

Pels Override Pointers For Tenth Win, 80-27

Medford Keeps Pace With 37-25 Victory Over Ashland Quint; Portland High School Hoop Conference Undergoes Shakeup

For a moment or so the Pelicans were four points behind the Central Point cagers last night, but the final figure on the tote board showed the Klamath boys out front by 53 points. The Pels tied their own season's scoring record in conference play by pounding out an 80-27 win over the Pointers.

Several weeks ago the Pels scored 80 points in a league game, also against Central Point. Last night the Klamathites missed a lot of shots before finally settling down to serious basketmaking, and after some three minutes of play in the first quarter the Pointers led, 5 to 1.

LeRoy Coleman solved down the floor for a crumpled shot and Clarence Busman potted a lay-in to tie the count. Hargis Colley gave the Pointers another life by sinking a free throw, but Joe Zarosinski started the Pels on the road to their 10th conference win with three speedy baskets. Quarter-mark score was 16-9.

Coleman, high scorer of the contest with 19 points, did most of his damage in the second quarter, hitting four bullseyes, and score at the half-way mark was 35-15. The game was a shoo-in from then on with 11 members of the Pelican squad seeing action.

In addition to Coleman's 19 tallies, Joe Zarosinski had a dozen for the Pels and Gene Hoover accounted for 11. Les Hanson hooked 12 for the Pointers.

The Pelican victory enabled Coach Wayne Scott's boys to keep ahead of the Medford Black Tornado. Medford trounced Ashland for the fourth time this season last night, 37 to 25. Klamath plays Central Point again tonight.

Elsewhere on the prey school basketball scene a shakeup took place in the Portland City loop last night when lowly Lincoln tripped Washington 49-47 in a torrid, triple-overtime game.

The Washington quintet had expected to clinch the Portland title last night. The win was Lincoln's second of the season, and the second loss for Washington.

Jefferson last night became the favorite for Portland's other position in the state tourney by defeating Roosevelt, 55-52.

The race in district 14 ended in an even heat as Rainier trounced Vernonia, 49-36, necessitating a play-off, to be arranged with St. Helens. St. Helens stock dropped as Seaside administered a non-district licking, 92-45.

In district 13 Central Catholic became the overwhelming favorite by eliminating another rival, Gresham, 33-31.

McMinnville won the Tuastin-Yamhill Valley league crown by spilling Newberg, 47-45. Previously tied with Newberg, McMinnville became the favorite in district 8.

Lebanon kept ahead of the field in district 7 by wallowing Toledo, 54-30.

Salem won the Big Six league championship by downing Eugene, defending state titlists, 42-35. The loss hurt nothing, but Eugene's pride, for the Axemen, along with Astoria, already have qualified for entry in the state tourney.

Clemo Defeated By Romanian

PORTLAND, Feb. 22 (AP)—Oshwa Toma, 1224, formerly of Romania, had a 10-round decision over Joe Clemo, 125, Portland, in the record books today—but the award was greeted by boos of the fans. The two met in the main event of a fight card here last night.

Referee Ralph Gruman gave Toma the nod after he had finished strong in the last two rounds. The crowd, however, vented its displeasure in the belief Clemo had gained enough points to win during the forepart of the bout.

In the preliminaries John Scott, 142, Pago Pago, outpointed Al Davis, 143, Tacoma (8), and Bill Boatman, 169, Kelso, knocked out Bob Craig, 170, Seattle (2).

Beaver Quartet Remains Outside

PORTLAND, Feb. 22 (AP)—Battery men of the Portland Beavers will head Monday for their Pacific Coast Baseball league spring training camp at Riverside, Calif. General Manager William Mulligan has announced.

Only four Beaver regulars remained unsigned—Pitchers Dick Barrett and Jack Salverson, First Baseman—Outfielder Herma Reich and Fielder May Smith.

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Strikes 'n Spares

Prize lists for the city bowling tourney are just about complete, but the keepers are being a little reluctant to get their names down on the entry blanks, according to Erie Hamilton at Recreation alleys. Deadline for entries is March 1 and the teams and individuals are expected to pile in at the last minute.

The tourney will be run off March 10-15 in two classes, A and B. Individual averages of 160 and team averages of 750, and

Stan Musial Stays Away From Cards

NEW YORK, Feb. 22 (AP)—Stan Musial, the National league's batting champion and most valuable player today, was the only outstanding major league baseball player unsigned.

The hard-hitting St. Louis Cardinal first baseman became the lone dissatisfied star following the signing of Hank Greenberg, Hal Newhouser, Spud Chandler and Marty Marion by their respective clubs, the Pittsburgh Pirates, Detroit Tigers, New York Yankees and the Cards.

Musial is sitting tight at the Cards' St. Petersburg, Fla., spring training base reportedly seeking a \$30,000 contract which is believed to be \$8000 more than the offer President Sam Breadon of the Cards has tendered his star slugger.

Meanwhile the signing of Greenberg stole the headlines from the rest of the baseball news.

The former home run slugger of the Tigers inked a one-year document in New York for an undisclosed sum which John W. Galbreath, co-owner of the Bucs, said was "more than Hank received last year." Greenberg was reported to have received \$55,000 from the Tigers in 1948.

Only a short while ago Greenberg, who was sold to the Pirates by Detroit February 9, indicated that he was considering retiring from the game.

Dogs Await Mush Order

ASHTON, Ida., Feb. 22 (AP)—Five carefully trained dog teams awaited the "mush" signal today to send them racing 10 miles along a zig-zag snow-covered course testing their speed and stamina.

Start of the 27th renewal of Ashton's famed American dog derby was set for approximately 3 p. m., MST.

Normally the race is run on a course that includes this mountain village's usually snow-banked main street. But lack of snow this year resulted in the moving of the races to a higher elevation, 22 miles north of Ashton, in extreme eastern Idaho and only a few miles from the continental divide.

A two-mile course was laid out in a forest clearing and the snow packed hard. The dogs race five times around the course to complete the 10-mile race.

Three inches of new snow fell yesterday and workers quickly packed it in preparation for the race.

Bleachers were constructed to seat more than 4000 persons. Race officials predicted an overflow crowd of 5000.

Blacktail Deer Deaths Studied

PORTLAND, Feb. 22 (AP)—Discovery of the carcasses of 23 blacktail deer on the east fork of the Trask river was reported by the state game commission today.

The dead animals were in a region with adequate forage. Biologists were attempting to determine the cause of death.

In the Wilson and Nehalem river watersheds, where heavy deer losses occurred last winter, all deer and elk appeared in good condition.

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BEAU JACK

Jack's Knee Injury May End Career

NEW YORK, Feb. 22 (AP)—This being Washington's birthday and all, you probably wouldn't be very far from the truth if you came right out in meeting today and predicted that the fight game has seen the last of Bouncing Beau Jack—and vice versa.

The Bouncing Beau himself summed it all up very neatly last night as he lay in his Madison Square Garden dressing room waiting for an ambulance to take him to a hospital with a kneecap that had just been broken for the second time in three months. The knee had given 'way in the ring as he was being belabored by Tony Janiro, the fancy-boxing youngster out of Youngstown, Ohio, with the result that swift Tony chalked out a four-round technical knock-out.

There will be no final decision until a more extensive examination is complete, but even the Beau himself made it clear that the cracked bone isn't strong enough to take punishment.

It was Jack's 25th Garden appearance—and it looked like his last.

He didn't even look like the same fighter who won and lost the lightweight championship before going into the army. Janiro all but floored him in the second and galloped on to take all three of the completed rounds.

Volume Tossed At Ex-Birdman

CAMDEN, N. J., Feb. 22 (AP)—A \$25 fine has been imposed on Thomas B. Staples on a charge of unlawfully stirring up migratory waterfowl by means of an aircraft.

Federal District Judge Thomas M. Madden, in sentencing the 23-year-old former army fighter plane instructor yesterday, declared that "sometimes I think there are not enough people left who are close to nature."

Any similar defendants, said Judge Madden, "will get the book."

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Idahoans Overturn Beavers

SEATTLE, Feb. 22 (AP)—The lowly Idaho Vandals' astounding win over Oregon State, lost only twice before this season in 24 games, threw the northern division Pacific coast conference race into an "anything might happen" finish today.

Idaho, loser of 13 straight conference games without a single victory, pulled out all the stops last night and stopped Oregon State effectively at Moscow, Ida., 57 to 46. In the other night game, Oregon won a thriller here from Washington 49-48 in the last seconds of play.

The Oregon State coach, Slat Gil, starting a four-game invasion of the Idaho and Washington State college campuses, used 11 players but found no combination to stop the inspired Idaho team. Idaho led at the half 29 to 20 and Forward Johnny Evans led the scorers with 18 points. Red Rocha, big Oregon State center, who set a new division scoring record of 38 points in a previous game against Idaho, was held to a basket and a free throw.

Oregon nosed out Washington in a finish which had the crowd of 8500 on their toes when Dick Wilkins, tall forward, looped in a rainbow shot from almost center court. Washington had led at halftime 23 to 20, but missed 11 free throws while the Webbs failed on only seven.

Oregon State, with a 10-win, two-loss conference record, needs a victory tonight over Idaho to regain its two-game lead over second place Washington State, before invading the WSC court Monday and Tuesday nights. Washington State has won nine and lost four. After that series, each team has only one more game to play.

Oregon's victory lifted the Webbs over Washington into third place in the standings. Oregon has broken even in 14 games, while Washington has won seven and lost eight.

Fords Defeat Mac's, 59-17

Last night in Victory league play, Federal division, the Balsiger quintet overwhelmed Mac's grocery, 59 to 17, on the Klamath Union high school gym floor. Bob Freeman sank 17 points for the Fords, while Jim Thornton scored 10 for the losers.

In the other game last night, American league, the Eagles trounced Lincoln street grocery, 39 to 10. Merle Metz scored 10 points for the Eagles and John Tindall was high for the Grocers with 4.

Youngsters At It

EUGENE, Feb. 22 (AP)—The Oregon State junior varsity basketball team downed the Oregon junior varsity last night, 67-62.

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On Tuesday Card



Rudy Carlson, Klamath welterweight with a record of six wins in seven fights, is slated to battle with Monte Montgomery in a five-rounder at the armory Tuesday.

\$5000 Kitty Up On Win

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Feb. 22 (AP)—Friendship ends and business begins today as America's Ben Hogan and England's Dai Ry Evans led the scorers with their \$5000 winner-take-all international golf match at the San Diego Country club.

The two mighty mites—Hogan, unquestionably the finest golfer in competition today, and Rees, regarded by many as current best from across the pond—played 18 holes today and the final 18 tomorrow in the combination match-medal battle that has aroused widespread interest in this country and abroad.

Low medalist collects \$1000 each day, while \$3000 goes to the match play winner over the 36-hole route—and a tricky, 6800-yard route they face. Par is 36-36-72.

Klamath Skiers In Hoodoo Race

Four local skiers will try for the Oregon class B downhill and slalom championships Sunday at Hoodoo bowl northwest of Bend on Santiam highway.

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The senior class jumpers over 32 years of age and the class C youngsters of 16 and 17 display their style for titles of their respective divisions today.

BASKETBALL Results

OREGON HIGH SCHOOL
Klamath Falls 80, Central Point 27.
Medford 37, Ashland 25.
Roseburg 35, Elmira 29.
Salem 42, Eugene 35.
University (Eugene) 36, Springfield 27.
The Dalles 36, Hood River 43.
Central Catholic 33, Gresham 31.

Seaside 52, St. Helens 45.
Tigard 52, Tillamook 39.
Dallas 30, Estacada 26.
Sandy 60, Silverton 37.
Rainier 49, Vernonia 36.
St. Mary's (Eugene) 49, Sacred Heart (Salem) 41.
Columbia Prep 41, Parkrose 37.
McMinnville 46, Newberg 45.
West Linn 53, Hillsboro 40.
Milwaukie 58, Canby 18.
Forest Grove 48, Beaverton 26.
Lebanon 54, Toledo 30.
Albany 30, Newport 25.
Lincoln 49, Washington 37—(Three overtimes).
Jefferson 55, Rosevelt 52.
Grant 45, Franklin 35.
Benson 46, Sabin 38.

Western College
Oregon 49, Washington 48.
Idaho 57, Oregon State 46.
Central Washington College 54, Pacific Lutheran 45.
College of Puget Sound 60, Pacific University 50.
Linfield 76, College of Idaho 64.
Oregon Frosh 46, Oregon State 43.
Portland university 49, University of British Columbia 41.
Montana university 70, Eastern Washington college 51.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT
By The Associated Press
NEW YORK — Tony Janiro, 1471, Youngstown, TKO Beau Jack, 141, Augusta, Ga., 4.

Upholding American honors against the Norwegian team for the national class A crown, were Merly Barber, Brattleboro, Vt. Walter and Ralph Bietila and Joe Perrault of Ishpeeming, Art Granstrom, Everett, Wash., and Gordon Wren, Winter Park, Colo.

SAN FRANCISCO — Louis Bell, 152, St. Paul, outpointed Pedro Jimenez, 156, Vallejo, Calif., 10.

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