

## Fanfare

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McArthur Court, University of Oregon, Eugene—Mark down Jerry Anderson and Lowell Dean, ex-Medford high athletes as definite varsity prospects after completion of freshman basketball and football seasons, at this university.

Anderson, if he displays the same hustle and shooting ability in next season's basketball drills will be tapped for no less than varsity reserve duty. Dean is one of five or six from the 1960 Frosh football squad who loom as varsity material as linemen. Dean played Frosh basketball, along with Anderson as did Booth Deakins and Darrell Miller, both ex-Medford.

University of Oregon is well pleased with its contingent of athletes from Medford high's 1960 graduating class. Cal Dean in football and Deakins and Miller in basketball reportedly have tougher rows to hoe than do Lowell Dean or Anderson to beat out other varsity contenders.

### KOCH SHINES

At University of Portland, the Pilots are looking forward to the second varsity basketball year of George Koch, ex-Medford high ace. George, now a sophomore at Portland, came on in late season and held Gonzaga's Frank Burgess, the nation's highest scorer, to just six field buckets. Koch, at the same time, put in six goals himself. Doing a good job for the Pilot Frosh in basketball this year was Bob Evans, ex-St. Mary's of Medford star. We were told that Bob may concentrate on track and field for Portland but not to count him out as a varsity hoop possibility.

### SO IN SEMIS

For the second year in a row the Southern Oregon conference had both its entries in the semifinals of the Oregon Class A-1 prep basketball tournament as Medford's state title defenders and Klamath Falls' conference titlists again made the grade Thursday with night triumphs. The quarterfinals would seem to establish the Portland Interscholastic leagues and the Southern Oregon circuit as the top districts in the state. Of course, this contention defied definite statement until after Saturday's final games were played and the tournament could be completely reviewed. Wonder if there was some leg pulling intended by those spreading the report that the PIL was weak. Grant and Wilson have looked tough to us.

### SUBSTANTIAL MARGINS

Interesting about the championship quarterfinals was that there was not a real close encounter among the four. Victories were by substantial margins with Wilson's 14 over Roseburg the narrowest. No spine-tingling finishes among the lot. None of the eventual losers could get a real rally going in the second half, although Corvallis, South Eugene and Roseburg all were within striking distance of Klamath. Grant and Wilson, respectively, at the sound of the midway horn. Roseburg pulled up to 23 to 31 of Wilson in the second quarter on three successive left side longies by Gordon Avery.

### TORNADO DEFENSE BEST

Medford high, in its first two games, exhibited probably the best defense in the tourney. The statistics are the evidence. Tornadoes allowed just 20 field goals in the two games, 11 to Tillamook and nine to South Salem. The 32 points by Tillamook and 33 by South Salem were the lowest final scores in the first two rounds of the tourney.

### BETTER FREE TOSSING

We were happy to see the Black Tornado's free shot accuracy pick up in the tourney fray with South Salem. Medford's 16 of 22 was a .727 mark, improvement over the .440 on 11 of 25 against Tillamook. The Tornado with .370 from the field against Tillamook and .386 against South, failed to match its season average of .415. Medford follows here, naturally, were hoping that the Tornado was saving its hotter shooting for tougher foes.

The Big Wind's Bob Guinney fired at a .514 field clip, 18 field goals on 35 tries, in gaining his 45 points and second high scoring laurels for the 1961 A-1 classic's first two rounds. Larry Enos, Corvallis, led him with 51 points, on the strength of more free shots. Enos trailed Guinney in field average with .442.

### SO DOMINATION

Rebounding in this tourney was pretty much a southern Oregon domination for the first and second rounds. Guinney led with 36 retrievals for two games. Bruce Brickner, Klamath Falls, had 33 total. Gary Patake, Klamath Falls, 28, and Ron Lake, Roseburg, also 28.

### 3IEHN CRIPPLED

On crutches for a while after the Klamath Falls-Corvallis quarter-final game was KP's Fred Biehn. He collided with a Spartan while driving for the basket. Fred had both ankles taped tightly for the Pelicans' Friday fray with Grant so that he would not favor the injured one too much and cause strain on the good ankle. Biehn was among those hoping for a Klamath-Medford championship finale.

### O'NEAL RECALLS

Chatted with Frank O'Neill, ex-Ashland high coach who is athletic boss now at Portland's Wilson high. He recalled with considerable pleasure the victories of his Ashland football teams over Medford and the athletic program he set up in the Lithia city schools. (It was abandoned after he left.) Frank said that he missed the hunting and fishing afforded in the Rogue valley, particularly the nearness of fishing and hunting spots. "I just might move back to southern Oregon when I retire," he, in effect, remarked.

### GAME BACKFIRES

Roseburg high, in its double overtime fourth place semifinal with South Salem, was an example of a team which sees an easy victory ahead then becomes victim of a disastrous letup. The Indians led by 16 to 5 in the opening period which ended 21 to 12 in their favor. Then South Salem rallied back with a hard driving game. Both teams were running but Roseburg was pushing too intensely and missing shots. Ed Meers' hook shot at the buzzer gave the Saxons a 31 to 30 halftime edge.

Salem then steamed to 43 to 35 command and headed 43 to 35 at third intermission. Free shots, which meant the scoring difference for Salem in the final analysis of the 66 to 64 game, kept the Saxons ahead for a while but Roseburg's Jim Jarvis and Mike Brundage took charge and pulled the Indians even at 56-56.

With the score 58-58, Roseburg ball controlled for a final shot. Jarvis, driving for it was knocked off balance by a Salemite but no foul was ruled. South got a 64 to 62 gap in the first overtime but Ron Lake grabbed a loose ball under the hoop and scored to tie it at 64 all. In the last minute of the sudden death extra, Meers tried a hook from the circle. The ball rebounded into Dave Nelson's arms and the Saxon put it in to end the tussle.

### Mentor Figures Out Opponents

New York—(UPI)—Holy Cross coach Roy Leenig had it figured out right all the way, but St. Louis coach John Bennington was just plain happy with the final result in opening round play in the National Invitation Basketball tournament.

Holy Cross, battling back from a 10-point deficit midway through the second half, whipped favored Detroit, 86-82, and St. Louis, a nine-point favorite, nipped Miami (Fla.), 58-56, on a layup at the buzzer Thursday to launch the 24th annual NIT in fine style before a crowd of 13,238 at Madison Square Garden.

"I figured if we could hold Dave Debusschere to 20 points and keep John Morgan from driving off the pivot too much our hot shooting would take

### BONNIES, USC LOSE

## Bucks Squeeze by Louisville in NCAA

By MARTIN LADER  
United Press International

The unbeaten Ohio State basketball team is finding, just as the federal revenueurs once did, that there's plenty of trouble in them that Kentucky hills.

The Buckeyes huffed and puffed as never before this season to eke out a 56-55 decision over Louisville in an NCAA Mid-East regional game Friday night.

While it was almost a curtain call for the Buckeyes on Friday, third-ranked St. Bonaventure and fifth-ranked Southern California weren't as lucky, the Bonnies falling before rampaging Wake Forest, 78-73, in the eastern regionals and the Trojans to Arizona State, 86-71, in the Far East regionals.

St. Joseph's, Pa., defeated Princeton, 72-67, while Utah earned the right to meet Arizona State by stopping Loyola (Calif.), 91-75.

Kentucky had a hectic session of its own Friday before downing Morehead State, 71-64, to qualify against Ohio State, and in the midwest regionals, Cincinnati defeated Texas Tech, 78-55, and Kansas State eliminated Houston, 75-64.

Ohio State, defending NCAA champion, the No. 1 college basketball team in the nation, and riding a 29-game winning streak extending over two years, managed to squeeze by Louisville only because John Turner, the Cardinals' top scorer, missed a foul shot with one second remaining to play.

The pride of the Ohioans—Jerry Lucas—considered the nation's outstanding player.

### Jim Beatty Undeclared

Cleveland, Ohio—(UPI)—Stocky Jim Beatty, America's top miler, looked forward to the outdoor season Saturday after completing his second consecutive undefeated indoor season.

The former North Carolina star temporarily abandoned the mile as he defeated Ernie Cunliffe, Stanford graduate, in the 1,000-yard run Friday night. The race was a highlight of the 21st annual Knights of Columbus track meet.

Beatty, a member of the Santa Clara Youth Club of California, unleashed a blistering finish-kick to beat Cunliffe, who set the world indoor record for the event earlier this year.

Beatty opened up in the final 60 yards and roared past Cunliffe about 20 yards from the finish line. Beatty's time was 2:09.5 compared to Cunliffe's word record of 2:07.9. Cunliffe's time Friday night was 2:09.7 as both he and Beatty cracked the meet record of 2:11 held by Arnie Sowell of Pittsburgh.

### Eugene Tournament Final Results

Final Standings  
Eugene—(UPI)—State Class A-1 basketball tournament at a glance:  
FRIDAY'S SCORES  
CHAMPIONSHIP  
Medford 59, Wilson 48.  
Klamath Falls 57, Grant 49.

CONSOLATION  
South Salem 66, Roseburg 64, 2 OT (loser out).  
South Eugene 58, Corvallis 43 (loser out).  
Central Catholic 47, St. Helens 42 (loser out).  
David Douglas 51, Tillamook 47 (loser out).  
SATURDAY'S SCORES  
David Douglas 55, Central Catholic 32.  
4TH PLACE  
South Eugene 58, South Salem 53.

### Cunliffe Meets Jim Beatty

Cleveland, Ohio—(UPI)—World indoor record holder Ernie Cunliffe of Stanford clashes in a 1,000-yard duel for the first time with Jim Beatty, holder of the U.S. outdoor mile mark, in the highlight of the 21st annual Knights of Columbus games tonight.

Cunliffe, who notched a time of 2:07.9 last month indoor, and Beatty, with an American outdoor mile record of 3:58, were among a star-studded array which includes 14 Olympic veterans straining for new marks in the 25-event program.

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HOLD THAT POSE—Grant's Bob Phillips (40) and Klamath Falls' Fred Biehn (23) took statue-like poses as they waited for a Grant rebound to come down in Friday night Oregon A-1 basketball action. Klamath Falls won the semi-final 57 to 49.

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## SPORTS

### Crater Diamond Hopes Pinned on Four Moundsmen

Central Point—Crater High school has been drilling for the coming baseball season with a core of nine lettermen under the helm of Coach Bill Piche.

Piche predicts that his infield talent will provide Crater over the next three years with one of the best defensive infields to come out of the Southern Oregon conference. For this season, he says that Comet success will depend on how effectively four pitchers, two of them lettermen, do on the hill.

Senior lettermen are Loyal Higginbotham, centerfielder; Ed Allen, catcher; Mike Pepper and Denny Samples, pitcher, and Jim Allen, first baseman. Higginbotham was leading hitter for the Comets in 1960. Ed Allen is throwing real well and Piche expects him to be one of the Comets' top hitters.

Junior monogram man is Jeff Anhorn, catcher. Anhorn will see outfield service when not catching and may prove a strong man with the bat.

Soph Infielders  
Crater's hopes for a stout infield are based around three sophomores who lettered as freshmen. They are Mike Glines, third baseman; Louis Alvarez, shortstop, and Pat Pepper, second baseman. Glines plays with surprising ease and hit .266 last year as leadoff man. Alvarez is team captain. He is quick and covers the ground real well. Pepper is a good double play man. Piche may convert him to pitching in the next two years. He hit well in Legion ball last summer.

Mistakes were expected from the foregoing trio as freshmen but Piche had them playing to give them experience. Five of the Comet losses last year with them in the lineup were by a single run.

Pepper and Samples are righthanded pitchers. Lefties are Doug Pfaff and Bill Chase, seniors with junior varsity backgrounds.

A freshman Darrell Summerfield, will be given the opportunity for one of the starting outfield slots. He is big and strong and hits the ball very well. Piche said it is possible Summerfield will be used as a pitcher the next two years.

Others working on the varsity are Don Pfaff and Larry Ryerson, senior outfielders; Steve Isaacs, junior infielder, and Willie Jones and Neil Rivenburg, sophomores, an infielder and outfielder, respectively.

Piche welcomes Phil Sword, ex-Ashland high and ex-Southern Oregon college, as varsity baseball assistant coach, the first he has had full time in five years here. Lloyd Hoffman again will be junior varsity coach.

Crater will play a practice game at Ashland on Wednesday, March 22, while Del Norte of Crescent City, Calif., at Central Point in a double-bill next Friday and on Saturday, March 25 will vie at Yreka, Calif. Conference play opens on April 1 with a doubleheader against Grants Pass at Central Point.

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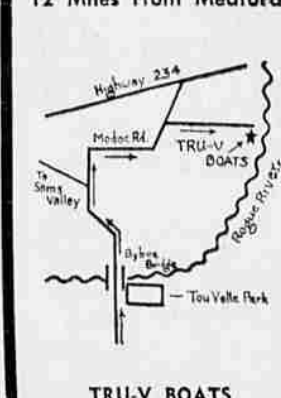
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