

Medford's Tornado Opposes Klamath Falls Here Saturday

"A giant's portion of trouble and toughness."

That's what the Klamath Falls Herald and News said in Southern Oregon conference basketball.

The defending league champions oppose Grants Pass, state defender, at KF tonight and on Saturday the Pelicans come to Medford to face the Black Tornado. Game time here tomorrow is 8:15 p.m. It will be Medford's only week end appearance on the maple court.

The three clubs are tightly bunched as the week end action opens. Klamath, which faltered last week end, is 6-4 in the loop with GP a half-game back at 5-4 and Medford just a single game at 5-5.

The second spot Pels and third place GP Cavemen each seek to undo the traffic jam behind Crater's 6-3 lead while fourth position Medford, for the moment, hopes to jam it tighter.

Renewed Vigor

Medford over a week ago paused to take stock of itself and then in last Friday and Saturday's conflicts, bounced up with a renewed vigor to project itself into the heat of the conference running. The Whitebirds of Klamath, undoubtedly did the same, as this week's drills got underway, in the wake of losing two straight scuffles.

KF will battle to come back while the Black Tornadoes will be fired just as intently to keep going and stretch their winning string to three.

Both clubs know they have a job to do if they are to fulfill desires for the conference banner and a trip to the state tourney at Eugene.

"They're working hard; they're ready to go," said Medford Coach Frank Roelandt of his Black Tornado team.

"We'll give it a good shot; win or lose, we'll give it a good go," declared the Medford tutor.

After Klamath lost to Crater and to Ashland last week end, Pel Coach Al Keck said, "I thought at the start of the second round that we could maybe lose three games and still come out fine. But I don't know. We'll have to win every game now to stay in there." And, Medford's challenge is just that much more because of trailing the Pelicans by a game.

Probable Starters
The Whitebirds try to re-

coup their forces after playing what Keck maintained was "our poorest game of the season" in losing to Ashland last Saturday.

Probable starters for the Pelicans are Wayne Chamberland, Fred Kelley, Dick Scott, Hal Holman and Grover Dahn with Terry Ash likely seeing a lot of duty.

For Medford the lineup may be Jim Hill, Jack Forde, Rich Benner, Larry Vowell and Dan Miles.

The two clubs go into Saturday's battle even. Medford won a game from the Pels here 44 to 35 and Klamath was victor at Klamath Falls 65 to 64. In the first tussle, Medford playing a pressure game, rallied from a cold start to dominate the battle into the fourth period and building up a 16-point padding. In the second mix, Klamath tightened its defense and warmed up its shooting in the second half while Medford ran into final panel shooting woes.

Prep Loops Have Big Conflicts

United Press International
Battles among the leaders in the Metro, Valley and Southern Oregon conferences highlight tonight's high school basketball schedule in the state.

A three-way tie for first place in the Metro circuit will be broken when two of the leaders, Astoria and Beaverton, meet at Beaverton. The other first-place team, Milwaukie, plays Centennial.

South Salem is at Lebanon in a Valley League feature. The Saxons are undefeated in league play and Lebanon is two games ahead of its nearest rival in second place.

Part of the deadlock in the Southern Oregon Conference may be broken tonight. Four of the five teams still are in contention for two berths in the state tournament. First-place Crater is host to Ashland and Grants Pass is at Klamath Falls.

Other top games around the state send Grant to Franklin, Benson to Marshall, St. Helens to Tigard, Thurston to North Eugene, South Eugene to North Bend and Redmond to Pendleton.

Gonzaga Beats Portland Pilots

Spokane—UPI—Big Jim Dixon and guard Bill Wilson sparked the Gonzaga Bulldogs to a 59-53 basketball victory over the Portland Pilots Thursday night.

Dixon, who fouled out with five minutes left in the game, scored 19 points and Wilson tallied 18. The Bulldogs led 35-26 at halftime.

Steve Ansett led the Pilots with 13 points and Cincy Powell and Jim Dorch each collected 12.

The win gives Gonzaga a 12-10 record for the season. Portland now has a 7-15 mark.

BRANNICK DOING WELL
New York—UPI—Eddie Brannick, traveling secretary of the San Francisco Giants, is progressing satisfactorily from his attack of pneumonia, his doctors reported today at Columbia University-Presbyterian Hospital. Brannick, who has been with the Giants since the John McGraw era, was hospitalized Feb. 7.



TORNADO HOOPMAN—Mike Neuhamer, above, has a reserve role for the Medford High Black Tornado basketball team which met Klamath at Hedrick gym here on Saturday evening.

'Longshot' Opportunity Being Eyed

Portland—UPI—Local leaders planned today to meet next Wednesday to plan strategy for a "longshot" chance of getting Portland picked as the United States' choice for the 1968 Olympic games.

Portland hopes were revived earlier this week when the site selection committee invited five cities to resubmit their bids at New York in March. Other cities are Detroit, the original choice, Los Angeles, San Francisco and Philadelphia.

Paul B. McKee, an official of Portland Metropolitan Future Unlimited, said "we're certainly going to take a crack at it."

"The first thing to do," he said, "is to get our group together and see what everyone wants to do."

A bill in the legislature would give Multnomah County broadened powers to construct and operate facilities. Plans for a big sports complex in the Delta Park area of North Portland were announced before the Olympic bid came up.

Among other things, the Portland group must show the Olympic people it can have the \$60 million facility ready by 1968.

Ducks Open Cage Series With OSU

Corvallis—UPI—Oregon State and Oregon, which started playing basketball more than two months ago, tangle tonight for the first time this season in the opener of a two-game week end series which means much to Beaver NCAA playoff hopes.

Oregon State, with a 13-5 record, needs a pair of victories to stay close to Seattle in the unofficial standings among Northwest independents. Seattle is 16-4.

Coach Slat Gill, who has been "juggling" his starting line-up most of the week because of Terry Baker's sore toe, got good news Thursday. Baker was declared ready for duty and is expected to start along with Mel Counts, Frank Peters and Jim Kraus. Jim Jarvis or Steve Pauly will hold down the fifth starting assignment.

Oregon, which has a 7-11 record, probably will go with Steve Jones, Jim Johnson, Glenn Moore and Elliott Gleason, with Bob Yates or Johnny Mack the likely fifth starter.

The game will mark the opening collegiate rivalry between Counts, the former Marshfield prep all-star, and Moore, who was an all-star at Klamath Falls. Moore sat out last season. Counts' sophomore year.

The two teams meet in Eugene Saturday night.

Jim Beatty Makes 1963 Debut in Track
New York—UPI—Little Jim Beatty, who set one world and five American records last year, makes his 1963 debut tonight in the New York Athletic Club's track and field meet at Madison Square Garden.

The 28-year-old Beatty, who runs for the Los Angeles Track Club, heads a list of top performers, including the Soviet Union's Valery Brumel, Igor Ter-Ovanesyan and Valery Bulishev, and Canada's Bruce Kidd.

SPORTS

KC Bowling Meet Starts Tomorrow

Sixth annual Knights of Columbus Bowling tournament, open to all KC councils in the northwestern United States, will be held on Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 16 and 17, at Medford lanes.

Twenty-seven teams are entered and a total of 145 men will participate. Team competition will open at noon on Saturday. Singles and doubles get underway at 9:45 a.m. on Sunday.

Awards presentation is slated immediately after completion of competition which includes all events.

A buffet dinner for bowlers and their wives will be served at 6 p.m. on Saturday at the KC building on Black Oak dr. Delegates from all councils participating in the tourney will meet at 10 p.m. on Saturday at the KC building under the chairmanship of Dr. F. A. Reiling, Eugene. Site of the 1964 tourney will be chosen.

Sam Smith Widens OCC Point Lead

Portland—UPI—Oregon Tech's all-conference center Sam Smith opened up a 27-point lead in the Oregon Collegiate conference scoring race last week end as he upped his total to 283 points.

In second place is teammate Willie Anderson with 256. Smith's average is 21.8 per game while Anderson has 19.7 per contest.

Bob Marr of OCE continues to set the pace in field goal accuracy, hitting 52.3, but has shot only 44 times, connecting on 23 occasions. Norm Johns of OTI has cast of 133 times and hit 66 times for a 49.6 percentage. Portland State's freshman Gary Linn still tops the free throw accuracy department with 13 of 15 shots dropping, for an 86.7 average.

Among more frequent shooters Toby Wolf of OCE is best, hitting 38 of 46 for an 82.6 percentage.

Smith and Anderson continue to run away with the rebound race. Smith has cleared 196 for a game average of 15.0 while Anderson has picked off 191 for an average of 14.8. Anderson leads the season scoring race with 418 points in 22 games for an average of 19 points per game. In second place at 399 is Bob Myers of EOC.

In games this week end leading Oregon Tech is idle but could win the OCC title outright if OCE drops one of its games against EOC at La Grande. Portland State will attempt to keep its second place hold by winning a pair of games against Southern Oregon at Ashland.

TEAM STATISTICS:
Offense
OTI 440-1030 206-206 624 1000
PSC 305-912 215-249 541 947
OCE 292-691 191-200 583 783
SOC 341-876 267-314 736 839
PSC 301-774 122-195 401 724

Defense
PSC 306-751 152-241 448 732
OCE 204-767 163-246 534 771
SOC 306-922 215-249 541 947
OTI 396-917 164-220 580 936
EOC 383-944 221-341 464 967

INDIVIDUAL SCORING
Smith OTI 108 27 203 23.8
Anderson OTI 103 50 206 19.7
Myers EOC 92 47 202 19.4
Hugues SOC 92 44 202 17.2
Nelson PSC 83 31 217 36.7
Kash OTI 78 22 178 12.7
Smith SOC 67 41 177 14.9
Zitek OTI 66 34 164 12.8
Brandt OCE 66 35 163 15.6
Johns OTI 62 41 177 14.9
Turley EOC 58 20 144 12.0
Wachler EOC 52 30 134 11.1
Wolf OCE 49 38 110 12.2
Hansen OCE 48 23 110 10.2
Linn PSC 44 13 111 10.1
Hingsworth PSC 44 10 107 9.7
Finnery SOC 43 17 107 9.0
Kiser SOC 37 31 103 8.9
Kunkel EOC 36 18 90 8.1
Morton PSC 35 12 90 8.1

Archery Practice Slated on Sunday

Rogue Archers will have their first club practice shoot on Sunday, Feb. 17.

The practice will begin at 10 a.m. on the private broadhead course on the Dalton Quackenbush property. The course is on Table Rock rd. a short distance south of Highway 234.

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BOWLING

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SCRATCH
Stoney's 171 (12-24) 0. H. White 522 Polver's Motel (32-6) 4. E. Burgham 377.
Kachina Lodge (8-22) 0. J. Dunphy 402. So Ore. Color Processors 20-20. R. Powell 311.
Paul Lee Motors (2-20) 0. L. Bohl 336. So. Ore. Title Co. (24-16) 4. J. Jernsdan 410.
Walt's Luthia Motors (26-3) 4. R. Torrey 351. Sambo's (24-16) 0. S. Langford 367.
Jim Carrigan 235.

MIDCO KEGLETIES
Alley Cats 171 (12-24) 0. Mabel Paschke 431. Black Balls (13-7) 1. Green Glens 415.
Twisters (15-4) 1. Louise Oreskovic 406.
Die Hards (7-13) 1. Helen Carpenter 425. Starlighters (13-7) 1. Clara Torrey and Ginny Weaver 414.
Helen Carpenter 189. Mabel Paschke 177. Elsie Nelson 167. Alley Cats 1574.

ELKS LEAGUE
Gospel (14-2) 4. Homer Sullivan 574. Go Boys (9-21) 0. Ken Brown 341.
Sea Dogs (8-9) 1. Walt Skundrick 611. Lively Five (8-8) 3. Frank Rhee 345.
Spoolers (11-5) 4. Jim Blacklock 535. Reddy's (16-10) 0. Overt Hansen 341.
Sports (9-7) 4. Don Davis 639. Tigars (9-11) 0. Phil Huntley 323.
Alley-Gators (6-10) 2. Jack Yeal 414. Channel Cats (4-12) 2. Dick Peacock 465.
Don Davis 257.

EVERGREEN LEAGUE
Local Loon (24-11) 3. E. Doolittle 321. Redmen Lodge (13-27) 1. J. Hammond 304.
Overhead Door (25-15) 1. Troy Taylor 439. Hires Road Beer (12-16) 3. Al Coulter 518.
Rogue Dist. (25-15) 3. Ed Glover 360. Bateman & Sons (20-20) 1. John Haveris 602.
Medco (23-16) 4. Ken Pickering 426. Big Y (13-27) 0. Floyd Hayner 464.
Road Liners (23-17) 1. V. Broadwater 429. Pepsi-Cole (18-22) 3. Ron Snopi 464.
Kaukas Equip. (12-25) 1. Vic Dean 519. Hires Road Beer (14-26) 3. Chuck Heitner 514.
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KOFFEE KLATSCH
Sweet Ricks (13-21) 4. Elsie Eddy 344. Channel Chicks (14-6) 0. Darlene Brenton 431.
We Three (12-7) 3. Clare Jewel 478. Salt Sacks (9-17) 1. Elsie McWane 422.
Pin Curlers (12-6) 4. Alice Landring 369. Early Birds (3-17) 0. Forrest Nine Pins (12-6) 3. Jean Gemachlich 191. Joyce Kraus 183.

LADIES CLASSIC LEAGUE
Conger Morris (11-5) 1. Alyce Williams 522. Thunderbolt Market (10-6) 3. Billie Davis 569.
Crater Inn (11-3) 3. Ethel Champion 483. Brave Ball (7-9) 1. Gerrie Blind 506.
Clock Cafe (10-6) 1. Eva Sessions 542. Jorgensen's 17-91 3. Arlene Hoffman 533.
Wooden Shoe (9-7) 4. Geneva Matz 376. Valley Music (9-11) 0. Eleanor Holbrook 587.
Rogue Distributing (8-8) 1. Evelyn Head 483. Medford Yardage (7-9) 3. Laurie Pitt 525.
Insurance Mart (9-11) 4. Betty Reinholdt 578. Team Three (9-13) 0. Edith Cummings 511.
Rogers 470. Early Birds (3-17) 0. 224. Betty Reinholdt 221.

LUCKY STRIKERS
McLain's (19-5) 2. Midge Panter 468. Jean Harts (17-7) 2. Lita Nelson 399.
Mosses Flying (16-8) 4. Dolores Kaliste 448. Bunyavert (9-15) 0. Dorothy Patten 430.
Oakdale Mkt. (14-10) 4. Ruby Standridge 408. West Shell (12-22) 0. Betty Patten 410.
Eli City Mkt. (11-12) 2. Marlene Jensen 402. New Belmont (10-10) 2. Rose Thrasher 397.
Dardanelis (11-13) 1. Pearl Grow 410. Big Y Signal (9-15) 3. Donah. Rennie 465.
Cogswell (8-15) 4. Frankie Robinson 382. Paters Mkt. (18-15) 0. Iris Wimer 376.

STANDOUT BOWLER
White City—One of the nation's top bowlers visited the Veterans Administration domiciliary here Monday and left behind an appreciative group of veterans.

Ed Kawolick, Chicago, Ill., a Brunswick staffer, explained and demonstrated the techniques of bowling under the auspices of the Bowlers' Victory league of Washington, D.C.

He teamed with Steve Mastowski, member supervisor of bowling here, in a match game with Irving Gray and Ken Burbank. It was a single game match and Mastowski and Kawolick won 336 to 300 pins.

Later, the visitor, who has a lifetime average of 198 and 10th highest all-time average of 204 for 10 years, rolled an exhibition game for 226.

He gave individual instructions.

INJURY NOT SERIOUS
St. Lauderdale, Fla.—UPI—New York Yankee relief pitcher Marshall Bridges, who was shot in the left leg by a woman Wednesday night, will begin his spring training in about a month and may be ready for bullpen duty when the American league season opens on April 8. Dr. George Rabilly, a bone specialist at the local hospital where Bridges is reported resting comfortably, said the pitcher's injury is not serious and should not hamper his pitching.

Houston Gives Ivy New Pact

Houston—UPI—K. S. (Bud) Adams, owner of the Houston Oilers of the American Football league, solved one problem and picked up two others Thursday when he signed head coach Frank (Pop) Ivy to a new two-year contract and gave him the additional job of general manager.

Adams must decide now what to do about star half-back Billy Cannon and Don Suman, the man whom Ivy will replace as general manager.

Cannon vowed at the end of last season that he would not play for the Oilers this year. Ivy now has more authority than before and where does that leave Cannon?

Pro Basketball

NATIONAL LEAGUE
United Press International
Eastern Division
Boston 44 19 406
Syracuse 36 26 381
Cincinnati 33 28 341
New York 17 44 279

Western Division
Los Angeles 48 15 260
St. Louis 31 26 387
Detroit 24 36 387
San Francisco 22 40 357
Chicago 19 44 302

Thursday's Results
Los Angeles 128, Detroit 111
Syracuse 128, Chicago 117
New York 123, St. Louis 113
Only games scheduled.

Basketball

THURSDAY COLLEGE RESULTS
United Press International
EAST
New York U. 102, Holy Cross 71
Long Island U. 82, Hunter 81
Seton Hall 81, Niagara 74

SOUTH
Wake Forest 73, Maryland 54
MIDWEST
Cincinnati 81, Colorado Coll. 43
SOUTHWEST
Tulsa 67, Bradley 62
North Texas St. 64, St. Louis 62

WEST
Weber Coll. 98, N.W. Nazarene 72
Wyoming 78, Denver 77
Loyola Calif. 56, San Jose 48
Gonzaga 39, Portland 33

FIGHTS

THURSDAY BOUTS
Bangkok, Thailand—(UPI)—Bert Semolina, 128-lb., Philippines stepped Adolf Strimthorn, 138, Thailand (7), retained Orient junior welterweight championship.

Salt Lake City—(UPI)—Don Fullmer, 161, West Jordan, Utah, outpointed Eddie Andrews, 155, Reno, Nev. (10).

Tucson Headed By Jim Farrier

Tucson, Ariz.—UPI—Old Jim Farrier, who hasn't won an official PGA tournament since 1952, and Don January—who is in a bit of a slump himself—moved into the second round of the \$25,000 Tucson Open today looking back at the field.

The two tall men posted identical seven-under par 65s Thursday to take a two-stroke lead over Dutch Baird and go three shots ahead of five others.

Farrier, who will be 48 years old Feb. 24, is an Australian who won the United States PGA crown way back in 1947.

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