



DEFENDING CHAMPIONS—Oregon State University's wrestling team will defend its school's 1962 championship this week in the Pacific Coast Intercollegiate association tournament at Southern Oregon college in Ashland. The tournament will be conducted on Friday and Saturday, March 1 and 2. In the front row from left are Gordon Lowell, John Isenhart, Gary Head, John Sanderson, Dean Tower and Jim Allison. From left to right in the second row are Lee Rosenberg, Len Kauffman, Bob Bailey, Mason Fries, Gary Scott, Steve Strader and Mike Greenwood. OSU's Beavers are considered strong contenders again this year along with Portland State college which was the 1962

runnerup. Portland nipped OSU 13-12 this season in a dual tussle. None of last year's individual champs are back for the Beavers but they have Lee Rosenberg, 157, who was a participant and who has improved greatly since that time. Most of the large schools in the coast area have entered and individual entries at last count totaled approximately 150. Tickets for the matches may be obtained from Lampport's Sporting Goods store in Medford and from the Mark Antony hotel, Fortmillers Department store and the college business office in Ashland. First round matches on Friday will begin at 1 p.m. Quarterfinals are planned for 7 p.m.

Ice Skating Competition Will Begin

Cortina Dampazzo, Italy—UPI—Figure skaters from 15 nations today completed training for the world championships, which were to get off to an official but non-competitive opening this evening. Competition begins Thursday morning with the men's compulsory figures.

Originally, an opening ceremony at the outdoor stadium was scheduled to take place this evening. But late Tuesday officials decided there would be a minimum of attendance, and instead scheduled a cocktail party at the city hall.

Four world titles are at stake in the 1963 figure skating and ice dancing championships—the pairs, ice dancing and men's and women's figure skating. It generally looked like a European show, although Canadian skaters were among those given a chance of winning.

Smith-Brown Team Holds Lead in Holiday Handicap

Justin Smith Jr. and Dick Brown roared out of third place with three victories last week to take the lead into the final stretch of the holiday golf handicap tournament at Rogue Valley Country club.

Their biggest surge was an 11-point victory over Tom Tubbs and Sam Prough. They also defeated Wayne Chitwood and Bud Hoover by two and Howard Cusic and Dick Kline by two. That gave them 15 counters for the three matches and an aggregate of 55 for 18.

Russ Acheson and Bob Phillips maintained second spot by passing previous frontrunners Carl Schmidt and E. A. Pearson. Acheson collected 10 points in two matches for a total of 53.

Schmidt and Pearson, who did not play last week, have 48 and are now third.

The tournament, which began last Dec. 1, will conclude on Friday, March 1.

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handicap tournament is now in progress and will run through March 10.

In last week end's ball sweepstakes Bob Phillips was low gross with a 76 an dRay Lindquist and Dr. N. J. Wilson rad 77s. Low net winner was Chitwood with a 69. Second net prize was tied for by Hoover had a 72 and Cusic a 73.

Justin Smith Jr. and Dick Brown 18 Plus 55
Acheson - Phillips 17 33
Schmidt - Pearson 22 48
Leoning - Hale 12 35
Vilarino - Knoll 13 32
Rowan - Thompson 13 32
Wilson - C. Lewis 12 30
Nuch - J. Vargo 12 18
Lubbers - Gunderson 11 15
Baylor - Luther 12 10
Pitts - Lowry 11 11
Baker - Van Duker 11 10
Botkter - Peterson 17 17
Williams - McVainie 13 13
W. Miller - Straton 12 12
Eisenstein - Catey 13 13
Fletcher - Getchell 8 8
Chitwood - Hoover 11 11
F. Holmes - Gustafson 2 2
Manton - Courtright 1 1
Taylor - Courtwright 1 1
Odenour - Isted 5 5
Larson - Finnell 8 8
Cascioli - Cox 1 1
Santer - Stewart 5 5
Selby - McLaughlin 2 2
Cusic - Kline 11 11
Berg - Gill 1 1
Voelty - V. Milnes 11 11
Judy - Mickelson 12 12
Reeves - R. Smith 5 5
And's - P. Mitchell 1 1
Finch - Hunman 12 12
A. Clark - Lagerton 1 1
Humphrey - Guincy 12 12
DeBerger - Hamrod 12 12
Lauders - Crafts 7 7
Chitwinbeard - Sparson 9 9
Taylor - Easton 9 9
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Perl - Dougherty 3 3
Randolph - Swenson 10 10
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McCoy - J. Brown 10 10
Puffinberger-H Jewett 2 2
Fasel - Schlitz 13 13

NBA Playoff Dates Set

New York—UPI—The first-round playoff in the Western division of the National Basketball association will start March 19 or 20 in St. Louis.

League President Maurice Podoloff explained Tuesday that the first two games of the best-of-five series will be played March 20 and 22 if the Hawks' opponent is Detroit. If the Hawks' foe is San Francisco, the first two games will be played on March 19 and 21.

The Detroit section of a St. Louis-Detroit playoff would be on March 24 and 26, with the final game scheduled for St. Louis, March 27. The third game of a St. Louis-San Francisco playoff would be played at San Francisco, March 23, with the "if necessary" games scheduled for San Francisco, March 25, and St. Louis, March 27.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Lists various names and their corresponding scores in a handicap tournament.

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IV Cougars Nick SH Trojans, Tie For 2nd in Loop

with five seconds remaining in regular time last night. John Baumgardner stepped to the foul line and made his first shot for 43-all and missed his second on a one and one opportunity.

Thornhill Gifter Margin
Ron Thornhill sank his first free shot on another one and one chance with 25 seconds left in the overtime to provide the margin of victory.

Pete Krok led off the extra time with a field goal for the Trojans. Baumgardner followed with a field goal and free toss for 46 to 45. Jim Koson made it 47 to 46 for Sacred Heart. Thornhill hit a first shot of a one and one to tie the score then got the victory point off another foul.

Sacred Heart led 43 to 42

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Helins Goes In Front In Bowling

Buffalo, N.Y.—UPI—The Helins Tackle team of Detroit gained the lead in the classic division of the American Bowling congress tournament Tuesday with a 6,157, the fourth highest total in professional division history.

Led by Billy Golembewski, who turned in a 715 series, the team racked up 3,194 Tuesday night, a great improvement over the 2,963 that Helins bowled Monday.

Billy "G's" 715 series was his second over 700 in ABC tournament play. He had his first last year in Des Moines, Iowa, when he scored 711. His run Tuesday was 245, 278, 192. The 278 tied him with Joe Joseph for high single game in any classic event.

Joseph, a teammate of Billy "G's" headed the doubles with 1,378. Joseph also leads the classic all-events with 1,925. He shot 588 in the team event Monday, 728 in doubles and 609 in singles.

In the regular division, Saratoga Lanes of Maplewood, Mo., still heads the team standing with 3,031 rolled last Saturday. Bill Hoffman and Don Slama of Chicago remain in front in the regular doubles with 1,316, also rolled Saturday, while Jack Bullis of Bay City, Mich., heads the singles with 705 compiled Monday.

GETS PUTTING AWARD
New York—UPI—The Professional Putters association presented Bob Williamson of Jacksonville, Fla., with the "putter of the year" award at its annual awards dinner Tuesday night.

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE SPORTS Fanfare

By DICK JEWETT
Mail Tribune Sports Editor

At the same time IV Cougar Coach Andy Anderson quarrels with any suggestion that his team's win over Eagle Point last week end was an upset. It was the Cave Junction team's second victory over the Eagles in three games.

"No two of us think alike," Roelandt said. He spoke of the need to get officials thinking "somewhat alike."

The coach also expressed the thought that "the game has speeded up to the point where officials can't get caught up with it."

Another Roelandt comment was that "judgment is a human thing; you have it or you don't." He said he felt, however, that judgment can be improved.

CLOSE GAMES
At the Linebacker session also St. Mary's high Coach Dick Paup mentioned the strong second half of his Crusader basketball team. He pointed out that his team lost quite a few games by one point and, had it won these, the club would have been right up there in title contention.

380 AT TOURNAY
The District AAU Basketball tourney here drew 283 paid admissions. City Park and Recreation Director Bob Haworth reported. He said that total attendance, including 37 players, was 380.

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Hornbrook Girls Hoop Titlists

Hornbrook, Calif. — Hornbrook Grammar school girls' basketball team has won the Castella invitational tournament championship trophy for the second year in a row.

The girls defeated Dunsuir 22 to 13, Mt. Shasta 29 to 16 and Weed 28 to 8 in the tourney at Dunsuir.

The meet finished a season in which Hornbrook won all nine games it played. During the last two school terms and tournaments the girls were unbeaten and untied in 51 games.

Forwards on this year's team were Sheila Yeager and Lois Sanders. Other players were Caren Cross, Diane Bloss, Susan Peters, Kathy Slavens, Patsy Gillespie, Mary Ellen Gessler, Beve Hutchins and Sue Blankenship. Coach was Dean Price, school principal.

Members of the boys basketball team went to Dunsuir to cheer the girls to triumph. They were Dale and Gene Farmer, Allen George, Billy Spearin, Frankie Cardoza, John Suetta, John Snyder and Robert Gillespie. Also with the group was Gary Yeager, former team member, now a Yreka high student.

In the recent Elks tourney at Yreka, the boys' team was second in its class. Dale Farmer was named to the all-tournament team. They were coached by Willis Jones, fifth and sixth grade teacher.

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