KU Pelicans Stifle Tornado, 73-58

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Scotty's BARKS 'N' BITES

By WAYNE SCOTT

I received a shock, the kind that hurts, Saturday afternoon in the Oregon Tech gym.

I saw something I never expected and certainly never wanted to see.

I saw a basketball player voluntarily walk to the locker room, put on his coat and hat and stroll out of the gym while his team was on the short end of the score with nearly 16 minutes left to go. And it happened in a game that could very well be crucial.

Why is it such a big thing? I don't know . . . it just seems that an action like that by an athlete you feel could be a "great" just kind of cuts the pins out from under you.

And it harks back to the thought that praise and publicity doesn't hurt the "great" one . . . if he's truly great.

Maybe I'm wrong . . . At any rate I'm glad I'm not his coach. Perhaps a nickname like "Sweet Sammy" or "Slammin' Sam" or "Cool Cat" would be better changed to "Sad Sam."

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Received a letter the other day from Ken Hess, sports editor of the Coos Bay World . . . and in it he expresses some definite ideas on the redistricting proposal which has been suggested by some A-1 schools. While I'm sure I'd be off base were I to print it all . . . suffice it to say that Hess feels much the same about the proposal as I, and a number of other Southern Oregon Conference people, do. It's good to know we're not alone.

Odds and Ends . . .

A phone call early Saturday from Joe Smith, the Klamath area Oregon Game Commission member, informs us that bait-fishing from an anchored boat is still permissible on Diamond Lake . . . he also said that the High Lakes, with the exception of Twin Lakes and Paulina, will stay open this year until Oct. 31. The 1961 regulations are out now.

Weekly professional wrestling may be just around the corner for Klamath grapple-fans. . . . Personable Tex Hager, who will be remembered for his appearances here in years past, was in town the latter part of the week and got acquainted with the members of the boxing commission. He wants to include Klamath Falls in a circuit that includes Reno, Las Vegas, Carson City (his headquarters, he's press agent for a big club) and other Nevada towns. It's been a long time but maybe the "rassles" will go here again . . . but boy did pro boxing fizzle the last time.

An Oregon Tech Gridder made the pros . . . Arnold Metcalfe, a former star for the Owls, signed contract with the Oakland Raiders . . . another good reason to watch AFL football next season. By the way, did anyone else notice that the caliber of AFL football was far better at the close of the season . . . or was I just getting used to them.

Kurt Schmidt, the former president of the Klamath Union Ski Club is a freshman at Denver U. . . . and he recently participated in the Torchlight Parade at Winter Park near Denver. Schmidt, no mean skier, was lauded for his work in the dangerous night-time caravan . . . it's a beautiful spectacle, if you've never seen one. He plans to try for the Denver varsity ski squad . . . and he'll probably make it. Denver, while dropping out of football, is a "cool" spot for skiers and hockey players.

The news that Hawaii U dropped football has put the hex on plans of a number of Western small college coaches who planned to try scheduling them in the near future. You can see how a promised trip to the Islands might be a powerful inducement for able footballers casting around for the school at which to further their playing days, can't you?

Since we've mentioned "cool" spots . . . how about this "Banana Belt" weather we've been enjoying here. . . .

Louie Stewart, the golf chairman at Reames Country Club notes that many local linksters have been playing daily through our "winter." . . . Says Lou, "Come on out and get ready for our 'Spring' opening."

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Plagiarists' Pot-Pourri . . .

Hal Woods says that Viking choice of Hugh McElhenny was a natural . . . Bert Rose, Vik GM was the UW tub-thumper when the "King" was a Husky star.

. . . John Rohde, former University of Pacific assistant, will succeed Jack (Moose) Myers as the head man.

. . . Mike Kline will lead the Oregon State Beavers on the gridiron next fall. The new captain is a former Beaverton star. . . . and Jack Morris, former UO great is now a member of the Minnesota Vikings . . . John Cadwell, 1959 Beaver gridder is now with the Dallas Texans and is termed an "outstanding prospect."

. . . What with Terry Baker and Don Kasso both around can you blame Tommy Prothro for switching to the "T"?

. . . A note from Johnny Eggers at OSC warns that college coaches should keep an eye on young Howard Durand of Estacada. The lad won the Elks lodge free throw contest at Corvallis for the second straight time. . . . he connected on 70 of 75 tries . . . beat over 20,000 kids in the state.

Stanford Star Sets 1,000 Yard Record

BOSTON (AP) — Ernie Cunliffe, the smooth-striding Stanford graduate student, smashed the world indoor 1,000-yard record Saturday night with a 2:07.9 in the Boston AA games.

Just two weeks ago on the same Boston Garden track, Cunliffe ran for the first time on boards and a 1,000-yard race in 2:10.2 in borrowed shoes.

This time he left no doubt to the 11,000 spectators that he was out to shatter the indoor standard of 2:08.2 held jointly by Don Gehrmann and Arnie Sowell.

He gained the lead in the second lap, took a quick look behind once to make sure he was shaking off Lee Martin of Morgan State and ran the final three laps all by himself strictly against the clock.

Cunliffe already holds the American outdoor record of 2:07.3.

Martin started out in front because Cunliffe drew the outside lane. But he sprinted out behind Martin and quickly passed the Morgan State runner. Martin tried to hang on but faded. Frank Tomeo of Fordham was second and Jon Dante of Villanova third.

Cunliffe was caught in :55.5 for the first quarter and 1:51.8 for the half.

Istvan Roszavolgyi, fresh off the plane from Hungary, won the Hunter mile in 4:06.8, beating Deacon Jones of Fort Lee, Va., by about 10 yards.

Thomas Clears 7-3 In Boston

BOSTON (AP) — John Thomas of Boston University, smarting at the news of a Russian bettering his best indoor high jump mark of 7 feet, 2½ inches, cleared 7-3 Saturday night at the Boston AA games.

Only three hours earlier, Thomas had learned of Valery Brumel's jump of 7-4¼ in Leningrad Saturday. That was better even than the Bostonian's outdoor standard of 7-3¾.

Before he took his first leap, Thomas murmered:

"I guess I'll just have to try harder."

Grants Pass Belts Crater

CENTRAL POINT (Special) — The Grants Pass Cavemen made up for their loss to Klamath Falls Friday night, by waxing the unfortunate Central Point Comets 70-59 despite a big 25-point effort by Loyal Higinbotham.

Crater opened the fanfare with a fast scoring spurt and piled up a slim 17-15 first quarter lead. But they fell apart just as fast when the Cavemen came on in the next frame and cracked the game wide open as they rolled to a 40-29 halftime margin. The Comets' rally attempt died in vain as the Grants Pass quintet stretched the gap to 55-38 at the end of the third period.

The scoring summary:

Grants Pass (70)—Jansen 18, Murray 20, Hauntz 12, Smith 8, Llewellyn 1, Hamilton 4, Adkins 4, Davis 1, Burton 2, Mellgren.

Central Point (59)—La Case 2, Higinbotham 25, Edwards 10, Gines 5, Alvarez 14, White 1, Allen 3, Tweedell, Connors, Beaman.

Hornets Slaughter Malin For Revenge

The Henley Hornets were out for revenge Saturday night and they got it in large measure by slaughtering the Malin Mustangs 81-48 after an awesome 30-point third quarter.

The Hornets avenged an earlier three-point loss to the Mustangs and were also out for blood after Friday night's one-point upset at the hands of the Merrill Huskies (50-49).

After a fairly even first half, the Hornets retired to the locker room with a 28-24 lead. In the third quarter, however, coach Jerry Johnson's Henley five went wild. With speedy Ray Brown firing 15 points and feeding inside to Bob Chapman and Kent Gooding, the Hornets piled up 30 points and took an insurmountable lead.

Henley hit 48 per cent from the floor for the game and a shattering 66 per cent in the second half on 25 baskets in 38 attempts. Gooding was high point man with 19 and Brown added 17. Larry Rick led Malin with 15.

The Hornet Jayvees also enjoyed a hot evening in posting their twelfth straight win of the season. Coach Len Weber's juniors took a 30-7 halftime lead over the Malin Jayvees and were never headed. Charley Thompson continued his scoring streak with 10 points. Steve Reiling had nine while Tom Brown's five was the best Malin could do.

The scoring summaries:

Malin (48)—Steyskal 2, Rick 15, Clark 11, D. Johnson 2, B. Brown 11, Cox 4, Stanley 3, T. Brown. Prescott.

Henley (81)—Chapman 8, Tacchini 2, Albritton 12, Wolfe 4, Gooding 19, Kendall 11, C. Bielsky 4, Brown 17, Thompson 2.

Malin JV (21)—Rallum 4, Totell 3, B. Fogel 3, L. Fogel 3, Brown 2, Parish 2, Harrison 1, Drazil, Kaline, Whitman.

Henley JV (44)—Reiling 5, Barrett 2, Dawson 6, Albritten 6, Thompson 10, Breithaupt 2, Sanders 2, Murphy 2, Schiro 2, Blackmon 3, Bielby, Johnson, Lynn, Kerns.

KU Jayvees Halt Medford

Klamath Union's junior varsity avenged their loss to the Medford juniors in their last meeting by edging the Tornadoes 54-50 on Pelican Court Saturday night.

The win also helped to make up for the future Pelicans' loss to Grants Pass Friday night by a 61-50 score.

Big 6-3 center Dana Ash paced the Klamath quintet on both nights, by dumping in a total of 10 Friday night and 18 Saturday. He was followed by Kent Hunsaker with 8 and 15 counters.

The scoring summary:

Klamath JV (50)—Dearing 4, Scott 4, Ash 10, Bogatay 3, Waller 3, Allen 8, Hunsaker 8, Kaler 3, Kelly, Stippich 5.

Grants Pass JV (41)—Wilson 2, Banzon 14, Weidmann 11, O'Learey 8, Milleman 2, Reddick 7, Sturgill 3, Lindquist 3, Renner 7, Robertson 3.

Medford JV (38)—Ford 4, Miles 7, Neathammer 21, Sander 4, White 10, Parlatan 4.

Klamath JV (54)—Ash 18, Allen 14, Hunsaker 15, Stippich 8, Kaler 4, Bogatay 3.

Ducks Down Seattle U.

EUGENE (AP) — The University of Oregon basketball team won its sixth straight game Saturday night, downing Seattle University 75-64.

The victory tied the two teams in second place in the standings of Northwest Independents with records of 10 victories and 5 losses.

Oregon led all the way after Charlie Warren sank a basket with three seconds gone. Seattle rallied briefly on scores by Bernie Dunston and Eddie Miles, and the score was 19-16 with seven minutes remaining in the half. The Oregon margin ranged from 5 to 7 points until halftime, when the score was 37-30.

Oregon took a 15-point lead, 47-32, in the first four minutes of the second period. Seattle cut the margin to 9 points twice at 59-50 and 69-60.

Oregon's Glenn Moore was high scorer of the game with 21 points. Eddie Miles led the losers with 17.

Both teams were accurate at the free throw line, Oregon sinking 17 of its 21 shots and Seattle 22 of 26.

Oregon has won two of the three games the two teams have played this season.

Seattle (64)—Dunston 13, Butler 8, Mills 12, Miles 17, Shaules 5, Brennan 2, Gocker, Stautz, Preston 7, Burton, Stepan.

Oregon (75)—Warren 17, Simmons 11, Moore 21, Hayes 16, Strickland 17, Mack, Knecht 3, Kimpton 2.

Klamath Takes Firm Hold On First Place

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The Klamath Union Pelican basketball team made a 73-58 believer out of the Medford Black Tornado on Pelican Court Saturday night to run its win string to 13 straight and round out an 8-0 Southern Oregon Conference standing to date.

A tremendous second half drive, which saw the Pelicans as far ahead as 19 points at one time, was the factor which gave the Pels their second win over the Medford quint and marked the unblemished completion of the first half of conference action.

Harassed by Bob Quinney and Dick Ragsdale, the potent Medford point-makers, during the first period, the Pels had to struggle back from a first period 20-14 deficit to keep the record clean.

Led by big Bruce Brickner and junior Gary Patzke who scored 20 and 18 points respectively before the evening was over, the KU cagers knotted the count at 26-26 and 28-28 before pulling ahead to stay. A rebound and a jumper by forward Ray Taylor provided the ties.

Quinney, who topped all the scorers with 25 points, was held to only four during the second quarter which ended 34-32 for the Whitebirds.

Through the early portion of the third frame the Pels maintained a 4 to 6 point edge. With 1:30 left in the frame Patzke hooked one from the key and before the quarter ended the count was 57-47 for KU and from here on they were never under the 10 point bulge.

They hammered the Tornado unmercifully during the final quarter and when there was 2:00 minutes left on the clock they had stretched their lead to 71-52. Here they relaxed enough to allow Quinney two quick layups in the final 30 seconds which narrowed the spread as the gun.

Although the Pelicans outscored Medford 25 field goals to 19, they noticed their big difference at the foul line. They hit on 23 of 29 shots; Brickner netted 6-6, Palmberg, the third Pel producer with 17, potted 7-7 and guard Freddie Biehn connected on each of his two tries.

Medford notched 20 in 29 gift shots, led by Ragsdale who scored a perfect 6-6 plus five field goals for a total of 16 points.

Only seven Pelican players got into the fray and each of them scored. Wayne Dennis, who replaced Taylor, when he was benched with five fouls late in the third quarter, hit one field goal as did guard Sherm Allen who subbed for Palmberg in parts of the third and fourth stanzas.

The boxscore:

Scoring Summary

Medford (58)	FG	FT-FTA	PF	TP
Eaton	0	2-5	3	2
Dawson	2	1-2	3	5
Quinney	11	3-4	4	25
Barry	1	2-4	4	4
Ragsdale	5	6-6	0	16
Bray	0	4-8	2	4
Hoefs	0	0-1	2	0
Tichenor	0	0-0	1	0
TOTALS	19	20-29	19	58
KUHS (73)	FG	FT-FTA	PF	TP
Patzke	6	6-10	3	18
Taylor	3	2-4	5	8
Brickner	7	6-6	2	20
Palmberg	5	7-7	4	17
Biehn	2	2-3	4	6
Dennis	1	0-0	1	2
Allen	1	0-0	0	2
TOTALS	25	23-29	19	73

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Medford	20	12	11	11	58
KUHS	14	20	23	16	73

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OSC Bounces Washington

CORVALLIS (AP) — Oregon State, hitting on 60 per cent of its shots, demolished Washington, 74-46, before 8,161 basketball fans here Saturday night.

The winners led only 34-25 at halftime. But in the second half they connected on 18 of their 25 field goal attempts, a 78 per cent average, and Washington never had a chance.

Washington used a zone defense in the first seven minutes and stayed even with State. Then the Oregon team moved ahead quickly.

Jim Woodland and 6-10 Karl Anderson sparked the devastating second-half bombardment. During the first six minutes Woodland dropped in four long push shots and Anderson matched that with four baskets of his own.

With 15 minutes left in the game Oregon State held a 42-33 lead. Then in the next five minutes Oregon State outscored Washington, 17-2.

Both coaches cleared their benches in the final minute.

Jay Carty of Oregon State was high scorer with 19 points. Washington's 6-8 Bill Hanson had 18. Anderson registered 16 and Woodland 15 while OSC's sophomore football star, Terry Baker, had 10.

The victory improved Oregon State's season record to 11-5.

Washington (44)—Niva, Corbi 7, Hanson 18, Names 4, Bakken 7, Irvine, Sharp, Reitan 2, Porter 1, Douglas 1, Brown 1, Mack 2.

Oregon State (74)—Baker 10, Jacobson 4, Anderson 16, Pauly 4, Woodland 15, Carty 19, Rossi 2, Jamison, Flynn, Stafford, Hayward, Wold 2.

Hockey

Toronto 2, Chicago 1
Detroit 3, Montreal 3 (tie)

The Top Clubs: Basketball Results

No. 1 — Ohio State

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Top-ranked and unbeaten Ohio State solidified its Big Ten Conference lead Saturday with a 92-62 rout of Purdue's potent Boilermakers. It was Ohio State's 14th straight win of the campaign.

Purdue's Terry Dischinger led the scoring with 26 points—beating Ohio State's All-America Jerry Lucas by 9 — but his individual brilliance failed to match the all-round team play of the Bucks as all five starters hit for double figures.

Ohio State, the nation's No. 1 team, piled up a 39-26 lead at halftime, and then put it on ice with a 16-point splurge in the first two minutes of the second session.

No. 3 — Bradley

PEORIA, Ill. (AP) — Bradley, the nation's No. 3 basketball team, broke open a tight game with a 32-point surge in the final 10 minutes Saturday and overpowered Marquette 84-68 in a nationally televised game.

A burst of balanced scoring shook Bradley loose after Marquette's zone defense made the first half a struggle with the lead changing 12 times before the Braves grabbed a 36-35 lead at intermission.

No. 5 — Duke

DURHAM, N.C. (AP) — Duke's fifth ranked Blue Devils broke away to a 20-point lead in the second half Saturday and whipped Clemson 79-59 in a regionally televised Atlantic Coast Conference basketball game. It was the fifth straight victory for Duke which is 14-1 for the season.

Soph star Art Heyman and senior Doug Kistler scored 22 points each as they combined to break open a close game in the second half, after Clemson showed signs of recovering from an 11-point intermission deficit.

No. 9 — Southern Cal

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Southern California scored its seventh straight basketball victory Saturday night, whipping Denver University 68-52.

John Rudometkin scored 21 points to lead the Trojans to their 14th victory of the season. USC, ninth ranked nationally, has two losses.

The Trojans held a 32-17 halftime lead.

Mounts Top Viks

LA GRANDE (AP) — Eastern Oregon had to go into overtime Saturday night to defeat Portland State 64-57 in an Oregon Collegiate Conference basketball game.

Larry Applegate scored 28 points, including four in overtime, as he led EOC to its eighth straight victory.

The score was tied 53-53 at the end of regulation play.

Linfield Tops NWC

SALEM (AP) — Linfield tightened its hold on first place in Northwest Conference basketball standings Saturday night by defeating Willamette 80-73.

Linfield led for the final 37 minutes. Willamette rallied in the final five minutes but Linfield clinched the victory as Bill Wallin sank five free throws in the closing moments. Wallin was high scorer of the game with 25 points.

OSC Rooks Win

CORVALLIS (AP)—The Oregon State College Rooks won their sixth basketball victory in nine starts this season, defeating Grays Harbor 84-58.

Mel Counts, the former Marshfield High star, led the winners with 35 points, despite sitting out for eight minutes. Rex Benner had 13 and Lyn Baxter 11 for the Rooks. Bud Mahlman pumped in 16 points for the losers.

The Rooks led 42-25 at halftime.

Cuban TKO's Rory Calhoun In Round 8

NEW YORK (AP) — Florentino Fernandez, Cuban left hooker, stopped Rory Calhoun, rugged White Plains, N.Y., middleweight, Saturday night in 2:31 of the eighth round of a 10-round match. Fernandez weighed 156, Calhoun 160¾.

The end came suddenly in the eighth when Fernandez shifted his attack from body to head. A solid hook had a delayed action effect on Calhoun who grabbed to hold as the full power of the blow took its toll.

The Cuban, fighting as a middleweight for the second time after moving up high in the welter class, quickly went out to finish his man.

More hooks thudded home on Calhoun's chin as the fighter sagged and wobbled. Finally he went down on his back, resting on his elbows while Referee Harry Kessler started the count. Calhoun, dazed and badly shaken, started to get up at six and had half risen at seven only to topple forward as he tried to drag himself across the ring toward his own corner.

Ice Queen Is Crowned

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. (AP) — Laurence Owen, a 16-year-old miss from a championship family, is the new queen of United States figure skating.

The Winchester, Mass., high school senior glided over the ice in a brilliant free skating exhibition Friday night to take over the crown vacated by Mrs. Carol Heiss Jenkins, who turned pro to accept movie offers after winning the 1960 Olympic title.

Miss Owen lagged in second place after the compulsory figures skating but overcame that deficit with a display of creative artistry that sent her whizzing past Stephanie Westerfield, 17, home town favorite from Colorado Springs who was in front after the figures.

Her mother is Mrs. Maribel Vincent Owen, who won the national championship in the same senior ladies division nine times.

Miss Owen's sister, Maribel Y. Owen, joined with Dudley Richards of Boston to win the senior pairs title Friday night.

Another Boston skater, 18-year-old Gregory Kelley, is leading the senior men's competition after placing first Friday in the compulsory figures.

Bradley Lord, 17, another Bostonian, finished second in the figures followed by the favorite, Tim Brown, 18, of Oakland, Calif.

Scores

Oregon State 74, Washington 46
Oregon 75, Seattle 64
Colorado State U. 73, Wyoming
UCLA 89, Air Force 78
East Oregon 64, Portland State 57 (ot)
Duke 79, Clemson 59
Ohio State 92, Purdue 62
Tennessee 65, Georgia Tech 60
West Virginia 76, William & Mary 69
Miami (Ohio) 62, Pittsburgh 48
Kansas State 45, Oklahoma State 43
Detroit 69, Toledo 65
Cincinnati 80, Drake 70
Dayton 87, Xavier (Ohio) 64
Minnesota 66, Northwestern 59
Florida 90, Georgia 68
Army 64, Princeton 62
Furman 84, Richmond 81 (ot)
Illinois 77, Notre Dame 62
Wake Forest 100, Virginia Tech 84
North Carolina State 106, South Carolina 79
Southern Calif. 68, Denver 52
Wichita 91, Tulsa 74
Louisiana State 86, Tulane 66
Niagara 58, Duquesne 53
Memphis State 88, Mississippi 61
Arizona 81, West Texas 66
Indiana 81, De Paul 78
U. of San Francisco 64, Gonzaga 62
Colo. State College 82, Adams State 70
Idaho 85, Wash. State 67
College of Idaho 57, Alaska 41
Utah 55, Santa Clara 51
Canisius 97, Creighton 89 (ot)
Alabama 71, Auburn 66 (ot)
Lafayette 105, Seton Hall 78
Loyola (Chicago) 87, Wisconsin 79
Colorado 67, Iowa State 65 (ot)
Arizona State 85, Hardin-Simmons 73

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