

Oregon Tech Cagers Host Chico St. Quint Tonight

Owls, Wildcats Mix On Mile High Court

The Oregon Tech Owl basketball team makes its first appearance in front of home town fans tonight determined to crack into the win column but it meets a club that has the same thought in mind.

At 8 p.m. on the Mile High court the Techmen tangle with the powerful Chico State Wildcats in a contest that initiates a three game home stand for the Owls. Friday and Saturday nights the Tech quint clashes with the Humboldt State Lumberjacks at OTI while the Chico Staters move across the Green Springs for a two-game series with the Southern Oregon College Red Raiders.

Tonight's tussle, which gives Klamath Falls fans their first chance to see Bob Petersen, the ex-Klamath Union High star, in action since he graduated from the local high school, will follow a preliminary game featuring the Altamont Junior High basketballers versus the Tulelake Junior High quint.

A special halftime show, sponsored by the OTI Youth Club under the direction of Lathan Kincaid, will feature at least two boxing matches pairing some very able "mosquito weights."

Gary Cordial and Kelly Thomas, both 65 pounders, will square off the first bout, followed by J. B. Alexander, 55, and Danny Henderson, a 53-pounder. The matches will consist of two one-minute rounds. The little scrappers are managed by girl members of the club and are trained by Kincaid.

Coach Wally Palmberg's Owl squad, although capturing both the individual scoring and rebounding records at the NAIA tourney in Portland over the weekend, found themselves on the short end of the scores in all three games.

Guard Leon Wilson scored 60 points to top all the shooters while Petersen, 6-4, swept the boards despite a chipped bone in his hand.

The Chico Staters, led by coach Gene Maxey, have also had their troubles. In their first two outings the Wildcats were handed defeats. They bowed 63-53 to Long Beach State College and then lost a low-scoring struggle, 49-37, with Santa Clara.

Palmberg noted that his probable starting unit would include Petersen, Wilson, Gene Branson, a 6-4 returnee from the 1959 club, newcomer Hewlett Nash, 6-0, and Charlie Wilson, the Owl football star who recently joined the hoop squad.

Standing by as able relievers are Van Zilek and Norm Johns, Bud Maupin, Ron Mugerud and Doug Shattuck, each of whom is expected to see a good bit of action.

The Wildcats will choose between Fred Obermiller, 6-5, Harold Von Bargen, 6-6, Jerry Miller, 6-3, Gerald Davis, 6-2, Denny Varley, 6-2, Keith Calkins, 5-10, and Wilbur Smith, 5-9.

Owl scoring statistics to date show Wilson, Branson and Nash the leading Tech scorers. Wilson leads with his 60, Branson is second with 47 while Nash is number three with 33.

The Techmen have shown a weakness at the foul line, connecting on only 45 of 75 chances. They have collected 195 total points while allowing the opponents 233.

Scoring Summary
Oregon Tech 38 18 11-16 41 47
Chico State 35 15 3-4 12 33

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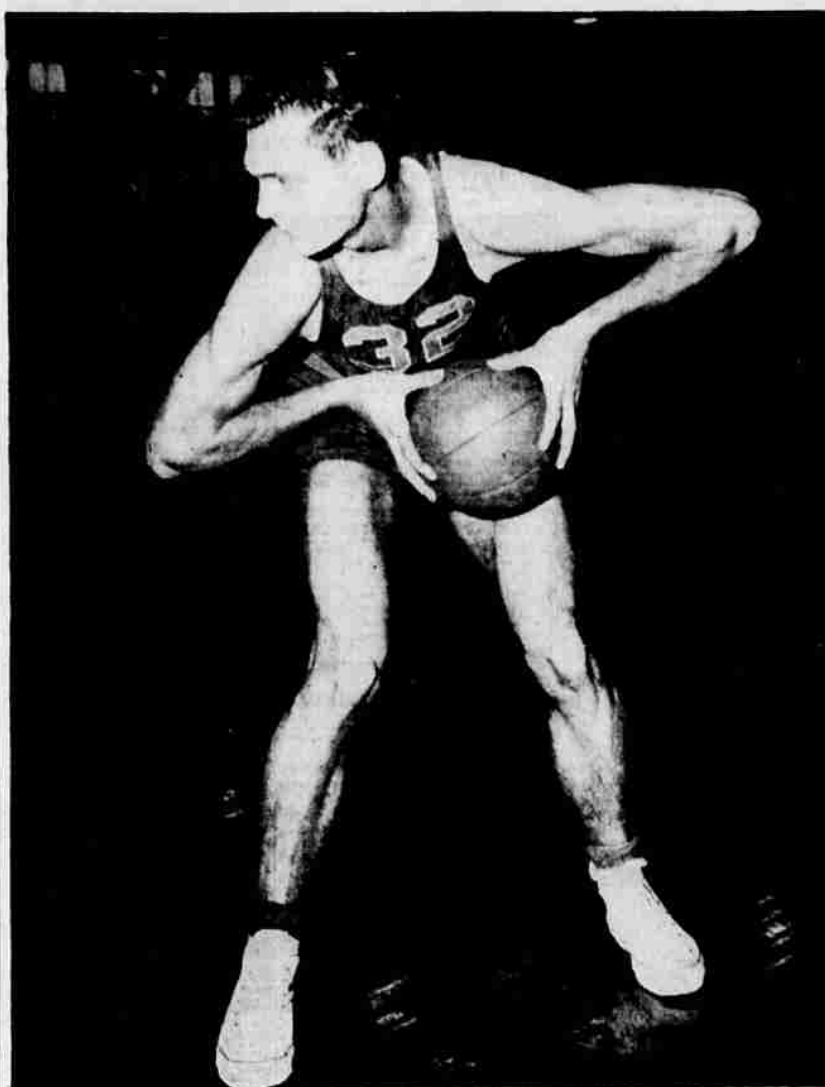
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Ex-KU Great At Home



HOME TOWN APPEARANCE — Big Bob Petersen, a two-time All-Stater while at Klamath Union, will make his first home town basketball appearance in two years tonight at Oregon Tech when he and his Owl teammates tangle with the Chico State Wildcats. Game time is 8 o'clock following a preliminary featuring Altamont Junior High and Tulelake Junior High beginning at 6:30.

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Herald and News SPORTS

WAYNE SCOTT, Sports Editor

Former IBC Boss Asks Closed Court

WASHINGTON (AP) — James D. Norris learns today whether he must face in public or in private the Senate investigators who have associated him repeatedly with hoodlum Frankie Carbo in the inner circle of the prize-fighting business.

Norris was the country's foremost boxing promoter for a decade until he quit the sport last fall. His attorney asked permission for him to testify in the hearing.

Physicians who have treated Norris say the tension of a public hearing might precipitate a heart attack. Norris already has been stricken twice, they reported.

Sen. Estes Kefauver, chairman of the subcommittee seeking a legal deterrent for an alleged underworld tangle in boxing, said a decision would be announced this morning.

Through ex-middleweight champion Carmen Basilio, Promoter-manager Jack Kearns and former New York Manager Herman (Hymie the Mink) Wallman, the investigators Wednesday linked Norris and Carbo in discussions of boxers and bouts.

Norris, who owns Chicago Stadium, headed the International Boxing Clubs until they were dissolved by the Supreme Court in 1959 for monopolizing championship fights. He then headed the clubs' Chicago successor before pulling out altogether.

Carbo long has been described in the side-of-the-mouth conversations as the underworld's Mr. Big of prizefighting. He is now serving a two-year sentence for under-recover managing and match-making.

Kefauver's subcommittee heard Kearns say he has been dickering with the Teamsters Union as well as the AFL-CIO on a project to unionize the entire boxing industry.

Basilio said Carbo had called on the phone while he was stating his terms for a possible rematch with Sugar Ray Robinson at Norris' home in Coral Gables, Fla.

Robinson had been ranked fifth among the middleweights by Ring until his surprising showing in holding Fullmer to a draw.

Other noteworthy changes in the ratings include the drop of former welterweight champion Don Jordan to ninth place after his loss to Ludwig Lighburn, and the demotion of Philadelphia's Len Matthews to fourth place among the lightweights after his loss Tuesday night to Cuba's Doug Vaillant, unranked last month, was jumped to No. 7.

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KU Cage, Mat Tickets On Sale

Both the Klamath Union Pelican basketball and wrestling teams open activity on their home grounds this weekend.

The KU cagers face the Springfield Millers in a two game series beginning Friday at 8 p.m. on Pelican Court while the wrestlers take over the gym Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

Season tickets to both the home basketball games and the wrestling matches are still available at the Chamber of Commerce, reported Jim Johnson, KU athletic director. He also noted that individual game reserved seats are also on sale at the ColC.

A considerable saving can be made by purchasing the season tickets for both sports.

Big 10 Seeks Price Boost

CHICAGO (UPI) — Big Ten athletic directors today were on record in favor of higher ticket prices for football games for the 1961 gridiron season.

They approved a price boost recommendation Wednesday because of increased expenses at every institution.

The recommendation will be made to boards in control of the member schools, and will suggest the price hike be of not more than \$1.00 per ticket.

Discuss Aid To Athletes
Meanwhile, the faculty representatives and athletic directors were expected today to take up the controversial regulation covering aid to athletes.

All aid in the Big Ten currently is based on need. But the conference hoped to develop a formula in which aid would be based on scholarship.

The price increase, if approved, would be the second boost in two years at Big Ten schools. Two years ago most of the members upped football ticket prices from \$3.50 to \$4.00, while Michigan raised its price this year to \$4.50.

Baseball 'Family' Happy Again

O'Malley The Hero; LA To Get New Club

ST. LOUIS (UPI) — Baseball was one big happy family today for the first time in years and the American League credited it all, surprisingly, to Los Angeles Dodger owner Walter O'Malley for "bowling us over with his fine spirit of cooperation."

O'Malley, who had been cast in the role of chief villain until Wednesday, emerged as the real hero of an expansion drama that looked for a long time as if it might wind up a national tragedy.

Commissioner Ford Frick loudly praised the portly Dodger president "as the one man who did more to unravel this mess than anyone else," and both American and National League officials agreed with Frick for once.

"There is no telling what would have happened if O'Malley had not been so cooperative," said Frank Lane, the outspoken general manager of the Cleveland Indians. "The expansion problem might have ended in a shambles. The entire American League feels grateful to him."

O'Malley The Hero
John Galbreath of the Pittsburgh Pirates, Bob Carpenter of the Philadelphia Phillies and Nate Dolin of the Cleveland Indians also were singled out for "their tremendous patience and understanding" in bringing baseball hot-heads together, but in the final analysis it was O'Malley who swung the scales.

Because O'Malley voluntarily decided to yield in his original demands, the American League was able to accomplish its pre-announced purpose of placing a team in Los Angeles as part of a 10-team circuit in 1961.

"I never really made any great demands," smiled the 56-year-old Dodger president. "I was confident we could reach a mutually-satisfactory solution all the time."

The chief stumbling block, it developed, was the Los Angeles Coliseum where the Dodgers have played their home games during the last three years.

That hitch was removed when the new Los Angeles club, headed by cowboy singer Gene Autry and former Stanford football star Bob Reynolds, agreed to play its games in 20,500-seat Wrigley Stadium next season and become a tenant in the Chavez Ravine Stadium for four years beginning in 1962.

Nothing In Writing
"Autry and his group, I'm sure, will be a credit to baseball," O'Malley said. "Just to show you how we feel about them, nothing is in writing between us. I hope they beat the pants off the rest of the American League."

The new Los Angeles club, which will be called the "Angels," was not restricted to its television commitments by O'Malley. Nor did the Dodger owner press any indemnity claim, although he will be probably paid in the neighborhood of \$400,000.

Thus, the Los Angeles and new Washington club are now officially the 9th and 10th members of the American League. They will obtain their players from a common pool, composed of players

from the other eight AL clubs, on Dec. 13 in Boston.

The expansion issue shoved virtually all other matters into obscurity during the major league meetings, which wound up officially Wednesday. Officials made only two player deals, including a six-player swap between Detroit and Milwaukee.

Other Deals Made
Here were the only deals made during the meetings:
—Detroit traded Frank Bolling and a player to be named later to Milwaukee for Bill Bruton, Chuck Cottier, Dick Brown and Terry Fox.

—Cleveland dealt Harvey Kuenn to San Francisco for Johnny Antonelli and Willie Kirkland.

—Baltimore purchased Earl Robinson from Los Angeles.

—Milwaukee bought Billy Martin from Cincinnati.

—And the Braves also purchased Brown from the White Sox before sending him along to the Tigers.

Frick, however, was far more concerned with the progress made on expansion than with any made in the trading market. He was particularly pleased that the owners had gotten together and voted unanimously to re-write Rule 1, which governs expansion procedure.

Under the new rule, a major league club now needs only a three-fourths vote to move into the territory of another big league club instead of a unanimous vote.

Also, the second club in any city must be located at least five miles from the other, and any prospective new owners must show financial ability to maintain a club for five years.

"I now feel we have a rule that we can live with," Frick said happily. "Not just for this year but for a long, long time."

PICKED FOR ALL-STAR
MIAMI, Fla. (UPI) — Two jumbo-sized tackles were named Wednesday to play in the North-South All-Star football game, Dec. 26. They are 236-pound Ron Kostelnik of Cincinnati, chosen on the North team, and 226-pound John O'Day of Miami, picked on the South team.

Novice Champion



TO DEFEND TITLE — Oregon Novice 125-pound champion, Bert Farris, above, will appear on the big fight card slated in Chiloquin Saturday night to defend his crown against the fighter from whom he won it. Farris will meet Pete Gonzales of the Knott Street (Portland) Community Club in one of ten bouts scheduled.

Chiloquin Champs In Rematch Bouts

CHILOQUIN (Special) — Four Oregon Novice fight champions, all from Chiloquin, will appear on a big ten bout amateur ring program scheduled in Chiloquin Saturday night.

Each of the young scrappers, ranging in weight from the 100 pounds of Ray DeBortoli to the 165 of Bob Bojarcas, is set for rematch against the fighter from whom he won his crown recently in Portland.

The card will begin at 8 p.m., said Chiloquin Police Chief Lou Jones, who, assisted by Ernie Krauss, handles the Chiloquin Boys Club. He is also serving as matchmaker for the fights.

DeBortoli will meet Mel Baker, a 98-pound member of the Knott Street Community Center in Portland, the organization furnishing all the opposition on the Saturday show.

Bojarcas is rematched with Harry Bonner, Knott Street. Other champs to appear are Bert Farris, 125, who will tangle with Pete Gonzales, also 125; and Roland Crume, 156, who is paired with Major Lincoln, 155, of Knott Street.

Also slated for action is Ozzie Gallagher, 125, who necessarily missed the championship bouts because of an injured hand. Gallagher is matched with Joe Gonzales, 126 pounds.

In the 110-pound class young Rick Starkey will tangle with Lee Jenkins of Portland. At least four other bouts are in the making for the program said Jones.

Each of the bouts will consist of three two-minute rounds under AAU regulations.

Admission charges are \$1 for adults and 50 cents for youngsters. All gate receipts, over actual expenses, will go to the Chiloquin Boys Club for the continuation of its operation; the purchase of equipment, travel and other necessary expenses.

Bowl Game Dates, Time Announced

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Here is the remaining lineup of postseason college football bowl games, including starting time (local time):

Dec. 10 — NAIA Holiday Bowl, St. Petersburg, Fla. — Humboldt State (Calif.), (11-0) vs. Lenoir Rhyne (10-0-1), 8 p.m.

Orange Blossom Classic, Miami — Langston, Okla. (9-0) vs. Florida A&M (8-1), 8:15 p.m.

Junior Rose Bowl, Pasadena, Calif. — Tyler (Tex.) (12-0) vs. Long Beach, Calif. (9-0), 4:30 p.m.

Dec. 17 — Bluebonnet Bowl, Houston — Texas (7-3) vs. Alabama (8-1-1), 2 p.m. (CBS-TV).

Liberty Bowl, Philadelphia — Penn State (6-3) vs. Oregon (7-2-1), 1:30 p.m. (NBC-TV).

Dec. 24 — All-American Bowl, Tucson — Major College All-Stars vs. Small College All-Stars, 4 p.m.

Dec. 26 — North-South, Miami — College All-Stars, 8:15 p.m.

Dec. 30 — Tangerine Bowl, Orlando, Fla. — Tennessee Tech (8-2) vs. The Citadel (7-2-1), 8:15 p.m.

Dec. 31 — Gator Bowl, Jacksonville, Fla. — Baylor (8-2) vs. Florida (8-2), 2:15 p.m. (CBS-TV).

East-West, San Francisco — College All-Stars, 4:50 p.m. (NBC-TV).

Sun Bowl, El Paso, Tex. — Utah State (9-1) vs. New Mexico State (10-0), 4 p.m.

Blue-Gray, Montgomery, Ala. — College All-Stars, 2 p.m. (NBC-TV).

Copper Bowl, Tempe, Ariz. — National All-Stars vs. Southwest All-Stars, 3:30 p.m.

Great Southwest Bowl, Grand Prairie, Tex. — Texas A&M (7-1-1) vs. Arkansas Tech (10-0), 3 p.m.

Prairie View Bowl, Houston — Prairie View (9-1) vs. Arkansas A&M (6-4), 9 p.m.

Jan. 2 — Rose Bowl, Pasadena, Calif. — Washington (9-1) vs. Minnesota (8-1), 2 p.m. (NBC-TV).

Orange Bowl, Miami — Missouri (9-1) vs. Navy (9-1), 1 p.m. (CBS-TV).

Cotton Bowl, Dallas — Arkansas (8-2) vs. Duke (7-3), 3:30 p.m. (CBS-TV).

Sugar Bowl, New Orleans — Rice (7-3) vs. Mississippi (9-0-1), 2 p.m. (NBC-TV).

Jan. 7 Senior Bowl, Mobile, Ala. — College Seniors, 3:30 p.m. (NBC-TV).

Radio Exec, Cowboy Star Successful

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Gene Autry was minus his guitar and both he and Bob Reynolds needed sleep when they stepped off a plane Wednesday night.

But Autry and Reynolds, a radio station executive, had plenty to sing about—had they chose to do so.

They were bringing Los Angeles an American League baseball franchise.

The towering Reynolds and Autry, the man who once sang "Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer," flew home from St. Louis after sewing up the franchise giving them the 10th club in the league's 1916 schedule.

"I've had about 20 hours' sleep in the last five days," said Reynolds, president of Los Angeles radio station KMPC and a Stanford football star of 25 years ago.

"We'll hold a news conference tomorrow," said Autry, in answer to newsmen's questions.

With the two Angel executives was long-time big league manager Fred Haney, the new outfit's player-personnel director.

Autry, the driving force in the franchise bargaining, has yearned to get into baseball since his guitar-plunking, ballad-singing heyday. He has made money in every other business field he's tried—his own film and TV-producing firm, oil holdings, radio stations and ranch lands.

He was reputed to be worth between \$4 million and \$7 million 10 years ago. That was about the time he began to taper off on his own show business work. He is now 54 and lives quietly in the Hollywood hills.

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As a junior at Archbishop Williams in Massachusetts he hit .425 and as a senior his batting average was .418.

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