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# Tornado Takes On Willamette Quintet

A pair of high school hoop aggregations which opened the season on a victory note and which are ambitious to keep to their winning ways collide this evening at the Hedrick Junior high gymnasium here.

Medford's Black Tornado is host to the Willamette Wolverines. It will be the first of a two game series. The clubs collide again on Saturday evening. Tipoff time on both occasions is 8:15 p.m.

Medford enters the fracas after downing Marshfield and North Bend last week end. Willamette trimmed St. Francis Tuesday in the only game it has played.

Tornado Mentor Frank Roelandt has indicated that he'll have a starting lineup of Jack Forde, Jim Hill, Rich Benner, Mike Neathamer and Dan Miles.

**Met Last Year**

For the Wolverines Coach Chuck DeAutremont is expected to call upon Dave Skelton, Earl Backman, Jack Lowery, Terry Stahl and Dave Syverson.

This will be non-league action. Willamette is located at Eugene and the Wolverines contend in District 5.

Tonight's engagement will not be the first meeting between the two schools. They met here last December. Medford needed a big fourth quarter effort to pull away from the Wolverines.

The Tornado will have the height edge. Willamette's only starter above the 6-foot mark is 6-4 Backman. The Tornado has Forde at 6-4½, Hill at 6-3½ and Benner at 6-1.

**Took Look**

Medford takes on Willamette without first hand information on the visitors. Coach DeAutremont, with his team idle, took a look see at Medford last week end.

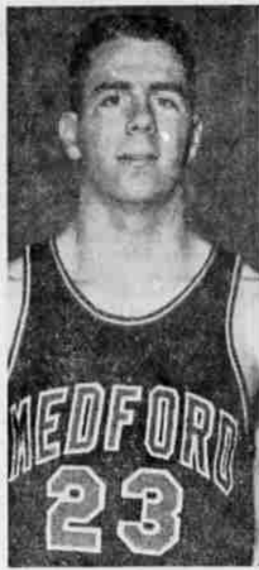
While the Tornado has two games behind it, the Wolverines have the advantage of more extensive practice. Medford went against its opening week end foes with only four days of practice for a big share of the squad. Reports are that in the early week, the Tornado hit sort of a lull in the wake of initial efforts. But it was anticipated that the Medford's would catch stride for the Willamette series.

**Eagle Point and Medford**

Junior varsities vie in the 6:30 o'clock preliminary tonight. Medford and Ashland sophomores meet in the Saturday curtain lifter.

**ADVANCE CAMP SET**

Kansas City, Mo. — (UPI) — The Kansas City Athletics will hold an advance spring training camp for the first time next February. General Manager Pat Friday announced Thursday that 30 of the A's top prospects would be gathered at Daytona Beach, Fla., from Feb. 9-28.



**TORNADO HOOPMAN**—Gibb Mitchell, above, is a letterman basketball player for Medford high and is expected to see services for the Black Tornado when it plays Willamette here tonight and Saturday night. He was a starter for the Tornado last week end.

## Nothing Bowl Game At San Francisco

San Francisco — (UPI) — The Cleveland Browns and the San Francisco Forty Niners tangle in the nationally-televised "nothing bowl" game Saturday at Kezar Stadium, with the battle rated strictly a toss-up.

Off the records, it should be a tie. The Browns have a 6-6-1 season, the Forty Niners are 6-7.

A crowd of about 40,000 will sit in Kezar Stadium to see the season finale for both clubs in weather that is expected to be either rainy or foggy. Kick-off time is 1:30 p.m.

# Coast Loop Meets at Salt Lake

Salt Lake City — (UPI) — Members of a baseball organization stretching from the shores of Hawaii to the heart of Texas will gather at the midway point here this week end to iron out problems created by reorganization of the Pacific Coast league.

Before the meetings are over Sunday afternoon it's possible the realigned PCL may even get a new name.

Representatives from seven cities who operate as members of the Pacific Coast league last year and three teams from the dismembered American association will attend the sessions in Salt Lake City Saturday and Sunday.

The PCL became a 10-member organization following the revamp of minor leagues at recent meetings at Rochester, N. Y. The realignment adopted at the minor leagues recent meetings removed Vancouver from organized baseball and added Denver, Oklahoma City and Dallas-Ft. Worth to the PCL.

League president Dewey Soriano of Seattle said informal sessions would be held tonight with formal sessions getting under way Saturday. All sessions will be held at the Hotel Utah.

Problems to be discussed and ironed out include schedules for 1963 travel costs, whether to split the league into two divisions, junior world series, disposition of treasury of the defunct American association, possible name change and settling with Vancouver.

# Ed Machen Improved

Napa, Calif. — (UPI) — Heavyweight boxer Eddie Machen was reported today as "improved over what he was" when he knocked out two attendants and decked two others in a wild attempt to break out of Napa State hospital.

The husky Negro fighter, 30, went on a rampage Wednesday night a few hours after he was admitted to the hospital as an attempted suicide. He was finally overpowered by other attendants and placed under sedation.

"He is in a very confused state of mind," said Dr. Theo K. Miller, hospital superintendent, after Machen awoke from the sedation Thursday afternoon. "But he is improved over what he was."

Machen will undergo a series of tests. Miller said the results would be announced at a hearing Tuesday, Dec. 18.

The California Highway Patrol said Machen was taken into custody Wednesday as he sat in his parked car on the highway near Crockett, Calif. Patrolmen said he was writing a suicide note and had a loaded pistol, which he had "tested" by firing three shots into a mud bank.

# Gotham Bowl Teams Finally Plan To Play

New York — (UPI) — Miami (Fla.) and Nebraska finally plan to make it into the Gotham Bowl Saturday for a football game which already has broken an all-time record for sheer confusion.

Bob Curran, the harried but capable executive director of the Gotham Bowl, hopes for a crowd of 30,000 at Yankee Stadium.

That's a lot of hoping, considering the Arctic-like temperature presently gripping the city, plus the fact the on-again, off-again Gotham Bowl promotion received little local publicity due to a metropolitan newspaper strike.

"We have the best match in the country, it's rated a pick'em game and George Mira of Miami is the most exciting football player I have ever seen," said Curran, citing his reasons why the game should draw.

"With a break in the weather, we should be okay," he added. "The tickets have been moving pretty briskly."

# McLoughlin 8th Beats Ashland

McLoughlin Junior high eighth grade hoopers downed Ashland 32 to 18 here yesterday. The Bulldogs had 14 to 6, 21 to 10 and 28 to 10 quarter margins. Willis of Ashland was top scorer with eight points. McLoughlin had six each from four players, Jim Gillaspie, Larry Young, Phil Taylor and Mark Dippel. The Mac team screened, cut and rebounded well to take the fracas.

# EASTERN WINS

La Grande — (UPI) — Eastern Oregon, sparked by a 20-point effort by Bob Myers, rolled over Linfield 90-64 in a non-conference basketball game Thursday night. The Mountaineers led at halftime 42-27. Rick Turner topped the Wildcats with 18.



**IN ROSEBURG MATCH** — Rod Smith, above, is one of the grapplers who'll appear in the varsity lineup for Medford high this evening in a wrestling match at Roseburg. Smith was state runnerup last year at 98 pounds. He'll contend tonight in the 106-pound class.

# PHS Frosh Defeat SM

Phoenix — Phoenix high freshman cagers edged St. Mary's 33 to 31 here last night.

The Pirates held off the Crusaders after going into the final quarter with a 28 to 18 spread. Phoenix led 16 to 11 at the end of the first quarter and 22 to 13 at the half.

SM's Scott was high scorer with 13 points. Mike Scupien had nine for Phoenix.

The Pirates downed SM also earlier in the week 31 to 19.

**LINEUPS:**  
St. Mary's — Preston 4, Benshaw 2, Welch 6, Scott 13, Read 6, Stevenson.  
Phoenix — Scupien 9, Haikkila 3, Merritt 4, Grimes 4, Spark 4, Athkinson 7, Lewis, Reddick, Bray, McGee, Miller, Richey.

# OSU Will Not Enter Track Tiff

Corvallis — (UPI) — Oregon State track and field coach Sam Bell said today he would not enter his athletes in the Oregon Invitational Indoor Track meet in Portland next month because the Corvallis school has not been allowed to share in its promotion.

The meet, which started two years ago, is sponsored by the University of Oregon's Portland Alumni association.

"I regret this move," Bell said. "But I don't think that it would be in the best interests of Oregon State for us to continue in the meet on the current basis."

Bell asked that Oregon State be allowed to purchase half interest in the track and also share responsibility and any revenue from the meet. Fifteen members of the Oregon alumni group in Portland pledged \$1,000 each two years ago to underwrite the meet.

**Turned Down**

The meet board of directors turned down Bell's proposal on grounds that the meet is not a school function, but that of a group whose privilege it is to donate profits to the University of Oregon Development fund for scholarship purposes. Alumni said only a minor portion of the fund is marked for athletic scholarships.

Bell cited the Far West Basketball classic where Oregon State invited Oregon to join as a full partner. Referring to the track meet, he said, "It's a selfish thing. The purpose is to promote track at Oregon. It would have to be a cooperative venture before I take our boys to the meet."

Al Buller Jr., president of the Portland alumni group, said the track meet and the basketball classic were "entirely different operations." He said both schools were involved in the basketball meet, but neither school was involved in the track meet.

"It's strictly a business venture on our part," he said.

# Duke Quint, Notre Dame Riding High

United Press International Second-ranked Duke and unrated Notre Dame are riding high with unbeaten college basketball records today, but they must conquer last season's jinxes the next time out to continue their hot pace.

Duke won its fifth straight on Thursday night by wallowing host Clemson, 92-67, in an Atlantic Coast Conference game and the Fighting Irish made it six consecutive victories with a 74-48 triumph over Creighton at South Bend, Ind.

The Blue Devils of Duke were zooming along with a 5-0 record early in the 1961-1962 season when they were abruptly halted by Duquesne in their sixth game. They will carry the same unsullied record against Louisville at home Saturday night.

**Face Butler Next**

Notre Dame's next opponent is Butler, a team that beat coach John Jordan's squad twice last season. They tangle at South Bend Dec. 22.

Art Heyman paced Duke to its fourth straight 90-plus score with 30 points and may have gone higher if he was not removed from the game with six minutes remaining.

Jim Brennan, Clemson's play-making guard, led the losers with 17 points.

John Andreoli and Ron Reed combined for 39 points in maintaining Notre Dame's unbeaten string. Andreoli netted nine field goals and a pair of free throws for 20 points.

Reed chipped in with 19 points against Louisville at home Saturday night.

**Michigan Wins Third**

Michigan, a patsy in the Big Ten conference last season with an overall record of 7-17, won its third game in four starts by beating Texas Christian, 82-60. Sophomore center Bill Butin led the assault on the Horned Frogs with 19 points. Don Rosick scored 13 points for the losers, who went down to their fourth straight defeat without a victory this season.

The University of Richmond won its first game after three consecutive losses by surprising Baldwin-Wallace, 70-56. George Grodzicki was high man for the winning Spiders with 17 points. B-W's Bob Walters scored 21 to lead all pointmakers.

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