KUHS Pelicans Head For Eugene—Action Starts Tonight

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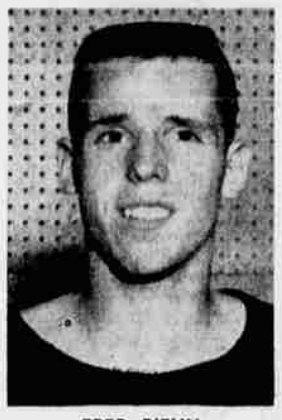
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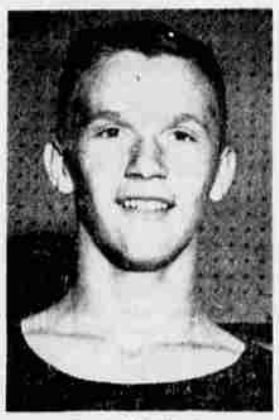
BOB LAPSLEY
...guard

WAYNE DENNIS
...forward

AL KECK
...assistant coach

DEAN WHITE
...KU cage boss

Pel Cagers Seek A-1 Championship

The Klamath Union Pelicans left for Eugene and the 42nd annual Oregon A-1 prep basketball tournament at 7 o'clock this morning, scheduled to arrive at McArthur Court at 11:30 a.m. in time to get in a pre-tourney familiarization workout.

The first obstacle in the path of the Whitebirds' quest of a third state championship is the Sandy Pioneers, their second victim in 1959. The Pels lock horns with the Pioneers at 10:15 Wednesday morning in the fourth game of the opening round.

The classic gets underway tonight when David Douglas of Portland tangles with the state's second-ranked Marshfield Pirates. In the second contest Cleveland pairs off with Albany. Wednesday morning's first game matches Lake Oswego and La Grande. Following the Pelican-Pioneer test are Beaverton and South Eugene, Jefferson and South Salem, St. Helens versus Hermiston and Medford and Jesuit in the first day finale.

The Pelicans, according to a recent poll of the state's sportswriters and broadcasters, are expected to finish third behind Medford, the top - ranked team, and Marshfield.

However, before they move up in the tournament the Pelicans must get past the Sandy quint.

The Pioneers, who boast a 15-4 season record, 13-1 in Wilco conference play, are led by Ed Hoffman, a senior forward who tops all the Sandy point-producers with a 22.1 point per game average for the full season. In the 1959 tournament the Sandy five finished 10th after dropping 64-42 decision to the Pelicans in the quarter-final round.

During the game the Pioneers were on the short end of 21-7, 30-24 and 46-34 quarter rest counts after giving the KU quintet a scare in the first frame. Sandy, always a potential troublemaker so far as tourney teams are concerned, got into the quarter-final slot by virtue of 59-50 triumph over surprised Jefferson in the 1959 tournament.

Teaming with Hoffman, who shoots almost constantly, are Ernie Hollenbeck, 6-0, Lyle Schwartz, 6-4, Gene Searls, 6-0, and Gene Will, 5-7.

The Pioneers bring a season offensive average of 59.5 and a 50.6 defensive mark to the tournament.

The Pelicans, who are headed by guard Paul Bishop who racked up 360 points for a 16.4 season average, have scored at a 61.1 clip while allowing opponents a 52.9 game average.

Figured, presently, to start for the Pels, in addition to Bishop, are Dean Dunson, 6-0, Gary Patzke, 6-3, Bob Lewis, 6-6, and Bruce Brickner, 6-5. Steve Binney, Fred Biehn, Don Eastman, Wally Palmberg, Bob Lapsley and Wayne Dennis will serve as bench strength for the Pels.

Provided the KU quint gets past the determined Pioneers, they will meet the winner of the Lake Oswego-La Grande contest in the championship quarter-final round. Conversely, should they lose, they would face the losing team in the consolation playoffs.

The Pels put the final touch to their preparations for the tournament in a zippy scrimmage on the Oregon Tech court Sunday afternoon. The squad is reported to be in top shape, physically conditioned to go hard for four straight days at the big show.

Nat's Elbow X-rayed

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP)—The left elbow of Washington Senators' slugger Roy Sievers was x-rayed Monday and no fracture was found. Sievers was hit by a fast ball of Detroit Tiger pitcher Phil Regan Sunday.

Lehigh handed Penn State its worst football defeat in 1889 when it licked the Nittany Lions 106-0.

Basketball Scoreboard

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Oregon Class A-2 Prep Basketball Tournament at Coos Bay.

First Round

Vale 53, Myrtle Creek 47
St. Francis (Eugene) 50, Woodburn 34
Willamina 59, Clatskanie 57
Myrtle Point 52, Reedsport 49

Tuesday Schedule

Winners' Bracket

Vale vs. St. Francis
Willamina vs. Myrtle Point

Losers' Bracket

Myrtle Creek vs. Woodburn
Clatskanie vs. Reedsport

National Basketball Assn. Playoffs

Monday's Result

Philadelphia 132, Syracuse 112

Five NY Yankees May Start For A's

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The shuttle system operating between Kansas City and New York — for use by baseball players only — may have dropped off five front-liners who'll be in the Athletics' starting lineup when Bob Elliott makes his managerial debut in the majors.

The A's, berated by many for their numerous transactions with New York, could open the 1960 campaign with Bob Cerv, Hank Bauer and Norm Siebern in the outfield, Jerry Lumpe at shortstop and Marv Throneberry at first base.

Elliott also has two starting pitchers—Johnny Kucks and Don Larsen—either of whom might wind up with the opening day mound assignment.

Kucks was the pitching star and Lumpe and Siebern the batting heroes Monday as the A's defeated the Milwaukee Braves 7-5 in an exhibition game.

Kucks pitched three scoreless innings and received credit for the victory when Lumpe and Siebern cracked homers in the third inning for a decisive 4-0 lead.

The American League champion Chicago White Sox and the Baltimore Orioles ran their records to 3-0. The Sox defeated St. Louis 8-4 while the Birds kept Cincinnati winless 9-4.

In other spring tests, Washington whipped Los Angeles 7-4, Detroit beat the Yankees 4-2 and Philadelphia took Pittsburgh 4-1.

The White Sox scored three runs in the first inning, two on Don Mincher's sacrifice fly when Luis Aparicio came home from third and Jim Landis raced home from second, to take command against the Cards. Stan Musial doubled for St. Louis, his first hit of the Grapefruit League season.

John Powell batted in three runs, had as many hits and also scored three times in the 15-hit Baltimore attack against the Reds.

The world champion Dodgers, off to a 4-0 lead at the expense of Pedro Ramos, were blanked on four hits over the final six innings by Washington's Russ Kemmerer and Hal Woodeschick. The Senators had 13 hits, but the lone homer of the game went to Los Angeles rookie Tommy Davis.

The Tigers' mound trio of rookie Bob Bruce, Bob Smith and Ray Narleski limited the Yankees to five hits, including Kent Hadley's homer and a run-producing double by Roger Maris. Detroit belted Zack Monroe for three runs in the second.

A-2 Schools Swing Into Cage Finals

COOS BAY (AP) — Willamina is paired with Myrtle Point and Vale against St. Francis tonight in winners' bracket play at the Class A-2 Oregon high school basketball tournament.

Myrtle Point nipped Reedsport 52-49, Willamina edged Clatskanie 59-57, Vale beat Myrtle Creek 53-47 and St. Francis of Eugene stopped Woodburn 50-34 in the opening round Monday night.

In consolation play, Myrtle Creek meets Woodburn and Clatskanie — a favorite of the crowd for its tourney play Monday night — meets Reedsport in afternoon play.

Reedsport led Myrtle Point 36-30 early in the fourth period, but then Ray Mast and Marv Radloff triggered a Myrtle Point rally. They counted with 14 points that tied the score at 44 all and then Mast added a field goal and a free throw that put Myrtle Point in front to stay.

Reedsport closed the gap to one point with 15 seconds remaining, but with only seconds left Paul Thomas of Myrtle Point scored a layin that padded the final count.

St. Francis relied heavily on the 18-point performance of 5-foot-11 Tom Spies, and was ahead all the way. St. Francis connected on 15 of 41 field goals for a .366 average. Woodburn could hit on only 10 of 47 for a .207.

Vale led 11-9 at the end of the first period over Myrtle Creek, then stretched the lead to 31-23 at the half. Myrtle Creek cut the margin to 40-37 in the third quarter, mostly on the free throws of Fred Carwood. But at the end of the period Vale was back in front with a 40-37 lead and coasted through the final period.

Moyer Inks Griffith Fight Pact

PORTLAND (AP) — Denny Moyer was signed Monday by his uncle, Tommy Moyer, for a return fight with Emile Griffith of New York.

The two ranked welterweights will fight a scheduled 10-rounder April 26 at the Pacific-International Pavilion here, Tommy Moyer said.

Moyer, a promoter, said Griffith agreed to the fight in a long distance telephone conversation. He said it will not be televised.

Griffith, formerly from the Virgin Islands, won a split decision from young Moyer, a Portlander, last Friday at Madison Square Garden in New York. Moyer signed for the return bout after returning to Portland.

Sid Flaherty, Moyer's manager, said he had no great quarrel with last Friday's verdict, but added he thought Denny had won. Referee Harry Kessler voted 5-4-1 for Moyer. The two judges marked their cards 5-4-1 for Griffith.

"It was a close bout that could have gone either way," Flaherty remarked. "Denny finished real strong and . . was entitled to a decision, but a draw wouldn't have been an injustice to either boy. We're glad to get another crack at him."

The loss was only the second for Denny against 24 victories. His other loss was to Don Jordan in a 15-round championship fight last July in Portland. Griffith has 17 victories and a lone loss to Randy Sandy, a New York fighter Denny has beaten.

VEECK LEAVES HOSPITAL

CHICAGO (UPI)—President Bill Veeck of the Chicago White Sox is expected to be discharged from the hospital tonight after undergoing a minor operation for an infected right elbow.

Braves Favored In NIT

NEW YORK (AP)—Top-seeded Bradley plays tough Dayton and defending champion St. John's takes on even tougher St. Bonaventure tonight in the last quarter-final competition of the National Invitation Tournament at Madison Square Garden.

Bradley (24-2) is a five-point favorite over the Flyers, who easily handled Temple 72-51 in a first-round game. St. Bonaventure (20-3) is given a one-point nod over the Redmen (17-7) after eliminating Holy Cross 94-81 for its 17th consecutive victory in first-round contest.

Dayton's (21-6) chief worry appears to be Bradley's ever-changing offense and defense.

"We never do the same thing twice," Braves' coach Chuck Orsborn admitted. The Braves, who lost to St. John's, 75-71, in overtime for last year's title, are noted for using two or three types of offense or defense all with variations almost as a matter of course.

Dayton coach Tom Blackburn has high regard for the Braves.

"After all, they've beaten the Big O (Oscar Robertson and Cincinnati, 91-90). In our section of the country, if you've beaten the Big O, you've got it," said Blackburn, who has led the Flyers into five NIT finals and never emerged a winner.

St. John's coach Joe Lapchick is worried mostly about his fourth-seeded team's lack of activity the past 12 days and still is haunted by the 95-78 lacing by the Bonnies in December's Holiday Festival.

The game shapes up as a battle between St. John's All - America Tony Jackson and high-scoring Tom Stith of the Bonnies. Stith, who was second nationally in scoring with a 32.5 average, combined with brother Sam for 52 points in last Saturday's victory over Holy Cross.

EXHIBITION BASEBALL

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Monday's Results

Baltimore 9, Cincinnati 4
Chicago (A) 8, St. Louis 4
Detroit 4, New York 2
Kansas City 7, Milwaukee 5
Washington 7, Los Angeles 4
Philadelphia 4, Pittsburgh 1

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Starting Lineups

Player	Yr.	Ht.	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Player
Paul Bishop	Sr.	6-3	G	6-0	Sr.	Gene Searls
Dean Dunson	Sr.	6-0	G	5-7	Sr.	Doug Will
Bruce Brickner	Jr.	6-5	C	6-4	Sr.	Lyle Schwartz
Bob Lewis	Sr.	6-6	F	6-3	Sr.	Ed Hoffman
Gary Patzke	So.	6-3	F	6-0	Sr.	Ernie Hollenbeck

RESERVES

KLAMATH UNION—Steve Binney, 6-1; Sr.; Fred Biehn, 5-10, Jr.; Don Eastman, 6-3, Sr.; Wally Palmberg, 5-10, Jr.; Wayne Dennis, 6-2, Jr.; Bob Lapsley, 5-11, Jr.

SANDY—Roger Hoffman, 6-3, Sr.; Jim Wolf, 5-11, Jr.; Everett Hollenbeck, 6-0, Jr.; Bob Holt, 6-0, Sr.; Jim Bartley, 5-10, Sr.

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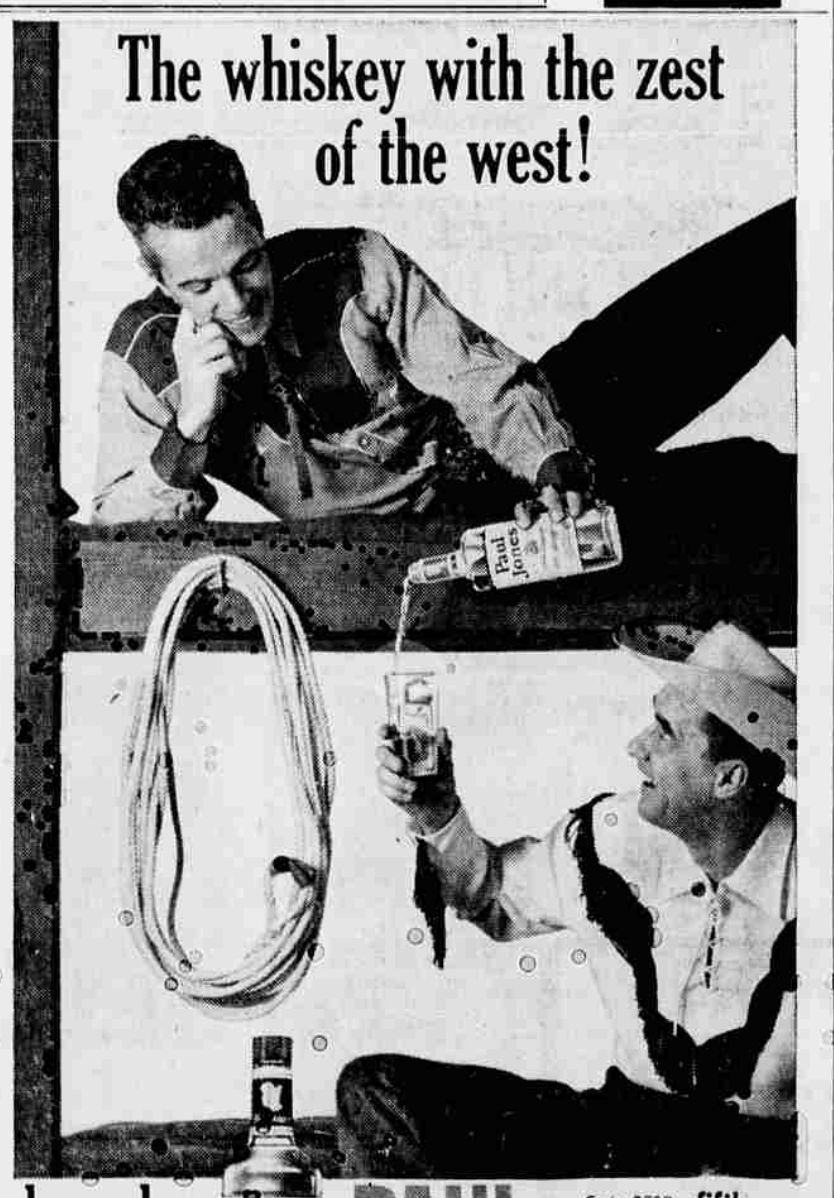
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