

Owls, Pelicans To Meet Grid Foes On Modoc

OT Opens OCC Play Saturday

Rex Hunsaker's Oregon Tech Owls turn to the blue chips this weekend as they move from their previous non-league football meetings into the first go-around of the Oregon Collegiate Conference 1956 grid season against Portland State College.

Game time for Modoc Field's Saturday night contest is 7:30. In the first three games of the year, Tech has compiled a 2-1 record against junior college opponents, but now the Owls must face the onslaught of their four-year conference members in the battle of OCC honors. The Portland State game Saturday evening will be Tech's first step towards any title.

As the Technicians open their 1956 conference season, Hunsaker was still in doubt as to the services of OT's ace quarterback Bob Stoy, who was in the hospital earlier this week with a leg injury. The Oregon Tech mentor reported that if there is any doubt as to Stoy's physical well-being, "we will not risk the boy for one football game."

Tommy Carion, the pint-sized Tech halfback with piston-driven speed, was in bed Wednesday with a cold and sore throat, but Hunsaker indicated he will be back and ready to match strides with the Vikings Saturday night. All of the other Owl footballers should be at the top strength for their conference debut.

Tech will open with Al Van Lewen and either Charles Eccleston or Wes Parrish at the two wing posts, while Al Jones and Frank Wilson will hold down the guard slots. Two freshmen tackles, Richard Perlick and Tom Wylie are expected to draw starting spots, while the center chores will be given to Armand Mayzell. Other OTI linemen slated for lots of action include tackle Norm Kollen and center Bob Baker.

Starting for Tech in the backfield will probably be Charlie Gantner at quarterback, Carion and either Carl Pastore or Benton Ollison at halfbacks and "Hurrying" Hugh Amen at fullback. Ollison has been running from the fullback post, but to take advantage of both his and Amen's power plays, Hunsaker and backfield coach Ralph Carr made the switch.

For Portland State, coach Ralph Davis will have an all-veteran backfield to start against the Owls. At quarterback will be Harvey Neftendorf, while big Chuck Withers will handle the fullback's line-busting duties. Running mates at halfback for the Vikings will be Curtis Knight and Lee Foster. Knight and Withers were two of the conference's leading ground gainers last year.

In the line for PSC will be Dave Starbuck and Bob Wiel at end, Bob Wheeler and Bill Jargadine at tackles, Jim Clegg and Phil Klug at guard and Pete Beer at center. Wheeler and Klug are the "big men" in the PSC front line at 215 pounds, but the other six starters will range from 170 to 200 giving the visitors a line average of 196 pounds per man. Tech's front wall will average in at about 204.

Medford Hosts Oregon Tourney

MEDFORD, Ore. (AP) — The Oregon Golf Assn. tournament, a medal play affair, opened here Friday with defending champion Bob Prall of Portland on hand to take another try for the title.

Also in the field of 100 were Bruce Cudd, the Walker Cup player from Portland, and George Harrington, who won this event three years ago.

With no qualifying round scheduled, the field plays 18-hole rounds Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Fights

MONCTON, N.B. — Yvon Durelle, 179, Baie Ste. Anne, N.B., outpointed Chubby Wright, 187, Reading, Pa., 10.

PHILADELPHIA — Kid Chocolate, 122, Trenton, N.J., outpointed Clifton Bradley, 127½, Philadelphia, 8.

PARIS — Tanny Campos, 110½, Philippines, outpointed Stanis Soblak, 116½, France, 10.



FLYING INTO THIS Saturday night's game with Portland State is Oregon Tech's letterman guard, Al Jones. Jones, who was shifted from end to guard this year has "come through" for the Owls and has been leading the Tech forward wall in the past few games. Game time is 7:30.

Miami, Ukes Open October College Grid Play Tonight

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Hopful Miami and harassed UCLA kick off October's first weekend of football tonight and even competition from the World Series can't detract from the widespread interest in what's to follow. The sophomore-loaded Florida, 14-6 winners over South Carolina in their opener last week, face untested Boston College as they seek another season as successful as last year's. Miami was 18th in the final 1955 ratings by The Associated Press poll of sports writers and broadcasters. This week's poll put Miami in a 13th place tie with Illinois.

UCLA, last year's Pacific Coast Conference champion, is trying to balance its remaining manpower after penalties inflicted for illegal payments to athletes. The Uclans took a thumping from Michigan last week and now they face Oregon, which with two non-league victories, appears one of the stronger conference teams.

A Skyline Conference game between Denver and Montana and an interconference tilt between George Washington and Hardin-Simmons rounds out the major Friday night program. Then comes a tremendous Saturday schedule with heavy emphasis on interconference games.

Nine of the top ten teams in the current AP ratings are listed for important contests with Michigan State (No. 2) and Michigan (No. 3) meeting at Ann Arbor in the headline. This game could well decide the Big Ten championship, although both Michigan State and defending champion Ohio State (No. 4) are ineligible for the Rose Bowl.

Michigan gave a very impressive performance in its 42-13 opening victory over UCLA last week, but so did State in beating Stanford 21-3. Stanford travels east

this week to face Ohio State's Buckeyes. Oklahoma, which easily held its No. 1 rating in a 36-0 opening victory over North Carolina, goes after its 32nd consecutive victory against Kansas State, already beaten twice. Georgia Tech (No. 3) has an open date. For the next five teams it's Mississippi (6) vs. Houston, Pittsburgh (7) at California, Texas Christian (8) vs. Arkansas, Tennessee (9) at Duke in a real toughie and Southern California at Wisconsin.

The Big Ten is involved in three more important interconference games — Iowa-Oregon State, Northwestern-Tulane and Washington-Illinois — and a conference clash between Minnesota and Purdue. Indiana faces Notre Dame, which had a week off after losing its opener to Southern Methodist.

Robinson Says Bums Fear Yogi, Not Mick

BROOKLYN (AP) — The Yankee most feared by the Dodgers is not Mickey Mantle — it's Yogi Berra, says Brooklyn's Jackie Robinson. "That's the man who hurts us most," said the veteran infielder of the hustling New York catcher. "We'd a lot rather have Mantle up there in a tight spot than Berra."

Although Mantle is the American League's triple offense champion — batting leader at .353, home run king with 52 and tops in runs batted-in with 130 — the Dodgers, says Jackie, are more afraid of Yogi's ability to come through in a clutch.

"We figure that if we can stop Berra, we can stop the Yankees. If Berra is hot, we figure we're in bad trouble. This is a fighter — he'll try to whip you with a toothpick."

Robinson said the Dodgers get a particular kick out of beating the Yankees because of the "aura of invincibility that has been built up around them."

"We don't look on them as a bunch of prima donnas," added the Brooklyn third baseman. "We respect them as tough ball players."



LITTLE BUT MIGHTY, that's the slogan of these two KUHS footballers. Above left, Ken Kuhlman, and Pete Barnhisel, right, are expected to be seeing action tonight against Boise at Modoc Field. The combined weight of the pair of bantams is just a little more than the Braves single largest gridders. Kuhlman weighs 130, Barnhisel heavier at 145.

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Oregon's Top Prep Clubs Await Action

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

All of Oregon's top 10 high school football teams will be in action Friday night, and each is favored to win.

Marshfield, No. 1 in the Associated Press poll since the start of the season and defending state champion, travels to Roseburg for a class A-1 district 5 game.

Medford, No. 2, will be host to Central Point in a district 6 contest.

Third-ranked Eugene of district 5 may run into trouble when it goes to South Salem of district 8. Albany, rated fourth, will play a district 8 game at Sweet Home.

Beaverton, No. 5, should have little difficulty with David Douglas of Portland in a district 3 game. Gresham, No. 6, will try to take another step to retain its district 3 title with a win over Central Catholic of Portland.

Grants Pass, No. 7, moves out of the state for a game with Longview.

Eighth-ranked Springfield of district 5 travels to Redmond of district 8. McMinnville, No. 9, is ex-

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KUHS, Boise Vie In Parents-Patrons Tilt

It will be "Parents and Patrons Night" this evening at Modoc Field as the Klamath Union High School Pelicans play host to the invading Braves of Boise High in the last non-league battle of the season for the local preppers.

Game time is 8 o'clock.

The KUHS Parents and Patrons club is inviting and urging all parents of Klamath Union students to turn out to the ball game. This is a part of the club's membership drive which is now underway. All of the money taken in by the P and P will be used for a scholarship for some deserving senior graduate next spring.

But while the Parents and Patrons are looking for new members, the Pelican football team will be out to put an end to their current three-game losing streak and pick up the loose ends of their final non-counting grid play against Boise. After winning their first game, the Pels bounced right back to drop three in a row to Eugene, Reno and Redding.

Coach John McGinnis' chargers were at high spirits this week in hopes of pulling this game out of the fire. But injuries in Wednesday night's practice sessions cut down the chance of the Whitebirds of winning two games in the first five.

McGinnis said Tommy "T-Mod" Farrell and Mike Albo are limping, but may see limited action. Fullback Frank Ballard and halfback Richard Egan are definitely out for this game, and the big question mark today was the physical condition of the Pels' star halfback Lee McGill, who suffered a leg injury Wednesday evening.

The starting lineup for the Pels—barring the injury bug—will probably find quarterback Butch Kimpton and fullback Bill Shreeve running with halfbacks Lee McGill and Richard Humphrey in the KU backfield. Should McGill be out, then Joe Linman, Bill Steiner or any number of Pels may draw the starting job.

In the front line, McGinnis is expected to go along with Albo and either Larry Brown or John Wright at end, Paul Bilant and Dave Riley at tackle, Al Selinger and Tarey Schell at guard, and Cal Tichenor at center.

For Boise, who's line will average near the 185-pound level, coach Gene Cooper will have standout fullback Gary Rogstad leading the Braves' multiple-offensive thrust against the Pelicans. Rogstad is one of the few Boise lettermen back from last year's team, but is regarded as one of Idaho's finest prep backs. Working with Rogstad in the backfield will probably be halfbacks Darrell Wilson, the team's leading scorer, and Dawn Fannin. At quarterback directing Boise will be Chuck Sherman.

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