



OREGON COLLEGIATE CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS — Oregon Tech's Owls, winners of the Oregon Collegiate Conference football title, close out their 1958 home football season Saturday night at Modoc Field in a game against Moffett Naval Air Station. Pictured above, front row, left to right, are Earl Green, Otis Foster, Al Everson, Charlie Ganter, Tom Dick, Roy Johnson, Charlie Wilson, Allen Leach, Earl Kessler and Bill Barrington. Second row, Virgil Winters, Norm Hooper, Leroy Rausch, Dale Rock, Frank Wilson, John Taylor, Andy Cook, George Marple, Gary Wirth, Ronald Robbins, Ralph Norgaard, and Tom Bothsler. Back row, Lee Wilson, Troy Koontz, Gary Anderson, Melvin Rose, Merle Combs, Arnold Metcalf, Lyle Fowler, Allen Jones, Lynn Shumway, Brendon Herber, Dale McCulloch, Don Frost, Dick Hill and Bill Hansen.

Owls Close Home Season Saturday

Oregon Tech To Vie With Moffett Squad

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Oregon College	3	1	.750 89 80
Southern Ore.	1	2	.333 21 75
Port. State	1	3	.250 76 88
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Saturday's Schedule
Moffett Air Base vs. Oregon Tech at Klamath Falls (non-conference)
Oregon College vs. British Columbia at Vancouver (non-conference)
Eastern Oregon vs. Southern Oregon at Ashland (conference)

The Oregon Tech Owls complete their home football season at Modoc Field Saturday night as they take on the strong Moffett Naval Air Station team in a non-conference grid meeting.

Only one conference game is on tap for members of the Oregon Collegiate Conference, that is at Ashland where the Red Raiders of Southern Oregon host Eastern Oregon. Oregon College, still staggering after Tech's 66-7 win last Saturday, travels to Vancouver to meet British Columbia. Both games are billed for Saturday.

Coach Rex Hunsaker's Oregon Collegiate Conference champions complete the four-game home football season Saturday night when they take on the flippers of Moffett Air Base. Moffett will bring a 6-1 record into action against the Owls. Tech meanwhile has wrapped up five victories in six tries, the lone loss to another service powerhouse, Hamilton.

A surprising reversal by Williamson's Rating System has picked the Owls to win their final home game of the year. Earlier in week, all reports gave Moffett the edge, but mid-week reports by Williamson indicate the Owls to be a one touchdown choice. The system graded Oregon Tech's football

team at 76.7, the highest position ever reached on the nation-wide poll since the school started playing football.

While Williamson gives his club the nod, Hunsaker worked his Owls overtime Thursday hoping to slow up the potent Moffett offensive attack. So far this year, the Navy fliers have averaged 41 points per game, scoring 286 in seven contests. Moffett opposition has scored 131 points, or an average of 18 per game.

Moffett will bring a wide-open, free-passing club to town to meet the Owls. Quarterback Dick Olivas, a small but clever ball handler, gives Moffett a deadly passing game. And when the Naval air station team falters in the air, halfback Cal Campbell, who races like a jet under full power, takes up the slack. Campbell, one of the finest backs playing service ball today, has scored 24 touchdowns so far this year and with 10 two-point extra points, holds a scoring total of 158 points.

Besides Campbell and Olivas, Moffett will have the services of fullback Ed White and halfback Harvey Young. This foursome could break the Owls' big football bubble at four straight football victories without a defeat.

Hunsaker said his lineup will be about the same as it was in Modoc last week when the Owls routed OCE. At the offensive end positions will be Ardell Hamilton, and Dale McCulloch. The tackle and guard spots will be filled by Arnold Metcalf, Dick Hill, Allen Jones and Andy Cook on offense. Anchoring the Tech line will be center Bill Barrington.

In the Tech backfield will be Charlie Ganter at quarterback, halfbacks Al "Tiger" Everson and Otis Foster, and fullback Earl Green. Foster moved into the starting line last week and raced for five touchdowns, a new conference record. The "Rambling Wreck from Oregon Tech" also set conference marks by scoring 33 points and five touchdowns in his great day against Oregon College.

Halfback Charlie "Go Go" Wilson is still hobbling on an injured ankle. It was doubtful Friday if he will see any action Saturday. It was Wilson's spot Foster moved into when the Tulsa, Oklahoma speedmerchant was hurt.

The Owls' defensive lineup will probably find Norm Hooper and McCulloch at end, Lyle Fowler and Virg Winters at tackle, Jones and Frank Wilson at guard and Roy Johnson in at linebacker. In the secondary for the Owls will be Ganter, Foster, Allen Leach and either Everson, Green or Earl Kessler.

Oregon Tech's Athletic Department urged all servicemen stationed at Kingsley Air Base to turn out to the ball game. A special 50 cents admission price for all servicemen will be in effect for this ball game.

Time Out



"Slip, nothing! That was a knock-down, and I'm entitled to the mandatory eight-count!"

Baylor Leads Minneapolis To NBA Win

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The National Basketball Assn. season is less than two weeks old. But already Elgin Baylor, the former college All-America from Seattle, has grabbed a headlock hold on Rookie-of-the-Year honors. Baylor scored 36 points Thursday night to lead the Minneapolis Lakers to a 103-101 victory over the Philadelphia Warriors. The triumph gave last season's tail-enders sole possession of first place in the Western Division with a 4-2 record.

Baylor collected 13 of his points in the fourth quarter as the Lakers fought off a closing rush by Philadelphia. The Warriors dropped into the Eastern Division cellar with a 2-3 mark. Dick Garmaker also helped the Lakers with 24 points while Tom Gola had 22 and Joe Graboski and Jack George 20 each for Philadelphia.

Baylor has scored 126 points in six games for a 21.0 average. He is fourth in the individual scoring race, trailing only George Yardley of Detroit (170 points), Bob Pettit of St. Louis (146) and Jack Twyman of Cincinnati (129).

New York is at Detroit in tonight's only game.

PGA RETAINS RUSSELL
CLEARWATER, Fla. (UPI)—The Professional Golfers' Association has retained Bob Russell for another year as public relations director. The association is currently holding its 42nd annual meet.

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It appears that coach Al Keck and his Merrill High basketball team will get off to a late start again this year. This is not a new thing, however. In the three years that Al has been at Merrill, it has always been so. The reason... simple. He keeps winning county and district football championships. The ensuing playoffs, etc., make it necessary that the Huskies postpone basketball. Last year, after reaching the State B football semi-finals, the Huskies started basketball about two weeks later than the rest of the county schools. They caught up however... and won the basketball championship to boot.

Three years, three district championships... In 1956 the Huskies reached the state quarterfinals, in '57 they got to the semis. This time they should go all the way.

With this thought Keck left this morning to get a peek at Maupin and Moro who will battle for the District 6B title in Maupin. The winner will meet the Huskies next weekend. While Al is in the north he will travel eastward and catch Umattila and/or Joseph in action. One of these is the next stop for the Huskies if they get by the Moro-Maupin winner.

During the 1958 regular season the Huskies racked up 336 points while allowing their opponents only 85. On their way to this scoring figure they gained a total net yardage of 2964. They allowed their opponents 1180 yards.

While senior halfback Bub Maupin was the top scorer and ground-gainer, he didn't do it alone. Nine members of the squad contributed touchdowns. Maupin scored 17 TDs and kicked 32 PATs; halfback John Haskins counted 12 six-pointers, fullback Troy Patterson added 10, and Charles Rolter 4. Bill Beasley, a guard, counted 2 as did quarterback Dennis Salvadori, and ends Brian Fields, Bill Artery and Chuck Guthrie each collected one touchdown apiece. Salvadori added 2 point-after tries in addition to passing the Huskies for a season gain of 482 yards.

Maupin packed the pigskin 90 times for a total of 1020 yards, an average of better than 11.5 yards per trip. John Haskins lugged it 65 times for 773 yards; Patterson went 21 times for 482 yards and Salvadori assumed the chore 15 times and gained 88. Haskins played in only seven games while the others served in eight.

The standout on the defensive side of the Husky ledger was Bill Beasley, who was credited with 52 tackles during the year. Not far off Beasley's lead is Dick Marks.

BUD MAUPIN
...Merrill Pacemaker

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Herald and News SPORTS

Curtain To Close On League Action

Southern Oregon Conference football draws to a close for another season tonight with a pair of do-or-die battles slated. In Grants Pass the "strong boys" of the SOC, the roaring Medford Black Tornado and a snarling pack of Grants Pass Cavemen, meet in an all out fray to decide the first place position. In Ashland, on the other end of the league ladder, the Klamath Union Pelicans and the Ashland Grizzlies are set for a struggle to avoid the league basement.

Medford, ranked No. 2 in the state, faces the toughest challenge of the season to date in the Grants Passers, who are ranked sixth among the state A1 contenders. Both squads are undefeated in SOC play. Medford holds a perfect mark for the full season, counting among their victories a 3-0 uprising over the vaunted Marshfield Pirates. Grants Pass is boasting a 4-won, 1-loss, 2-tied record. Their loss was at the hands of North Bend, while they tied both Marshfield and Roseburg.

The Grizzlies and the Pelicans, are both unranked in state polls. Ashland has a 2-won, 5-loss record while the Pels are on the short end of 1-7 count.

Coach Andy Knudsen's KU team has been considerably weakened by injuries over the last three games, a condition that forces them to field a starting lineup composed of five regulars and six reserves. Getting the nod in the backfield are quarterback Jack Riley, halfbacks Don Story and Ron Olvera and fullback Ron House. The Pel line will include ends Bob Drace and Jim Parks, tackles Nick Insley and Gary Hancock, guards Art Mills and Brian Walker and center Rich Moore. Co-captain Ron Weber, the senior guard, who injured his back earlier in the week, may possibly see action in tonight's test.

Prior to leaving the school at 4 o'clock this afternoon with his squad coach Andy Knudsen said, "Their spirit is good; the younger kids all seem determined to win this one as a present for the seniors and they are all tired up. They're ready, mentally, and only time can tell about the physical end of it."

In addition to the Jayvees who are slated for starting positions tonight the squad is augmented by nine freshmen who were brought up to help mend the patchwork Pelicans. The trend of the game will determine whether the frosh see action.



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New Minor League Plan Fails To Get To First Base

MEMPHIS (AP) — Baseball's an American franchise at Louisville, where the Colonels were giving up the struggle. It left the Association with only seven clubs. It offered to buy the Texas League's Fort Worth club, but Texas refused to give it up unless the Association also took over Houston and Dallas and paid \$120,000 damages.

The first step—a deal involving the AAA American Assn. and the AA Texas League—fizzled. That blocked everything else in the proposed chain reaction shuffle.

The only thing the two-day session produced was the transfer of the American Assn.'s Wichita franchise to Louisville. That left the American only a little better off.

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