US Colleges Police Athletics

Sports Future Said Good

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The nation's colleges are accepting the task of policing their own athletic programs "to a much greater degree," the man who enforced the unpopular "sanity code" said Saturday.

Clarence P. (Pop) Houston of Tufts College, president of the National Collegiate Athletic Assn. (NCAA), made the comment as the organization prepared to open its 50th annual convention.

Houston was chairman of the NCAA compliance committee which had charge of enforcing the sanity code from 1948 until its abolishment in 1951.

At the time, only five years ago, he held the title of "most unpopular" man in the collegiate athletic field. A year ago he was named NCAA president and probably will be reelected to a second term next week.

"The sanity code was too strong at the time of its adoption," Houston admitted Saturday. "The colleges weren't ready for it and wouldn't accept it.

"Today there is a trend, growing steadily, toward individual policing of the athletic program. I think it's a good thing, a sign that the college sports picture is bright."

Scheduled for presentation to the convention, which opens full sessions Monday, is an amendment to the bylaws which would tighten up on the recruiting of high school athletes.

It would limit the "expenses paid" visits of prep athletes to one at any campus, regardless of whether the host school or a "booster club" picked up the tab.

"That's another good sign," Houston said. "The schools recognize the problem of young athletes 'shopping' and are taking the matter into their own hands."

The recruiting amendment, which will put a damper on booster club activities, will be discussed at separate panel meetings of athletic directors and faculty representatives Monday afternoon. The full NCAA membership will vote on the amendment at a Wednesday session.

Discussion of a 1956 program for football television is scheduled Sunday. The 1955 program set up eight national and five regional telecasts throughout the country.

The general feeling was that there would be no difficulty in agreeing upon a new plan for next fall.

However, the Pacific Coast Conference was expected to go on record as favoring a reversal of the previous setup—namely, eight regional telecasts and only five national games. Athletic Director Al Masters of Stanford will present the PCC viewpoint.

The third major item on the convention agenda is a suggestion to split the NCAA basketball tournament into two divisions, university and college. The tournament currently takes in all NCAA member schools from the eight association districts regardless of size.

Merrill Wins League Debut

Merrill opened their 1955-56 County B-League basketball season on a red-hot note Friday night at Bonanza as they bounced past the Antlers 67-45.

Terry Sherrill led the Merrill attack as the Huskies led all the way including quarter score margins of 12-9, 31-22 and 53-32 as the Antlers were unable to cope with the Huskies' play.

Sherrill collected 28 points, while teammate Herb Schlect tallied 17. High for the losing Bonanza club was Ron Roberts with 28, while Dick Burnett hit 14.

In the B game, Merrill toppled the Bonanza Bs by a 34-18 margin.

Shortscore:

Pos.	Bonanza (45)	Merrill (67)
F	Dye (3)	Schlect (17)
F	Thomas (6)	Moore (9)
C	Kennedy (2)	Sherrill (28)
G	Roberts (28)	Laney (0)
G	Burnet (14)	Hunnicutt (4)

Subs for Bonanza: Liskey (3), Janssen (1).
Subs for Merrill: O'Neil (6).
Officials: Cavan and Kimpton.

Panthers Top Sacred Heart

Some torrid shooting by Dick Siemens, and outstanding backboard work by Jerry Collins proved to be the key for the Chiloquin Panthers Friday night at Chiloquin as they turned back Sacred Heart's Trojans 44-40 in the opening B-League action for both clubs.

Siemens poured a total of 25 points through the hemp to spearhead the Chiloquin drive, while Collins was a ballhawking performer on the boards all through the league encounter. Chiloquin held quarter score leads of 11-9, 23-18 and 36-28 to nudge the Trojans.

High for Gordon Kuist's ball club was Siemens with 25, while Sid Ridenour had seven. For Sacred Heart, Dean Michalis garnered 20 and Jerry Depuy accounted for nine.

In the preliminary contest, Chiloquin's Bs made it a clean sweep for the Panther teams by turning back the Trojan juniors 38-21.

Shortscore:

Pos.	Chiloquin (44)	Sacred Heart (40)
F	Collins (4)	Durrell (2)
F	Ridenour (7)	Conforti (3)
C	Siemens (25)	Wickline, D (6)
G	Heglund (0)	Depuy (9)
G	Ochoa, M. (2)	Michaelis (20)

Officials: Harvey and Dawes.

Ping Pong Meet Set

All Klamath Basin ping pong enthusiasts are reminded of an important meeting Monday night at the Oregon Technical Institute Rec Hall starting at 7 o'clock.

All interested persons are urged to attend according to a city recreation department spokesman.

Sports World Shorts

HAMILTON, Ont. (UP)—Wingo Avery, 225-pound center and linebacker from Clemson, was signed Friday by the Hamilton Tigercats of the Big Four Canadian Football League. Avery was signed by Hamilton Coach Jim Trimble, recently discharged by the Philadelphia Eagles.

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (UP) — Gov. Goodwin J. Knight of California said Friday he will advocate passage of legislation to appropriate four million dollars to finance the winter Olympic games at Squaw Valley when he presides over the March budget session of the state legislature.

NEW YORK (UP) — Johnny Podres, the Brooklyn Dodgers' World Series pitching hero, was cited today for "high principle and achievement in sports" by the sports lodge of B'Nai B'Rith. Podres will be honored at a New York hotel, Jan. 22.

NEW YORK (UP)—The New York Giants revealed today that 31 of their minor league players had been selected on league all-star teams for the 1955 season. The list included six players from the Minneapolis Millers, whom Bill Rigney, new manager of the Giants, led to victory in the Junior World Series.

BUFFALO, N.Y. (UP)—Middleweight contender Joey Giambra and Al Andrews have been matched for a 10-round, nationally televised bout at Norfolk, Va., on Jan. 25. The bout will be Giambra's first since his recent discharge from the Army.

US Pros Give Hawaii Stars Favored Roll

HONOLULU (AP) — The stateside pros who will play for the Hawaii All-Stars are going to be favored for a change in the 10th annual Hula Bowl football game with the College All Stars Sunday.

In past years, three or four top professional stars joined the local semi-pro and service players to make up the Hawaii All-Stars. And they usually lost to the College All Stars from the states.

But this year there will be 11 pros—count 'em, 11—to face the college all-star squad of 17 seniors from around the country.

How's this for a backfield? Quarterback Y.A. Tittle of the San Francisco 49ers, halfback Doak Walker, retiring great of the Detroit Lions, and backs Hugh McElhenny and Carroll Hardy of the 49ers.

Eroy Hirsch of the Los Angeles Rams and Bill McColl of the Chicago Bears are the ends.

Not that the College All Stars are devoid of talent. Eagle Day, star of Mississippi's Cotton Bowl victory over Texas Christian, and Freddy Wyant of West Virginia are the quarterbacks.

Three of the other backs are fresh from the Rose Bowl — Bob Davenport and Sam Brown of U.C.L.A., and Jerry Planutis of Michigan State. Others in the backfield are Bill Tarr of Stanford and Gary Glick, Colorado A. and M., a pro football bonus pick this year.

The rest of the visiting collegians are: Norm Masters, Michigan, Forrest Gregg, Southern Methodist and Francis Machinsky, Ohio State, tackles; Calvin Jones, Iowa, and Hardiman Cureton, U.C.L.A. guards, and Hugh Pitts of Texas Christian, center.

Bly Bobcats Fall To Malin

Bly's Bobcats staged a bitter fight for the first eight minutes of their Friday night encounter with the potent Malin Mustangs but their surge dwindled as the Malin cagers swept to a 64-35 County League basketball victory.

Leading by just four points, 14-11, at the close of the first chapter, Malin stretched their lead to a 34-17 count at halftime. The third period final favored the host Mustangs 53-25.

Ray Johnson poured 22 points through the nets to lead Malin, while Roger Dokken and Glenn Steyskal netted 13 and 11 respectively. High for the losers was Merlin Jonescheit with 15.

In the preliminary game, the Malin Bs throttled the young Bobcats 47-13.

Shortscore:

POS	Malin (64)	Bly (35)
F	Meyers (5)	Lee (3)
F	Dokken (13)	Herrera, P (0)
C	Oliva (6)	Robin (3)
G	Johnson (22)	Jonescheit (15)
G	Steyskal (11)	Tecumseh (12)

Subs for Malin: Saunders (2), Harmon (2). Officials: Russell and Young.

Uclans Triumph

LOS ANGELES (AP) — UCLA allowed Idaho to creep to within eight points during the second half before turning on the steam and coasting to a 75-61 victory in a Pacific Coast Conference basketball game Saturday night. It was the second straight win for the Bruins.

Stanford Rolls

SEATTLE (AP) — Stanford climbed back on the victory wagon Saturday night with a strong second-half surge that sank Washington, 58-45, in a Pacific Coast Conference basketball game.

It was the first home defeat for Washington, which chopped Stanford's victory string at five with a 57-42 decision Friday night.

SF's Russell Tabbed Beginner, Still Best

By MURRAY OLDERMAN
NEA Staff Correspondent

SAN FRANCISCO (NEA) — You had to be skeptical, the way they raved about this big Bill Russell. He made Tom Gola look like a grammar school kid, spottered the San Francisco writers around the press table.

On the floor of Kezar Pavillion, the University of San Francisco warmed up, and you couldn't miss the lean 6-10 figure of dusky Bill. He clapped his hands to the rhythm of the Don band and pranced up and down. Showboat, you thought.

A guy named Bevo Francis used to get the same buildup.

The game started, and this was no Bevo. A shot would head toward the USF rims, and before it could complete its trajectory a hand flashed up and pinned the ball against the boards. Russell is a whole basketball player who moves, has quick hands and an arm spread of seven feet, three inches that, matched with his leg spring, harasses a defense to wildness.

He can't do one thing—shoot!

Bill has a hook of sorts, mostly from his natural southpaw side, and they're trying to develop an outside shot, but the bulk of his points comes on dunkers. A Don set shot by guards K. C. Jones or Hal Perry is slightly off, and Bill swoops up to guide it in. College basketball has nothing like him, on or off the court.

Before the NCAA championship finale against LaSalle in Kansas City last season, the squad was supposed to assemble for the usual pre-game meal. Bill had some pangs of hunger an hour earlier. He tossed down a snack consisting of a whole roast chicken and a salad. He's knocked off three steaks for lunch, but he remains a relatively skinny 210 pounds.

They thought the new college 12-foot lane would restrict his backboard operations.

"This won't hurt the tall ones," Bill shook his head. "It'll kill the fat ones."

A basketball can get lost in his big hands, but Bill lays off any clowning during a game.

"I'm not a Glootrotter," he shrugged, "yet."

Five hours a day are devoted to practice shooting to develop his touch. His ambitions have gone beyond being a mere All-America.

"I'd like to be an all-time All-America," he admitted frankly. "But I think I started a little late."

He never made his high school team in Oakland across the bay until he was a senior. They didn't rush to recruit him then, either.

"He has at least two years before he reaches his peak as a basketball player," gauged Coach Phil Woolpert of the Dons.

Rival coaches are less cautious. "George Mikan would not only fail to score again him—he'd never get off a shot," said Bob Feerick of Santa Clara, who's played in the pro loops.

However, the adjustment to professional basketball, his eventual aim, will take time. He'll be roughed up like he's never been before, and he'll find those dunkers don't come so easy against equally big men. He's a poor foul shooter, which is a big handicap, and he must develop a right hand shot.

Still, we'd like to have him.

L. Mangrum Holds Lead; Bolt Red-Hot

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Tommy Bolt fired a fantastic eight under par 63 but it wasn't good enough to overtake the rousing sub par playing of Lloyd Mangrum as they hit the midway mark of the $30,000 Los Angeles Open Golf Tournament Saturday.

Mangrum, playing in a threesome well behind Bolt and fully aware of the task ahead, knocked out his second straight 66 for a total of 132.

Bolt had a first round par 71 and his amazing 63 gave him a 36-hole total of 134.

Two strokes back of Bolt, and four behind Mangrum, was Long John Barnum of Belmont, Mich., who added a 69 to his first round 67 for 136.

Six strokes back of Mangrum were four players, E. J. (Dutch) Harrison, Jerry Barber and two darkhorses, Bill Casper of Seattle and Cecil Harris of Whittier, Calif.

Barber shot a 67, Harrison a 69, Casper a 68 and Harris a 71.

Tied at 139 were Cary Middlecoff, with a 69; Marty Furgol, 68 Al Besselink, 70, and Ralph Blomquist, of nearby Glendale, 70.

Gene Littler, the 1955 winner, added a 69 to his first round 71 for 140, where he was tied with Bud Holscher of Apple Valley, Calif., where Mangrum lives, and J. F. Cleary of Hartford, Conn., Don Fairfield, Casey, Ill., and Walker Inman of Augusta, Ga.

And while Bolt and his tremendous round captured the fancy of a gallery estimated at more than 11,000, gathered under skies that were bright for most of the day, it was Mangrum who remained in the driver's seat.

Seattle's Casper was the only Northwest player listed among the top 25 scorers Saturday.

Henley Tops Gilchrist '5'

Henley jumped to a 14-4 first quarter lead and dominated the following three quarters of play Friday night at Gilchrist to whip the homestanding Grizzlies in a non-league cage encounter, 50-25.

Leading 25-11 at the half, Coach Al Fairchild's hoopsters enlarged their lead to a 33-16 count at the close of the third period's play.

Joe Arant pumped 14 points through the hoop to lead the Henley scoring, while Tommy Larson contributed 11 to the Gilchrist cause.

In the B game, Henley's juniors thumped Gilchrist 28-15.

Shortscore:

Pos	Henley (50)	Gilchrist (25)
F	Blofsky (1)	Warren (6)
F	Arnett (6)	Devine (2)
C	Montgomery (8)	Garner (3)
G	Arant (14)	Larson (11)
G	Cunningham (8)	Fogelquist (2)

Subs for Henley: Perry (6), Roberts (2), Miller (1), Searcy (4). Subs for Gilchrist: Finstad (1). Officials: Patske and Derrah.

Lakeview '5' Edges Burns

LAKEVIEW — Glenn Parkinson fired in two points with just five seconds remaining to play Friday night to give the Lakeview Honkers a 73-72 league victory over Burns. Parkinson's basket from close in erased a one-point Burns lead.

Lakeview staged a brilliant second half rally to overcome Burns's 38-28 lead at intermission time. The first and third quarter margins also favored the visitors from Central Oregon by scores of 21-17 and 58-55.

Ron Daron hit for 17 to lead the Lakeview attack with Mike Sullivan connecting for 15 more Honker points. Scott Russell, Pete Todish and Jim Larson led Burns' scoring with 17, 14 and 14 points respectively.

In the preliminary game, the Burns junior varsity whipped the Lakeview jayvees 56-37.

Fights

FRIDAY'S FIGHTS
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK (Madison Square Garden) — Eduardo Lausse, 159½, Argentina, and Milo Savage, 159, Salt Lake City, drew, 10.

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Al Lightner Tells Reason Of Forfeiture

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Referee Al Lightner told The Associated Press Saturday night that safety considerations prompted his unprecedented action in forfeiting the Pacific Coast Conference basketball game between California and Southern California.

"I was thinking not only of my personal safety but also of the players on the floor who might also have been hit or might have stepped on one of those pennies, slipped and fallen and broken a leg," Lightner declared in a telephone interview.

Lightner forfeited the game to Southern Cal Saturday after he was hit by a coin for the second time. Southern Cal was ahead 77-64 at the time with 3 minutes and 15 seconds left to play. That stands as the final score.

Lightner, who is sports editor of The Oregon Statesman at Salem, Ore., remarked that he had been a basketball official for 16 years, 11 of them in the PCC.

Never before, he said, had he "seen this happen, let alone be a part of it. It will never happen to me again here, because I will not work here again."

"I can't put my finger on anybody because I did not see anybody throw anything that hit me. But I do know that the objects that were thrown came from the California side of the rooting area. It might have been somebody, however, who was not associated with the university," he added.

After a coin hit him in the eye, he explained, he stopped the game, had a doctor check his injury and then had an announcer tell rooters over a public address system that any repetition would mean a forfeiture.

The second coin hit him in the back of the neck.

"I'll bet that last night and today I kicked at least 20 pennies off that floor," he concluded.

Because the penalty was not assessed against any player, Lightner ruled that the score should remain 77-64, rather than 2-0. Normally a 2-0 score is posted on a forfeiture.

Weed Victor Over Tulelake

The Weed High School Cougars handed Tulelake's Honkers the first loss of the season Friday night at Tulelake in a 53-44 game that gave the Cougars first place in the Siskiyou County basketball race.

Led by Jim Wilson's 18 points and 12 more stuffed in by Wade Blankinship, the Cougars rolled away from their foes in the second half to register the victory. Tule held a 14-12 lead at the close of the first quarter and also was atop the heap at the end of the first half by a 26-25 count. But Weed went ahead 37-35 in the third quarter and was never headed by the Honkers.

James Cunningham scored 18 to lead the Weed B team to a 65-41 victory over the Tulelake junior varsity team in the evening's preliminary game.

Shortscore:

Pos.	Tulelake (44)	Weed (53)
F	Adams (20)	Thomas (10)
F	Duckett (6)	Robinson (11)
C	Smith (6)	Wilson (18)
G	Dahle (10)	Blankinship (12)
G	Stump (0)	Clarke (2)

Officials: Brocchi and Douglas.

Pins and Strikes

By PINSPOTTER PETE

The hottest bowling streak seen in these parts for quite some time is the seven consecutive series in league play over the 600 mark by Gino Rosterolla. His three league series for the week just ended were 636-632-632 for a terrific 211 average.

We recently noted an advertisement in a bowling publication asking for a sonsor for a "promising tournament bowler." We don't have any idea who the advertiser is but it is our opinion that a better bet would be to back Gino Rosterolla.

Entries for the women's city championship tournament closed January 1st with the total entry larger than last year. There will be 27 teams trying for the diadem in that division and 41 doubles entries and 82 singles entries.

The high score for the season was equalled Tuesday night as Jim Boyle of the OTI Sports Equipment quintet racked up a 266. This matched the previous high game rolled by Ugo Mazier.

The bowling program entitled "Championship Bowling" went on the air last night over the Medford TV station. Viewers saw Joe Wilman defeat Paul Krumske. Wilman's scores of 258-256-218 were nothing short of sensational.

Mary Bothwell led the scoring for the women during the past week with a 532. Other 500's were Clara Beard, 520, LaRayne Harris 516 and Marge Ruger 500.

Entry blanks have been posted at Lucky Lanes for the All-Coast tournament at Albany. Last year this tournament paid out $45,458.60 in prizes and was the top money tournament on the west coast.

Entries in the annual city championships for the men are being received daily by city secretary George Thomas. Medford's city tournament now in progress boasts an entry of 66 teams out of a possible 70. Let's see if we can't beat Medford's mark by supporting our tournament with a 100 per cent entry.

BOWLING

ALLEY KATZ LEAGUE

	W	L
Griggs No. 3	53	15
Belcastro's	44½	23½
Balsiger Oil	43	25
Swan Lake	40	28
Perkins News	39	29
Troy V. Cook	38	30
Soran's Poultry	35½	32½
Saddle Club	29½	38½
Broiler	29½	38½
Payless Drugs	25	43
Medo-Land	21	47
Jack's Drive Inn	10	58

Last night's results:
Griggs 4 Soran's 0
Saddle Club 4 Broiler 0
Troy Cook 3 Belcastro's 1
Medo-Land 3 Jack's Drive Inn 1
Payless Drugs 3, Perkins News 1

High team game — Perkins News 895
High team series — Balsiger Oil 2466
High individual game — Vivian Collman 212
High individual series — Ruth Carr 481

JUNIOR BOYS LEAGUE

	W	L
Gutter Boys	25	5
Mustangs	19	11
Hot Shots	12	18
Short Sports	4	23

Last night's results:
Gutter Boys 3 Mustangs 0
Hot Shots 3 Short Sports 0

High team game—Hot Shots 889
High team series—Hot Shots 1700
High individual game—Keith Baxter 151
High individual series—Keith Baxter 253

JUNIOR GIRLS LEAGUE

	W	L
Fumbling Five	14	6
Smudge Pots	12	8
Cyclone Champs	11	9
Bowling Tornadoes	11	9
Alley Cats	8	12
Misses from Mars	4	16

Last night's results:
Misses from Mars 0 Fumbling Five 2
Cyclone Champs 0 Smudge Pots 2
Bowling Tornadoes 1 Alley Cats 1

High team game—Fumbling Five 712
High team series—Smudge Pots 1417
High individual game—Manine Hicks 132
High individual series—Emilee McNoise 231

HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE

	W	L
Strikers	12	3
Pin Cats	9	6
Beavers	7	8
Sixth Street Wreckers	6	6
Big Five	6	3
Hawkeyes	6	6
Grubbies	0	9
Wildcats	0	9
Pin Busters	6	0

Last night's results:
Pin Cats 2 Hawkeyes 1
Strikers 3 Beavers 0

High team game—Strikers 885
High team series—Strikers 1740
High individual game—Gordon Sellars 175
High individual series—Gordon Sellars 298

MOOSE PA'S LEAGUE

	W	L
Merrill Moose	45	23
Johnny's Tavern	42	26
O'Hair's Chapel	37	31
Klamath Printing	33	35
Lucky Lanes	26	42
C. P. & W. W. Ward	21	47

Last night's results:
O'Hair's 0 Lucky Lanes 4
Klamath Printing 0 Johnny's 4
Merrill Moose 2 C. P. & W. W. Ward 2

High team game—Merrill Moose 974
High team series—Johnny's Tavern 2721
High individual game—Mel Douglas 230
High individual series—Roy Harris 595

Oregon Tops Portland '5'

EUGENE (AP) — Oregon, still warming up for its first Pacific Coast Conference basketball game, overcame Portland University's pressing defense here Saturday night, 67-61.

Portland gave the victors about all the excitement they could stand, as the score was tied 14 times and the advantage changed 11 times. Oregon finally pulled in front to stay about six minutes from the end.

Guard Jerry Ross scored a field goal to give Oregon a 55-54 margin then, and his teammates gradually built onto that until they had their longest lead of the game, 63-56, with two minutes to go. They coasted in from there.

Portland's impressive little guard, 5-9 Jimmy Winters, again led his team, both in the ballhawking defense and in scoring. He tallied 15 points, high for the game. Forward Charley Franklin was the top scorer for Oregon with 13.

Another Oregon forward, Ray Bell, led his team in the first half. The score was tied eight times in that period, but Bell's rebounding and scoring finally put Oregon ahead, 35-31, at the half.

Franklin took over the burden in the second half.

A crowd of 5,461 watched Oregon extend its season record to five wins, against four defeats. Portland has an 8-3 record now.

Oregon has still another nonconference game scheduled here next Tuesday, against Washington.

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Byrne, Sugar Capture AP's Return Bows

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

A pitcher and a hitter—Tommy Byrne and Sugar Ray Robinson—are the stars of the two most dramatic comeback stories of sports in 1955.

Byrne, who once said it took him 15 years to learn to pitch, returned from the minor league obscurity to which his wildness had consigned him, and became one of the leading figures in the New York Yankees' drive to the American League pennant.

Robinson, who had retired from boxing about two years before when his great career seemed to have reached an end, came back to the ring and regained the middle-weight title from Bobo Olson in a stirring slugfest.

Byrne's return was picked as "Sports Comeback of the Year" by the sports writers and broadcasters participating in The Associated Press year-end poll with Robinson's a strong second.

Byrne earlier had been voted comeback honors for the American League by members of the Baseball Writers Assn. and the Wrigley Award of the Chicago Baseball Writers as baseball's outstanding comeback man.

The 36-year-old Wake Forest College alumnus had been Yankee property from 1940 until 1951 without ever learning the control essential for a top major league pitcher. The Yanks finally traded him to St. Louis.

The Browns and two other American League clubs gave up on him and he slipped into the minors. Then at Seattle in 1954 he learned to be a control pitcher and the Yankees bought him back.

Even at the start of the 1955 season, they weren't counting much on Tommy. But his steadiness and craftiness proved more effective than the fireball hurling of such young players as Bob Turley and Bryne finished the season with a 16-5 record—the best he ever had compiled.

Hockey Scores

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Cleveland 1, Springfield 1 (overtime tie)

EASTERN LEAGUE
Philadelphia 7, Baltimore 4

WESTERN LEAGUE
Seattle 4, Vancouver 2
Winnipeg 2, Brandon 1
Edmonton 4, Saskatoon 2
Victoria 4, New Westminster 0

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USC Trojans Top Cal In Forfeited Contest

BERKELEY, Calif. (AP) — The University of Southern California defeated the California Bears 77 to 65 here Saturday in a basketball game that was cut short 3 minutes 15 seconds when Referee Al Lightner called a forfeit against the California rooting section.

Lightner ruled after the game the score should stand as it was at the time the game was called, rather than reverting to the normal 2 to 0 forfeit score, since the penalty was not assessed against players of either team.

Lightner called the game because of a penny tossed onto the floor by a California rooter.

Five minutes earlier a penny had been thrown out and it bounced and hit Lightner in the eye. He stopped the game at that time and announced that if anything else was thrown onto the floor he would declare the forfeit.

FORFEITED

After the game, Lightner said he had never before forfeited a Coast Conference game.

Larry Hauser, who connected on 10 of 14 free throws for USC, was the game's high man with 29 points. Jack Lovrich hit on all seven of his floor shots and contributed 16 Trojan points.

Cal led for most of the first half but with 8 minutes left before the intermission the Trojans went ahead 19-18 on a field goal by Lovrich and were never headed again.

Coach Pete Newell benched all of his first team except Capt. Bob Blake late in the first half, explaining that they were tired from Friday night's game and were having trouble with rebounds. USC led 21-20 when the Cal subs went in and then piled an 11-point lead by half time.

RE-ENTERED

Cal's regulars re-entered the game at the start of the second half but USC's lead was never less than 10 points.

Larry Friend and Joe Hagler each scored 11 points for the losers.

Cal had won eight previous games and now has an 8-2 record. Southern Cal now has a 5-6 mark. The games Saturday and Friday night were the first of the Pacific Coast Conference season for both teams.

Lightner, who is sports editor of The Oregon Statesman at Salem, Ore., explained his calling the game in a brief statement, which said:

"I do not propose to put my personal safety in the hands of the California rooting section.

"I would be perfectly glad never to return to the California campus again."

The referee made it plain that it was the Cal rooters against whom he called the forfeit, rather than the team or non-affiliated fans elsewhere in the stands.

Jimenez Named To Shrine '11'

PORTLAND (AP) — Twenty-four man squads were named Saturday for the Shrine all-star high school football game in Portland next August.

The State squad, headed by Coach Pete Susick, whose Marshfield team won the class A-1 championship last fall, includes three players from Marshfield and three more from Vale, the state class A-2 champion.

Two were selected from the strong South Salem team and two more from Prineville, a power in class A-2 ranks. The other 14 players came from 14 scattered schools.

The Metropolitan Portland squad, headed by Coach Brad Ecklund, whose Gresham team was runner-up to Marshfield, includes three from Gresham, Jefferson and Washington with the others coming from schools in Portland and in the area from Gresham to St. Helens.

The squads are selected from seniors who will be graduated this year.

The State squad:

Centers: Bob Petersnon, Marshfield; Phil Soward, Ashland; Fred Pynes, St. Francis of Eugene.

Guards: Moe Jimenez, Klamath Falls; Ted Henry, Prineville; Monte Holst, Medford; Gerald Rogers, McMinnville.

Tackles: Arnold Slaven, Grants Pass; Ken Mundt, Albany; Howard Wagner, Coquille; John Wilcox, Vale.

Ends: Dick Woolstenhulme, Roseburg; Gene Bates, Vale; Ron Anderson, Bend, Dale Jones, South Salem.

Quarterbacks: Sandy Fraser, Marshfield; Sam Haynes, Pendleton.

Halfbacks: Denny Baker, Marshfield; Derald Swift, Vale; LeMoyne Mapes, South Salem; Jerry Doman, Ontario; Dale Shumway, Prineville.

Fullbacks: Jim Stinette, Corvallis; Dave Powell, Eugene.

Alternates: centers; Wally Gretz, Corvallis; guards; Larry Hines, Marshfield; Barry House, McMinnville; Jerry Watanbe, Vale, and Bill Carson, Junction City; tackles: George Mackey, Tillamock; Jack Hunter, Vale, Jim Lockman, Corvallis; Wayne Peterson, Junction City; ends: Lynne Creasy, Marshfield; Jerry Miles, Hermiston; Backs: Perry Stubberfield, McMinnville; Bruce Ridinger, Albany; Nib Clark, Oakridge; Taylor Smith, Vale; Gary Capser, Junction City; Dean Castle, Cottage Grove, and Duane Sherwood, Coquille.

Coaches: Pete Susick, Marshfield, head coach; Dutch Kawasoe, Vale, and Spike Leslie, Coquille, assistants.

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PULLMAN, Wash. (AP) — With forward Larry Beck hitting from outside and guard Dick Rask driving for layups, Washington State came from behind to beat Oregon State 58-53 Saturday night and gain a split in a 2-game Pacific Coast Conference series.

It was a personal triumph of sorts for Rask, who was playing in place of Bob Reichert, who was dropped from the team earlier this week for failing to report for practice.

The 5-foot-11 sophomore guard collected 16 points, many at key points in the game, and was little short of sensational on floor play.

Beck, 6-foot-3 junior forward, got 15 of his points in WSC's come-from-behind second half.

The Cougars trailed 29-24 at intermission and it wasn't until Oregon State made a position shift that they really got rolling.

Dave Gambee, OSC's 6-foot-6 sophomore center, collected his fourth personal foul early in the second half and was moved out of the key.

The Beaver offense sagged and Gambee, who collected 15 points in the first half, added only six more in the remainder of the game. But his 21-point total was high for the night.

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