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Klamath Sought by Southwest Loop

Semi-pros Seek Two Members

The strong Southwest semi-pro baseball league is looking for two members—and are casting interested glances toward Klamath Falls and Eugene.

The league that includes the famous Cheney Studs of Medford, lost two members to cut the family to six. Dropping out were Brookings and Myrtle Point.

Now the circuit is left with North Bend, Reedsport, Bandon, Roseburg, Coquille and Medford.

Bill Askwith, business manager of the Studs, told the Herald and News Saturday the league wants eight teams and that they were "particularly interested in Klamath Falls and Eugene."

It was felt that these two towns would be receptive with the collapse of the Far West league in which they held membership.

Baseball men here interested in becoming a member of the Oregon semi-pro league are asked to contact Askwith. Call Central Point 253.

Then get in touch with Herald and News Sports Editor Red Hurd.

Wildcats End Atop AP Heap

NEW YORK, (AP)—The Kentucky Wildcats added another honor to their bulging collection Tuesday.

Coach Adolph Rupp's beauties from the Blue Grass country were named the top college basketball team in he nation for the third time in four years in the final Associated Press poll.

The Wildcats latest laurel came hard on the heels of their ninth straight Southeastern Conference championship and a 44-43 victory over Louisiana State in the conference tournament that boosted their winning streak to 22 games. Kentucky is after one more trophy, the NCAA championship.

The Wildcats previously finished at the head of the class in the AP poll in 1949 and 1951. Bradley interrupted the streak by winning in 1950.

The 121 sports writers and sportscasters who participated in the final poll awarded Kentucky 39 first-place votes and 1,033 points.

Illinois, one of the few teams to battle Kentucky for top honors, came in second with 750 points. Kansas State followed with 672.

Duquesne finished fourth behind Kansas State and in turn was followed by St. Louis, Washington, Iowa, Kansas, West Virginia and St. John's.

Wyoming, No. 16; Seattle University, No. 18, and UCLA, No. 19, represented the west on the second ten.

Others in the latter group were Dayton, 11; Duke, 12; Holy Cross, 13; Seton Hall, 14; St. Bonaventure, 15; Louisville, 17 and Southwest Texas, 20.

Illini In NCAA Meet

By The Associated Press

The Western Conference race was settled and along with it another place in the NCAA Tournament was filled Monday night when Illinois polished off Northwestern 95-74. The game was the highlight of major college basketball action around the nation.

The victory over Northwestern gave Illinois the Western Conference title for the second straight year.

Iowa, the only other team that could have overtaken the Illini, dropped a 78-75 decision to Wisconsin.

Illinois, the nation's No. 2 team in this week's final Associated Press poll, now has a league record of 13-1, while Iowa, which closed out the season's loop business, finished with 11-3.

Dunlap Whips Cesar Brion

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Bob Dunlap, an obscure Negro, may have projected himself into the national heavyweight fight picture with a surprising and convincing victory over Cesar Brion Monday night.

Dunlap, 182½, from Oakland, Calif., who never seems to stop throwing leather, twice felled 198 pound Brion, who twice stayed 10 rounds with Joe Louis.

Dunap, a 3-1 underdog, was punching strongly at the end of the 10 rounder and was given an unanimous decision. He dropped Brion in the second and ninth rounds.

Ten Years Ago — Outfielder Ted Williams of the Boston Red Sox said that he planned on playing one more season of baseball before joining the Armed Forces.

Twenty Years Ago — Johnny Indrisand outpointed Welterweight Champion Jackie Fields in a 10-round non-title bout at Boston.

Drew Slalom, Combo Victor

Two University of Oregon ski stars — Jim Redden and Dave Thomas—didn't have a monopoly Sunday on the Warner Canyon ski hill where the Fremont Highlanders sponsored a ski meet.

Redden won the downhill race but Cecil Drew of Klamath Falls won both the slalom and combined events, in addition to finishing second in the downhill chase.

Dick Hilton, Klamath Falls, was third in the downhill.

Thomas and Redden finished behind Drew in the slalom.

Redden was second in the combined race, Gordon Cunningham of Klamath Falls third.

Hilltop Upsets Payless

Hilltop Cafe upset first-seeded Payless Drugs last night in the City League basketball playoffs to earn a crack at Rickys Wednesday night for the playoff title.

Paul Heins, Jack Waybrant and Leo Friend waxed hot in a third-quarter 30-point binge as the third-seeded Cafemen finished with a 90-70 victory over Payless. Heins dumped 26 points before he fouled out midway in the fourth quarter.

Rickys beat the Herald and News, 85-65, in the other game.

Payless and the Herald and News mix Wednesday for the consolation title.

Hilltop grabbed a first-quarter 15-14 lead, stretched it to 41-35 at the half, then poured it on in the third for a 71-49 lead.

The Herald and News made a game of it for a half and trailed just 31-37 at intermission time. But Rickys found the range in the third quarter to add up a 63-41 lead.

Jay Griggs, Herald-News center, pumped in 29 points and Gene Favell added 18. But Rickys had nine players find the score column led by Cal Bonney with 19, Bob Harvey with 16 and Don Peterson with 15.

Rickys and Hilltop Cafe, in addition to earning the title scrap Wednesday, qualified for the playoffs against Chiloquin and Tulelake, the Klamath Basin League's two top teams in a Friday-Saturday playoff at Merrill.

Box scores:

HILLTOP (90)			(70) PAYLESS
Waybrant 17	F		13 Young
Friend 8	F		5 Palmer
Harris 14	C		16 Erlandson
Carrier 9	G		15 Pope
Heins 26	G		2 Troutt

Hilltop subs—Martinez 10, Roberts 4, Milligan 2. Payless subs—Biggers 6, Derrah 11.

H-N (65)			(85) RICKYS
Favell 18	F		19 Bonney
Hartley 2	F		15 Peterson
Griggs 29	C		16 Harvey
Downs 4	G		6 McCall
Krantz 10	G		7 Foster

Herald and News subs — Mays 2. Rickys subs—Kemnitzer 3, Hendershott 6, Wills 5, Vaillancour 8.

OCE Sliced From Tourney

PORTLAND (AP) Portland University and Willamette survived the first round of the NAIB District Monday night and will meet Tuesday for the championship.

Jim Winters scored 27 points to lead Portland to a 82-65 victory over Lewis & Clark. Willamette defeated Oregon College of Education 75-56.

The winners clash Tuesday night to determine Oregon's entry in the National Association of Intercollegiate Basketball Tournament at Kansas City next week.

Tule Edges McCloud Five

Tulelake edged McCloud, 59-53, last night on the winners' court in a Siskiyou County league game moved up from a Friday postponement.

Jerry King led the Honkers with 20 points. McCloud won the B game, 70-32.

TIME OUT!

Next time you're winning, don't get smart and tell me I don't know how to use a paddle!"

TWIRLER ON TOES — Sara Page Jackson, Elizabeth City, N.C., demonstrates on the beach at Nags Head, N.C., why she has been chosen regularly to lead the band during halftime at football games. Wake Forest's pretty majorette will establish a summer school for twirlers after college lets out.

Herald and News SPORTS RED HURD, SPORTS EDITOR

Rams Still Poll-High; Pels Sixth in Ballot

By The Associated Press

Its still a Portland race as Oregon high school basketball teams head into the home stretch before the annual state tournament in Eugene, March 18-22.

Three strong Portland teams still dominate the weekly Associated Press high school basketball poll of the state's sportswriters and broadcasters.

Central Catholic again leads the poll, winning 10 first-place votes and 118 points in the balloting. This is the seventh time Central has led the list as the No. 1 prep team in Oregon. The Rams have lost only one of 22 games this season.

Lincoln and Cleveland, tied for first place in the Portland Public School League, wound up in a deadlock this week for second second place in the poll. Each team received 98 points in the voting, although Lincoln got two first-place votes and Cleveland none.

Marshfield again was named as the top upstate team and finished fourth in the poll. Marshfield didn't play last week, but enters a district playoff this week—as do most other teams in the state.

CHANGE

The only major change in the top 10 this week sent Medford plunging from No. 6 to No. 10. Grants Pass upset Medford twice last weekend, and eliminated Medford from state tournament contention.

McMinnville finished as No. 5 in this week's poll. Klamath Falls, the team now expected to claim the Southern Oregon berth in the state tournament, climbed into the No. 6 position.

Salem finished in seventh place this week, followed by La Grande, Oregon City and Medford in that order.

NO CHANCE

Of these, Medford is the only one with no chance to get into the state tournament. Two of the teams, Cleveland and Lincoln, already have won tourney berths. The others will enter district playoffs this week.

Three Eastern Oregon teams—Baker, Pendleton and Milton-Freewater, topped this week's list of also rans.

The top ten, with season records listed for each team:

	Points
1. Central Catholic, 21-1	118
2. Lincoln, 19-2	98
2. Cleveland, 19-2	98
4. Marshfield, 18-4	74
5. McMinnville, 19-4	68
6. Klamath Falls, 17-4	62
7. Salem, 16-6	41
8. La Grande, 12-8	36
9. Oregon City, 14-6	23
10. Medford, 15-7	21

Others: Baker 7, Pendleton 5, Milton-Freewater 5, Milwaukie 3, Mapleton 2, Hillsboro 1.

Packers, DeMolay In Wins

Klamath Pack and DeMolay Number 1, two and three teams behind league-leading Metlers, won handily in the Victory league last night.

The Packers beat Trades and Industry, 53-43; DeMolay waxed Men's Hand Laundry, 59-32.

Orland Dixon led the Packer attack with 17 points.

George Vlahos, Bill Pickett and Clayton Hannon pumped in 14, 13 and 12 for the DeMolays.

Box scores:

LAUNDRY (32)			(39) DEMOLAY
Lund 3	F		13 Pickett
Godard 2	F		4 Smith
Hawkins 8	C		7 Schoenburg
Thompson 13	G		14 Vlahos
Gonzales 4	G		12 Hannon

Laundry subs—Anderson, Woodard 2. DeMolay subs—Hilton 7, Montgomery 2.

T & I (43)			(33) PACKERS
Moak	F		11 Bliss
Cahoon 4	F		5 Crawford
Sanders 14	C		4 Barrett
Hoefler 8	G		17 Dixon
Cobb 10	G		9 Overen

T & I subs—Houser 7. Packers subs—Wright 7.

Fremont, Roosevelt In Cage Finals

Fremont and Roosevelt tangle tomorrow, 4:30 p. m., on a neutral court yet to be named for the grade school Class B basketball title.

Fremont beat Pelican, 41-16, and Roosevelt trimmed Mills' Number 2 team, 36-23, yesterday in semi-finals.

SHUFF STUFF

Schuss shut out Eagles, 4-0, in the shuffleboard league last night and Tat's beat Wocus, Bill's Place beat Roundup, by 3-1 counts.

Sunday Roundup forfeited four points to Wocus when the Roundup team failed to show.

Bonanza, Rogues In Playoffs

Bonanza makes its second bid in as many years for a berth in the Class B state basketball tournament when it opens a Dist. 5 playoff series tomorrow night at Henley against a highly-rated Rogue River team. Tip-off time is 8 o'clock.

Last year the Klamath County champs fell short of a state berth in two straight losses to Phoenix. The Pirates went on to win the state title.

The Rogues aren't strangers either in this business of scrapping for the state tournament.

Two years ago the Chieftains waxed Sacred Heart in the district playoffs and went on to win the Big Show.

It's been 14 years since a Klamath County team has entered the state tournament.

RUNNER-UP

Chiloquin was runner-up in 1937 and 1938, losing to Bellfountain and Amity.

The Antlers are ready for an all-out effort—but it's a big task.

The Chiefs carry a 19-2 record against Bonanza. They're unbeaten against Jackson County Class B foes and hold a split with Crater, the team that quarrels over the weekend with the Pelicans for a berth in the Class A tournament.

The Rogues are paced by Jim Boulter, high scorer in the Jackson County circuit, and recently named by the Oregon Sports magazine on the State Class B all-star team.

ALL-STARS

All-stars in Jackson County, along with Boulter, are Jim Wehren and Ralph Milton.

The Antlers placed three on the Klamath County all-star team—Don Hubble, Irwin Crume and Maurice Chandler.

The first two games of the best-of-three playoff show at Henley. A third game, if necessary, will go to Grants' Pass gym Saturday night.

Rogue River Coach M. C. Busack will probably open with Boulter, Wehren, Milton, Byron Kile and either Don Lehrmann or Jim Rhoten.

Bonanza Coach Merton Whipple will have Crume, Hubble, Chandler, Vernon Haley and Marlin Wilson on the starting line.

CAGE SCORES

College Basketball
By The Associated Press

FAR WEST

Colorado 59 Wyoming 44
Willamette 75 Oregon Education 56
Montana State 88 Rocky Mountain State 63
Portland 82 Lewis and Clark 65
Olympic J.C. 52 North Idaho College 42
Grays Harbor J.C. 86 Vanport 72

EAST

Duquesne 94 Baldwin-Wallace 51
LaSalle 92 Muhlenberg 77
St. Joseph's (Pa.) 59 Temple 56

MIDWEST

Illinois 95 Northwestern 74
Wisconsin 78 Iowa 75
Indiana 70 Michigan State 67
Michigan 68 Purdue 60
Missouri 68 Nebraska 53
Oklahoma A&M 39 Tulsa 33
Texas Tech 89 West Texas State 85
New Mexico 40 New Mexico A&M 38
Arkansas State Tchrs 62 Arkansas State 50

SOUTH

Western Kentucky 82 Bowling Green 75
Johns Hopkins 74 Washington College 62

HIGH SCHOOL
By The Associated Press
District 7-B Tournament

Spray 48, John Day 38

District 11 Tournament

Silverton 47, Cascade 33 (eliminated)
North Marion 65, Sacred Heart (Salem) 54 (eliminated)

Griggs Wins In Windup

Griggs beat the Dick B. Miller Rockets, 27-14, last night at Mills in the windup of the girls city basketball league.

Oregon Wools was unbeaten during the campaign, posting 12 straight victories.

Griggs finished with an 8-4 record, Peytons with 7-5 for third. Petroffs and Rockets were tied for last place.

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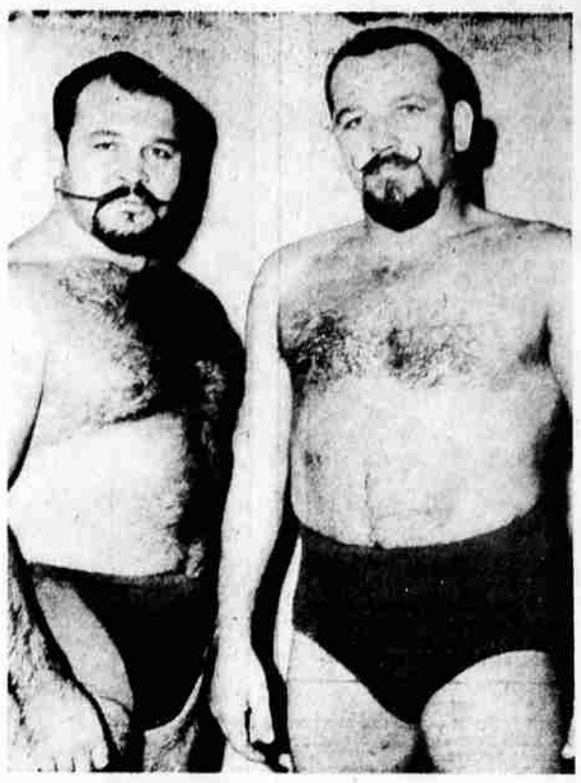

YORG CRETORIAN (left) and Kurt Von Poppenheim have a job to do tomorrow night. The Rumanian and Prussian mix with the Russian brothers, Soldat and Ivan Gorky, in a rematch of last week's tag team brawl that ended in a draw.

Tag Foes Vow Quick Finish

Promoter Mack Lillard presents a tag team brawl with an international flavor for the second straight week tomorrow night at the armory.

It puts the Garrulous Gorkys—Soldat and Ivan—against Yorg Cretorian and Kurt Von Poppenheim.

The Gorkys claim the Pacific Coast tag title—and have a trophy in the Oregon Woolen store window to prove it.

Last week Cretorian and Von Poppenheim drew with the Gorkys in a hectic match that ended with Yorg and Soldat out cold.

It was a weird ending that demanded a re-showing.

Both teams are ready for the supreme effort and have promised to end the quarrel in quick order.

Reserved ticket sales indicate an SRO crowd.

Georges Dusette, probably the most popular performer to ever walk down the armory pike, opens the show in a one-hour scrap against Buck Weaver of Indiana football fame.

The feature tag row has no time limit attached.

Castleberry Drugs have reserved tickets left, but the pasteboards are going fast.

The armory ticket-office opens at 7:30 tomorrow night.

Seattle Picked For NIT

NEW YORK (AP)—Johnny O'Brien, Seattle University's scoring machine, will be like a midget at the tall men's convention in the National Invitational Basketball Tournament, but the 5-9 star is used to playing the big boys.

Selection of Seattle for the NIT Monday filed the tournament's 12 team feild and also assured the dimunitive pivot man another chance to show that the bigger basketball player is not always the better. He'll have plenty of chances to demonstrate this thesis, since every other team in the tourney has a man 6-5 or higher.

O'Brien, the first player in college history to score more than 1,000 points in a season, will run into the tall timber right away when Seattle plays its first tourney game against Holy Cross March 10. The powerful crusaders have Jim Kielley, 6-7, and Jim Dilling, 6-4, to try and shut the gates on O'Brien, whose season total is 1,030 points.

By The Associated Press

Today A Year Ago — Mal Whitfield, United States, won the 400 meter run in 0:47.8 at the Pan American games in Buenos Aires.

Five Years Ago — Jersey Joe Walcott outpointed Elmer (Violent) Ray in a 10-round heavyweight bout at Miami.

Grays Harbor Beats Vanport

BREMERTON, Wash. (AP)—Olympic of Bremerton and Grays Harbor, opening round winners in the Pacific Northwest Junior College Basketball Tournament, meet here Tuesday for the championship and a berth in the national tourney at Hutchinson, Kas.

Olympic, defending regional champion, reached the championship round Monday night with an easy 52-42 victory over North Idaho College of Coeur d'Alene.

Grays Harbor, led by Tony Vlastelica who scored 34 points, defeated Vanport 86-72.

Vanport and North Idaho will square off Tuesday in a consolation round.

Bowling

CLASSIC LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
Oregon Woolen	37	26	.587
Suburban Kitchen	36	27	.571
Landry Insurance	33	30	.524
Parkmor Drive In	31	32	.492
KFLW	30	33	.476
Dick Reeder's	23	40	.365

Last Week's Results

Landry 2 Reeder's 1
KFLW 2 Parkmor 1
Suburban 2 Oregon Wool 1

Oregon Woolen lost some ground and a star bowler as the Woolies cling to a squeaky one-game lead over Suburban Kitchen in the Classic League.

Buck Ferguson, who rolled the high series of 588, and holds a 179 season average, is leaving for Net arts, Ore., where he will go into business.

Ferguson's 588 topped Bill Owens of Landry Insurance by one pin, but Owens notched the high single game, a 226, four up on KFLW's Floyd Wynne.

Team honors saw a three-way deadlock in high game and a two-way tie in high series.

Landry Insurance, Dick Reeder's and Oregon Woolen all posted 724 games. Suburban Kitchen, the team that shaved the Wools' lead, and Landry both had 2079 series.

Parkmor's Charlie Booth holds to the high season's average, a 188. Mel Robinson, Wools, and substitute Al Hakenwerth have 184 and 183.

MOOSE PA'S

	W	L	Pct
K-Amusement	62	14	.816
West-Hitchcock	50	26	.658
So. Ore. Well Drill	39	37	.513
Wards	34	38	.472
Stone's Signal Serv	22	54	.289
Leach Service	17	55	.236

Friday's Results

Stone's 4 Leach 0
K-Amusement 3 West-Hitchcock 1
Wards 3 So. Ore. Well 1

K-Amusement strengthened its lead in the Moose Pa's bowling league Friday with a 3-1 win over second-place West-Hitchcock.

West-Hitchcock's Wilbur Courtney rolled the high series, a 592, while George Thomas of K-Amusement notched the high game, a 232.

Team honors went to Stone's Signal Service with a 973 game and 2730 series.

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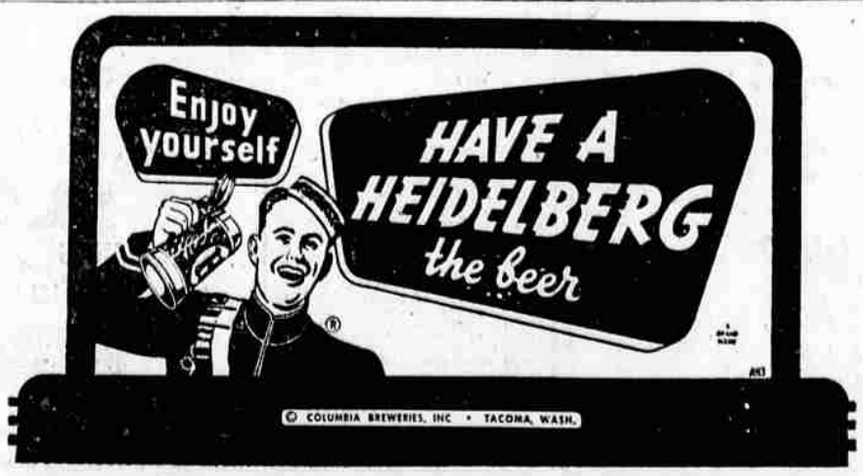

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