

# Owls, Raiders Square Off Tonight

## OTI Quint Journeys For Test

Still savoring the sweet taste of the past weekend's double triumph over Eastern Oregon in Oregon Collegiate Conference action the Oregon Tech Owls invade Ashland tonight for the opener of the annual four-game series with the Southern Oregon College Red Raiders. Game time is 8 p.m.

Falls at 4:45 will leave Klamath Falls at 5:15 and return immediately following the game. It is hoped that a number of Klamath Falls fans will make the trip to see the renewal of one of the fiercest rivalries in the history of the OCC.

The SOC quint, tied for the second spot in the OCC standings with the Owls, each club with a 2-2 mark for conference action, split their series with the Oregon College Wolves last weekend while the Owls squeaked past the Mountaineers 64-63 Friday night and then powdered them, 90-65, in the second game.

The Tech squad, finally reaching the potential coach Wally Palmberg had claimed for it despite a 1-win, 8-loss record prior to the EOC games, is crediting their new success to a two-plateau system inaugurated by Palmberg especially for the Wolf invasion.

Said Palmberg, "We are all happy with the way two-plateau system worked. Its primary purpose was to get us loosened up, to get us going after the ball. We needed something to get us moving and this worked."

He added, "I'm proud of the way the boys fought off those let-downs and came surging back. It's indicative of good attitude and real desire."

The platform system, which takes advantage of two Owl units; one composed of Norm O'wits, Paul Kayler, Gene Branson, Dennis McKee and Charlie Wilson; the other Troy Kooz, Jack Horton, Buddy Gray, Roy Johnson and Leon Wilson, will be used again tonight. Van Zitek and Jim Ramsey will stand by as fresh alternates for the number one and two units respectively.

Palmberg emphasized the fact that in no way should either unit be construed as "first" or "second" teams. He said, "These are nothing more than combinations that best suit our purpose. This system of basketball will not necessarily be continued throughout the season. We shall continue to use it only so long as it serves the purpose for which it was intended; just as long as it contributes to the overall success of the club."

Coach Ted Schopf, who is directing the Raiders with a leg in a cast as a result of an injury received in an auto accident en route to Chico State College, could not be reached for his set starting five.

It was assumed, however, that he would call upon guard Gordie Carrigan, 5-10, one of the top scorers in the conference; Don Vanance, forward, 6-1; Brad Flanary, a 5-8 freshman guard from Bend; forward John Payne, and center Glenn Peterson, both 6-5.

## KF Archers Slate Dinner

Klamath Archers, Inc., will meet for potluck dinner and practice at the indoor range at Farmers' Lumber Company on South Sixth Street, at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, according to Barbara Baumgardner, secretary and publicity chairman for this year.

Other new officers elected at the January 7 meeting of the group are Dick Hunt, president, succeeding Dale Baxter; Bob Young, vice president, succeeding Ed Samples, and Merle Hodges, target captain, succeeding Walt Bower. Esther Hodges was acting secretary of the organization.

## Red Hat Group Suggests Plan

SALEM (AP) — All first-time applicants for hunting licenses should be required to show they have completed a firearms safety training course, the governor's Red Hat Days Committee recommended Monday.

It also recommended that the Legislature provide a minimum age for obtaining a hunting license. There now is no minimum age.

The committee said many accidents last year were caused by juvenile hunters.



**GLOBETROTTERS SHOW FRIDAY** — "Old Pro" Ermer Robinson, a 6-2 Harlem Globetrotter forward, one of the greatest long shots in the business will appear here Friday night when the Harlem Globetrotters play the San Francisco All-Nations on Pelican Court at 7:30. At half-time Abe Saperstein will present a vaudeville troupe which travels with the comic cagers. Some sparkling acts plus the Trotter antics make for an interesting evening. Tickets are now on sale at the chamber of commerce and may also be purchased at the door prior to the game.

## Gunsel A Cinch

## NFL Hones Weapons For Heated Meeting

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP) — National Football League owners took time out today to sharpen their vocal weapons in preparation for what looms as a hot meeting Wednesday, but one of the major issues appears to have settled itself without a shot being fired.

The naming of a commissioner to succeed the late Bert Bell was expected to be a major item of business. It still is, but the Acting Commissioner Austin H. Gunsel seems due to get the job without opposition.

This became apparent Monday night when attorney Marshall Leight of San Francisco said he would not move from that city. He and Gunsel were the only two mentioned seriously, and it was reported the West Coast lawyer had the support of five owners.

However, even Leahy's backers had said they would not approve of a commissioner with headquarters in the Far West, as 10 of the 12 league teams are east of the Mississippi, so his refusal to come to the East or Midwest because of family ties — he has five teen-

age daughters — apparently eliminated him from consideration.

So unless a dark-horse candidate suddenly emerges, or Leahy changes his mind, the new commissioner will be "Gunsel."

At an informal "hearing" Monday night representatives of three of the four cities being considered as members should the league vote to expand were given an opportunity to boost the merits of their bids for the berth.

The three were E. W. Boyer, speaking for Minneapolis-St. Paul; Joseph Griesdieck, beer firm executive from St. Louis, and Tex Schramm, general manager of the proposed Dallas entry.

The fourth man, George Storer, former owner of the Miami Marlins baseball club, deferred his Miami application report until later in the week.

Each applicant has posted \$25,000 in support of his application. It now takes a unanimous vote to admit a new club, but some owners hope a constitutional amendment can be passed to make 10 votes sufficient.

## KUHS Wildcats, Freshmen Win Tests From Bonanza

Coach Hank Smith's charging Wildcat five weathered a thriller on Pelican Court Monday night, and rapped the visiting Bonanza Antlers 69-66 in overtime. An action-packed match, the game saw a separate battle between KU's Sherm Allen and Antler Butch Crume who scorched the net for 22 and 21 tallies respectively.

The winning factor for the Klamath squad, who trailed the visitors 17-6 at the end of the first quarter, 29-25 at the half, and by a slim margin of 48-46 at the conclusion of the third stanza, was their control of the backboards during the evening. Bob Bearding nabbed 20 rebounds and Dana Ash grabbed off 12. Speedy Dave Stippich led the way on defense while he potted 12 counters.

During the short time they saw action, Wildcats Dick Bogatay and Jim Kaler staged outstanding defensive performances. Bogatay nabbed off nine timely rebounds while Kaler collected seven off the boards and canned five points, two of which were the gift shots that decided the ballgame in the pressing overtime.

Antler big guns, Denny Ellis and Jim O'Conner, hit for 14 apiece while center Chester Schooler registered 13 tallies to aid the losing cause.

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## Pelicans In Fourth Poll Spot

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
There were three things today that no other major high school basketball team in Oregon could share with Marshfield's Pirates.

1. Marshfield's record—a perfect 9-0 for the season.  
2. Mel Counts, the towering player whose point production has continued to lead Marshfield to victory.  
3. The top spot, for the second straight week, in the Associated Press poll of Oregon prep basketball teams.

Marshfield got 169 points from the sports writers and broadcasters participating in the poll in the second week of balloting.

Marshfield added to its luster with two victories last weekend—63-52 over North Eugene, and 56-49 over Roseburg. In the latter game, Counts scored 30 points.

There was a new team in second place this week—Medford, the only squad in the Top 10 to have lost three games this season.

Medford beat Klamath Falls over the weekend 64-50 for the second straight time this season, and ran its record to 8-3. That helped give Medford 146 points in the voting.

Medford swapped places with North Bend, No. 2 last week but No. 3 today after bowing 49-47 to Willamette of Eugene for its only loss in 10 games this season.

Willamette was one of the two new faces in the poll this week. On the strength of its upset over North Bend, the Eugene team took over the No. 10 spot. There is only one bloomish on Willamette's record this season, a 53-49 loss to Central Point.

Last week's No. 10 team was North Eugene, out of the running after being defeated twice last week.

The rest of the rankings also were juggled considerably this week.

Despite its loss, Klamath Falls rose one notch into the No. 4 position, displacing Jefferson of Portland, which fell to ninth after a loss to in-and-out Wilson.

The other new team in the Top 10 today was Cleveland of Portland—in the No. 5 position.

Hermiston rose one rung into the sixth spot after last week beating Baker 70-50 and then losing to La Grande 61-56. That loss was Hermiston's first in 11 games.

The victory gave La Grande impetus in its climb in the poll. The Eastern Oregon team now is in seventh place, a jump of two notches from last week.

The No. 8 team this week again is South Salem—which got a 65-44 triumph over Corvallis in last week's action.

The other team to drop out of the poll was Franklin of Portland, No. 6 last week but far out of the Top 10 after bowing to Benson 49-42 for its second loss in a week.

**Points**  
1. Marshfield (9-0) 169  
2. Medford (8-3) 146  
3. North Bend (9-1) 124  
4. Klamath Falls (9-2) 120  
5. Cleveland (7-1) 80  
6. Hermiston (10-1) 64  
7. La Grande (9-1) 62  
8. South Salem (7-2) 55  
9. Jefferson (7-1) 52  
10. Willamette (8-1) 39

**Others:** Roseburg 17, Wilson 11, Springfield and Bend 9, North Eugene 6, Franklin 5, Dallas 4, David Douglas and Sandy 3, Lebanon and South Eugene 2, Grant 1.

Pimlico racetrack in Baltimore was built in 1870 and renovated in 1957.

## Basketball Scoreboard

College Basketball  
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
EAST  
St. Bonaventure 91, Gannon Pa. 74  
Delaware 77, Ursinus 61  
West Maryland 79, Towson St. 66

**SOUTH**  
Wake Forest 84, Tennessee 57  
Maryland 63, North Carolina St. 53  
Georgia 97, Stetson 72  
Miss. Soun. 74, Louisiana Tech 70 - OT  
West. Carolina 74, East Carolina 73 - OT  
Fla. Southern 83, Mercer 77  
East. Kentucky 70, Tenn. Tech 67

**WEST**  
Oklahoma St. 62, Kansas 49  
Kansas St. 68, Iowa St. 66  
Minnesota 77, Illinois 70  
Xavier (Ohio) 80, Miami (Ohio) 71  
Ohio Univ. 82, St. Francis (Pa.) 79

**SOUTHWEST**  
Baylor 68, Texas 62  
Oklahoma 64, Missouri 52

## BALLFARE

**TUESDAY**  
VICTORY LEAGUE  
Lost River vs. Oregon Food  
DeMolay Gold vs. Tigers  
Fleets vs. Yagu  
Farmers Sand vs. Gun Store  
**College**  
Oregon Tech at Southern Oregon  
Oregon College at Portland State  
**High School**  
Chiloquin JV at KU Frosh  
Chiloquin JV at KU Frosh  
YMCA-Curch League  
First Christian vs. Klamath Temple  
Nazarene vs. First Christian  
**Intramural**  
Kingsley Field  
ABRON vs. CAMRON  
DICK vs. WAITS  
**City League**  
ACW vs. WLF  
Superior Troy vs. Motor Investment

## Golf Gypsies In Clambake

YORBA LINDA, Calif. (AP) — Some rarely matched moments of pressure golf lingered today as the tournament gypsies headed north for Bing Crosby's annual Clambake on the Monterey Peninsula.

Leading the Crosbyville-bound procession was Jerry Barber of Los Angeles, winner in a dramatic windup of the inaugural \$20,000 Yorba Linda Open last Monday.

Seldom has a gallery been treated to such theatrics as the final threesome of the day came up to the 18th and decisive hole.

A pressure putt of 13 feet for a birdie 4 that brought victory to Barber—a stroke that kept the affair from going into a sudden-death playoff.

A sensational 50-yard shot by Billy Maxwell for an eagle 3 and undisputed possession of second place.

## Boosters To Meet

The Pelican Booster Club will hold its regular weekly meeting Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. in the Chuck Wagon Restaurant, reported Harold Howard, club president, today.

In addition to the presence of Klamath Union basketball coaching staff at the meeting, Pelican wrestling coach DeLance Duncan and assistant Jack Peterson are expected to report on their squads' successful mat ventures to date.

Duncan will outline a plan conceived by his wrestlers whereby more emphasis may be placed on the sport.

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# Talented Sophomores Hold Key Roles In Cage Action

## Sophs Headline Writeups

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
If college basketball fails to distinguish itself for nothing else this season, it's bound to be known as the year of the sophomore.

It began with eyes peeled for such touted newcomers as Jerry Lucas of Ohio State, Len Chappell of Wake Forest, Billy (The Hill) McGill of Utah and Wayne Hightower of Kansas. Week by week, even game by game, there have been so many additions it's unlikely you can pick up an account of a college game without finding a sophomore in a key role.

Besides Lucas, Chappell, McGill, and Hightower, sophomores like Dave De Busschere and Charlie North of Detroit, Chet Walker of Bradley, Carroll Broussard of Texas A&M, Hubie White of Villanova, Bill Cacciatore of Northwestern, Terry Dischinger of Purdue, Don Nelson of Iowa, Gary Roggenbuck of Dayton, Carroll Burchett of Kentucky, Jack Mullen of Duke, Stu Sherard of Army, Billy Packer of Wake Forest, Norm Halberstadt of VMI, Bucky Keller of VPI, Jack Thobe of Xavier (Ohio), and Marty Gharriy of Wisconsin have been leading their teams.

And still they come—with the most noteworthy newcomers from Monday night's play 6-7 Ray Crock of Minnesota, and Bruce Kelleher and Paul Jelus of Maryland.

Cronk triggered a second-half rally that gave Minnesota a 77-70 victory over 13th-ranked Illinois and boosted the Gophers into third place only the half game out of first place in the Big Ten race.

Kelleher and Jelus, promoted to the starting line-up after Maryland lost two stars to ineligibility, were the big men in the Terrapins' victory over North Carolina State.

Just to round it out, Chappell and Packer combined their talents as Wake Forest routed Tennessee 84-57.

Cronk hit on 9 of 14 field goal attempts and wound up top scorer with 25 points as he teamed with senior Ron Johnson to crush Illinois in the second-half Minnesota now has a 3-1 Big Ten record, to 3-0 for Lucas-led Ohio State and 4-1 Iowa, both idle last night with most of the major college teams concentrating on mid-term exams.

For Maryland, sophs Kelleher (15) and Jelus (17) combined for 32 points and Kelleher was credited with five assists as the Terrapins moved into a second-place ACC tie with Duke at 4-1. Idle North Carolina leads with 4-0.

Wake Forest, nailing its 10th victory in 14 games, got 16 points and 22 rebounds from soph Chappell and 14 points from the other talented newcomer, Billy Packer.

Georgia set a school scoring record, beating Stetson 97-72 as John Johnson scored 19 points and Gordon Darrach and Don Keiser added 18 apiece, and field goals by Bruce Johnston and Larry Kruger in the last minute gave Ohio U. an 82-79 victory over St. Francis (Pa.).

## TIME OUT



"It's had enough I can't catch fish... I can't even hook a large shoe!"

## Cal Bears Big Five Leaders

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — California's Bears, defending NCAA basketball champions, lead the Big Five with a 4-1 record and it's not hard to see why. They top both offensive and defensive statistics.

Coach Pete Newell's club has held opponents to an average of 47.8 points in five league games. That's not too unexpected since California has been noted for its defense.

Surprising, however, is the Bears' offensive average of 61.4 points. That leads the loop.

California held Washington's sophomore Bill Hanson to a single field goal Saturday night, but Hanson still leads the individual scoring with 100 points in six losing games. Johnny Werhas of Southern California is second with 72.

Earl Schultz, with a perfect nine for nine in California's 79 to 39 victory over Washington, leads in shooting percentages with a .585 mark. Stanford's John Arrillaga is best in free throws with 11 for 12.

California's Darrall Imhoff and Bill McClintock are first and second in rebounding with 62 and 55 respectively.

In individual scoring, Schultz is third with 62 points, Clint Names of Washington next with 52. Imhoff and McClintock are tied at 49.

## Bearcats Top Poll Teams Despite Loss

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
Despite a one-point loss to Bradley last Saturday night Cincinnati retained its status as the nation's No. 1 basketball team today.

Bradley, whose thrilling last minute 91-90 victory toppled the Bearcats from the unbeaten ranks, is ranked second by the nation's sportswriters and broadcasters in this week's Associated Press poll.

Cincinnati (13-1) gained 88 first-place votes while Bradley got 17. Cincinnati collected 1,691 points and Bradley 1,527.

Just a shade behind Bradley (12-1) is California (14-1) which drew 22 first-place votes and only 13 points less. West Virginia (15-1) whipped previously undefeated Villanova last Saturday and is fourth after being third last week. California also dropped a notch while Bradley jumped from fourth place.

The top ten based on 10 points for first, 9 for second, etc. First place votes in parentheses:

- | Points | Team                  |
|--------|-----------------------|
| 1,691  | 1. Cincinnati (86)    |
| 1,527  | 2. Bradley (17)       |
| 1,514  | 3. California (22)    |
| 1,417  | 4. West Virginia (13) |
| 1,417  | 5. Ohio State         |
| 1,016  | 6. Georgia Tech (2)   |
| 850    | 7. Utah               |
| 465    | 8. Villanova          |
| 314    | 9. Utah State         |
| 280    | 10. Texas A&M         |
| 219    | 11. Miami (3)         |
| 205    | 12. North Carolina    |
| 151    | 13. Illinois          |
| 120    | 14. So. California    |
| 103    | 15. Iowa              |
| 83     | 16. Kentucky          |
| 75     | 17. Toledo            |
| 71     | 18. St. Louis         |
| 54     | 19. Dayton            |
| 49     | 20. Detroit           |

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