

CAGE SCORES

COLLEGE BASKETBALL By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS (Saturday)

- FAR WEST UOLA 81, Southern California 63 California 56, Stanford 50 Oregon 65, Washington State 55 Colorado 60, Missouri 49 Oregon State 54, Washington 51 Wyoming 64, Denver 59 Brigham Young 71, Montana 62 Colorado A&M 97, New Mexico 60 Nevada 62, Humboldt State 57 Eastern Washington 70, Western Washington 48 Oregon Education 65, Oregon Tech 50 Montana State 69, Colorado Mines 61 Portland 75, Gonzaga 67 Willamette 80, Whitfield 75 Eastern Oregon 81, Portland State 76 College of Idaho 58, Pacific University 59 Whitworth 59, British Columbia 52 Whitman 67, Lewis and Clark 66 Fort Lawton 74, Washington Fresh 69

- EAST Notre Dame 78, Canisius 59 Duquesne 61, Niagara 53 Fordham 95, Syracuse 75 Navy 62, Pennsylvania State 58 Army 57, Amherst 41 Temple 66, Manhattan 62 Harvard 66, Yale 54 LaSalle 82, Dayton 58 Pennsylvania 77, Brown 63 Connecticut 106, Boston College 81 Cornell 79, Dartmouth 88 St. Peter's (N.J.) 66, Seton Hall 45 St. Francis (Brooklyn) 72, Villanova 62 Holy Cross 103, Belmont Abbey 63 Massachusetts 69, New Hampshire 62 Maine 92, Bates 68 Washington & Jefferson 65, Carnegie Tech 51

- SOUTH Kentucky 94, Tulane 43 Vanderbilt 79, Mississippi State 69 Alabama 70, Auburn 58 Pittsburgh 70, West Virginia 59 North Carolina State 91, Wake Forest 76 Western Kentucky 122, Eastern Kentucky 78 Richmond 85, William and Mary 73 Mississippi 80, Georgia Tech 71 Louisiana State 75, Tennessee 62 North Carolina 78, Virginia 66 Duke 69, McCrary Eagles 61 Stetson 82, Florida State 60 South Carolina 86, Wofford 71

- MIDWEST Minnesota 59, Iowa 55 Oklahoma A&M 46, Tulsa 40 Oklahoma City 72, Murray (Ky.) 43 Kansas 65, Kansas State 62 Oklahoma 63, Iowa State 55 Wichita 91, Detroit 61 Houston 66, St. Louis 66 Marquette 91, Valparaiso 72 Purdue 78, Northwestern 63 Michigan 64, Michigan State 62 Illinois 82, Ohio State 78 North Dakota 79, Augustana 60

- SOUTHWEST Arkansas 61, Southern Methodist 58 Texas Tech 80, New Mexico A&M 51 Oregon Prep Basketball By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS Medford 43, Grants Pass 41 Mt. Vernon 50, Prairie City 87 (double overtime) Eagle Point 50, Jacksonville 38 Prineville 55, Burns 51 Klamath Falls 49, Ashland 37 Central Catholic (Portland) 41, Astoria 39 North Bend 64, Cottage Grove 61 Mosier 54, Cascade Locks 34 Salem 64, Bend 36 Baker 70, The Dalles 62 Redmond 70, John Day Madras 74, Lakeview 58 Warrenton 50, Tillamook Elmira 45, Siuslaw 39

- PRO BASKETBALL By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS Sunday's Results Baltimore 78, Philadelphia 74 New York 87, Boston 84 (two overtimes) Syracuse 84, Rochester 81 Fort Wayne 85, Minneapolis 83 Saturday's Results Baltimore 82, Philadelphia 72 New York 88, Fort Wayne 82 (overtime) Milwaukee 64, Minneapolis 58 Syracuse 95, Rochester 93 (three overtimes)

Malin Tops Bly, 55-43 Malin whipped Bly, 55-43, Saturday night on the losers' court but had to rally in the fourth quarter for the non-league victory. Trailing 18-28 at the half, Bly's Sherman Seastrong sparked a rally that pulled the Bobcats within three points of the Mustangs but Malin found the range again in the fourth quarter. Seastrong scored 21 points to lead all scorers. Rod Lyon led Malin with 15; Virgil Rick and Stan Miller added 13 each. Malin won the junior varsity curtain-raiser over Bly by a 43-27 score.

Scoring: (35) Malin 13, Rick 13, Stevaka 3, Coker 2, Travis 2, Johnson 7. Malin subs - Miller 13, Lyon 35. Bly subs - Martin 6, Tecumseh 2, J. Tecumseh.

Oregon Matmen Defeat L&C EUGENE (AP) - The University of Oregon wrestling team came from behind to defeat Lewis and Clark of Portland 20-18 in matches here Saturday.

PELICANS ON TOP Techs Skid To Third

Slam, GP Defeat Helps KF

BIG FOUR

W	L	Pct.
Klamath Falls 4	1	1.000
Grants Pass 3	2	.750
Medford 2	3	.500
Ashland 1	4	.250

Saturday Scores
Klamath Falls 49 Ashland 37
Medford 43 Grants Pass 41

By RED HURD The Klamath Pelicans have no company atop the Big Four basketball race today after sweeping a two-game series from Ashland with a big assist from the Black Tornado of Medford Saturday. The Pels completed the grand slam over the Grizzlies Saturday night by a 49-37 count, after winning 53-37 Friday.

Whipped by 22 points Friday night in Grants Pass, Medford returned to its own floor to edge the Cavemen, 49-41, Saturday. Saturday's results will pile all the first-round stakes on the Grants Pass floor Friday and Saturday nights when the Cavemen host the Pelicans. If Klamath Falls can split with the Cavemen, the two teams will roll into the second round of play tied again. A sweep for the Pels will give the Klamath club a jump when the Big Four opens second-round action Feb. 12 and 13.

PULL AWAY The Pelicans pulled away from the Grizzlies Saturday night here after a close first quarter that gave Klamath Falls a shaky 11-8 lead after Ashland's Gene Parent hid out just before the buzzer for a lay-in. Ashland stayed close in the second frame but the Pels kept a jump ahead and led 19-15 at the half. But Dave D'Olivo, Ed Barron and Mills scored in that order after the rest period and Klamath Falls built a 25-17 lead early in the third to 34-21 going into the fourth quarter. Klamath Coach Paul McCall used 16 players in all and whisked a junior varsity five onto the floor with some two minutes to play with a 47-35 bulge.

YARNELL HIGH Larry Yarnell led nine Klamath scorers with 11 points while Parent collected Ashland's high number, 9. Not an Ashland player hit two figures in either of the two games as the Pelicans ran their win streak to five straight, four in league play. Even the most rabid of Pelican rooters don't expect any better than a split with the Cavemen on their own floor, pointing up a down-to-the-wire race between Grants Pass and Klamath Falls.

It's likely — and even if those who like a hectic finish had written the schedule it couldn't be better — the Pelicans and Cavemen will go into their doubleheader here Feb. 26 and 27 with the title riding on the outcome. TOUGHER The second round will be somewhat tougher for the Pelicans with two-thirds of the schedule on the road. They meet Medford and Ashland away from home, then return to home cooking for the Grants Pass set. The race could well go to the last whistle of the last game here against Grants Pass. The winner, of course, must win a two-of-three quarter with the top team among the small A schools in Div. 4, to qualify for the March 16-20 state tournament.

Box score: ASHLAND

FG	FT	PF	TP
McCoy, f	2	2	4
Parent, c	2	1	5
Baker, c	2	1	5
Yarnell, f	4	4	8
Tenny, f	4	4	8

Reserves:
Suterlin 0 0 0 0
Woods 0 0 0 0
C. Baker 1 1 1 2
Lickner 0 0 0 0
Gandee 0 0 0 0
Bates 0 0 0 0

Totals 14 14 14 30

KLAMATH

FG	FT	PF	TP
Bourne, f	2	2	5
Munsel, f	2	3	5
D'Olivo, c	2	3	5
Yarnell, f	3	4	7
Nills, f	3	0	6

Reserves:
Barron 0 0 0 0
Bevans 0 0 0 0
Summers 0 0 0 0
Davis 0 0 0 0
Armstrong 0 0 0 0
Tode 0 0 0 0
Wells 0 0 0 0
Barker 1 1 1 2
Young 0 0 0 0
Lowe 0 0 0 0
Pepie 0 0 0 0

Totals 18 18 18 37

Free throws missed: Ashland-McCoy 2, Parent 7, Tenny 2, C. Baker, Klamath-Dougherty 3, D'Olivo 7, Yarnell 4, Davis 2, Wells 2. Officials: Sweinfurt and Zarosinski.

Ashland 49 7 4 16-37

Northwest Golf Meet Site Set SEATTLE (AP) - Victoria, B. C., will be the site of the 1954 Pacific Northwest Golf Assn. championship tournament, PGA officers and directors announced Saturday. Victoria's Colwood Club will be the host, with Uplands assisting. Dates will be July 5-10.



EARLY BIRD — Danny O'Connell does a split straining to touch his toes and strengthen stomach muscles. The 24-year-old who will play second base for the Milwaukee Braves is working out in the Patterson, N. J., YMCA gymnasium. The Pirates collected \$100,000 and a half dozen players for his contract.

Herald and News SPORTS

RED HURD, Sports Editor

Owls Scare Vikings

Portland Matmen Win 16-12 Nod

By RED HURD Over the years sportswriters have used a somewhat hackneyed term, "moral victory". If there is such a thing, the wrestling men of Oregon Tech own one today. When the kids of the mile-high campus—they're all freshmen in this business of half nelsons—lost a 12-16 decision to Portland State Saturday night here before a surprisingly large crowd, they lost to one of the mat powers on the coast. The Vikings, who major in wrestling, finished second last season in the PCC finals. But the Portland team didn't win Saturday until the last bout.

LAST BOUT Oregon Tech led 12-11 when Tech's Floyd Pierce and Portland State's Darold Farr squared off in the heavyweight bout, last on the eight-bout program. Pierce, ex-KUHS athlete, was out-weighted 39 pounds but put up a whole of a battle until Farr used his hands to press the ex-Pelican to the mat in 2:22 of the first round. Portland State opened like a whirlwind, piling up eight points when 125-pound Roy Schlessler scored a fall over Oretsch's Larry Dryden at the tag end of the third and last round. It took Schlessler two minutes, 33 seconds of the last period to dump Dryden. Portland's celebrated Lee Allen

followed with a 4-1 decision over OTT's Alvin Christie in the 130-pound class but not before Christie scored the first point and the two-time National AAU champion had to work for the victory. Then Oregon Tech, surprising 36-0 victor over the University of Oregon the week before, went to work. The Owls scored four straight decisions highlighted by Fred Stepper's 6-4 win over Jack McElroy in the 157-pound class that gave the Owls a 9-8 lead. McElroy is the Northwest AAU king in that division. Stepper's upset was preceded by Don Earle's 4-2 verdict over Leroy Russell at 137 pounds, and Vic Schweitzer's 4-3 nod over Joe Casale in the 147-pound class.

ADDS TO LEAD Dean Schmitz, the Owls' 167-pounder, added to the Tech bulge when he decisively defeated another Northwest AAU champion, Portland State's Buzz Wheatley, by a 3-0 count. That gave Oregon Tech a 12-8 lead and another upset was shaping up. But the Vikings' Earl Nutt came back to decision Kent Crawley, 5-2, in the 177-pound fight and the Owls were on the fat end of a shaky 12-11 score. Then came Farr's win over Pierce and the highly-rated Vikings

breathed a sigh of relief. The Owls' next meet is against Oregon State Jan. 25 in the high school gym here. After Bob Smith's amazing mat squad's shutout over the Webfoots and the scare they threw into the Vikings, the Fearless Freshmen should be no worse than even money against the Beavers. Coach Dutch Simons' Klamath Union High School team is also on the Jan. 25 show, facing the OSC Rooks. Saturday night's box score gave the Vikings two falls and two decisions, the Owls four decisions. Scoring gives a team five points for a fall, three for decision.

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OCC STANDINGS

W	L	Pct.
Oregon College 2	1	1.000
Eastern Oregon 1	1	.750
Oregon Tech 1	3	.250
Portland State 0	2	.000

Saturday Scores
OCC 61 Portland State 75
OCE 85 Oregon Tech 50

MONMOUTH (Special)—The Oregon College Wolves employed a full-court press again to whip Oregon Tech 65-50 Saturday night and keep intact its lead in the Oregon Collegiate Conference. Oregon Tech opens a two-game series against SOC at Klamath Falls tonight. It's King's-X. Eastern Oregon whipped Portland State 81-76 to sweep the series at La Grande, but the Mountaineers are in second place with 3-1 after splitting with the Oretsch Owls earlier. The double loss dropped Skeet O'Connell's Owls to third place with 1-3, ahead of only Portland State with 0-2. It was Frank Grove who sparked the Wolves again, in the point department and on the boards. Grove, only 6-1 but rubber-legged, captured 24 rebounds to give him 52 for the series. He also canned 18 points, ahead of teammates Larry Chamberlain and Bobby Frantz with 15 each.

CLOSE Jerry Wyatt and Don Sulphin canned 12 each for the Owls in a game that was close for three quarters. The Wolves led 21-19 at the end of one, the Owls grabbed a 35-33 lead at halftime. OCE went back in front 49-44 going into the fourth period and wrapped it up with a fourth-quarter flurry. One of the most important factors in the victory was OCE's rebound dominance when they out-snared the Owls on the boards, 57 to 37. The Red Raiders visit Hilltop Court tonight with a 10-5 record, boasting one of Oregon's top scorers in Leon Keefe who has averaged 18.9 in the 15 outings, scoring 284 points.

STARTERS With Keefe in the starting lineup will be Lloyd Hoffine and Dale Newton at the forward positions, Ken Kimura and Bob Smith at the guard spots. Kimura has been nursing an injured leg and if the gam isn't well, his place will be taken by Dick Price, a set shot artist. Bill McLean is back from the service and should see his share of duty for the Ashland five. The Raiders have split with Chico State, Humboldt State and Lewis and Clark, whipped Oregon College four times, Portland State twice and lost two to Pacific University.

OREGON TECH FG FT PF TP

Wyatt, f	5	2	4	12
Hoffine, f	2	1	1	6
Edgren, c	4	3	2	11
Cunningham, g	0	2	1	2
Sulphin, f	0	2	4	12

Reserves:
Sausser 0 0 1 1 1
Overen 0 0 0 1 0
Thompson 2 1 4 5
Robison 0 0 0 1 0
Garcia 1 1 2 3 3
Totals 19 12 21 38

OREGON COLLEGE FG FT PF TP

Chamberlain, f	6	3	3	15
Frantz, c	6	4	1	16
Keefe, g	6	6	1	15
Pinion, g	3	2	3	6
Davis, f	3	3	1	6

Reserves:
McKenzie 0 1 2 1 1
Hubbard 0 0 0 0 0
Bowman 0 0 0 0 0
Wilson 0 0 0 0 0
Rice 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 23 19 11 65

Mixed free throws: Oregon Tech - Wyatt 2, Sausser, Overen 2, Edgren, Thompson, Oregon College - Chamberlain, McKenzie, Hubbard 2, Pinion 4, Davis, Wilson. Officials: Beard and Brown.

PEHANICK POTS 37, Chiefs Win SEATTLE (AP) - The Seattle University Chieftains went on a 27-point scoring binge in the first quarter to humble St. Mary's Gallop' Gaels in a non-conference basketball game here Saturday night, 103-71. The Chieftains, led by Joe Pehanick's 37 points, were never headed after they overcame an early St. Mary's lead. The scoreboard read 51-36 in favor of SU at the half.

Four Major College Cage 5s Undefeated

By BEN OLAN NEW YORK (AP)—Kentucky, Duquesne, Western Kentucky and surprising Connecticut were the only major college basketball fives with unscathed slates today and the immediate offing holds little for the first three to worry about. Kentucky, rolling in high gear with 11 straight, takes on non-toot-formidable Tennessee Saturday night. Western Kentucky, unbeaten in 16 games, figures to add a pair of victims, Tennessee Tech and Memphis, to its skein this week and the Ducks can rest on their 15-0 record until Jan. 27 when they meet Georgetown.

Only the high-scoring Connecticut quintet (14-0) can look to the future with some foreboding. Its next game, on Feb. 3, is against Fordham, another Eastern power and the best of the New York City clubs. ALL WIN Last weekend, Kentucky, the nation's No. 1 ranking team in the latest Associated Press poll, walloped Tulane 94-43 in a Southeastern Conference game. Duquesne, No. 2, deftly handled one of its toughest assignments by defeating Niagara 61-53. Western Kentucky, ranked fifth, thrashed Eastern Kentucky, its arch rival, 122-78. Unranked Cornell scored a convincing 105-81 win over Boston College.

Holy Cross and George Washington, ranked sixth and seventh respectively, both suffered late setbacks Friday. The Crusaders victim to Notre Dame's solid defenses and dropped a 68-61 83-81 decision. George Washington bowed to Maryland 68-61. HIGH RATINGS Otherwise, the first 10 justified their high ratings. Connecticut dominated play in the Ten Conference by whippingconsin 90-74. The Indiana Hoosiers continued to dominate play in the Big Ten Conference by whipping Iowa 60-30 tonight against Michigan. In the usual possession struggle between the schools, Oklahoma Aggies, No. 4, Tulsa 46-40.

Huskies Lose In Overtime Merrill lost a close 59-57 decision to the Klamath Wildcats Saturday night — but it took a desperation shot by Donn Taucher in the sudden death overtime to turn the trick. The Huskies bounced back from a 15-36 halftime deficit to go ahead 41-40 at the end of three quarters and the count was tied 54-44 at the end of regulation playing time. It was 57-44 after the first three-minute extra period, shoving the game into the sudden death stanza. That's when Taucher scored from just outside the key. Merrill's Johnny O'Neil was high with 25 points, while Earl Tichenor led the Cats with 18. Merrill's Herb Schlecht was the "poor" of the contest. He missed two free throws in the waning seconds of the game when converting only one of them would have given the Huskies the game without overtime play. The Klamath Freshmen whipped the Merrill junior variety, 28-19, in the preliminary game.

Scoring: WILDCATS (39) (87) MERRILL

Jensen 4	Y	25	O'Neil
Lambdin 4	F	5	Schlecht
Tichenor 18	F	8	M'Callish
Burke 6	C	10	L. Johnson
Taucher 12	C	6	G. Johnson
Wildcat subs—Walker 14, Crow, Williams, Lapsley 1, Bean, Merrill subs — Sherrill 2, Hodges.			

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