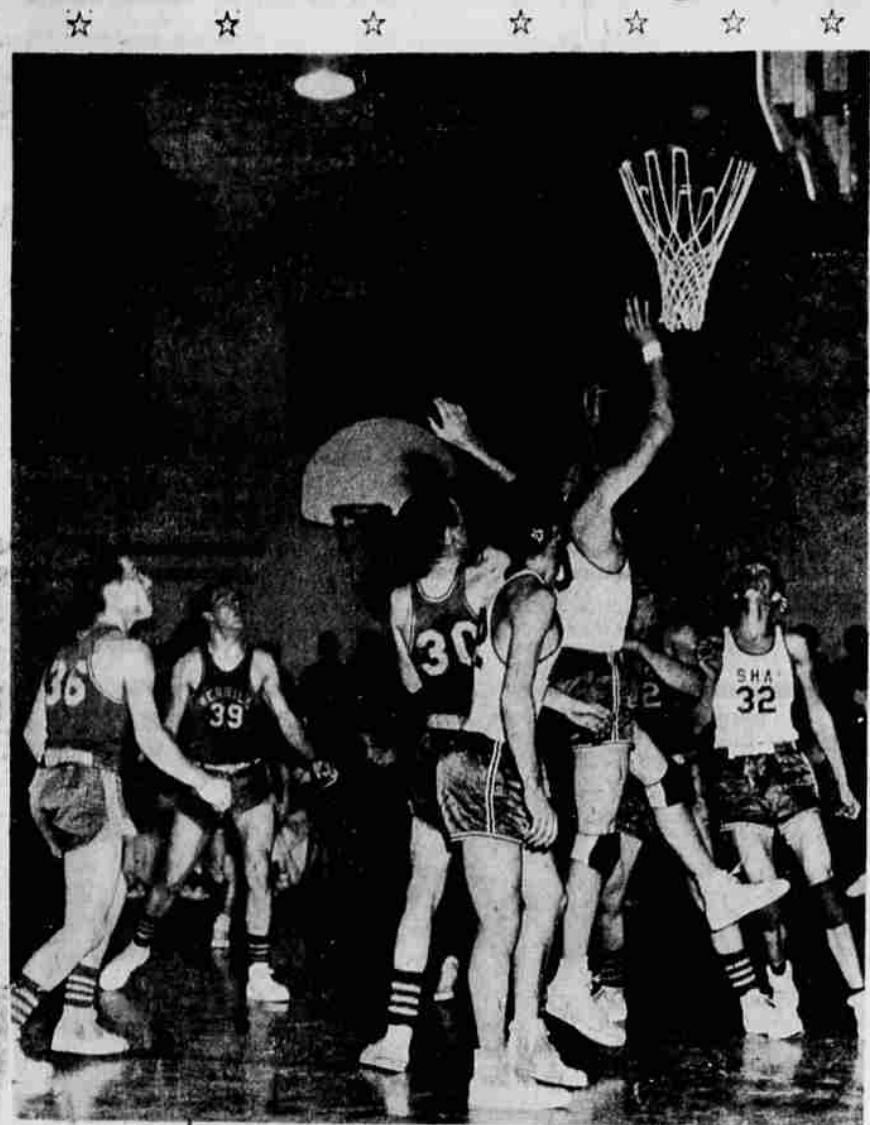


Merrill Huskies Whip Sacred Heart Trojans, 54-29



ANDRE DEBEL goes high with a try for a two-pointer as Merrill star Laney (30) waits for a possible rebound steal from Amberg of SHA as he sidles in for the ball. Standing ready on the left are Huskies, Johnson (36) and Maupin (39). Sacred Heart's Don Collins lends some body-english from the right. Merrill swept the court with a 54-29 score.

Laney, Maupin, Score 30 Counters To Lead Victors

In a county "B" league basketball game at Sacred Heart Academy gym Friday night the Merrill Huskies boosted their conference record to 5 wins against 3 losses by solidly thumping the Sacred Heart Trojans, 54-29.

The Huskies' triumph, played by the flu and an inability to hit the basket, have only one win against eight losses for their conference record to date.

Merrill got away to a 10-7 lead in the first quarter and then sharpened their weapons to carve out a 26-13 mark by the halfway point.

The third quarter saw both teams score evenly as Merrill came out on top of a 38-24 count.

The Huskies' sharpest "weapon" proved to be a trio of ball-hungry cagers who controlled the backboards beautifully throughout the game. Perry Laney, eagle-eye forward for the Malin quintet was top dog for the test with 16 counters, all from the field. Forward Bud Maupin turned in a creditable 14 point performance with six field goals and a pair of free tosses. In third place was Doug Everett who collected 12 tallies.

The Merrill five threw up a tight zone defense to force the Trojans to shoot from the outside. The Sacred Heart quint couldn't find the range as shot after shot fell off or short only to be cleared by the Merrill hustlers.

George Hurley and Don Collins were the principal shotmakers for

Action, Suspense Shown In Color In Wildlife Movie

The much-talked about Jim Bond Show—camera action shots of wary mule deer bucks, big bears, honking geese and fishing—will be presented in the Mills School auditorium, Monday and Tuesday at 8 p.m. The two-hour color feature will be sponsored by the Klamath Junior Chamber of Commerce.

With his unusual gift of color photography and his vast knowledge of wild animals, Bond has been able to capture on film the intrigue and wonderment of wild life in its natural habitat. He studied forestry at the University of California and has spent his life studying and photographing game animals. Most of his trips are sponsored by state and Canadian provincial governments.

Bond is the author of four widely read outdoor books and many stories in such magazines as Outdoor Life, Field and Stream and The American Rifleman. He was the first man west of the Mississippi to be chosen a judge in the famed Boone and Crockett Club of New York, a division of The American Museum of Natural History.

Archery Club Moves Range

LAKEVIEW — The indoor shooting range of the Lakeview Bowmen has been moved from its former location at the municipal airport and is now established in the basement of the Elks Building.

The range is open to the archery club members every evening, but Monday night is reserved for those taking part in the Oregon Bowhunters indoor mail tournament. Wednesday night is the regular meeting night.

Those who are not club members but are interested in the sport can take advantage of the indoor range facilities by contacting any one of six persons who have done keys, Norman Harris, Al Getty, Walter Scheiderer, Frances McNeely, Wayland Plier, or Dean Elliott. Seating has been arranged for spectators.

Entertainment is provided for the children in a room set aside for them. A shuffleboard has been donated for this by Tommy Reed. The earlier portion of the evening, except on Wednesday, will be devoted to the youngsters' archery activities.

Open house is being planned for a new future date to which the various archery clubs in the area will be invited.

Elliott, as chairman of the game committee for the Oregon Bowhunters, and Dick McGraw, field governor from the Lakeview Bowmen, attended meetings of both groups at Bend last weekend. The various issues such as hunting seasons, open areas, etc. were discussed for recommendation at a later meeting with the State Game Commission.

Election of officers for the local club will take place in March.

BREAK HEALS

KANSAS CITY (UP)—Pitcher Ralph Terry, who suffered a fractured hip in an automobile accident last Nov. 10, sent in his signed contract to the Kansas City Athletics Saturday and informed them he was completely sound again.

SPORTS



PICTURED IS ONE happy group of grade-schoolers, who participated in the big basketball jamboree held on Pelican Court Friday night. Over 200 eager youngsters entertained a capacity crowd of delighted parents, brothers, sisters and friends in the event sponsored by the Pelican Boosters. Shown, from left to right, front row, Mike Ferguson, Ronnie Hermann, Sam Redkey, referee, and Ford Kimpton, head of the referee's association. In the back row, left to right, Lanny Guyer, Steven Hodge, Jim Delyea, Danny Kettler and Jan Gippo.

Football, Basketball Happy; Baseball Sad Over Rulings

NEW YORK (UP)—Football and basketball appeared happy today with prospective federal legislation for pro sports, but about all baseball could say for the bill was "thanks for nothing."

In brief, the bill would make only commercial aspects of baseball, football, basketball and ice hockey—concessions, ticket sales, stadium rentals, etc.—liable to antitrust laws. Other aspects—reserve clauses, player drafts, franchise systems, territorial rights, etc.—which are "reasonably necessary" to the sports would escape monopoly jurisdiction.

It's that "reasonably necessary" phrase which troubles baseball, and even some members of the subcommittee.

Particularly upsetting to baseball officials was the fact the House Antitrust Subcommittee threw the television problem back into their laps.

North Bend Falls Victim

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

One team in the top 10 of the Associated Press Poll was upset Friday and another was threatened.

Grant of Portland, the powerful No. 1 team, came through with another lop-sided basketball victory.

The upset occurred when unranked Springfield, powered by Dick Manilla's 17 points, downed fifth-ranked North Bend 59-48.

South Eugene rated No. 3, came within a whisper of being defeated but pulled out a 55-53 triumph over sixth-ranked Marshfield despite 26 points by Mel Counts.

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Ski Report

TOMAHAWK SKI BOWL

Seven inches of new snow have fallen on top of three feet of packed snow to make skiing conditions ideal at the Tomahawk bowl.

A lunch counter, operating in conjunction with the ski lodge, is available during skiing hours.

Tows, both rope and Poma lift, are in operation from 10 until 4 p.m. A ski school conducted by Joe Ward, former ski instructor from Sun Valley will be held on this Sunday.

Rental equipment available at the Tomahawk lodge includes skis, boots and poles.

First aid facilities and a ski patrol are provided.

Fridays will be primarily devoted to the beginning skier; though should sufficient skiers turn out, the tows will be put in operation.

MOUNT SHASTA

Visitors to Snowman's Hill will find three inches of new powder snow over a packed base of 30 inches.

With clear weather forecast, Manager Gordon Hart expects the season's largest crowd.

Weather permitting, the twice-postponed hare and hounds race will be held this Sunday, Hart said.

Among the visitors will be the Fliers' and Skiers' clubs from Chico.

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Oregon State's Beavers bungled a fine chance to catch up with the Pacific Coast Conference leaders last week.

The Beavers, upset by Washington last weekend, recovered their poise quickly Friday night and belted the Oregon Ducks 82-62 at Eugene.

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The Beavers hopped into an early 13-4 lead over Oregon Friday night and held an advantage of 10 points or more from then on OSC's 6-foot, 7-inch Dave Gambee led all scorers with 24 points. Charlie Franklin, who popped in 35 points for Oregon against Idaho last week, scored 22 Friday night.

At Seattle, Doug Smart put Washington ahead of Stanford with a hook shot in the early moments and helped keep the Huskies in front all the way with a performance that ultimately netted him 29 points. Bill Stady scored 21 for Washington and Paul Neumann was high for Stanford with 13.

In a non-conference game Friday night, UCLA dropped Santa Clara 77-58 at Bakersfield, Calif. An experimental rule requiring each team to shoot within 30 seconds of gaining possession of the ball was in force. But neither team was called for an infraction.

Basketball Scores

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS	
EAST	
Syracuse 62, Georgetown (DC) 46	Willamina 51, Dayton 40
Fairmont 101, Concord 91	St. Paul 60, Perrydale 40
Scranton 98, Elizabethtown 75	Dufur 53, Cascade Locks 55
New York AC 71, Wesleyan 66	Star of the Sea (Astoria) 59, Nehalem 41
Iona 81, Lafayette 74	Vale 46, Nyssa 43
Colby 72, Trinity (Conn.) 55	Toledo 72, Walpole 33
Adelphi 73, Brooklyn College 69	Springfield 59, North Bend 48
SOUTH	
Kentucky 78, Florida 56	Mapleton 65, Taft 40
West Virginia 103, Florida State 51	Roseburg 71, Cottage Grove 47
Miss. Southern 70, New Orleans 61	Bend 59, Prineville 32
Loyola 58	Newport 59, Florence 46
East Carolina 62, West Carolina 61	Wy'East 59, Rainier 46
North Carolina A&T 63, Virginia State 50	Dallas 49, Molalla 42 (overtime)
Florida A&M 82, Alabama State 76	Philomath 45, Banks 26
MIDWEST	
Oklahoma City 67, Western Kentucky 59	Tillamook Catholic 45, Jewell 44
Texas Southern 80, Wayne (Mich.) 43	Grants Pass 47, Ashland 43
North Central Ill. 79, Lake Forest 67	Tigard 61, Forest Grove 52
Baker 94, Kan. Wesleyan 58	Beaverton 62, Gresham 54
Springfield (Mo) 68, Warrensburg (Mo) 56	Astoria 56, Parkrose 38
Wayne (Neb.) 63, Peru 59	Hillsboro 49, David Douglas (Portland) 44
Chadron 78, Kearney 67	Milwaukee 38, Central Catholic (Portland) 35
Kansas City Univ. 85, Omaha 82	West Linn 46, Oregon City 45
SOUTHWEST	
Arkansas State Tchrs 70, Arkansas A&M 63	McMinnville 56, Oswego 45
San Houston 74, Trinity (Tex) 58	Nestucca 64, Clatskanie 37
FAR WEST	
UCLA 77, Santa Clara 56	Seaside 48, Warrenton 37
Oregon State 82, Oregon 62	Salem Academy 61, Amity 31
Brigham Young 67, Utah State 55	Medford 54, Central Point 53
Washington 69, Stanford 58	Talent 56, Jacksonville 39
Utah 66, Hawaii 54	Sherman 43, Culver 36
San Francisco 52, Los Angeles Loyola 38	Klickitat (Wash.) 81, Mosier 53
Nevada 64, Calif. Aggies 37	Turner 57, Serrad (Salem) 54
College of Idaho 78, Pacific 55	Madras 56, Redmond 55
Gonzaga 84, St. Martins (Wash.) 66	Baker 52, La Grande 40
Seattle 64, Portland 60	Lakeview 60, Burns 40
Humboldt 81, San Francisco State 54	Harrisburg 69, Brownsville 58
Fresno State 93, San Diego State 65	Concordia 43, Portland Christian 41
Portland League	
Idaho State 78, Adams State 58	South Eugene 55, Marshfield 53
Oregon Tech 64, Portland State 34	Pendleton 51, Milton-Freewater 42
Linfield 81, Oregon Education 51	St. Helen's 74, Newberg 39
Southern Oregon 78, Eastern Oregon 71	Reedsport 47, Bandon 38
Idaho Mines 79, Western Colo. 74	Bullitt Falls 38, St. Mary's 35
Western Montana 87, Carroll (Mont) 46	Duggings 53, Eagle Point 52
Northwest Nazarene 70, Westminster (Utah) 69	Sisters 66, Maupin 38
Northern Montana 72, Eastern Montana 66	
Pepperdine 77, College of Pacific 67	
Central Wash. 64, Puget Sound 50	
Pacific Lutheran 87, Eastern Wash. 68	
Lewis-Clark 87, Whitman 71	

Tatlow Renamed Rifleman Official

Raymond R. Tatlow has been re-appointed an official referee for registered smallbore rifle, high-power rifle and pistol for 1953 it was announced in Washington, D.C., recently by the National Rifle Association of America.

The official is now eligible to officiate at all registered NRA shooting tournaments throughout the United States and its possessions.

The referee has been associated with the shooting sport for several years and is a well-known competitor in his own right.

The National Rifle Association is the governing body for all organized shooting in this country, and conducts the regional and national championships, and maintains all official American shooting records.

Seattle's Castellani Drooms Over Freshman 'Johnny O'

SEATTLE (UP)—There's a kid named Johnny O'Brien playing freshman basketball at Seattle University who has variety coach John Castellani drooling in anticipation.

How's that?

You say Johnny O'Brien has already graduated from SU? You say he tossed in 2,733 points in three seasons and in 1953 was named to the All-American team. And then he and his twin brother, Eddie, signed professional basketball contracts. And today—

It's not that Johnny O'Brien.

This Johnny O. is a 6-3 guard out of Memorial High School of West New York, N.J., and his coach, Vince Cazzetta, thinks he has the makings of a great basketball player.

"This kid is a tremendous driver," says Cazzetta. "He has a good jump shot from around the key, is a good outside shooter and a rugged rebounder."

"And like the original Johnny O., he has a couple of other qualities that every coach wants in a player—determination and a fighting spirit."

This Johnny O. may not score in the same league with the original magic eye, but he isn't doing bad either.

Current averages find him running neck and neck with another guard, Charley Karach, his running mate in high school. O'Brien currently is hitting for a 17.6 per game mark and Karach an even 19.

Between them this pair notched 46 points in one game and then did even better with a 69-point output in another contest.

The Johnny O'Brien of 1951-52

33 vintage freely admitted he couldn't guard his own lunch pail.

The current O'Brien is a good defensive player.

"He has good speed," says Cazzetta, "and he's big enough to make it rugged off the backboards. Defensively, he's getting better all the time."

Cazzetta also rates his O'Brien a slick passer and a good floater. He and Karach have that rare ability to take charge when the going gets rough and already this season have pulled the Papezoses out of several holes with last-minute rallies.

No wonder Castellani is drooling.

"Just imagine," he says, "a guard six feet, three inches tall who can run and shoot."

Not the original O'Brien, you understand, but a mighty good namesake.

Fullmer Listens To Sugary Offer

SEATTLE (UP)—An offer of \$5,000 or a percentage of the gate has been made Gene Fullmer of West Jordan, Utah, for a Seattle fight this spring with Lou Joseph, local southpaw middleweight.

Fullmer, former middleweight champion, has a match slated with Bob Provizzi Feb. 21.

Ingo Lucchesi, local matchmaker, said Mary Jensen—Fullmer's manager—promised to consider the offer.

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