 77, Okla. Esp. 67  
Hamline 89, Arkansas A&M 76  
Tennessee A&I 84, W. Va. Wes 79  
SW Tex. St. 101, Savannah 88  
Wofford, 80, Findley 73  
William Jewell 73, Parsons 71

Brown 80, Rhode Island 71  
Kansas 84, Kansas St. 82  
St. Joseph's (Pa.) 91, Phila. Tex 69

## Stacey Collie Portland Victor

Harbrooke Merrie Madcap, tri-color collie female, owned by George and Frances Stacey, Medford, and handled by Mrs. Stacey, scored a five-point major win at Portland Kennel club show held March 5 and 6.

This is the second five-point win for Cappy. She is 16-months old and needs only five points to finish her championship. She has seven shows to her credit. Normally it takes around 40 shows to finish the championship for a collie.

There were 476 dogs in the Portland show, the largest entry being in collies.

## Jack Riley All-America

New York - (UPI) - Ed Smallwood of Evansville, Jackie Moreland of Louisiana Tech, Kelly Coleman of Kentucky Wesleyan, Mel Peterson of Wheaton and Jim McDonald of West Virginia Wesleyan today were named to the United Press International small college All-America basketball team.

The second team for the 1959-60 season was composed of Don Curry of Mississippi Southern, Whitey Verstraete of Georgia Southern, Charlie Vaughn of Southern Illinois, Tommy Covington of Mississippi College and Jack Riley of Linfield (Ore.).

The third team was made up of Gene Werts of Tennessee State, Larry Swift of Northeast (Mo.) State, Charles Davis of Westminster (Pa.), Dennis Boone of Regis (Colo.) and Zelmo Beatty or Prairie View (Tex.).

The teams were selected with the help of the national board of coaches which rated the small college teams for UPI during the 1959-60 campaign.

## POULTRY INCOME

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