

Herald and News SPORTS

Friday, October 24, 1958 KLAMATH FALLS, OREGON Page 1 Sec. B

Owls Idle, But Other OCC Clubs Battle This Weekend

OREGON COLLEGIATE CONFERENCE

	W	L	Pct.	PF	PA
Ore. Tech	3	9	1.000	98	27
Ore. College	2	0	1.000	41	14
Southern Ore.	1	1	.500	21	54
Eastern Ore.	0	2	.000	13	46
Portland St.	0	3	.000	20	68

Saturday's Schedule
Southern Oregon at Oregon College
Eastern Oregon at Portland State
Oregon Tech, bye

Although coach Rex Hunsaker's Oregon Tech Owls take it easy this weekend with no football action scheduled, the other four Oregon Collegiate Conference members are battling down to the wire as the OCC season draws to a close for one of the schools.

Oregon Tech has the weekend

off. A scheduled game with Malstrom Air Base was canceled, leaving the Techmen an open date. The next play for the Mile High Campus Owls is November 1 at Monmouth when the OTI club faces its "jinx" rival, Oregon College of Education.

Saturday, Southern Oregon hopes to move back into contention for the conference title it won last season in a game at Oregon College of Education. The Raiders are 1-1 after being clobbered 40-0 by OTI last Saturday. Oregon College is still undefeated in conference play holding a 2-0 rating.

Portland State and Eastern Oregon square-off in a battle of the winless. Neither the Vikings nor Mounties have been able to pocket a conference triumph this year.

And this is Portland State's last conference game of the season, so time is running out on the Portlanders.

The Southern Oregon-OCE clash could turn out to be one of the most crucial contests played in the conference this season. Should the Raiders trip up the Wolves, then idle Oregon Tech would be guaranteed of at least a tie for the conference championship regardless of what the Techmen do next weekend when they go to Monmouth. But should OCE win, and on home field they're solid favorites, OTI would need a victory to claim the conference crown for 1958 in the game a week from Saturday.

Even though the Owls had the time free of any scheduled game, Hunsaker mapped out a full week of practice for his club, priming them for the "Big Battle" next Saturday against OCE. The Wolves and Owls are old enemies on the football field, but every time out, the Techmen have suffered.

Oregon Tech has never beaten Oregon College of Education on the football field. But for the first time since the two schools joined in the athletic conference, the Owls are expected to field a team comparable in experienced footballers since this is the first year for OTI playing as a four-year school, not a junior college.

Some of the week's practice time was spent on trying to fill the hole left vacant when offensive end Bob Bleggi was sent to the sidelines—probably for the season—with a knee injury. Bleggi was hurt in the Southern Oregon game last Saturday and was in a local hospital through midweek until his release. But attending doctors indicate there is some doubt that the San Francisco gridders will get back into action this season.

Heading up the list of possible replacements for Bleggi is letterman Ralph Norgaard. Besides Norgaard, Hunsaker and line coach George Miller are also thinking of getting a look at defensive ends Norm Hooper and Dale McCulloch to share the offensive end assignments.



When Klamath Falls voters step into the booths on election day, November 4, one of the issues to meet them will be the proposal to increase the Park and Recreation Department's tax-allocation by two mills, providing an over all \$27,900 debt limitation.

A perfectly human reaction is to look slightly askance at anything remotely concerning an increase in taxes and a person can hardly be blamed for that.

Be that as it may, however, taxes are here to stay and as we grow and progress certain portions of our annual tax bill have to keep pace.

The Park and Recreation Department proposal deserves honest consideration from every individual in our community old enough to vote.

Why does the PR Department need additional funds and what will they do with the money if granted?

Good questions . . . easily answered.

The PRD, in handling an operation covering approximately 481 acres (including the wide of Moore Park), has a personnel force of only six full time employees (counting office help).

Since 1950 the population of Klamath Falls has grown from 15,000 to its present size of 29,000 plus. Participation and attendance at the park facilities have increased 245 per cent, from 350,000 in 1950 to 860,619 in 1958. PRD per capita income from taxes in 1950 was \$3.34; today it is \$2.70. Neither of these figures have ever compared well with the national standard which calls for \$7.50 per capita.

It has been observed that our youngsters deserve to be given a recreational opportunity much closer to a par with others throughout the nation.

Yet these figures are actual fact; at a time when our population has increased 30 per cent, park participation has increased 245 per cent and maintenance and operation costs have increased 40 per cent, the park department has experienced a \$1 per capita decrease in funds.

The "Why's" seem obvious. Now, what will happen to the money once allotted?

None of the money asked is to go for procuring more land, or to building increased facilities. It will be easily spent in actually maintaining and operating, sensibly, our present facilities.

For example: (1) To improve buildings and apparatus in all the existing areas. (2) Improve lake front at Moore Park. (3) Resurface tennis courts. (4) Clear youth camping areas. (5) Maintenance and operation of Kit Carson Park. (6) Improve picnic facilities. (7) Modernize animal exhibits at Moore. (8) Reconstruction of bear pen and repair duck pond. (9) Reroof Gem Stadium. (10) Install irrigation system, turf and landscape Moore Park entrance. (11) Install sprinklers and plant grass at Finley, Richmond and Lookout play areas. (12) Develop sledding areas. (13) Over-all higher level of maintenance of all areas. (14) To provide recreation leadership for a broad balance program of activities with particular emphasis on physical fitness for youth.

Yes, it will definitely increase taxes. The Park and Recreation Department proposal means approximately an additional \$1.15 a year in taxes per the average family in Klamath Falls.

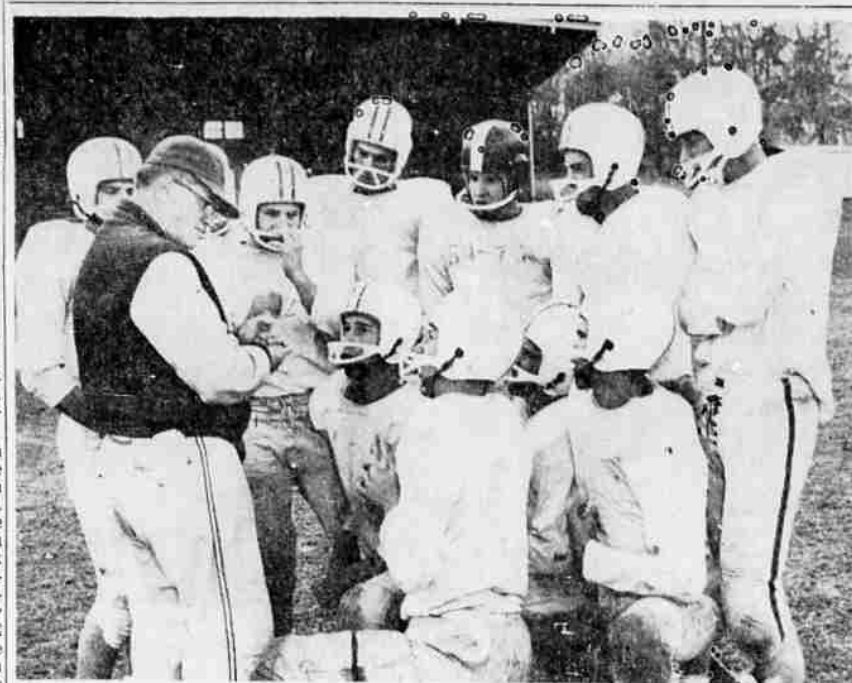
Not very much money is it?

Vote For
R. R. (Bob) Walker
Democratic Candidate For
County Commissioner

I will work to make our own Klamath County No. 1 in Oregon, 27 successful business years and 4 years mayor of Merrill.

R.R. Bob Walker
Paid Ad.

Pels Set For Homecoming Clash



PLAN OF ATTACK — KU head football coach Andy Knudsen and a group of his grid-ders huddle over some new offensive moves planned for tonight's Southern Oregon Conference game with the Grants Pass Cavemen on Modoc Field. The Pelicans spent the week's practice sessions working on both different offensive patterns and defensive strategy set to stop the speedy Grants Pass attack.

KU Gridders Peak For Cavemen Test

SOUTHERN OREGON CONFERENCE

	W	L	Pct.
Grants Pass	2	0	1.000
Medford	2	0	1.000
Klamath Falls	0	1	.000
Ashland	0	1	.000
Central Point	0	2	.000

Steve Stiles who suffered a hip "pointer," spent the week working on a new series of offensive moves destined to confuse the Cavemen. Stress was also placed on defensive work designed to stop the light, speedy Grants Pass backs.

A light workout Thursday afternoon brought to a close the Klamath Union Pelicans gridiron preparations for tonight's Southern Oregon Conference football game with the Grants Pass Cavemen on Modoc Field.

Game time is 8 o'clock. At the end of one of the most high-spirited sessions ever witnessed on the Pel practice field, coach Andy Knudsen observed, "Mentally, the boys are ready for Grants Pass; their spirit is great—physically I believe they will give these Cavemen a real tough time. The Grants Pass club is speedier than Medford but they don't have the depth that Medford has. They're second, third and fourth string teams aren't so tough—that's what happened last week. They just wore us down."

The enthusiasm reflected by Knudsen and his squad was reflected by the entire student body as the school prepared for the Grants Pass invasion, the game to be the KU Homecoming.

More than half of the student body turned out in a cheering mass Thursday night to attend a huge pep rally staged around a roaring bonfire. The crowning of Carol Taylor as queen to rule over the Homecoming festivities combined with the burning of simulated coffins supposedly containing members of the Grants Pass team kicked off a two-hour demonstration directed by the Rally squad and members of the K Club.

The Pelicans, entirely recuperated from the injuries received in the clash with the Black Tornado last week, with the exception of fullback John Hancock, whose leg is in a cast because of a broken ankle, and reserve halfback

Getting the green light from coach Knudsen for starting slots in tonight's fracas are ends Gary Kranenburg and Wayne Dennis. Larry Bunyard will also see a lot of work at an end post. At tackles are Gary Hancock and Nick Insley while Ron Weber and Bert Frewing will handle the guard assignments. Probable starter at the center post in place of injured Charlton Currin is sophomore Ralph Williams in his debut with the varsity.

Directing the Pel attack is quarterback Blake Griggs who will be flanked by halfbacks Don Story and Ron Olvera and backed by fullback Ron House.

Also scheduled to see action are Bob Drace, Gary Burt, Greg Jones, Jack Riley, Bill Santo, Cliff Paugh and Rich Moore.

Pacing the swift attack of the Cavemen, who enter the test tied with Medford for the league lead with an overall season mark of three wins, two ties and one loss, are quarterback Dick Hayes, halfbacks Marv Terry and Hugh Brown and fullback Larry Drake. The Grants Pass backfield breaks about even with that of the Pels, weightwise.

The line, about five pounds heavier per man than the Pel forward wall, includes ends John Fox and Rex Benner, tackles Jerry Putnam and Ron Houston, guards Ollie Woolsey and Wendell Winterbottom and center Red Daugherty. Houston, the largest man on the Cavemen squad at 230, will oppose Pelican Nick Insley, 180.

The Cavemen, termed by coach Mel Ingram the best team he has had in his tenure at Grants Pass, are ranked number eight on the statewide polls.

Buc Manager Tabbed Best By AP Voters

CHESTER, Pa. (AP) — In the midst of congratulations over his selection as The Associated Press' Manager of the Year, Danny Murtaugh remembered another Pittsburgh manager today.

"Bill Meyer helped me an awful lot," the sharp-featured, 41-year-old Pirates manager said at his home here. "Toward the end of my career, I got to thinking about wanting to be a manager. Billy would let me sit next to him on the bench. He gave me all sorts of advice, told me why he did things."

"Bill was a good baseball man," Murtaugh, former second baseman, who never played for a major league team that finished higher than fourth place, was named Manager of the Year Thursday for his feat of leading the underdog Pirates into second place in 1958.

The 84-70 finish, eight games behind the pennant-winning Milwaukee Braves, was the Pirates' best since 1944. They finished in a tie for last place in 1957. It was Murtaugh's first full season as manager. He succeeded Bobby Bragan Aug. 5, 1957.

The stocky, 5-foot-9 manager played for the late Meyer in 1948, when the Pirates finished fourth and Meyer was acclaimed Manager of the Year. It was the only time in seven full seasons with the Philadelphia Phillies and the Pirates that Danny played on a first-division club. He played briefly for the Boston Braves in 1946.

Murtaugh started his managing career with New Orleans of the Southern Association, in 1952. He received 149 votes in the Associated Press poll of sports writers and sports broadcasters. He became the first manager to be chosen in competition with managers of both leagues. Previously, the Associated Press poll selected one manager in each league.

Bill Rigney, of the third-place San Francisco Giants, was second to Murtaugh with six votes. Fred Haney of Milwaukee and Casey Stengel of the championship New York Yankees each collected five first-place nominations; Lopez received four, Jimmy Dykes, who finished the season at Cincinnati, Harry Craft at Kansas City and Joe Gordon, who completed the year at Cleveland, one each.

Don Blasingame Leads Card Win

TOKYO (AP) — The St. Louis Cardinals rocked Japan's All-Stars 5-2 with a big assist from Don Blasingame in the opener of a 16-game tour of Japan today. Blasingame blasted three hits that produced two runs to help break up an otherwise close contest against Japan's best professional baseball stars.

Sonny Liston Faces TV Bout

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Charles Liston, loser only once in 20 pro fights, takes on tough Bert Whitehurst tonight in his pursuit of a match with heavyweight champion Floyd Patterson.

Liston, rated ninth among the contenders for the title, is heavily favored to score a repeat victory over Whitehurst in the 10-round nationally televised (NBC-TV, 9 p.m. EST) bout.

Whitehurst went the 10-round distance in losing a decision to Liston here last spring. George Gairford, manager of the Baltimore underdog, predicts he will do it again.

Since that bout Liston has moved from St. Louis to Philadelphia, changed managers, and developed a potent right to go with a left jab that served as his chief weapon in earlier fights.

Retired heavyweight champion Rocky Marciano has said Liston is ready for a championship match with Patterson right now.

His record under manager Pep Barrone and Trainer Jimmy Wilson is impressive. He knocked out Julio Mederos in two rounds and Wayne Bethea in 69 seconds in bouts at Chicago Stadium. At Miami Beach he knocked out Frankie Daniels in the first round. Twelve of his victories have been by knockouts.

Whitehurst has defeated such fighters as Bob Satterfield and Sid Peaks in compiling a 24-14-4 mark.

Cub Slugger Undergoes Knife

PITTSFIELD, Mass. (AP) — First baseman Dale Long of the Chicago Cubs underwent surgery Thursday for removal of a double cyst on his back.

Long, a resident of nearby North Adams, had to undergo similar surgery after the baseball season the past four years.

Time Out



"Aspirin, tranquilizers, nausea pills, get-well cards to send to your favorite players!"

Willamette Heavy Choice

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The Willamette Bearcats, already a heavy favorite to win the Northwest Conference title, Saturday night again will try to be the best small college football team in the nation.

The Bearcats don't have to go. This week the NAIA ranked unbeaten Willamette No. 4 in the nation.

The Saturday night encounter will be with College of Idaho at Salem. College of Idaho has been improving, but Willamette today was a heavy favorite for its fourth straight conference triumph.

Willamette has a big, powerful line. And Stan Solomon, Willamette's best halfback, is the conference's leading ground gainer—with 536 yards in 80 carries for an average of 7.3.

About the only team in the conference with a chance to catch up with Willamette is defending champion Linfield—which Saturday night stays at home in McMinnville to play Lewis and Clark.

Linfield has a 1-1 record. In L.C.'s only official outing, the Pioneers tied College of Idaho—which is 1-0-1.

The other conference game, also scheduled Saturday night, will match Whitman and Pacific at Forest Grove.

Both teams are winless in the conference, with 0-2 records. But Pacific has one of the circuit's best backs in fullback Jack Nehring, who is but a yard behind Solomon in total yardage gained.

SPEEDBOAT RACING

LAS VEGAS, Nev. — Detroit's Miss U.S. 1 raced to victory in the Sahara Cup but Miss Bardahl of Seattle, by coming in second, won the 1958 American crown for unlimited hydroplanes in the final Gold Cup race of the year.

Gene Conley Drops Braves For Cagers

BOSTON (UPI) — Milwaukee Braves pitcher Gene Conley, who ignored the warnings of the baseball club against signing a basketball contract with the Boston Celtics, turned all his attention today to his new job.

The 6-foot, 8-inch hurler had only a deaf ear for the rumblings in Milwaukee where Braves General Manager John Quinn commented that by playing basketball Conley would violate his baseball contract.

"We have not given him permission to play basketball," Quinn said Thursday after he was informed that Conley had signed with the Celtics. He said any punitive action would be discussed "later."

Conley, meanwhile, was jubilant over his new post. "I felt all along I could make this team," he said, "and what a club it is. It's a pleasure to be on the same floor with this team."

He turned aside all questions on the Braves objections by saying, "I haven't heard anything from Milwaukee and the least said about that the better. I don't want to make an issue of it."

Asked if he intended to talk with Quinn he said, "I don't know when I'll see him."

Conley was slated for a final tuneup with the rest of the Boston club today before leaving for New York where the Celtics open their season against the Knickerbockers in Madison Square Garden Saturday night.

He said he "intended" to be in uniform and "ready to play" in the game.

Celtics coach Red Auerbach said Thursday after Conley had signed his contract that he intended to use Conley as a "starter." Earlier, in an evaluation of his team, he said that Gene "looks fine this far but lacks experience while away from the game for four years."

Conley played 39 games with the Celtics in the 1952-53 season, scoring 38 points and making 171 rebounds. He is especially valuable in the latter department.

During the Celtics exhibition tour this year, Conley played in six games and averaged 10 points in each.

Fisherman Gets Record Certified

WARWICK, R.I. (AP)—Charles Martorelli today boasted a certificate from the International Game Fish Assn. that the 16-pound flounder he caught last Aug. 14 represents the 12-pound line test class world record for that fish.

TEAM STATISTICS

KUHS	OPP.	First Downs	Rushing	44	49
28	76	First Downs Pass	13	12	
13	12	First Downs Penalty	2	6	
3	1	Total First Downs	30	67	
53	81	Yards Gained Rushing	994	966	
583	1611	Yards Lost Rushing	108	158	
127	114	Net Yards Rushing	886	808	
406	1497	Yards Gained Passing	376	300	
393	414	Yards Lost Passing	0	6	
0	0	Net Yards Passing	376	294	
293	414	Total Net Yards	1262	1102	
797	1911	Passes Attempted	50	62	
90	56	Passes Completed	22	21	
28	28	Passes Intercepted By	5	7	
2	7	Punts (AVG.)	25-36.28	28-32.82	
33-31.48	16-34.99	Yards Penalized	215	300	
160	350	Fumbles Lost	7	9	
12	15	Touchdowns	13	4	
4	25	Conversions	6	3	
1	14	Safeties	0	0	
0	1				

Score By Quarters

KUHS	OPP.	1	2	3	4	Total
0	13	6	6	25		
0	39	54	40	166		

Pro Golf Assn. Honors Top Man

DUNEDIN, Fla. (AP) — The PGA has named Harry Pezzullo of the Mission Hills Golf Club of Northbrook, Ill., Professional-of-the-year.

Pezzullo was selected from among 31 sectional nominees by a secret committee of the nation's outstanding amateur golfers, PGA President Harold Sargent announced.

OFFICE MACHINE REPAIRS

Guaranteed Service On All Makes! Call Us Today!
JONES' PIONEER OFFICE SUPPLY
679 Main Phone TU 2-4408

DEER HUNTERS
Taxidermy Jim Carter Tanning Ralph Hunter

Custom Tanning - Coats - Gloves - Purses - Taxidermist formerly with Cummings Taxidermy. We buy & trade for deer hides.

East Main Shoe & Leather
253 East Main Ph. TU 2-0407

Look for the dealer who displays this sign!

He gives you the new DOUBLE GUARANTEE PLAN: combines the famous "Prestone" anti-freeze product guarantee with his own personal guarantee in writing!

"Prestone" anti-freeze has always been guaranteed by the maker. Now, the dealer who displays the sign (shown here) is prepared to add his personal guarantee, in writing, on replacement of "Prestone" brand anti-freeze lost as a result of mechanical leakage.

See your dealer today!

Wolverine
Black heavy duty shell horsehide. Logger heel. 8" high. Brown non-mark composition outsole. Low priced at . . .

\$15.95

Use Our Revolving Charge Plan

DREWS Manstore
733 Main Phone TU 4-4121 and Town and Country Store

PRESTONE
ANTI-FREEZE

DOUBLE GUARANTEED PROTECTION

The Motorist's Personal Guarantee: The Dealer's Personal Guarantee.