

# Pels Point for Big One This Week With Medford

By RED HURD  
Medford has one foot aboard the state football special but the Pelicans of Klamath Falls will try to put a banana peel on the other foot Friday night in Southern Oregon's traditional Big Game.

The Black Tornado currently has a down payment on the 6-A1 title with a 20-13 victory over Grants Pass, the third of the Big Three.

It's the first conference outing for the Pels who go into the game with a 4-1 king-X record.

To make sure...

state football playoffs, the Pelicans will have to post victories over both Medford and Grants Pass.

**ME: N NOTHING**

On the season's record, Klamath Falls would ordinarily be favored over Medford on the Tornado tour. But in this game, past records mean little more than a politician's promise.

This is the Big One, the game both teams point for.

The Pels have cooked up several new plays for the Medford game, didn't show any razzie-dazzle

to Medford and Grants Pass would have seen them beat Ashland, 19-7, with a handful of routine plays.

Medford is a team serious about winning the ones that count. Actually its season record (2-2-1) isn't outstanding but the Tornado saved its big blow for the Grants Pass game.

**SQUEAK BY**

Otherwise, Medford barely got by Ashland, 13-12, in the season's opener, were waxed on successive weeks by Vancouver, Wash., (13-34) and Marshfield (7-41) and tied Springfield 13-13.

But with a district title hanging in the balance, Medford is a cinch to be high for the Pelican game.

The Pels have just one loss to mar an otherwise spotless record, a 28-0 drubbing by Redding. They have whipped Grant of Portland (7-0), Roseburg (38-6), Eugene (20-6) and Ashland.

Klamath Falls should be some-



UNFORTUNATELY, MARGIE DAVIS did not go with the car. The pretty Homecoming Queen candidate from Oregon Tech's radio class is just helping show off this new Hudson Hornet, offered by Juckeland Sales and Service as a pace car Sunday when the American Racing Association presents its stock car race classic.

## Mayors Bet On Contest

It will be a sack of spuds against a sack of prairie chickens in the Klamath Falls Pelicans square off with the Medford Black Tornado Friday night in Medford.

Klamath Falls Mayor Bob Thompson has put up a sack of Netted Gems; Medford Mayor Diamond L. Flynn is throwing in a box of Riviera Beans.

In the event of a tie, both will go hungry.

what healthier than its across-the-mountain rival for this blue-chips battle.

Ron Spinas, probably Medford's best back, was given the boot two weeks ago for infraction of training rules. There's no indication he'll be reinstated for this game.

Jim Morrison, last year's outstanding tackle, suffered a knee injury last week. The Marshfield knock-out probably out for the rest of the season.

**DOUBTFUL**

Fullback Jim Holloway and Bob Walker, who alternates between halfback and quarterback, are also doubtful starters.

Norm Hanscom, who is on the business end of what little passing Medford does, is quarterbacking the team. Elton Stone is the team's scout, while Dave Newland and Jerry Peckham have been alternating at the other halfback spot.

Jack Moad, a senior out for football for the first time, is the starting fullback and will trade off with Holloway if the latter is ready.

Ends Dick Wooten and Joe Anthony, tackles Bob Judd and Bob Rasmussen, guards Don Jacobs and Bob Steel and center Norm Chapman make up the forward wall.

**ONLY CASUALTY**

As it looks now, Bill Salt is the only Pelican casualty. He broke his right thumb in the Redding game and has been on the sidelines ever since.

Larry Yarnell has been kept at the quarterback spot. Ken Young, out of kilter for the Ashland game and used only sparingly, should be ready to gallop full speed ahead Friday night.

Cal Gilmore, who dominated Klamath's offensive game against Ashland, is at the other halfback post. Steady Jim Dougherty, who runs, passes and kicks for the Pels in addition to crisp blocking and line-backing, is at fullback.

The line should remain the same. Jack Horton and George Hanson hold down the end positions, Doug Campbell and Vernon Pryor III the tackle spots, Matt Del Fatti and Dick Lundsten are the guards, while George Maskell is at center.

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## Spartans Move To Top Spot

NEW YORK (AP)—The combination of Michigan State's one-sided victory over Texas A & M and Ohio State's upset triumph over Wisconsin sent the power-packed Spartans back to the top of the heap in the third weekly Associated Press football poll.

The four last-period touchdowns which turned State's game into a 48-6 rout apparently were enough to convince the nation's sports-writers and broadcasters that the Spartans, who were first in the pre-season poll and led the first weekly ballot, should be ranked No. 1.

Thirty-nine of the 123 writers who participated in the poll picked Coach Biggie Munn's team for first place.

Wisconsin, which had jumped from eighth to first on the strength of its Oct. 4 win over Illinois, fell to 12th as the result of a 14-23 loss to Ohio State.

Maryland's powerful Terrapins moved up from fourth to second place.

Georgia Tech and Duke, the powers of the Southland who meet in a big one Nov. 1, both moved up a notch, with Tech now fourth and the Blue Devils fifth.

The leaders (points based on 10 for first, nine for second, and so on) with first-place votes in parentheses:

1. Michigan State (39) 1,026
2. Maryland (31) 961
3. California (21) 889
4. Georgia Tech (4) 704
5. Duke (9) 620
6. Oklahoma (5) 545
7. Southern Calif. (1) 367
8. Kansas (11) 319
9. Purdue (9) 294
10. UCLA 203

## Stock Car Entries Reach 10

With the big influx of entries expected by the weekend the list of leading American Racing Association drivers signed up for next Sunday afternoon's 160-lap Klamath Gold Cup New Model Stock Car Race here stood at ten today, with eight different makes of automobiles entered.

The latest entry received today was from Chet Richards, 1931 Rocky Mountain Champion and Pike's Peak Racer, from Denver, Colo. He will be at the wheel of a 1952 Buick. Richards is not new to Klamath race fans. He made many friends in racing circles by his outstanding driving last month at Portland (Astoria) Cat Lilly of Hayward, Calif., has entered his Ford, his entry making the eighth different make of car entered.

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## Bowl Games Under Fire

CHICAGO (AP)—The policy directing NCAA Council awaited a report Tuesday on whether football games spur pressures that lead to flagrant recruiting practices.

The report was prepared by a special extra events committee. Whether it will be made public immediately has not been determined but it probably will not.

Walter Byers, NCAA executive director, said chances are no official announcement of the report's content will be made until January at the organization's convention in Washington, D. C.

The NCAA's executive committee and the council are in the midst of a four-day meeting during which various programs are being shaped for convention action.

On tap are two controversial items, constitutional complaints against at least three member schools accused of rules violations, and future television policies.

Monday's opening sessions were devoted mainly to budget problems.

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THEY'LL DO IT AGAIN tomorrow night. Tough Tony Ross, shown here trying to get out of a hammerlock applied by Tor Yamato in last week's match, challenged the Japanese sleeper expert to a rematch. They'll scrap again tomorrow night in the feature bout of an all-star card at the Armory.

## FULL HOUSE SEEN FOR MAT REMATCH

A match that ended in a bloody apron before the amazed stare of standing ringsiders and cops.

Yamato says tomorrow night's repeat will be even quicker—and bloodier if Ross asks for it.

The first match was a real donkey brook missed by too many fans.

Jack Terry, who with his hatchet chops and sadistic leer is working toward main event status, draws down the opening-bout assignment again.

Last week Terry man-handled Danny O'Rourke, a pretty-boy insouciant with not enough moxie to cope with O'Rourke's unorthodox tactics.

Tomorrow Terry, an ex-Army Judo instructor, draws a tougher chore. He'll meet Art Capitan, a curly-haired Greek who gave George Dusette more than a little trouble before falling into the Canadian Strongman's full nelson. Dusette's kappot weapon.

Dusette is back, too. The popular ringman will face a rough customer from San Diego, Calif., Joe Gould.

Wrestling fans won't want to miss the second showing of the Ross-Yamato feud, moving Promoter Mack Lillard to arrange for a capacity crowd.

Reserved tickets are on sale, as usual, at Castleberry Drugs.

## Conger-Riverside Unbeaten

Conger-Riverside is the only unbeaten team in the grade school league after its second win Saturday, a 13-6 victory over Fremont-Rosevelt.

Fairview-Pelican edged Mills, 13-12, in the other Saturday game.

Larry Freeman put Conger-Riverside ahead in the first quarter on a pitchout from the 10 after Fremont-Rosevelt fumbled. Freeman also ran the extra point.

Don Van Buskirk scored from the two-yard line to close the count to 6-7 at the half. Van Buskirk's score culminated a 50-yard drive.

Conger-Riverside iced the game in the third quarter on a touchdown end run by Jan Cox.

Mills took the lead in the first quarter when Richard Eagan sparked a march and Harold Day scored from the three-yard line.

Fairview-Pelican took the next kickoff and drove to Mills' 10. Chester Marshall going over from there.

Jim Keene passed to Bob Anderson for the extra point.

Keene rifled a touchdown pass to Jack Foreman in the third quarter.

Keith Larson set up Mills' fourth-quarter touchdown with Eagan going over from three yards out. The try for extra point that would have tied the game failed.

The Junior High Middle girls Mills Wednesday, 4:30 p.m., on Modoc Field in a non-league game.

## Golden Win Canada Trials

CALGARY, Alta. (AP)—Oakcreek's Van Cleve, a golden retriever, won the Canadian field dog trials here Sunday.

Van Cleve, owned and handled by Alfred H. Schmidt of Portland, Ore., was the first golden retriever to win the Canadian championship.

**HOCKEY**

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# Owlies Travel to Ogden For Clash With Wildcats

By CHARLES KREHER  
Standard-Examiner Sportswriter  
OGDEN, Utah (Special)—The Weber College Wildcats, who own one victory over the Oregon Tech Owls but lost a not-even-close decision to them last year, will be going all out to win the rubber game of the series next Thursday at Ogden City Stadium.

The Wildcats, under the direction of Coaches Milt Mechem, Clair Anderson and Dick Williams, started out this season with an easy win over the Carbon College Eagles of Price, Utah, 26-19, then licked the Branch Agricultural College Broncos of Cedar City, Utah by a 12 to 7 score.

Last week another crew of Broncos, this time from Boise, Idaho, junior college, knocked the Weber team 20 to 14. In defeat however, the Wildcats didn't look nearly as bad as the score would indicate. They held the highly-touted Boise collegians down during the

first half remarkably well.

In the Boise game also was uncovered a corking good pass combination from Quarterback Jack Andrews, recently returned Korean war veteran, to Gary Loomis, a fleet-footed, blue-lined lad from Morgan, Utah, high school coach who bids evil for the enemy if it continues to click as it did last week.

Another boost to Weber's win stock Thursday is the possible return of Dick White, former all-conference high school backfield man from Brigham City, Utah, who was a big wheel in Weber's pre-season plans. White was injured in the Cats season opener against Price, however, and hasn't seen action since.

Ready and willing, though will be Don Shaw, 160-pound speedster who has piled up a respectable scoring record for the Weberites this season. When he runs, he's a dangerous offensive threat. An-

other lad who'll bear watching by the Owls is Jim Swenson.

Defensively Ron Lowder, ex-Ogden high star and Max Cloggia, who tolled for Weber high in Ogden are bulwarks and along with George Taylor and Waymont Cash are plenty tough.

Probable starting lineup offensively for the Wildcats against the Owls Thursday night will have Pete Miller at center, Dick Brown and Max Cologna at guard; Gary Crompton and Dauriel Barnes, ends; Jack Andrews, quarterback; Gary Loomis and Don Shaw at Dick White, halfbacks and Tony Toscan at full.

The Weber defensive platoon, shows Guy Peterson at center, Glen Bridges and Tom Potter, guards; Jack Howe and Ray Lewis, tackles; George Taylor and Vaughn Larsen, ends; Jim Swenson, quarterback; Ron Lowder and Ray Uno at halfback posts and Waymont Cash at fullback.

The Wildcats are operating from a split "T" formation this year for the first time.

# SPORTS

## Pirates Stay on Top; Pels Drop One Notch

By The Associated Press  
Marshfield came out on top again this week, as expected, in the Associated Press high school football poll. It was unanimous for first time, with the Pirates getting all 12 first place votes from sports-writers and sportscasters.

Marshfield continued its high-scoring wins Friday night by walloping Roseburg, 43-6.

Ranked No. 2 this week was Central Catholic of Portland, replacing Klamath Falls which wound up as No. 3. Central showed power by trimming Tillamook, 35-0, and Klamath Falls bumped Ashland, 10-7.

**MOVE UP**

Grant of Hillsboro kept its No. 4 spot this week. Hillsboro moved up two notches into No. 5 after winning over Newberg, 27-13. Franklin of Portland also improved its standing, moving up from No. 8 to No. 6.

Close behind in seventh place was Prineville, in the only Class Two team represented in the top ten. Prineville, Franklin and Hillsboro were closely bunched.

**NUMBER 1**

Baker emerged as the No. 8 team this week, after a close win over Pendleton, 15-13. Baker was No. 10 last week.

Eugene again was the No. 9 team and Jefferson of Portland moved into the No. 10 spot.

Bend, after being tied last week by Albany, 6-6, slipped from the top ten.

In the balloting 10 points were awarded for a first-place vote, nine

points for second place, etc.

The balloting, with season record listed for each team:

| Team   | Points | Record |
|--|--------|--------|
| 1. Marshfield, 5-0   | 124    | 12-0   |
| 2. Central Catholic, 4-1   | 84     | 11-0   |
| 3. Klamath Falls, 4-1  | 84     | 11-0   |
| 4. Grant, 4-1  | 65     | 11-0   |
| 5. Hillsboro, 5-0  | 49     | 11-0   |
| 6. Franklin, 4-1   | 47     | 11-0   |
| 7. Prineville, 4-0   | 45     | 11-0   |
| 8. Baker, 5-0  | 32     | 11-0   |
| 9. Eugene, 4-1   | 31     | 11-0   |
| 10. Jefferson, 4-0-1   | 20     | 11-0   |
| Others: Bend 17, Albany 10, Springfield 8, The Dalles 7, Grants Pass 6, Milwaukie 4, Willows 3, Graham, Clatskanie, North Bend, and University High of Eugene, 1 each. |        |        |

## Stengel Inks New Contract

NEW YORK (AP)—Casey Stengel, probably the highest-paid manager in baseball history and certainly one of the most successful, Tuesday was looking forward to a fifth straight World Series rather than to retirement.

Stengel, 62 years old, signed his third two-year contract as manager of the world champion Yankees Monday at a figure that likely will net him \$100,000 for the coming season.

The terms of the contract weren't announced, according to baseball custom, but Casey, after dropping a few broad hints, finally indicated that he "couldn't miss" the \$100,000 suggested by reporters if the Yankee owners hand out bonuses as generously as they have in the past.

Then in his usual circumlocutory style, Stengel proceeded to discuss everything from his salary to reports that he had intended to retire, rumored friction between himself and General Manager George Weiss over player trades and his plans for the winter and next season.

Out of the welter of words came these facts:

Stengel has received more than \$65,000 a year in salary and extras for the past two seasons and his new contract calls for another raise.

He had given some thought to retirement, but only if the Yankees had failed to come through this season.

## Knigh Leaves Oregon State

CORVALLIS, Ore. (AP)—Five freshmen football players have left Oregon State because "things just didn't work out so they could go to college," Coach Hal Moe said Monday.

Moe said they were Ron Knight and Ron Swisher, both of Grants Pass, Ore.; Louis Anderson of Kallispell, Mont.; and Dick McMillen and Bob Tedcum, both of Green Bay, Wis.

Knigh was halfback on the Oregon High School Championship team last year. Anderson was all-state high school quarterback at Kallispell.

**SPORTS in BRIEF**

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK — Casey Stengel, four-time world champion manager of the New York Yankees, signed a two-year contract for a reported \$75,000 per year.

NEW YORK — The Yankees handed Charley Keller, 36-year-old former star outfielder, his unconditional release.

**RACING**

NEW YORK — Quiz Song (\$42.30) won the six-furlong colic handicap in 1:11 1/5 at Jamaica.

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