

Bedridden Players Share ML Spotlight

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Baseball's hospital patients shared the spotlight today with the latest contract signings and potential holdouts.

Red Schoendienst, Milwaukee second baseman, and Bill Rigney, San Francisco manager, who are hospitalized, were joined Wednesday by Lindy McDaniel, St. Louis Cardinals right-handed pitcher.

McDaniel underwent an emergency appendectomy in Meridian, Miss. He is expected to join the Cardinals in St. Petersburg, Fla. next week.

Schoendienst, who has tuberculosis, is expected to undergo surgery today for removal of a small diseased portion of his lung. His physician said, "We are optimistic about Red's chances of playing in 1960."

Rigney is recovering rapidly from injuries received in an automobile accident. Giants' President Horace Stoneham talked with Rigney by phone from Phoenix, Ariz., and reported, "It looks like he will be out of the hospital Friday and could be here Monday for the official opening of spring training."

In Kansas City, outfielder Bob Cerv, who played with a wired

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County B Tourney Underway At OTI

The Oregon Tech basketball court rang this afternoon with the concerted cheers of a large number of Klamath County B school rooters as their favorites took the floor in the first games of the big three day annual Klamath County Basketball Tournament.

The tournament, which pits all seven of the Klamath County entrants with the lone entry from Lake County, Paisley, got underway at 1:30 this afternoon with a game between Malin and Bonanza. Bly and Gilchrist followed at about 3 o'clock.

Tonight's action begins at 7:30 with a meeting between Sacred Heart and Chiloquin and concludes when the defending 1958 tourney champs the Merrill Huskies tangle with the Paisley Broncos, the game to start at 9 o'clock.

Admission charges are \$1 for adults and 50 cents for students with activity cards.

The results of the tourney determine the school to meet the Jackson-Joseph area representative for the ultimate right to continue in the Oregon State B Cage Tournament slated for mid-March.

Orv Anderson First To Crack 500 Mark

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Stuffing 65 points in the netting in just two games last week, Orville Anderson of Seattle Pacific became the first Pacific Northwest collegian to hit the 500 mark in 1959.

He widened his edge over Ray Washburn of Whitworth to 31 points and found Gonzaga's Frank

Ingemar Bringing Entourage

STOCKHOLM, Sweden (AP) — Ingemar Johansson is not going to take any chances of getting homesick while working out for his title fight with heavyweight champion Floyd Patterson.

The Swedish heavyweight said today he will take his parents, brother Rolf, a few more relatives and his girl friend with him to the United States. The date and site of the fight have not been announced but it is expected to be held late in June in either Los Angeles or New York.

"I want to feel at home when I am preparing myself for a fight," Johansson said. "I get homesick if I don't have my folks around."

Johansson, his adviser Edwin Ahlqvist and trainers will leave Sweden 10 weeks before the title fight.

"I want to use very fast sparring partners when I get down to training in the United States," he said. "I've got the strength all right. All I want is to train myself to hit faster and faster."

The 26-year-old fair-haired Swede, who got his impressive biopsies by paving streets and now runs a highly motorized contracting firm to do similar jobs, is fairly confident he'll beat Patterson.

"If I beat Floyd in both fights—as you know I am going to meet him again within 90 days of the first bout—I am not going to shove my gloves. I will meet any contender picked for me. I will fight as long as I feel I am strong."

He added, however, that he is so well off financially now that he can stop the "day it pleases me."

Buffaloes, Honkers To Meet

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Burns	0	10	.000

Friday-Saturday Schedule
Madras vs. Lakeview
John Day vs. Burns

LAKEVIEW — Eyeing a golden opportunity to boost themselves into a tie for the No. 1 spot on the Greater Oregon Conference ladder, the vastly improved Lakeview Honkers swung into their last league action of the season when they host the Madras White Buffaloes here Friday and Saturday.

Fresh from a pair of rather disconcerting wins over the Grant Union Prospectors at John Day last weekend, the Honkers need just two more in order to knot the loop lead. Coach Howard Hopper's squad has won the last six games straight, taking eight wins in nine chances.

During the John Day invasion the Honkers were convincing in their first win and were awarded the second by the officials while they were leading when a ruckus, concerning a John Day fan and one of the referees, broke out. It is as yet unknown whether the John Day squad will contest the officials' decision.

Since their earlier season meetings with the Buffaloes the Honkers have regained the services of two squad members over 6-2; this, plus their added experience and the fact that the games are to be played on the Honkers' home ground makes for considerable optimism around the Lakeview practice court.

The winner of the league action will tangle with the Northern Division for the right to enter the State A-2 tournament in March.

Sports Scene

BASKETBALL
County Tournament
At Oregon Tech

1:30 Malin vs. Bonanza	3:00 Bly vs. Gilchrist
7:30 Sacred Heart vs. Chiloquin	9:00 Merrill vs. Paisley
City League Kingsley Field	
6:30 Naval Reserve vs. Al's Drive In	
7:45 Price-Wise vs. Air Force Jets	
Victory League Mills School	
6:00 Village Court vs. Eagles	
7:30 Thunderbirds vs. Farmers Sand	

Ducklings Seek 11th Straight

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON — Oregon's vaunted and unbeaten Frosh basketballers, with 10 straight wins to their credit, get a stern test in McArthur Court Friday against Martin Signs, a strong Eugene AAU squad.

The 8 p.m. contest Friday will be the second meeting between the two clubs. The Frosh won earlier in the season 63-44, but since that decision, Martin Signs has clinched the city AAU championship.

Coaches Don Kirsch and Phil McHugh expected no lineup changes for their all-winning Ducklings who have reached a season's peak in recent outings and victories from the OSC Rooks.

The starters Friday are expected to be forwards John Mack and Charlie Warren, center Glenn Moore, and guards Bill Wallin and Mickey Sinnerud. Warren, the ex-Eugene high all-star leads the scoring with 157 points and a 14.4 average and he will take a string of 11 straight free throws into the Friday night contest. Moore is the No. 2 Duckling scorer.

Klamath Matmen Begin A-1 Title Quest

A 10-man Klamath Union wrestling squad headed for Corvallis at noon today in company with coach DeLance Duncan and athletic director Jim Johnson to compete in the huge Oregon State A-1 mat tournament which starts Friday and ends Saturday night in the championship bouts.

Rated as one of the favorites in the meet, the Pels have their hopes wrapped in the persons of Larry Bender, Glynn Michael, Larry Badorek, and John Hancock, all first place finishers in the recent district meet on Pelican Court. Strong backing for the first four will be added by Milo Crumrine, Ray Johnson, Bill O'Neill, Larry Alexander and Gary Hancock, each of whom collected a runnerup spot in the district tussle.

Noticably missing from the list of Pelican entrants in the big test is defending champion Lyle McFarland who suffered a severe knee injury in his second match in the district finals. McFarland had been previously accorded an excellent chance of repeating his championship performance in the 1958 trials.

The 1959 tournament is expected to be the largest ever held in the state of Oregon. Interest in prep wrestling has greatly increased in the last few seasons. This, com-

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T. State Warming For Bid

NEW YORK (UPI)—Tennessee State, Evansville, Southwest Missouri and Grambling—four teams with high hopes for next month's basketball tournaments—ranked 1-2-3-4 today in United Press International's small college ratings.

Tennessee State, No. 1 for the eighth straight week, is warming up to bid for a record third straight NAIA title. Grambling, the undefeated Louisiana school, hopes to try for the same crown at Kansas City March 1-14.

Evansville and Southwest Missouri have their sights set on the finals of the NCAA college division tournament at Evansville, Ind., March 11-13.

Wheaton (Ill.), which won the first NCAA college division tournament in 1957, was fifth in the latest balloting by the nationwide Board of Coaches which rates "the smaller colleges for UPI Akron (Ohio) was sixth, Chapman (Calif.) seventh, Steubenville (Ohio) eighth, Louisiana Tech ninth and Wittenberg (Ohio) 10th.

Team	Points
1. Tennessee St. (30) (23-1)	369
2. Evansville (Knd) (4) (13-3)	283
3. Southwest Mo St. (16-2)	263
4. Grambling (La) (2) (22-0)	214
5. Wheaton (Ill) (1) (17-3)	196
6. Akron (Ohio) (17-1)	178
7. Chapman (Calif) (20-2)	172
8. Steubenville (Ohio) (16-4)	171
9. Louisiana Tech (16-4)	170
10. Wittenberg (Ohio) (14-1)	170
11. Creighton (Nebr.) (20; 12; Fresno (Calif.) State, 28; 14; Fort Hays (Kan.) State (1); 15; 13; Kentucky Wesleyan, 14; 16; South Dakota State, 12; 17 (tie); Adelphi (N.Y.) (1) and Georgetown (Ky.), 11 each; 19 (tie); American (D.C.) University (1); Hope (Mich.); Southwest (Tex.) State and West Virginia Wesleyan, 10 each.	

Quintets Meet At Dunsmuir

DUNSMUIR—A slate of eight topnotch competitors has been lined up for the Dunsmuir Lions Club Invitational Basketball Tournament on Saturday and Sunday.

The opening game of the double elimination contest will be at 1 p.m. Saturday at the Dunsmuir Elementary School gymnasium.

McCall's of Redding and Elina Town Team of Scott Valley are scheduled to open the tournament. Games between the Klamath Falls Delts, the Burney Highway Club; Delty's of Chico, Jolley's Club of Yreka; Forester's Realty of Cottonwood and R. L. Smith of Anderson will follow. There are no Saturday night games scheduled.

Play will be resumed Sunday with the winners of games one and two meeting at 1 p.m. followed by a contest between the losers. The elimination games will continue during the afternoon with the championship and consolation championship slated for Sunday night.

The Lions Club has three trophies ready for the top teams and a five man all-star team will be given medals.

Harold Motter, manager-player of the Klamath Falls Delts, pointed out that his team has 14 victories and three losses this season.

Ray Johnson, Shasta Junior College star, will be playing for R. L. Smith of Anderson. Sonny Goodfellow of Burney has a 25-point per game average. Al McCann of Yreka is counted on to carry the weight for Jolley's Club five.

PAL Amateurs Fly To Tourney

LAKEVIEW — Lou Jones and three of his Police Athletic League amateur fighters left by plane this morning bound for Seattle where the boys will participate in the Northwest Golden Gloves boxing tournament Friday and Saturday.

Making the trip were Frankie Light of New Pine Creek, Dalton Steel and Gary Henderson, both of Lakeview. All three of the lads have established themselves as a threat in their respective weight divisions.

Tar Heel Boss, Frank McGuire Bemoans 'Russian Roulette' Tournament Action

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
North Carolina is the proven class of Atlantic Coast Conference basketball but the Tar Heels still have to go through two more weeks of "Russian roulette" before they can attempt another national championship.

Russian roulette is Coach Frank McGuire's term for an ACC system that junks a full season of competition and orders a post-season tournament to determine the conference representative in the National Collegiate championships.

With an 11-0 conference slate, owned by the Tar Heels after Wednesday night's 74-62 victory over arch rival North Carolina State, most teams could start firming plans for the NCAA. Especially with only three second-division teams still to be met during the regular season and runner-up N.C. State ineligible because of NCAA probation.

But McGuire and the Tar Heels will have to keep spinning the cylinder and hope that luck does not run out during the ACC tournament at Raleigh March 5-7. The jittery bystander is the NCAA itself which would like to have the team currently rated the nation's best in The Associated Press poll.

North Carolina (17-1) nailed its second clutch decision over State by sinking 26 of 30 free throws in

the feature of a class-packed Wednesday program. In other big ones, Eastern Kentucky wrapped up the Ohio Valley Conference and an NCAA berth with a 72-70 victory over Western Kentucky. Kentucky kept in the Southeastern chase with a revenge 83-71 triumph over Vanderbilt. Texas A&M Christian moved closer to the Southwest Conference title in a 66-64 decision over Rice, and West Virginia — which also plays a tournament to get into a tournament — battered Pitt 90-69.

Tournament hopefuls St. Joseph's (Pa.), La Salle, Navy and St. Francis (Pa.) won again, and NIT entries Villanova and Fordham fattened their records.

St. Joseph's routed Bucknell 87-64. La Salle walloped Albright 93-62. Navy whipped Georgetown (DC) 72-47 and St. Francis topped Steubenville, one of the small school powers of the Midwest, 74-68.

Villanova shot its record to 17-4 in a 67-54 romp over Buffalo and Fordham, which joined the NIT field earlier in the day, celebrated with a 66-62 decision over Canisius.

Army, having one of its better years, downed Williams 93-77 and Air Force won its fifth straight, 77-62 over Creighton.

Boston U. beat Holy Cross for the first time in 28 years, 74-57. Paul Adkins' 29 points led Villanova over Maryland 82-50, and Davidson defeated Furman 75-59. Wipac Washington and Lee led its 15th straight, 78-51 to Virginia Tech.

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