

Orange Takes It on Chin Again

Tulane Tops Beavers; Huskies, Vandals Lose

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
The Northern Division looked to Oregon Wednesday to restore some of its fading basketball prestige after three of the league's touring clubs dropped Tuesday night contests.

The Ducks, beaten twice by UCLA last weekend, are hoping for a comeback in their meeting Wednesday night with Stanford at Palo Alto. Oregon's stock was given a boost Tuesday by word that Stanford's high scoring forward, Rom Tomsic, will miss the game, and may be out for a month, because of a leg injury.

FOURTH
Oregon State, Washington and Idaho lost to nonconference foes Tuesday night.

Oregon State, fourth-ranked in this week's Associated Press poll, lost 74-70 to Tulane in the consolation round of the Dixie Classic at Raleigh, N.C. Kansas State clipped Washington 81-75 in the Big Seven tournament at Kansas City, and Montana dumped Idaho 60-57 in an intercollegiate affair at Missoula.

Oregon State held a 13-point lead at one time over Tulane and was ahead 44-35 at the intermission. The Green Wave, led by guard Hal Cervini who counted 18 points, rallied in the third quarter and ran away from the Beavers.

Swede Halbrook, OSC's 7-foot 3-inch center, again took scoring honors with 23 points—his total of the previous night when the Beavers were beaten 71-61 by Duke. Halbrook's 15 free throws set a record for Reynolds Coliseum at Raleigh.

BOWLING

TEN PINETS	
Griggs Three	W 1
Singer Roebuck	41 23
Singer Sewing Mach	36 1/2 27 1/2
Pelican Drive In	29 1/2 35 1/2
Richfield Oil	29 35
Troy Cook	5 38

FRATERNAL LEAGUE
Eagles Two 47 17
Sons of Italy 46 18
U. S. National 42 22
20th Club 34 30
Elks 34 30
Moore 34 30
Grems Roofing 31 33
Singer Sewing Mach 29 41
Morning Fresh Bread 29 41
K. Amusement 19 49
Municipal Airport 15 49

COLLEGE TOURNEY
(First Round)
Cincinnati 54
Cincinnati 54
Cincinnati 54

SEVEN TOURNEY
(First Round)
Cincinnati 54
Cincinnati 54
Cincinnati 54

GATOR BOWL
(Semi-finals)
Florida 72
Georgia Tech 101

WEST CONFERENCE TOURNEY
(Final, overtime)
Arkansas 65 (semi-final, game)
Texas Christian 58 (consolation)
Texas A&M 50 (consolation)

ENGLAND TOURNEY
Harvard 67 (semi-final)
Springfield 67 (final)
Colby 42 (consolation)
Amherst 67 (consolation, overtime)

WINDY HILL TOURNEY
(Mont) 77, Western Mont 60
Mountain 68, Northwest 67
Eastern Montana 60
Rocky Mountain 66

Other Games
State 74, Denver 58
Utah State 61
Washington 66
Arizona 66
Idaho 57
Montana State 75

Los Angeles Loyola 68, Los Angeles 53
State 47, Cal Poly 46
Pasadena Nazarene 63
Southern Oregon 55
Phillips Univ 67

PRO BASKETBALL
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Tuesday's Result
Baltimore 96

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HIGH SCHOOL
Portland 45, Battle 35
Lake Oswego 49
Tigard 39
Eugene 61
Columbia 68
Astoria 42
Albany 56
Perrydale 39
Newberg 52
Forest Grove 49
Neahkahnie 51
Philomath 32
Jewell 48 (overtime)
North Bend 63
Elmira 50
Mohawk 42
Sherwood 37
Waldport 35

Milwaukee Gets Baseball Tourney
WICHITA, Kan. (AP) — Milwaukee will be host to the first world tournament of non-professional baseball, the International Baseball Congress said Wednesday.

Play, in Milwaukee's spacious County Stadium, is scheduled for mid-September, 1955.

The Congress said preliminary plans call for six national champions, including winners in Japan and the United States, to compete in the six-day international championship meet.

The U. S. team will be the winner of the annual national tourney in Wichita.

Knoxville Wins In Santa Claus Bowl
LAKELAND, Fla. (AP) — Knoxville made a touchdown early in the game and held on with a stout defense to win the annual Santa Claus Bowl football championship from Miami Tuesday night, 7-0.

The Tennessee team succeeds Washington, D. C., as the top mid-west football team in the country. The Santa Claus Bowl, for boys under 14 and weighing less than 110 pounds, is sponsored by the Pop Warner-Connie Mack Foundation.



THEM WUZ THE DAYS — Sunny Jim Fitzsimmons spins yarns about the old days to young stable hands and workout boys during a lull on the Hialeah Race Course's backstretch. Listening to the famous 76-year-old trainer are (front, l to r) Billy McMullen, Frank Comi, Tony Brondollette, Al Smolen and Gene Castagna. In the rear are Dick Carroll (left) and Bill McCleary.

Navy Upsets Wolfpack in Dixie

By BEN PILEGAR
NEW YORK (AP)—Three of the nation's top 10 basketball teams nursed fresh defeats today as tournament competition jammed the nation's gyms.

Two of the losses came in the Dixie Classic at Raleigh, N.C., where fourth-ranked Oregon State was beaten for the second straight night and Navy dethroned defending champion North Carolina State.

Tulane erased a nine-point half-time deficit and whipped Oregon State 74-70, despite a 23-point performance by 7-foot-3 Wade Halbrook which included 15 free throws. Fast-breaking Navy outran ninth-ranked N.C. State 85-75 with John Clune hitting for 27 points. The Middies connected on 40.2 per cent of their shots from the field.

FOLDED
Tenth-ranked Fordham folded before the superb performance of Bob Pettit and bowed to Louisiana State 65-49 in the Sugar Bowl Tournament at New Orleans. Fordham trailed by 14 points in the first quarter but closed to within a single point before Pettit came off the bench to clinch the contest in the closing period. He scored 23 points.

Gun Store Topples DeMolay

The Victory League pre-season basketball tournament slid into its third day today with Gun Store and Peace Memorial meeting at 4 p.m. in the winners bracket.

Both notched wins yesterday when Gun Store edged DeMolay, winner over Herman's the first day, by a 37-36 count, and Peace Memorial downed YMCA, 29-22.

Afternoon games in the losers bracket today at Fairview Gym put the Sixth St. Wreckers against DeMolay and Herman's against YMCA at 1:30 and 2:45 respectively. The losers will be out of the double elimination tourney.

Dick Blevins was high yesterday for the Gun Store with 14 points; Wes Sine clipped in 11. Mike Hayden also had 14 for the losing DeMolays.

Scott Hancock's eight points paced the Peace Memorial five to victory.

OPGA Joins PGA Family
SEATTLE (AP) — The Northwest Professional Golfers' Assn. voted Monday to set up three branches, namely the Western Washington, Oregon and Inland Empire branches.

The decision means professional golf activities in the Northwest henceforth will become part of the national PGA set-up, enjoying its benefits and conforming with its practices and standards, a spokesman explained.

Rice Picked Over 'Bama

DALLAS, Tex. (AP) — The Rice Owls, all 37 of them, came rolling into Dallas Wednesday to complete the race for the 8th annual Cotton Bowl football game and to find themselves heavy choices to slam Alabama and keep the Rice colors untarnished in bowl competition.

Seldom has there been such pronounced favorites in the New Year's Day game here as the burly Owls, a terrific offensive outfit that finished like the prairie wind in the tough Southwest Conference race.

Rice, which has won the three bowl games in which it has played, is expected to be in as nearly perfect condition as any team ever was for the Cotton Bowl.

Dr. John Sherrill, Alabama team physician, gave out the gloomy word on Elmore, the big quarterback who did such a job against Georgia Tech and Auburn. "It doesn't look like he will play," said Dr. Sherrill in examining injuries Elmore suffered in an automobile crash during the Christmas holidays.

in BRIEF

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
FOOTBALL
RALEIGH, N. C. — Horace (Horse) Hendrickson resigned as head coach at North Carolina State.

BASKETBALL
ST. LOUIS — Enos Slaughter signed contract for his 14th season with the St. Louis Cardinals.

ARCADIA, Calif. — Bergeem (\$5,400) equalled the track record of 1:09 for six furlongs at Santa Anita in winning the \$10,000 stake for three-year olds.

Golf Meet Leader
JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (AP) — Fred Mann, 34-year-old Jacksonville amateur, held a three-stroke lead Wednesday as he teed off in the final round of the first Gator Bowl Invitation Golf Tournament.

Gayle Talbot World Series Films Carry Top Hit Label

By GAYLE TALBOT
NEW YORK (AP)—The only movie producer in the world who is in the happy position of knowing he has a hit on his hands before he takes scene No. 1 is Lew Fonseca, the former Chicago White Sox infielder and manager, who for 20 years has recorded the imperishable moments of the annual World Series.

Not for Fonseca any worries about how each succeeding opus is going to do at the box office. Even before the house lights were lowered for the American premiere of his 1953 production here he was able to forecast with some accuracy that it will be shown 75,000 times in the coming year, always to packed houses.

NO MONEY
It will make no money, for there is no charge for the use of the 700 prints of the 37-minute film, but the American and National league owners who underwrite the project feel that the eventual benefits to them are incalculable in terms of good will and future patronage. Already 60 prints are overseas for showing to the armed forces.

In recording the most recent series, in which the Yankees again combed the Dodgers by 4 games to 2, Fonseca's camera crew ground out 23,000 feet of film. This has been snipped down to a handier 3,500 by Lew in odd moments during the football season, and something he said about this was interesting.

"All the cutting I've done," he said in his curtain talk, "was aimed entirely at showing the high spots of the Series. I have not intentionally left out any controversial plays."

SKEPTICS
The point is that some low skeptics have in the past suggested that certain controversial plays which might have reflected upon

the cutting I've done," he said in his curtain talk, "was aimed entirely at showing the high spots of the Series. I have not intentionally left out any controversial plays."

Well, the official film doesn't equivocate. The action is stopped dead and it appears to show Hodges in there while McDougald still reaches for a ball not yet in sight. The viewers will be given a chance to argue the play all over again. National Leaguers will swear they were robbed and American Leaguers will smile their customary superior smile.

In justice to Umpire Gore, the film commentary might point out that the arbiter later explained that Hodges made a hook slide—for no earthly reason inasmuch as it was a force play—and that the ball beat him while he was coming back. It's tough to lick an umpire, even with pictures.

Sweet Aqua Dreams
So quiet you can sleep at full throttle! While not recommended practice, that is the claim made for the revolutionary "truly quiet" outboard motor shown here with Georgia Landau in the sleeping beauty role.

Odell's Political Career Shaky
SEATTLE (AP) — A city charter requirement may end Howie Odell's political career before it gets started.

Odell, former University of Washington football coach, filed last week to be a candidate for the City Council in next year's primary election.

The Post-Intelligencer said Wednesday, however, Odell may be ineligible because he registered to vote locally for the first time in 1952.

Seattle's city charter requires that a candidate be a registered voter for four years before an election.

TUESDAY'S FIGHTS
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
LOS ANGELES — Don Grant, 165, Los Angeles, knocked out Jesse Fuentes, 163, Los Angeles, 5.

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. — Billy Kilgore, 166, Miami, outpointed Mickey Laurent, 158 1/2, Paris, France, 10.

CHICAGO — King Solomon, 164, Chicago, stopped Jimmy "Red" Elby, 163, Toledo, 6.

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