

OTI Owls Batter Red Raiders, 93-60

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Sweep Of Annual Series First In OTI History

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Eastern Oregon 9 5 .643
Portland State 9 5 .643
Southern Oregon 6 10 .375
Oregon College 2 12 .143

Tuesday results: Oregon Tech 93, Southern Oregon 60; Portland State 32, Oregon College of Education 44.

The foul line for a game high of 357. The Owls shot a blistering 357 from the floor, connecting on 39 of 70 shots.

Right behind came "Sweet Sam" Smith, with 19, forward Gene Branson, with 18, big Bob Peterson with 18, and guard Hewlett with 17.

game with a quick layup off the tip and two passes. Wilson stole the ball for a jumper, and the Owls led 4-0 before the game was 30 seconds old.

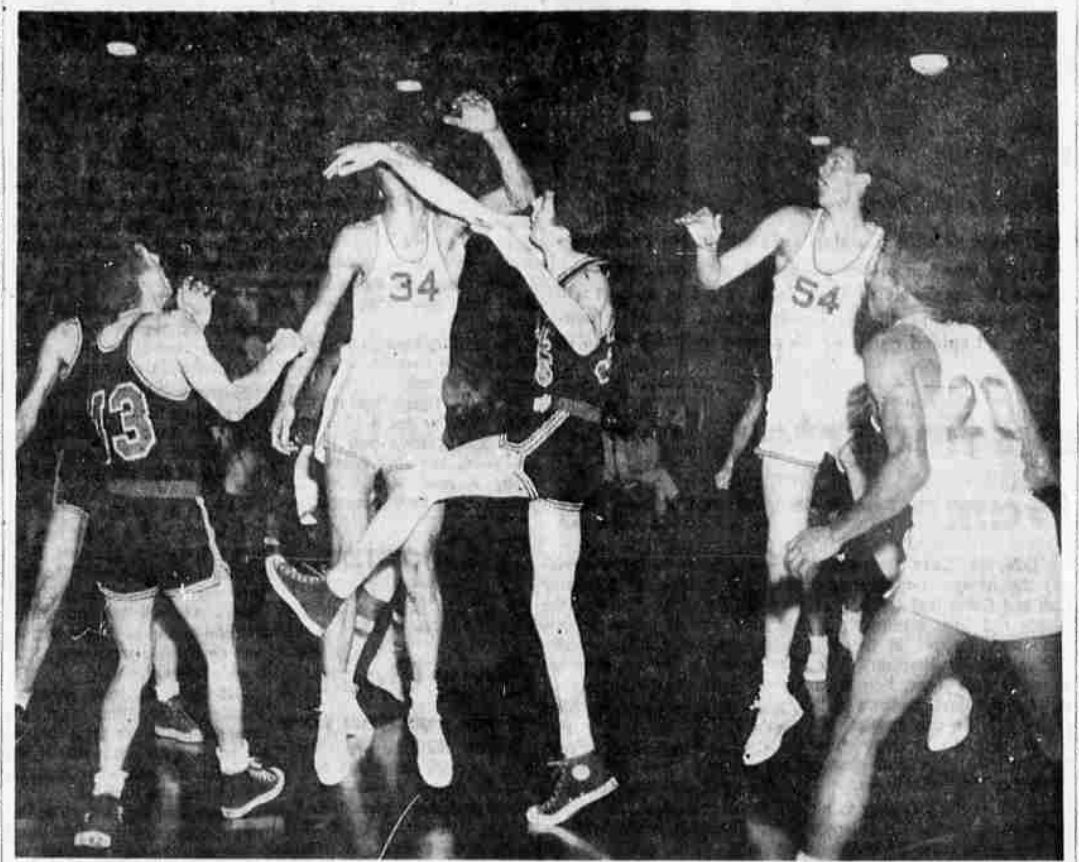
Sparked by three more steals by Wilson, the Owls swung into a steady point parade that found them on the long end of a 27-12 pile up. At the halfway mark the Owls led 45-22.

In the opening 10 minutes of the second period they were gone, 70-26, and again the reserves came in.

The Raiders, playing without tail John Payne who was home with a broken finger, were paced by guard Gordie Carrigan, but he got a late start and collected only 12 points.

His production was 11 more than he needed to surpass the 1,300 total point mark he has notched in three years of college competition.

He earned eight of his points in the final three minutes of the game. The number two scorer for SOC was Dave Hughes with 11.



One of the best jobs turned in by a Raider was sophomore Larry Hink's nine-point effort. He hit four of five tries from the field and did his best to light a Raider fire but he couldn't find enough kindling.

Smith with 14 rebounds, and Peterson with 12, boosted the Techmen to an easy 39-27 edge off the boards. Smith connected on seven of 12 fall-away jumpers and five for eight at the foul line. Peterson collected five two-pointers in seven tries while Branson, still favoring his bad leg, hit eight of 10 from outside. Nash hit five of 10 of his soft jumpers from way out.

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Central Catholic of Portland and Tillamook snatched berths Tuesday night in the annual Oregon class A-1 high school basketball tournament.

Central Catholic, the leader of the Portland Metropolitan League, extended its league record to 14-1 with a 62-46 victory over Centennial of Gresham. Central Catholic is No. 5 in the AP poll.

PARDON MY REACH — What appears a very rude gesture on the part of Southern Oregon's Lorraine Eckworth at Oregon Tech Tuesday night was really nothing more than the aftermath of a shot. The player appearing to take a belt in the chops is OTI's Bob Peterson, 34.

Applying some body english, at left, is SOC's Dave Hughes, and Owls' Leon Wilson, 20, at right, and Gene Branson, 54. The Owls won 93-60 with no strain.

Tillamook, the leader of the Tillamook-Yamhill Valley League, defeated McMinnville 69-50.

A number of other teams moved closer to tournament berths.

David Douglas took sole possession of second place in the Metropolitan League by downing Sunset of Beaverton 66-46, while Hillsboro upset Beaverton, No. 10 in the poll, 62-61. That put Beaverton in third place in the league.

St. Helens strengthened its hold on second place in the TVC League by defeating Lake Oswego 74-58.

Scappoose, which already has a tournament berth, won the Wilco League title by trimming Reynolds of Troutdale 54-46. Reynolds now is tied for second with Jesuit of Beaverton, which trounced Wy-East 51-38.

Mountaineers Don't Seem To Miss West, Win 19 Of 20, Defeat Penn State 71-68

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
What Cincinnati's Bearcats are doing without Oscar Robertson, West Virginia's Mountaineers are doing without Jerry West.

The WHAT IS WINNING in a college basketball season that was supposed to be rough on both teams after the loss of the two great All-Americans as well as their coaches.

What Cincinnati, without Big O and with new coach Ed Jucker, has done is a well-told story. Now the Mountaineers, without West Ritchie, Paul Miller and Kenney Ward.

Only Duke (by two points at Charlotte), The Citadel (by three points in the second game of the season), and Villanova (by five points) have topped the new West Virginians — a club that depends on sophomores Rod Thorn, Jim McCormick and Dave Shuck to go with holdovers like Lee Patrone, Jim Ritchie, Paul Miller and Kenney Ward.

Forest Grove 49, Oregon City 49; North Salem 59, Corvallis 46; Scappoose 54, Reynolds (Troutdale) 46.

Central Catholic (Portland) 62, Centennial (Gresham) 45; Sandy 67, Parkrose 54; South Salem 60, Sweet Home 47; North Eugene 60, Thurston (Springfield) 44; Philomath 49, Willamina 44; Lebanon 53, Albany 41; St. Helens 74, Oswego 58; Milwaukie 50, Gresham 41.

Seven of the 16 tournament entrants now have been determined. Others already in are Klamath Falls and Bend.

Basketball Results

Oregon High School Basketball By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Portland League
Grant 40, Wilson 38
Marshall 64, Franklin 54
Madison 68, Bendon 63
Cleveland 64, Washington 38
Jefferson 57, Lincoln 56 (overtime)
Others:
Tillamook 69, McMinnville 50
Jesuit (Beaverton) 51, Wy-East 38
Forest Grove 49, Oregon City 49
North Salem 59, Corvallis 46
Scappoose 54, Reynolds (Troutdale) 46
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Klamath Auditorium sounded Tuesday night for the first time in years with the thunder of wrestlers slamming each other around.

An appreciative crowd watched main event Jack "Moe" Smith, Carson City, world's light heavyweight champion, pin a top contender for his crown, Jack Kizer, Portland, in 36 minutes with a teeth-rattling overhead back slam.

The bout began with Smith, 177, slapping a prolonged headlock on Kizer, who broke the lock with a flying mare and body slam.

Kizer's fortunes improved and he slapped an armlock and body press on his opponent.

The pair grappled cleanly but without much inspiration for 15 minutes. Smith appeared the sharper. He telled and softened up Kizer with a series of flying mares and pinned him with a reverse slam.

But the ringwise Kizer stormed out in the second frame and with vengeance shook the champ with a series of wristlocks and evened the score with a mean rolling shortarm scissors in seven minutes that had Smith howling.

The pair abandoned courtesy in the third and final period and alternated kneeling, slugging and slamming each other to the canvas.

But in 14 minutes flat, the champ had his man at bay and left him groaning on the deck with an overhead back slam.

The fight card was well-balanced and all the gladiators put on a good show.

The ticket provided a fine villain in Pancho Valdez, 210 pounds, from Guadalajara, who strutted into the ring in an immense sombrero and serape.

Valdez, alternating sneaky maneuvers with threats in Spanish, had forcibly been hauled off his man by the referee, Buck Davidson, who had difficulty explaining local rules to the Mexican.

His opponent, Frenchy Roberre, 205, New Brunswick, Canada, was up to the challenge, most of the way, however, and he alternated with Valdez in punning his man with slams, crushing shots off the ropes and a variety of locks, including a painful arm stretch and finger twist.

Roberre took the first fall with a flying scissors and body press, but Valdez took the next fall with a backbreaker, that all but floored Roberre, in two minutes.

Valdez finished his man with a spectacular Boston crab in seven minutes of the third go-round.

A pair of young but tough boys provided a good show during the opener. They were Sandy Barr of Salt Lake City and Bill Nichols of Seattle. Both weighed in the vicinity of 190.

The men fought in real earnest and appeared about evenly matched, but the Salt Lake man pinned his man finally in just under the 30-minute limit.

The fights were promoted by Tex Hager, Sierra Sports Inc., and more are scheduled. Next week's, however, have been canceled because, said Hager, suitable grapplers are not readily available.

College Basketball FAR WEST

Washington State 77, Idaho 63
Los Angeles Loyola 73, San Diego State 47
Colorado College 96, Adams (Colo.) State 88

County B Tourney Pairings Oregon Tech, Feb. 23-24-25

Thursday 1:30	Friday 1:30	Saturday 1:30
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B League Quints Slate Tussles On Ore-Tech Floor Thursday

What happened during the regular season will be nothing but a memory for the Klamath County basketball teams when they swing into the annual B-league tournament which opens tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 on the Oregon Tech floor.

The seven county schools, Chiloquin, Malin, Merrill, Bonanza, Bly, Gilchrist and Sacred Heart Academy, will be joined by Paisley, the state's B orphan, in the battle to represent sub-district 5B in the further quest of a state championship.

Regardless of season win-loss records, or standings at the termination of league play, the winner at the tournament will take over as the area champ.

Pairings for the opening round match Bonanza and Merrill in the opener, followed by Malin vs. Gilchrist, Sacred Heart vs. Paisley and Chiloquin vs. Bly.

The winners will continue in the second round games on Friday night while the losers will take their seats as spectators for the balance of the tournament.

The championship game, matching the two lone unbeaten clubs, will be played at 8:30 Saturday night, following a preliminary fight for third place.

At the conclusion of the games, an all-star team will be announced and various trophies presented.

Admission charges are \$1 for adults per two-game session and 50 cents for students.

Special entertainment staged by the Bonanza Antlerettes is also scheduled Saturday night.

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