

Cage Jamboree at Merrill Highlights County Action

Three of the seven Klamath County League cage teams, plus an ex-league playmate, see action tonight and tomorrow night in a cage jamboree at Merrill, highlight of the weekend's "X" action in the Class B circuit.

The other four members of the league have games scheduled the same nights.

They are pushed into A-2 classification this year because of an increase in school population, is the only non-league team in the four-day scramble that opens both nights at 7 o'clock on the Merrill floor.

First-night pairings put Henley against Bonanza and Merrill against Malin.

Winners and losers of tonight's contests clash on Saturday's bill. In single games, Sacred Heart visits Bly and Gilchrist goes to Sisters tonight. All are members of the Klamath County League except Sisters.

The seventh league team, Chiloquin, hosts Butte Valley High on Saturday night.

Junior varsity preliminaries are booked for 7 o'clock.

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JEFF CRAVATH

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Cravath Mourned

EL CENTRO, Calif. (AP)—Messages of condolence by the hundreds reached this little Imperial Valley town Friday as funeral arrangements were awaited for Newell (Jeff) Cravath, former football coach at the University of Southern California.

They came from officials of USC, the school where he starred as a player and whose teams he guided as a coach for nine years; from his coaching rival at Notre Dame, Frank Leahy; from Michigan's Fritz Crisler, who handed Jeff the Trojans' worst defeat in the Rose Bowl; and from many others famed in college sports.

Cravath, who spent most of his life against a background of excitement and the roar of big time football crowds, met death at a lonely highway intersection in this flat desert country.

Critically injured in a traffic crash two days ago, he died in a hospital at the border town of Calexico Thursday.

FOUR TITLES

The body rested Friday at LeCombs-Wiley mortuary.

Cravath coached the Trojans to four conference championships and into the Rose Bowl four times. In the latter games, he won from Washington and Tennessee and lost to Alabama and Crisler's Michigan team.

Cravath's record at USC was 54 victories, 28 defeats and eight ties. His overall college coaching record, including terms at Denver University and San Francisco University, was 76-43-9.

in BRIEF

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FOOTBALL

NEW YORK — Steven Owen, coach of the New York NFL Giants for 23 years, announced his retirement effective after Sunday's final game of the season with Detroit.

CALEXICO, Calif. — Jeff Cravath, nationally known coach who guided Southern California into four Rose Bowl games, died from injuries received in a traffic accident.

GOLF

MIAMI, Fla. — Art Wall Jr., 30-year-old former Duke University star, displayed brilliant putting on the back nine to take the first round lead in the Miami Open with a 5-under-par 65.

TENNIS

BARRANQUILLA, Colombia — Gardner Mulloy defeated Grant Golden 6-0, 7-5, 6-4, and Budgie Patty beat Mario Llamas 8-6, 6-3, 6-4, as the Americans gained the semifinals of the Barranquilla International Tournament.

RACING

SAN MATEO, Calif. — Jockey Willie Shoemaker, who will take the next two weeks off, booted home three winners at Bay Meadows to run his world record winning total for the season to 473.

PORTLAND, Maine — Billy O'Boyle, 145 1/2, Old Orchard Beach, outpointed Terry Ryan, 146 1/4, Portland, 10.

CAGE SCORES

COLLEGE BASKETBALL
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
(Thursday's Results)

PAC WEST

Oregon 92, Portland 71
Western (Colo) State 84, New Mexico Highlands 83
Whitman 58, Central Wash 54
San Diego-Marines 63, Arizona State (Flagstaff) 62
Ricks 67, Rocky Mountain 61
Pasadena 68, New Mexico Western 67
Los Angeles State 83, Arizona State (Tempe) 70

EAST

Siena 78, Louisville 71
Temple 69, Lehigh 48
Wash-Jeff 83, Bethany (W.Va) 48
Vermont 78, Union 57
Trinity 69, Massachusetts 59
Westminster (Pa) 75, Eastern New Mexico 56
Boston College 67, Stonchill 47

MIDWEST

Notre Dame 72, Detroit 45
Minnesota 57, Oklahoma A&M 56
St. Louis 62, Alabama 68
DePaul 82, Manchester (Ind) 59
Indiana State 68, Eastern Illinois 66
Illinois Wesleyan 114, Elmhurst 59
Tulane 69, Kansas 65

SOUTH

Tulane 69, Kansas 65
Roanoke 81, Wash-Lee 74
Virginia Military 79, Lynchburg 43
N.C. State 67, Phillips Oilers 65 (two overtimes)
Mississippi 118, Union (Tenn) 82
Maryland 81, Alumni 43
Bellarmino 72, Georgetown (Ky) 70

SOUTHWEST

Central Missouri 62, Arkansas State Techs 51
Ouachita 81, College of Ozarks 80
Southeast Okla 76, Arkansas State 68
East Central Okla 64, Austin 61

HIGH SCHOOL

Linfield Grads' Tourney

Shedd 61, Halsey 35
More 62, Falls City 34
M'upin 34, Oakland 29
Culver 52, Glendale 40
Neahkahnie 40, Newport 37
Madras 65, Yamhill 42

PRO BASKETBALL

Thursday's Results

Paston 113, New York 108 (Two overtimes)
Philadelphia 83, Baltimore 77
Syracuse 96, Milwaukee 76

Chiloquin, Beatty In

Beatty and the Chiloquin Townies were accepted by the City Basketball League last night, giving that loop eight teams.

Play starts Monday night at Fairview gym with Klamath Creamery meeting Eldorado Lumber and Southern Pacific facing Hilltop Cafe.

Other teams are Meller Brothers and National Guard.

December play will take place at Fairview, with the league changing to Altamont gym Jan. 4.

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Pension Tiff Seems Close to Settlement

NEW YORK (AP) — After three days of bitter accusations major league baseball players and owners seemed close to agreement today on the pension question.

President Walter O'Malley of the Brooklyn Dodgers, who sponsored a resolution to consider the advisability of ending the pension plan, denied he was trying to kill the idea.

Instead, he said, the purpose of his resolution was to improve the benefits to the players.

He admitted the wording of the resolution was "perhaps misleading and certainly unfortunate," but explained that it would be necessary to terminate the old plan if a new and better one was to be put into effect.

RIGHT

O'Malley said the players had every right to seek an increase in benefits, but he added that this

PCC Will Oppose Platoons

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — The Pacific Coast Conference, with its nine member schools giving wholehearted approval, will fight any move to bring back two-platoon football.

Faculty representatives Thursday instructed delegates to the National Collegiate Athletic Assn. sessions next month in Cincinnati to oppose "any going back to the two platoon system."

They also:

- (1) Placed supreme power in the selection of football officials with Conference Commissioner Victor O. Schmidt. In the past coaches had the right to challenge selections.
- (2) Ruled that starting in 1956 football players will be limited to 10 games a season—junior varsity or varsity. The idea is to prevent coaches from using players in both JV and varsity games.
- (3) Reminded basketball officials to call technical fouls on coaches who "get out of line."
- (4) Limited the PCC Rose Bowl team's expenses for the Pasadena game to \$46,000, plus transportation.
- (5) Voted to pay air coach fare to and from Pasadena for musicians from the school which participates in the Rose Bowl.

FALL RIVER, Mass. — Harold Gomes, 124, Providence, knocked out Stoney Godel, 128, Hartford, Conn., 1.

DETROIT — Ken Hammer, 190, Detroit, stopped Noel "Bull" Reid, 200, London, 8.

NEWARK, N.J. — Danny Rubino, 158, Hoboken, stopped Joe Serafini, 156, Newark, 4.

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25 YEARS AGO

The University of Oregon's football team, accompanied by coaches McEwin and Dick Reed, left for Hawaii today to play against the University of Hawaii on New Year's Day.

10 YEARS AGO

Joe Peak, director of physical education, announced the starting of Volleyball games in the grade schools Friday.

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TV Plan Shelved

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Edwin C. Johnson (D-Colo.) said Friday he still hopes the major leagues will act on his plan to restrict their baseball game broadcasts in minor league territory.

The idea behind the plan is that major league radio-TV broadcasts keep the people at home to the stadiums it might be considered. The majors, meeting in New York this week, shunted the proposal, which originated at the minor league meetings in Atlanta last week, to a radio-TV committee for further study. Johnson said he understands it might be considered again in February.

The senator, himself a minor league official, would not say whether he might try to win quick congressional approval in 1954 session of his bill on the subject. The measure, which he introduced last session, would legalize restrictions on telecasts and broadcasts of big league games in minor league cities.

The hobby of Clarence (Bevo) Francis, star of the Rio Grande, O., basketball team, is square dancing.

The 650,000 Haleah Turf Handicap, formerly known as the Miami Beach, has been scheduled for Haleah's closing day, March 3.

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