Fanfare

By DICK JEWETT
Mail Tribune Sports Editor

We told Bruce Engel, prep sports writer for the Portland Oregonian, the other day that the Southern Oregon conference gladly would share some of its physical woes in basketball with other leagues in the state.

Latest reported casualty in the Southern Oregon circuit is Larry Janssen of Grants Pass who may be out for the season because of the fusion of two vertabrae. At Klamath Falls center Bruce Brickner has the mumps and there's fear he's exposed guards Wally Palmberg and Fred Biehn. At Central Point Crater center Bryson LaCasse has the mumps and varsity reserve Pat Pepper has a bad ankle sprain.

Grants Pass, from Daily Courier writer Jerry Acklen's reports, has had more than its share of troubles in basketball. Janssen, whose ailment is a recurrence of an old back injury, is the third starter from the 1959-60 Caveman team to be sidelined. Gary Hugoboom was prevented from turning out at all this season because he suffered a dislocated neck last summer in an auto accident. Then Dan McIntire had to give up basketball because of a knee injury received last summer and made worse during football season.

Then there's been GP's Al Staley, who's just back after a bout with measles which followed toe trouble.

COACH'S SON ILL

Along with Crater mentor Lloyd Hoffine's player troubles Sunday – he spent time in Central Point because of Pepper's injury – he found his own 1-month old son, Jeff, was sick. The youngster was hospitalized because of bronchial trouble.

DOWSON TAKES EXAM

A check with Medford hoop coach Frank Roelandt this morning uncovered no Black Tornado physical troubles. However, Stan Dowson was absent from drills Tuesday and this afternoon to take Naval reserve officer training corps examinations.

FINE GRIDDERS LEFT OFF

Selections for the annual Class A Shrine football game all-star State squad saw four Medford high players named but did not leave us with unmitigated joy because some worthy Medfordites had to be left off. There's a four-player limit from any one school. Tornado choices, as previously announced were guard Al Funston and backs Dick Ragsdale, Phil Humphreys and Dan Sieg. On the alternate list are back Mike Hood and end Bob Quinney.

An all-Southern Oregon conference choice to make the squad was Ashland's fleet back, Bob Voris. Guard Larry Ryerson of Crater, who collected most of his teams awards for the 1960 season, is an alternate.

We may be way off base but it's our contention that you could take a squad of seniors from Medford's 1960 aggregation and have a club about as strong, if not as strong, as any State or Metro all-star club picked in the state.

Knicks End Six Tussle Loss String

United Press International

Maybe it was the threat to pull them out of New York that did it, but the downtrodden Knickerbockers finally managed to look like pros.

No matter what the reason, they turned in one of their finest performances of the National Basketball association season Tuesday night when they snapped a six-game losing streak with a 131-120 victory over the Detroit Pistons.

Willis Naulls was the pacemaker, scoring 49 points and equalling a Madison Square Garden record one day after Knick president Ned Irish had said there might not be a New York entry in the NBA next season.

Naulls made 15 baskets in the first half to tie a Garden record set by Elgin Baylor of Los Angeles last Nov. 15 when the Lakers' star scored his record total of 71 points. The Knicks led from the second period on after the Pistons had jumped to a 6-0 lead at the outset. Don Ohl paced the Pistons wtih 33 points.

Celtics Stretch

The Boston Celtics stretched their winning streak to five games with a 96-95 decision over the Los Anglers Lakers. Bob Cousy's foul shot with 11 seconds remaining proved to be Boston's winning margin.

The Lakers played minus Baylor, who was on the sidelines with a sprained ankle. To add to the Lakers' woes, Rudy LaRusso was banished with about 20 minutes remaining when he got into an argument with referee Earl Strom.

Jerry West of Los Angeles led all scores with 29 points while Bill Russell was high man for Boston with 26.

The St. Louis Hawks registered their 11th straight victory at home by beating the Philadelphia Warriors, 127-124.

Bob Pettit of the Hawks out-rebounded the taller Wilt Chamberlain and almost matched him point for point, scoring 35 to The Stilt's 37. Clyde Lovellette was Pettit's chiefs aide with 29 points.

St. Mary's 8th Trims North GP

St. Mary's of Medford defeated North Grants Pass 34 to 30 yesterday in an eighth grade basketball game.

The Knights had a 19 to 15 halftime gap. Randy Corliss put in 12 points for SM and John Batzer 10. Howerton had 10 for North.

St. Mary's won from Gold Hill 44 to 34 last week end.

Prospect Cougars Beat Butte Falls in B Loop

Prospect — Prospect high took a full game lead over St. Mary's in Jackson County B league basketball last night by trimming Butte Falls 58 to 41.

The Cougars now stand 6-1 in the loop and St. Mary's is 5-2. Butte Falls finished the league action with an 0-8 standing and is through for the season.

St. Mary's is host in Medford to Prospect next Tuesday night. Prospect will be champion if it wins. A Crusader victory would force a playoff for the mantle. St. Mary's was 1960 champ.

Torrid Shooting

The Cougars last night hit 53 per cent of the shots from the field and dominated the backboards 34 to 2. They fired at a 62 per cent clip from the field in the first half.

Leads by quarters for Prospect were 11 to 2, 26 to 27 and 41 to 22. Neal Ellis headed scoring with 16 points for Butte Falls. For Prospect Bob Fitch tallied 14 and Cliff Chapman 13.

Cougar junior varsity won 41 to 29 with Tony Yell putting in 11 points. Doug Fisher had eight for Butte Falls.

LINEUPS:

58	Prospect	Butte Falls 41
F 13	Chapman	Remsen 7
F 2	Payne	Baker 4
C 7	T. Gardner	A. Ellis 10
G 7	Poole	N. Ellis 16
G 10	C. Gardner	Ellefson 2

Substitutions — For Prospect, Wood 2, Fitch 14, Yell 1, Rogers 2, Nye; for Butte Falls, Barlow 2.

MEDFORD TRIBUNE

SPORTS

Oregon Tech Trips Red Raiders Again

Ashland — Oregon Tech's towering Owls made it three straight wins over Southern Oregon college as they knocked a 57-54 victory in overtime in Oregon Collegiate conference hoop warfare here Tuesday night.

Defeats for the Raiders of SO, their seventh straight in loop action, after winning their first four contests, mired them deeper in fourth place with a 4-7 record. OTI's win pushed its league mark to 7-4.

Big 6-7 Sammy Smith provided the knockout punch which kayoed the Raiders as he tossed in 27 points and picked off 20 rebounds. Smith scored 17 of his point total in the second half of the scrap. He tallied the first Owl points in the overtime period.

Coach Ted Schopf Raiders played nip and tuck with OTI the first half with the score tied 22-22 at the midway intermission. After brief ties of 24-all and 30-all, the Owls began to move and with only 5:53 left on the clock, had an eight-point lead of 48-40, largest margin of the evening.

Press Works

At that point the Raiders applied a full court press which did not fail. It took effect immediately as Jerry Shults canned a long jump from the corner and Lorance Eikworth followed suit. Smith then hit for OTI. Shults came back after a steal to hit from close in to trim the OTI lead to four points again. Carrigan kept the rally going with a long set shot and Shults made it 50-all at 2:10 to go with a tip in.

Smith hit a tip for the Owls for 52-50 but Carrigan shot single free tosses on two different trips to the foul line to deadlock the count at 52-52 with 1:13 left. SOC gained control of the ball in final 44 seconds and played for one final shot but Dave Gardner's jumper with three seconds left missed the mark.

Raider Dave Hughes scored the only SOC points of the extra period on a field goal with 3:10 left. Smith tied the game at 54-all with a bucket with 1:30 to go. Leon Wilson provided the Owls winning tallies with a long jumper and a single free throw with 17 seconds remaining.

SOC lost John Payne and Carrigan on fouls in the late moments.

Carrigan led Southern Oregon with 20 points.

LINEUPS:

57	Oregon Tech	So. Oregon 54
F 7	Branson	Hughes 14
F	Johnson	Vannice
C 27	Smith	Payne 11
G 13	L. Wilson	Shults 7
G 9	Nash	Carrigan 20

Substitutions — For OTI, Cumtford, Hodgen, C. Wilson; for SOC, Gardner, Eickworth 2, Tichenor, Jensen.

Prep Basketball

TUESDAY GAMES
United Press International

Franklin 56, Cleveland 49
Wilson 55, Roosevelt 50
Lincoln 53, Washington 40
Jefferson 61, Benson 57
Grant 67, Marshall 35
Milwaukie 31, Beaverton 42
Sunset 70, Gresham 55
David Douglas 61, Clackamas 42
Central Catholic 52, Hillsboro 45
McMinnville 55, Forest Grove 51
St. Helens 56, West Linn 54
Lake Oswego 61, Oregon City 54
Tillamook 70, Tigard 50
Dallas 58, Newberg 48
Scappoose 59, Molalla 34
Jesuit 58, Sandy 48
Parkrose 71, Silverton 46
Albany 64, South Salem 51
North Salem 47, Sweet Home 43
Lebanon 68, Corvallis 59
Seaside 64, Warrenton 44
Clatskanie 70, Rainier 51
Concordia 68, Estacada 54
Nestucca 59, Salem Academy 52
Sheridan 49, Willamina 42
Philomath 47, Dayton 33
Jefferson 59, Scio 56
Mt. Angel 49, Central 39
Mapleton 47, Waldport 46
Reedsport 50, Siuslaw 35
Newport 64, Taft 51
Pleasant Hill 77, Oakridge 33
St. Francis 51, Elmira 48
Junction City 66, McKenzie 58
Creswell 58, Drain 54
Ontario 61, Vale 54
Mac-Hi 40, Dayton, Wash. 37
Powers 54, Camas Valley 38
Vernonia 67, Knappa 50
Prospect 58, Butte Falls 41
Yoncalla 32, Elkton 21

BASKETBALL

TUESDAY COLLEGE
United Press International

EAST
Princeton 77, Pennsylvania 55
St. Johns 98, Loyola (Ill.) 74
Penn State 65, Bucknell 63
Seton Hall 91, Upsala 66
Buffalo 77, Syracuse 62
Rhode Island 71, Massachusetts 65
Canisius 107, Scranton 75

SOUTH
North Carolina St. 61, Duke 59
Georgia Tech 38, Auburn 36
Georgetown 93, George Wash. 88
Kentucky 74, Georgia 67

SOUTHWEST
SMU 70, Texas 63
TCU 85, Baylor 77
Texas A&M 79, Rice 59

WEST
Calif. Western 58, Calif. Tech 42
Pepperdine 67, Santa Clara 56
Redlands 75, Pomona 60
CCSF 51, Stockton 47
San Mateo 72, Santa Rosa 57
Oakland CC 73, Sacramento CC 43
Cal Aggies 76, S. F. State 70
Loyola 55, San Jose State 46
Lewis and Clark 74, Linfield 66
Pfld. St. 55, Ore. Col. Ed. 42
Ore. Tech 57, Sou. Ore. 54 (OT)
L. B. CC 77, Harbor JC 53
Azusa 90, Upland 64
Whittier 97, Occidental 64
Cal Poly (Pom.) 93, S. Fer. Val. 51

Crater Frosh Top Eagle Point

Central Point — Crater high freshmen, with their third crew playing part of the second quarter and all of the third, downed Eagle Point 52 to 29 in basketball last night.

The Comets had 13 to 4 and 24 to 10 quarter and half bulges. Third quarter count was 27 each.

Eagle Point's Bill Ayres was high point man with 15. Skip Stevens had 12 for Crater.

LINEUPS:

52	Crater	Eagle Point 29
F 10	White	Wilson
F 4	Grissom	Hanson 2
C 12	Stevens	B. Ayres 15
G 3	L. Pepper	W. Cowden 4
G 9	B. Turner	Anderson 4

Substitutions — For Crater, M. Anhorn, Kimball 3, Ricks, Walker 1, Applen 2, Mooster, Swanson 2, Summerfield 2, Ryerson 2, Bard 2; for Eagle Point, Blair 4, Adams, Jantzer, F. Charley, R. Cowden.

TO GET TROPHY

Athens, Ohio — (UPI) — The United Press International trophy awarded to the small college national football champions will be presented to Ohio university tonight. The presentation will be made by Leo H. Petersen, sports editor of the UPI, during the halftime intermission of the Ohio U.-Miami of Ohio basketball game.

KC Council Here Shines In Bowling

Medford Council 1954, in competition with 29 teams from throughout Oregon, won first places in three out of four events last week end in the fourth annual state bowling tourney of the Knights of Columbus at Northgate Bowl in Salem.

After finishing second to the Mt. Angel team on Saturday the southern Oregon contingent went to to dominate the games on Sunday for the lion's share of trophies and prize money. The Rogue river valley team won first in the doubles, first, sixth, seventh, eighth and 16th in singles and first, second, fourth and ninth in all-events.

Paul Smith knocked over 751 pins for first in singles and took all events with 1930 pins for nine games.

Frank Horton and Dr. Arnold Depner teamed to crash 1276 pins for top doubles money. Horton's 1857 was good for second in all-events. Captain Paul Newcomb and Ernie Flakus were also in the money in all-events. Flakus, Newcomb and Dick Wager were recipients of prize money in singles.

Shoe Rolls Over Guard

Wooden Shoe rolled again in the Southern Oregon Independent Basketball league last night by lacing Medford National Guard 87 to 63.

Score was 41 to 28 at the half.

Dave O'Olivo scored 24 tallies and Bill Hollingsworth 23 for the Shoe and Fuz McCay 15 for the Guard.

The restaurant team is in second place in the league and the Guard in third.

LINEUPS:

87	Wooden Shoe	Med. Guard 63
F 24	D'Olivo	Winetrout 6
F 6	Perkins	White 10
C 23	Hollingsworth	Yates 4
G 8	Johnson	Lavasseur 4
G 11	Bates	Reese 4

Substitutions—For Wooden Shoe, Sword 9, Tonn 2, Steward 4; for Guard, Gossett 6, McCay 15, Thompson 3, Singler 7, Weddle 4.

FIGHTS

TUESDAY BOUTS
United Press International

Houston, Tex. — Cleveland (Big Cat) Williams, 212, Houston, Tex., outpointed Wayne Bethea, 208, New York (10).

Yuma, Ariz. — Dave Rent, 190, Liverpool, England, knocked out Claude Hodgins, 184, Los Angeles, (1).

IUEW President Raps Manufacturers

Washington —(UPI)— President James B. Carey of the International Union of Electrical Workers today branded as an example of "giant industry's uncontrollable greed" the price-fixing and bid-rigging case against most of the nation's big electrical manufacturers.

Carey, an AFL-CIO vice president, termed as "an enormous criminal conspiracy" the case in which the companies and a number of their officers pleaded guilty or no contest.

"How could these corporations reduce competitive capitalism and free enterprise to the level of a dirty joke?" he asked in a speech prepared for the annual labor-management lunch sponsored by the New School of Social Research here.

NOVEL'S HERO DIES

Crossnore, N.C. — (UPI)—Funeral services were scheduled today for Dr. Eustace Henry Sloop, 83, mountain doctor, weatherman, teacher, power plant builder, hospital builder and hero of the 1953 novel "Miracle in the Hills."

Houston — Texas is larger than the combined areas of Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, Iowa and Wisconsin.

Halberg Victor Over Burleson

Wellington, N.Z. — (UPI) — Murray Halberg, New Zealand's 5,000 meter Olympic champion, defeated Dyrol Burleson of the University of Oregon tonight in a one-mile run in the time of 4 minutes 4.4 seconds.

It was Burleson's first loss since he came to New Zealand to participate in several races.

WOOL WEIGHT

Helena-The average weight of fleece clipped from sheep in the U. S. is eight pounds.

Attorney Reviews Home Rule in Cities, Its Affect on County

City home rule actually developed out of a series of court decisions, and the same evolution will probably be required before county home rule is firmly established, Orval Etter, research attorney for the bureau of municipal research, Eugene, told a special meeting yesterday afternoon in Medford hotel.

Such judicial clarification is costly, but not more expensive than other activities by lawyers, Etter noted.

Etter has been delegated by the bureau of municipal research as its consultant to Oregon counties, and the nine counties presently considering the possibilities of home rule. Should the local study committee favor home rule, Etter could assist in drafting a charter to be voted on by the people.

The lawyer emphasized at the start of the meeting with the home rule charter study committee, local representatives of the League of Women Voters, and other interested persons that he cannot be sure of every facet of his answer.

Affect on Power

Basically, state legislation is needed to broaden the powers of the county to incur indebtedness, and enable it to use Bancroft bond procedures as cities do.

Charters the bureau of municipal research has helped Oregon cities establish since 1935 have been "pretty uniform." So this does not mean that when Oregon counties adopt home rule charters that uniformity would "go out the window," he explained.

The home rule charter amendment to the state constitution answers many questions, Etter noted. Home rule charter study committees can receive "pretty clear guidance" from it, he added.

It states that the county charter shall prescribe the organization of the county government. Under city home rule, the state cannot amend or repeal its provisions. This is not clear on county home rule, Etter noted. But it is implied that people have an authority which would limit the state legislature, he said.

Provide for Officials

A charter also would provide for the number, election, appointment, qualifications, tenure, powers and duties of county officials. The people set the term of office and how many county officials should be appointed or elected, and determine the number and their qualifications among other things, Etter said.

However, the county cannot relieve itself of any duty established by state law before a home rule charter should be adopted. The county is more an agent of the state than the cities, the lawyer noted. The state can also impose new requirements, but it is up to the home rule county to say how these duties would be discharged.

The amendment does not give the county exclusive powers over matters of county concern, nor did the city home rule. This could only be decided in the courts, Etter reiterated.

He said he understood it was the intent of the people who prepared the amendment to give the county such exclusive powers. Matters of county concern are differentiated from matters of municipal concern, however. The county cannot interfere with city powers.

Tends To Free County

The home rule amendment tends to free the county from the restrictions of the state constitution, Etter explained. However, the 6 per cent limit on budget increases would still apply under home rule. The $5,000 debt limit cannot be changed except by the state legislature.

Cities could be represented on the county governing body, Etter suggested. The Coos Bay charter provides such representation, he noted.

Etter said he county cannot impose more duties on the court. However, he thought the state legislature would empower district courts to handle violations of county ordinances which would go hand in hand with the expanded county powers under home rule.

Under home rule, initiative and referendum powers would still be reserved to the people.

Some proposals are already before the legislature which cover some aims considered for home rule, the group noted.

Local Improvements

These include allowing the county to Bancroft for local improvements, abolishing the position of county judge in counties where he has no judicial functions, permit the county to hold special charter elections, authorize the county court to license businesses in non-municipal areas.

The welfare program has strong federal and state overtones, and would not come under county control with the establishment of a home rule charter, Etter said.

County Commissioner Chester Wendt and County Judge Earl Miller explained after the meeting that the county actually has little power in administering the state welfare program in Jackson county.

They can review welfare cases and grants, but as long as state requirements are met nothing can be changed. The county is required by law to provide so much in matching funds for operation of the welfare program in Jackson county. The county has no control over that allocation, either, they noted.

Macmillan's Son Assails Leadership

London — (UPI) — Prime Minister Harold Macmillan's son, Maurice, 40, startled Parliament and the nation Monday night by assailing his father's leadership.

"I am afraid the government has neglected the responsibilities of leadership within this country," the younger Macmillan said.

He urged his father's cabinet to allow small investors larger tax exemptions and to make other modifications in its fiscal policies.

The prime minister had left the chamber before his son spoke, but he could hardly have failed to hear of the speech later. It was the main topic of political talk in Britain today

"Mr. Macmillan hasn't lost a son," said the conservative tabloid Dail Sketch. "He has gained an opposition."

FOR THE LADIES

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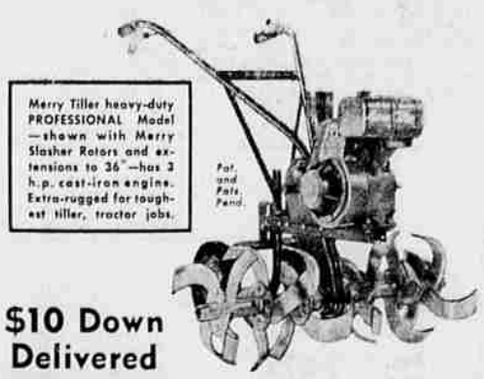

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