

## Preps Will Open Grid Campaigns

Prep football teams of this area all make their 1962 debuts this week end.

Among the members of the A-1 Southern Oregon conference, all vying in non-league play, Crater and Grants Pass have home openers on Friday. Crater dedicates its new stadium against Bend in the first gridiron meeting between those two schools. GP entertains state champion Roseburg.

Medford will travel to The Dalles, Ashland to Redding, Calif., and Klamath Falls to Coos Bay to face Marshfield. LEAGUE GAME

Sacred Heart of Klamath Falls will bow into the Rogue league and A-2 contention by going to Lakeview on Saturday. Other members of the loop have non-counters.

In Friday contests state champion Phoenix will host Oakland, St. Mary's of Medford will go to Glendale, Eagle Point will entertain Brookings, Illinois Valley will be at home to Gold Beach and Rogue River will travel to Glendale. Henley entertains Class B Chiloquin on Saturday.

In Class B eight-man football on Friday Butte Falls will be host to Days Creek and Prospect to state champ Sisters.

## Women's Golf

Winners of last Thursday's medal play among the Rogue Valley women golfers were: A group, Mrs. Richard Finch; B group, a three way tie to be played off between Mrs. Ken Teeter, Mrs. Galen Sanner, and Mrs. Charles Gustafson; C group, Mrs. J. A. Dickey; D group, Mrs. F. L. Brewer; nine-hole group, Mrs. Richard Swan.

The Grants Pass invitation on Wednesday, Sept. 12, will have a "shotgun" tee off at 8:30 a.m. Local lady golfers who signed up are to be at the GP course by 8 a.m.

Dates for qualifying for the RVCC ladies' fall handicap tournament are Sept. 17 through 27.

Annual board of directors luncheon for all members of RV Women's Golf association will be held at the home of Mrs. Russ Heyssel, 3964 Fairview place on Thursday, Sept. 20, at 12:30 p.m. Members are requested to make their own payments for that day.

This Thursday RVCC ladies' play will be a "criers' tourney". A and B players may choose their three worst holes and revert the score on them back to par. The C, D and nine-hole players may choose their four worst holes back to par. When turning in cards at the table, ladies are to indicate to the scorekeeper which holes they wish to change.

### SEPT. 13 PAIRINGS:

(Nine-Hole)  
Meadows Williams, Myers Jones, Ota Binegar, Daryl Carlson, Bob Van Duker, B. L. Wood, Paul Selby, Jerry McGraw, B. D. Odell, R. H. Leer, Luke Vorhes, Mark Taylor, Robert McIntyre, W. C. McCord, G. L. Lewis, F. J. Holmes, Paul Haviland, H. S. Gilmore, D. B. Lowry, Robert Miskche, Ray Parkhurst, John Gustafson, George Barnum, Wayne Chitwood, Vern Collins, W. C. Ticer, Bert Buffington, Neil Jones, Bert Leshon, Jack Walker, Jack Bailey, Elsie Chatter, Ralph Marlett, Royal E. Bebb, E. S. Wenter, Bruce Turner.

(Women wishing information on pairings should call Mrs. C. Gustafson 772-2385 or Mrs. L. Brooks 772-9448.)

## Jacksonville, Leafs Get Playoff Wins

By United Press International

The Jacksonville Suns and the Toronto Maple Leafs took the first steps toward their expected showdown in the International League playoffs Monday night with opening-game victories in the best-of-seven semi-final round.

Charlie Dressen's second-place Leafs had no trouble in their 6-1 conquest of the third-place Atlanta Crackers, but the pennant-winning Suns needed 11 innings to edge the fourth-place Rochester Red Wings, 6-3.

### PITCHER GETS LEAVE

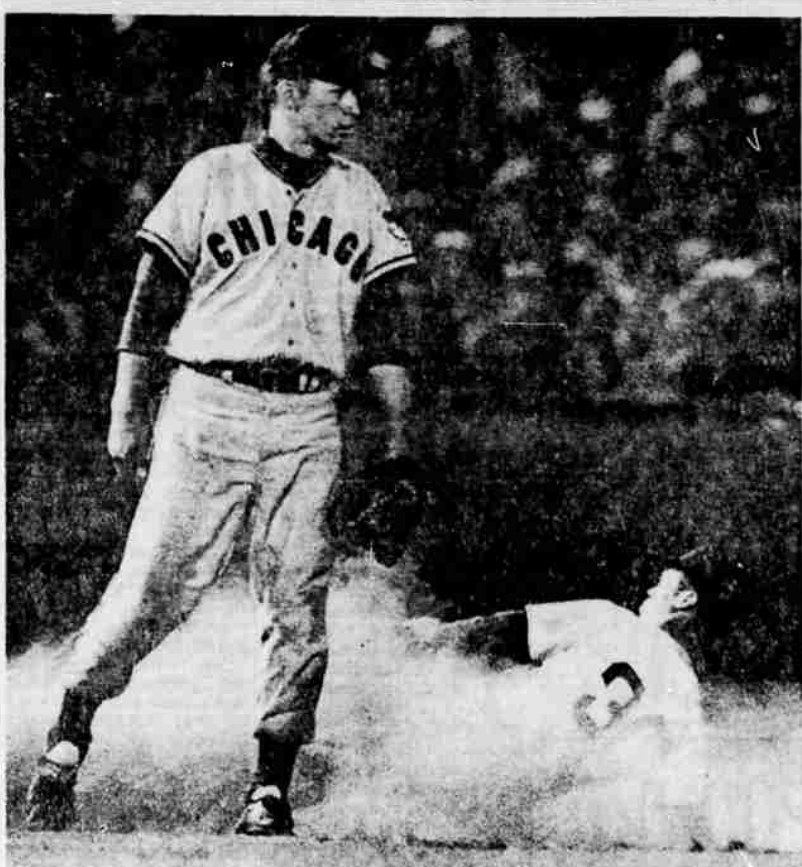
Los Angeles — UPI — Pitcher Julio Navarro was granted leave by the Los Angeles Angels until the end of the week to attend funeral services for his 15-year-old brother, who was killed in an automobile accident in Puerto Rico.

### MEET TO OPEN

Portland — UPI — The Portland Meadows horse racing track will open its fall meet Wednesday night. The meet will run through Oct. 27.

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NUMBER 89—Maury Wills of the Los Angeles Dodgers slides into third base with his third stolen base of the night and 89th of the year during game with Chicago Cubs last night. Wills got such a good jump on the pitch that no play was made at third. Ron Santo of the Cubs could do nothing but stand there. With 17 games to go, Wills

now has only seven more steals to go before he equals Ty Cobb's record of 96 thefts set in 1915. Wills, who now has stolen 13 bases in his last five games, also got four hits and scored three runs last night as the Dodgers blasted the Cubs 8 to 1 to remain half a game ahead of the San Francisco Giants. (UPI)

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

## SPORTS

### Penn State, Navy Rated One-Two Contenders for Eastern Football Honors

By STEVE SNIDER  
New York — UPI — Penn State and Navy may settle the eastern college football championship in the opening game of the season Sept. 22.

They're the one-two contenders for the East's prized Lambert trophy, won by Penn State last year, and the schedule-makers who tossed 'em in together in the opener didn't do the defending champs any favor.

The service academies, Army and Navy, both have an edge in physical conditioning in September and Penn State, though loaded, still has some problems to lick. No. 1 is finding a quarterback replacement for the departed Galen Hall from among a group of four top candidates.

Penn State, Navy, Syracuse, Pittsburgh and Army, the five leading independents rated in about that order for 1962, are involved in a round robin this season, so for the first time

### Portland Team Opens Tourney Play Friday

Portland — UPI — Archer Blower of Portland will open its bid for the national Amateur Baseball Congress title Friday night. Its opponent for the first round of the eight-team, double-elimination national tournament at Battle Creek, Mich., has not been selected.

### UNOFFICIAL WIN

Newport, R.I. — UPI — Weatherly has defeated the Australian challenger Gretel in an unofficial and unscheduled America's Cup preview race. The race was instigated Monday by Bus Moshbacher, Weatherly's skipper, who chased Gretel for about 15 minutes before overhauling the 12-meter challenger.

### LEASHER DIES

Bonneville Salt Flats, Utah — UPI — Saddened crew members theorized today that high speed racer Glenn Leasher impulsively changed a scheduled test run into a go-for-broke record attempt when he crashed to his death here Monday.

### READY FOR BIG RACE

Atlantic City — UPI — Fred W. Hooper's Crozier, winner of the Aqueduct Handicap, has been vanned from Belmont Park to the Atlantic City track for Saturday's \$100,000 United Nations Handicap. Crozier has been assigned 118 pounds for the 1 3/16-mile turf race 11 less than Kelsa.

## Fanfare

By DICK JEWETT  
Mail Tribune Sports Editor

Jerry Waggoner, 26, is the new sports editor of the Klamath Falls Herald and News. He takes over the post held this summer by John Nolen who returns to Southern Oregon college as a student and sports publicity director.

Waggoner comes from Colorado Springs, Colo., where he was on the sports staff of the Gazette-Telegraph.

Nolen returns to Southern Oregon college a newlywed. He and Sheila Hale, also a student at the Ashland school, exchanged vows on Sept. 2.

### POLLS DIFFER

Here's one for you! The Oregon Journal's A-1 coaches board lists Medford high third and Grants Pass fifth in its pre-season football rankings. However, Southern Oregon conference mentors name Grants Pass as the favorite in the league.

The Journal A-1 board in its "guesstimate" picks Roseburg to repeat as champ, North Salem, Medford, Marshfield, Grants Pass, Beaverton, Siuslaw, Jefferson, Grant and David Douglas rate two through 10 in that order. David Douglas nosed Pendleton and Lincoln by three votes.

### PHOENIX CHOICE

On the A-2 front the separate Journal board for that division rates 1961 state champion Phoenix high at the top of the grid heap. In order after the Pirates in the poll are Central of Monmouth-Independence, Vale, Myrtle Point, Reedsport, Seaside, Coquille, Yamhill-Carlton, Bandon and Willamina.

### WILLIAMS PICKER

Bob Williams, Klamath Union high mentor, is the District 6 representative on the A-1 poll. Leon Robinson, Glendale, is the District 6 A-2 voter.

### PLAYOFF CHOICES

Should the prognostications of Rogue and Umpqua Valley league coaches bear out, Phoenix would play Glide for the District 6 football mantle and that winner would oppose Junction City in the A-2 state quarterfinals. Should the predictions for the Southern Oregon and Mid-western leagues hold up, it would be Grants Pass and Roseburg again in the opening round of state playoffs.

### INGRAM OPTIMISTIC

Over at Grants Pass Head Football Coach Mel Ingram is voicing rare optimism. He told the GP Lion's club recently:

"We're looking for a very, very good year. We'll not be big. Our largest line-man probably will not weigh more than 190 pounds, but I think this year's boys will make up for that in their desire and their willingness to sacrifice other things in order to become good football players."

This was Ingram's feeling despite a report by Line Coach Larry Stevens that the Cavemen lost their entire 1961 starting forward wall. Stevens told the Lions that there would be more GP platooning this year.

Back Coach Charley Tourville declared that he had "lots of race horses just waiting for the signal to go."

### SPEED TO BURN

Said Jerry Acklen, sports editor of the Grants Pass Courier after the Friday night Caveman squad game:

"It appears that the Cave-

men will have speed to burn. The big question is whether the line can keep up with the flashy backs. There were occasions . . . that illustrated the mobility of the line which would indicate the potential is there."

### HIGH CLASS GAMES

Acklen had said earlier: "All-in-all, it would appear to us that the Cavemen grid squad looks might good, BUT, the story is the same all over. Which promises some high-class games for the season."

### CAVEMEN CITED

Cited after the Caveman squad game were Bob Lindeman on defense and Terry Isabell, Rich Ireland, Marty Bauer, Tom Sparlin, Gary Reddick, Bob Shepard, Jim Pippin, Gary Van Koten, Lyman Keisecker and Dennis O'Leary on offense.

### GOOD FARM SYSTEM

Grants Pass has had two junior highs for a number of years. As of this fall Josephine county will have a total of four, including the two in the city. From a sports standpoint that means four schools building toward future Cavemen teams—a good farm system.

### CHICKEN AND BEANS

Before the Klamath Union high squad game last Friday night it was decreed that the winning squad would eat chicken and the losing crew would eat beans. As it worked out everybody ate chicken—and beans. The Red and White mixed wound up in a 6 to 6 draw. Asked Cleve Twitshell, the Mail Tribune's regional editor: "Was that a conspiracy?"

### DEFINITE PROMISE

Herald and News Sports Editor Jerry Waggoner reported that the two squads showed definite promise and willingness. Coach Bob Williams said he felt the players put out and hit well "but we've got a long way to go." Some names that figured in the tussle: Rick Horn, Mike Kitching, Grover Dahn, Verne Petrick,

## County Stadium Session Subject Of Linebackers

County Judge Earl Miller and County Commissioners Chester Wendt and Edwin Taylor are to attend a meeting of the Medford Linebackers on Friday, Sept. 14.

They are to discuss proposals which have been made for a county multipurpose stadium.

The meeting will be at noon at North's Chuck Wagon.

## Beavers Keep Busy Despite Pouring Rain

Corvallis — UPI — The Oregon State Beavers got their first opportunity to handle a wet ball Monday as Coach Tommy Prothro kept them busy in a pouring rain.

Twenty-eight players are on the injured list, but Prothro hopes to have most of them in shape for the 1962 opener against Iowa State at Portland Sept. 22.

### DALLAS GETS TACKLE

San Francisco — UPI — Tackle Monte Clark, former University of Southern California lineman, has been traded by the San Francisco Forty Niners to the Dallas Cowboys for a "high draft choice."

### GOALBY MOVES UP

Dunedin, Fla. — UPI — Bob Goalby has closed in on fifth-place Gary Player in the PGA unofficial money-winning standings. Goalby's \$4,300 first place money in the Denver Open golf tourney raised his total for the year to \$43,920, leaving him about \$420 behind Player.

Ron Hitchcock, Chuck Mills and Bud Walter.

### SHIFTED TO FULL

Indications are that the Bend Lava Bears, who play Crater High school at Central Point on Friday, won't field a too hefty team. The Bears, however, do have a 210-pound regular returning. He is senior Le Cottingham who played tackle both ways in 1961. This season Cottingham will remain a tackle on defense but will play fullback on offense.

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