

# Buckeyes, Bonnies Crack Century Mark In Victories

By United Press International  
Ohio State and St. Bonaventure, the two top collegiate basketball powerhouses, may have to utilize next month's NCAA tournament to decide which is the best in the nation.

Both teams prepared for a possible tourney showdown by going over the century mark Monday night, the No. 1 Buckeyes ripping Indiana, 100-65, and the second-ranked Bonnies gaining a 104-67 decision over Tennessee A&I, the country's small college basketball leader.

The measure of difference between Ohio State and St. Bonaventure so far is the two-point

victory the Buckeyes hold over the upstate New Yorkers this season.

The Ohioans, trying to shake the relentless Bonnies in the national rankings, turned in their 22nd consecutive victory, longest winning streak in basketball circles to date.

Lucas Scores 34  
Indiana felt the brunt of an Ohio State attack that was re-venge for the last loss suffered by the Buckeyes a year ago. And the triumph was reaped in a concerted team effort as Jerry Lucas scored 34 points, Larry Siegfried netted 27 and John Havlicek poured in 22.

Walt Bellamy, Lucas' Olympic teammate, led the Hoosiers with 19 points as they became the seventh straight Big Ten victim for the unbeaten Bucks.

St. Bonaventure, which never seems to lose at home, won its 17th game in 18 outings this season over a Tennessee A&I squad that stepped out of its class once too often.

Sophomore Fred Crawford tallied 36 points and Tom Stith collected 33 as the Bonnies whisked to an 18-4 lead and stretched the margin to 54-39 at halftime. The closest the losers came was a seven-point deficit at 88-81 with

## Basketball Results

College Basketball  
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**EAST**  
St. Bonaventure 104, Tennessee A&I State 87  
Temple 102, Muhlenberg 61  
St. Joseph's (Pa.) 63, LaSalle 54

**SOUTH**  
Mississippi State 73, Tulane 59  
Vanderbilt 73, Alabama 70  
LSU 75, Mississippi 69  
Memphis State 104, Richmond 73

**MIDWEST**  
Ohio State 100, Indiana 65  
Purdue 96, Michigan 79  
Iowa State 80, Oklahoma St. 63  
Kansas 88, Colorado 85  
Xavier (Ohio) 99, Detroit 96 (ot)  
Illinois 77, Wisconsin 73  
Oklahoma 69, Nebraska 58  
Wahab 74, Butler 61  
Drake 36, Bradley 76  
Michigan State 89, Notre Dame 77

**SOUTHWEST**  
Prairie View 90, Arkansas A&M City 75  
West Texas State 78, Oklahoma 75

**FAR WEST**  
Washington State 83, Seattle 76  
Zongaza 81, Regis 76  
Loyola of Los Angeles 63, Santa Clara 60

## Pelicans Retain Prep Poll Lead

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
Klamath Falls, 14-1 for the season and undefeated in the Southern Oregon Conference, continues to be the choice of sports writers and broadcasters as the state's top high school basketball team.

After its 78-53 victory over Crater of Central Point, Klamath won the first-place votes of 11 of the 14 casting ballots in the weekly Associated Press poll.

Roseburg, which split a pair of early season contests with Klamath Falls, remains the No. 2 team after solidifying its position on top of the strong Midwestern League with two weekend victories. One of these was a double-overtime 68-66 win over formidable South Eugene, which slipped a notch to No. 6.

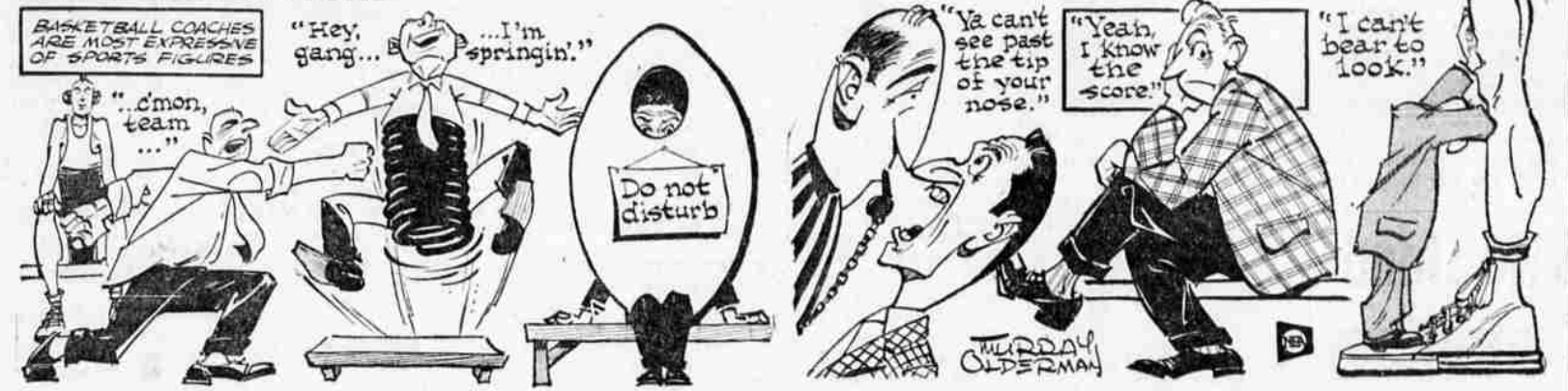
Grant, the state's only undefeated class A-1 team, was idle on the weekend but still was a solid choice for third place.

Medford, defending state champion and second behind Klamath Falls in the Southern Oregon loop, racked up easy weekend victories over Crater and Ahland, and again is ranked No. 4.

Wilson, second behind Grant in the Portland League race, was advanced from No. 6 to fifth after two more triumphs.

Marshfield, which grabbed second place in the Midwestern League with victories over North Eugene and North Bend, moved up one spot to seventh place. It

### FRACTURED EMOTIONS



### No Cinches Seen In B Cage Action

None of the teams scheduled for County B League basketball action tonight can lay claim to a "cinch" assignment but the Merrill Huskies can see a good possibility they might end up alone in the number two spot for a change.

The Huskies play host to the 6-13 Bly Bobcats in one of three league encounters on tap. In Klamath Falls the Sacred Heart Trojans meet the league-leading Chiloquin Panthers on the SHA floor, while the Bonanza Antlers must face the Mustangs at Malin.

The unbeaten Panthers are in no danger of losing their hold on the top spot regardless of a loss to the upset-minded Trojans but the Huskies (7-2) could climb a notch with a win over the Bobcats, provided, of course, the Mustangs get dumped.

But first they have to beat the Bly five, and that is not neces-

## Herald and News SPORTS

WAYNE SCOTT, Sports Editor

### Owls, Red Raiders Tangle In Crucial

Considering their present fourth place position in the Oregon Collegiate Conference basketball standings there is no hope for a title this year at Southern Oregon College.

But the next best thing, the chance to ruin what championship hopes the Oregon Tech Owls might be entertaining, is at hand. Tonight the Red Raiders host the Techmen in what is easily the most crucial game the Owls have played all season.

The scrap scheduled to begin at 8 o'clock in the SOC gym tonight is the third meeting of the two clubs, and in both the previous tries the Raiders have fallen short. Two weeks ago the Owls invaded the Raider den and emerged with a come-from-behind victory. . . . and one thing the Raiders do not bear gracefully is a loss to Oregon Tech, especially on their own home floor.

Over the weekend, while the

### US Olympic Coach Warns Of Russians

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — The United States, which invented basketball, has already lost international leadership in the game, and the 1964 Olympics could be "very rough" on our cage prestige, Olympic coach Pete Newell said today.

The power looming on the basketball horizon is the same one we see everywhere else—the U.S.S.R.

"The Russians obviously are gearing themselves right now for the 1964 Olympics," Newell said. "They are dedicated to bringing their caliber up to and beyond ours. They want to beat us at the only American game in the Olympics."

### Cincinnati Pro Grid Club In Prospect

CINCINNATI (AP) — Bob Rappaport, young New Yorker who says he aims to put a pro football team in Cincinnati, says also he has the money backing and good prospects for a franchise "within six weeks."

Officials of the year-old American Football League Monday said he has a good chance to get the franchise, but perhaps not until summer.

One league source said Rappaport might get the franchise in any one of three cities.

Rappaport said Monday he wants to field a team for the 1962 season, and call it the Cincinnati Dukes.

He said he came to a reasonable understanding over hire of Crosley Field, home of the baseball Cincinnati Reds, for games.

Rappaport said he picked Cincinnati because it was one of the few big league cities without a pro football franchise.

He said Pete Pihos, now an assistant coach at Tulane, had agreed to coach the new team.

### SF Second-Sacker Angel Staff Takes Salary Cut

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — San Francisco Giant second baseman Don Blasingame will have a better year in 1961 than in 1960, according to manager Al Dark.

Blasingame Monday came to terms in a telephone call from his home in Glendale, Mo., to vice president Charles (Chub) Feeney in San Francisco. He reportedly took a cut from around \$17,500 to \$15,000 after a dismal 1960 campaign.

Many thought Blasingame had cemented a pennant-winning infield when he was obtained from St. Louis in the winter of 1959. The Giants gave away Daryl Spencer and Leon Wagner for the "Blazer."

But he collapsed both in the field and at the plate as the Giants skidded to fifth place. In 1959 he collected 178 hits in 136 games, scored 90 runs, walked 67 times, hit .289, participated in 106 double plays and handled 818 total chances.

Playing in the identical number of games, 136, in 1960, Blasingame collected only 123 hits, scored 72 times, walked on 40 occasions, hit only .235, participated in but 66 double plays and handled 561 total chances.

Rookie manager Al Dark did not seem worried.

"In light of his fine career record," Dark said, "I feel we can safely discount Blasingame's 1960 performance. I know he is a much better player than the 1960 figures indicate and I'm sure he will regain his previous year's form."

"It was just a bad year. I've had them. We've all had them."

### District Two NAIA Playoff Plan Posted

PORTLAND (AP) — Arrangements were announced Monday for the District 2 National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics basketball title playoff next month.

District officials said the two top teams in the Northwest Conference and the Oregon Collegiate Conference will qualify for the first round March 4.

The No. 1 team of each conference will play the No. 2 team of the other conference with games to be on the home floor of the No. 1 teams, with this exception: If Portland State wins the OCC title, the game will be played on the court of the No. 2 Northwest Conference finisher. That is because Portland State has no home court.

First round losers will meet in the consolation game before the championship contest March 7, which will be played in the Portland Coliseum.

### Boom Boom Pads Margin

MONTREAL (AP) — Montreal's Bernie (Boom Boom) Geoffrion returned to National Hockey League action with a flourish last week and added to his lead in the race for the scoring title.

The Canadiens' right winger, who won the point scoring crown in 1964-65 when his teammate and rival Rocket Richard had to sit out a three-game suspension, had missed six games because of a knee injury. He came back to score three goals and an assist in three games for a total of 66 points.

Geoffrion's closest competitor, Frank Mahovlich of Toronto, collected only three points for a 62-point total. Mahovlich's chances of beating Richard's record of 50 goals in one season dimmed as the big Toronto player managed only one goal for a total of 41.

### UPI Voting

NEW YORK (UPI) — The United Press International college basketball ratings with first-place votes and won-lost records through Feb. 4 in parentheses:

Team	Points
1. Ohio State	34 16-0 349
2. St. Bonaventure	1 16-1 311
3. Duke	18-1 310
4. Bradley	14-3 313
5. North Carolina	14-3 166
6. Southern California	15-3 159
7. Kansas State	14-3 130
8. Iowa	12-3 84
9. (tie) Cincinnati	16-3 62
9. (tie) Louisville	17-3 62

Second 10 teams: 11. Kansas, 45; 12. UCLA, 42; 13. St. John's, 37; 14. Indiana, 17; 15. Utah, 16; 16. West Virginia, 14; 17. Wichita, 11; 18. Mississippi State, 9; 19. (tie), St. Louis and Oregon, 6 each.

Others: Vanderbilt, 5; Wake Forest and Memphis State, 3 each; DePaul and Detroit, 2 each; St. Joseph's (Pa.), 1.

### Van Brocklin, Bellino Cited

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Quarterback Norm Van Brocklin, who guided the Philadelphia Eagles to the National Football League title last year, and Joe Bellino, Navy's All-America halfback, were honored Monday night by the Maxwell Football Club.

Van Brocklin, now coach of the Minnesota Vikings received the Bert Bell Memorial Award as the outstanding professional football player without one of its top scorers the rest of this season.

Guard Claus Nicklberry was declared ineligible Monday because of grades. He had a 2.0 average in 16 games.

### State Heads Study River

BOISE (AP) — The governors of Idaho, Washington and Oregon have formed a committee to find out what to do about "serious depletion" of fish in the Columbia River and its tributaries.

Govs. Robert Smylie of Idaho, Albert Rosellini of Washington and Mark Hatfield of Oregon set up the Governors' Columbia River Fisheries Management Committee Monday with themselves as the members.

They told newsmen they will direct fisheries agencies in their states to develop a coordinated program to restore "fisheries resources" and present their program as soon as possible.

They did not place responsibility for fish depletion and said they did not discuss the effect of dams already built on the river system.

They said they took no position on competing plans to build two power dams on the Snake River. Applications to build those dams are before the Federal Power Commission. One is for a dam at the Nez Perce site, below the mouth of the Salmon River. The other would be at the Mountain Sheep site, above the Salmon.

### Cougars Triumph

PULLMAN, Wash. (AP) — Washington State downed Seattle University's basketball team 83-76 Monday night—the easy way. The Cougars led from buzzer to buzzer.

In a game marred by 51 fouls, Dave Mills and Eddie Miles led the Cougars with 26 and 24 respectively.

Dwight Damon paced WSU with 21.

### Scores

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Victoria 4, Winnipeg 1

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Team	Points
1. Klamath Falls	14-1
2. Roseburg	13-2
3. Grant	14-0
4. Medford	13-3
5. Wilson	14-1
6. South Eugene	10-3
7. Marshfield	11-4
8. Central Catholic	12-2
9. Bend	13-3
10. South Salem	10-3
Others: Corvallis	19
Beaverton	11
Scappoose	14
Tillamook	11
La Grande	8
Madras	2
North Bend	1

### Bowdry, Johnson Meet In Title Tiff

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP) — The end of the rainbow loomed tonight for Harold Johnson.

The 32-year-old Philadelphia meets Jesse Bowdry of St. Louis in a scheduled 15-round bout at Miami Beach Convention Hall, with the National Boxing Association version of the world light heavyweight championship at stake.

Johnson is rated a 3-1 favorite over his 23-year-old opponent, anything but a successful quest for the title he has been chasing for years would rate as a distinct upset.

Promoter Chris Dundee said he expects a crowd of 6,000 and a gate of \$50,000 for the show, which will not be broadcast or televised.

Bowdry used two fights as a springboard to the match for the crown taken from Archie Moore by the NBA for failure to defend it within a stipulated time.

The St. Louis slouthy knocked out Freddie Blades and then won a decision over Willie Pastrano, Middleweight Henry Hank had kayped him twice running before those two bouts.

It will be Johnson's second crack at the crown. He was knocked out in the 14th round by Moore in 1954 in the fifth of their meetings, but the only one involving the championship.

### Tale Of The Tape

MIAMI BEACH (UPI) — "Tale of the tape" in the Harold Johnson-Jesse Bowdry fight for the NBA world light heavyweight championship:

Johnson	Bowdry	
32	Age	23
175	Weight	175
5-10	Height	5-10
41	Chest normal	37 1/2
43	Chest expanded	40
74	Reach	72
14	Biceps	15 1/2
12 1/2	Forearm	12
32	Waist	32
22	Thigh	23
15 1/2	Calf	15
12 1/2	Fist	12

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