

# 23 Pels Enter District Mat Meet

## Openers Wind Up Tonight

First rounds in the Klamath County Class II basketball tournament will be completed tonight on Pelican Court.

Sacred Heart, third-seeded, meets Bly, sixth-seeded, in the 7:30 opener. First-seeded Bonanza faces Henley, fifth-seeded, in the afterpiece.

Malin met Gilchrist and Chiloquin faced Merrill this afternoon in other first-round games.

Losers mix on the Henley floor tomorrow afternoon in consolation rounds. Winners go to Pelican Court tomorrow night in the championship semi-finals.



**ILLEGAL ENTRY** — Bill Parks has Soldat Gorky ripe for the picking here but Ivan Gorky (rear) rushes in to break it up before young Parks can deck Soldat with the knee-uppercut. The Gorkys beat Bill and Herb Parks last night at the army, primarily by breaking tag team rules that call for just one man on each team in the ring at one time.

## Gorkys Flaunt Rules To Whip Parks Boys

The mayhem-minded Gorky Boys—Soldat and Ivan—haven't lost a game since they were the unorthodox duo of a team.

Just ask the Parks brothers—Herb and Billy—who lost a savage match to the Russians last night at the army.

If the rules had been followed—unheard of in tag lifts—the Canadian brothers may have won. But the Russian brothers are firm believers that rules are made to be broken.

Twice during the match, Billy had Soldat pinned when Ivan slipped into the ring to break it up. Buck Weaver couldn't handle the machine-gun shenanigans as referee.

**STRETCH**

The Parks boys managed to score the second fall, trading off with Ivan with the stomping toe hold. Billy finally brought a Russian "uncle" from Ivan when he added the stretch to the stomp.

That came after the Russian referee teamed up on Billy to deal out a merciless beating by using the younger of the Parks as a battering ram against the ringposts.

Ivan finally picked up Billy—who was limp as a bar rag—and slammed him to the mat. It was an easy chore for Ivan to flop on Billy for the fall.

It looked like the Canadian boys would win in the third go-round when Herb missed fire on a flying butt.

**BOUNCE**

Hurricane Herb had Soldat bounce one like popcorn in the making with his butts, made doubly elastic with a bounce off the ropes. Then Ivan went to Soldat's rescue, but all he got for his brotherly gesture was the same treatment from Herb with a double portion of oomph.

But Ivan's intervention threw Herb flailing off somewhat and when he turned to hand Soldat some more of the same, instead he caught Soldat's knee in his tummy.

Herb collapsed to the mat and Soldat came down across the Ca-

## RIDIN' HERD

**HOLD ON to your hats!**  
It's a big weekend of sports on the local scene.

Out of it will come some cheers, some tears.

**YOU STILL** have time to catch the semi-finals and finals in the Klamath County high school basketball tournament.

If the script follows the trend of the last two years, the favorite will end up just another also-ran.

The big prize for the winner of this tournament is a shot at district honors and then, if successful, a fling in the state tournament.

**THE PELICANS** will have the home folks hanging on every shot down Medford way.

Because the series with the Black Tornado can either erase any chance the Pels have for a district title, put them back in the running or leave them with a slim mathematical chance.

A double defeat would put Medford in.

A double win would put the Pels ahead in the edge race.

A split would leave Medford one game ahead with just two to go.

**UP ON THE HILL**, Oregon Tech is hosting Vancouver.

There's little at stake but cage customers will see good basketball.

And the Owls will have a chance to avenge last week's grand slam when the Vikings knocked Oretch out of contention for the Oregon Collegiate Conference title.

But, even without a title at stake, it's a twin bill that will fill the bill for these basketball-minded Friday and Saturday nights.

**SKIPPING QUICKLY** up to Bend, the Pelicans' winningest athletic team, the wrestling squad, will take a long step towards its fifth straight state title.

It's the sub-district meet where the district's wrestlers qualify for the state tournament.

Last year, Klamath Falls came out of the district squabble with nine champions and 22 entries in the state final.

**YOUR WRITER** can be just one place at a time.

But I'll have my agents in all spots.

I'll have to admit my main reason for wanting the Pels to win two, besides the fact that I picked them early in the season to win the district, is a mercenary one.

I sorta like Eugene in March.

## Ho Hum! Wools Win

The Oregon Wools, who win almost monotonously in the girls city basketball league, notched their eleventh win last night, a 36-27 decision over Griggs.

Peytons walloped Petroffs, 42-18, in the other game on the Mills program.

## CAGE SCORES

College Basketball  
By The Associated Press

**PACIFIC WEST**  
Gonzaga 49 Pacific Lutheran 45  
Los Angeles Loyola 72 Santa Barbara 46

**MIDWEST**  
St. Louis 63 Houston 59  
Toledo 61 Bowling Green 57 (over-time)

**SOUTHWEST**  
Dayton 65 Miami (O) 56

**SOUTH**  
Arizona 83 Texas Western 58  
Little Rock JC 111 Arkansas A&M 81

**EAST**  
Villanova 93 Xavier (O) 74  
Penn 51 Penn State 52  
Syracuse 98 Army 65  
Pitt 53 Carnegie Tech 48  
Fordham 46 Wagner 46

**Tennessee** 83 Georgia Tech 81  
Navy 65 Columbia 53  
Ronnock 83 Washington and Lee 72

## Tulelake Wins In Play-off

The Klamath Basin basketball league's traveling trophy and first-seeded spot in the upcoming four-team play-offs go to the Tulelake Inn team, 74-50 winners over Malin last night at Merrill.

The game was a sudden-death settler when the two teams tied percentage-wise after the regular season's run.

Tulelake earns the Number 1 position in the Feb. 28 March 1 playoffs. Malin the second spot. Chiloquin and the Jayhawks, ending in a tie for third and fourth, will flip a coin to determine those spots.

Wilbur Welch led Tule last night with 27 points and Dale Landing chipped in with 17, the same number collected by Malin's Jim Conroy.

Box score:

TULELAKE (44)	(38) MALIN
Crawford 9	3 O'Kearle
Welch 27	3 Woodley
King 17	17 Conroy
Landing 17	6 McKoon
Urbach 4	10 Anderson
Tulelake subs—Kirkpatrick 2, Cross 3, Malin subs—Brightman 6, Kenyon 2, Smalley 2	

**NO SOAP**

Herb Parks, as referee, tried to break up the choke party but Creterian wouldn't buy any.

Parks promptly disqualified the Rumanian and hosted Weaver's arm in victory.

Creterian, between the first two falls of the main event, announced to the crowd that "we (himself and Kurt Von Poppenheim) consider ourselves tag team champions of the West Coast."

He directed a challenge to the winner of the main event.

## Bowling

**MOOSE MAJ**

Louie's Food	48	20	306
Leach Service	36	32	329
Suburban Flower	33	32	315
K-Amusement	23	25	453
Star Beauty	28	40	412
Klamath Flower	24	44	223

**Louie's 4 Klamath Flower 9**  
Leach 4 K-Amusement 9  
Suburban 3 Star 1

Louie's Food, Moose Ma's bowling leaders, made a clean sweep of all honors last week in a 4-0 win over last-place Klamath Flower.

Susie Booth of the Bowling Booths registered the high game, 189, and Doris Benedict the high series, 488, as Louie's snared high team game and series, 862 and 2521.



**STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT** Tom Wells is also one of Klamath Falls' undefeated wrestlers. Wells, 136-pounder, is one of 23 entered in the sub-district mat meet in Bend Saturday by Coach Dutch Simons. Two from each of the 12 weight divisions will qualify for the state tournament.

## SPORTS

## Phils to Work With Tri-City WIL Club

**KENNEWICK, Wash.** — The Western International League Tri-City Braves and the National League Philadelphia Phillies have signed a working agreement for the 1952 baseball season.

Dick Richards, Braves' general manager, said Wednesday the Phils will send three players to Kennewick as part of the pact.

The players include two rookies, Gene Camp, first baseman from Washington State College, and Ray Coley, shortstop from the University of Oregon.

## HOCKEY

**Pacific Coast Hockey**  
By The Associated Press  
New Westminster 11 Seattle 6  
Saskatoon 5 Tacoma 4

## Bratton In Split Win

**CHICAGO** — Johnny Bratton, one-time NBA welterweight champion, opened up just enough to win a split decision in 10 rounds from stolid Vic Cardell Wednesday night and was awarded a March 26 match with Billy Graham.

Bratton, Chicago Negro who fought current Welter Champion Kid Gavilan to a draw here recently, will meet Graham, New York welterweight challenger, in the Chicago Stadium, promoters announced.

## Tenth For Metler Five

Victory league-leading Metlers made it 10 straight last night at the expense of the lowly DeMolay Number 2 team.

The Metlers scored at will with Tex Robinson and Ronnie Cheyne throwing in 24 and 22 points for a 64-28 win.

It was the only game on the Fairview bill.

**METLERS (64)**  
Metler 10 P 4 Montgomery  
Cheyne 22 C 2 Cummings  
Robinson 24 C 2 Kuttredger  
Dow 2 C 1  
Thornson 3 G 1  
Metlers subs — Roberts 1 DeMolay subs — Porter 2, Sweek 2, Vlahos 2 Larson 6, Kenmark 4

## TIME OUT!



## SHUFF STUFF

Bill's Place took the lead in the city shuffleboard league last night with a 4-0 win over the Vets as expected.

But unexpected was the Eagles' 4-0 win over Summers Lane in the only other game scheduled.

## Cougars Swamp Idaho Tankers

**PULLMAN, Wash.** — Washington State College defeated Idaho 66-18 in a Northern Division dual swimming meet here Wednesday.

WSC took first place in every event.

## Let's Go Fishing

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