

Pelicans Head All-Star List

KU Trio Earns 1st Team Berths



BRUCE BRICKNER
... 1st team



FREDDIE BIEHN
... 2nd team



RAY TAYLOR
... honorable mention

Linfield '5' Misses Star Billings

PORTLAND (AP) — Champion Linfield failed to place a player on the Northwest Conference basketball all-star first team this season. Runnerup College of Idaho placed two men.

The team, selected by conference coaches, also had one man each from Willamette, Pacific and Lewis and Clark.

There were no repeaters from last season, although three were second-team choices last year.

The College of Idaho players are Bob Moreno, the conference scoring leader who averaged 19.1 points a game, and Daryl Hill, who was fourth in conference scoring. Both were on the second all-star team last year.

The other player moving up from the second team last year is Royce McDaniell of Lewis and Clark, who scored 1,356 points in his college career.

Fidel Gaviola of Willamette, runnerup in individual conference scoring, and Leon Johnson of Pacific, who was third in scoring, were the other selections.

The team is notable for its lack of height. Gaviola at 6-2 is the tallest player selected. Moreno is 6-1, Johnson 6-1, and Hill and McDaniell 5-10. Johnson is a freshman. Moreno a junior and the others are seniors.

Linfield placed three men on the second squad—junior Bill Wallin and seniors Gene Carlson and Ron Phillips.

The selections:
First team — Bob Moreno and Daryl Hill, College of Idaho; Fidel Gaviola, Willamette; Royce McDaniell, Lewis and Clark; Leon Johnson, Pacific.

Second team — Bill Wallin, Gene Carlson and Ron Phillips, Linfield; Dan Ayers, College of Idaho; Doug Grant, Whitman.

Honorable mention — Phil Davis, Pacific; Hideo Sato, Willamette; Jerry Johannes, Whitman; Jim Boutin, Mike Vermillion, Bert Lundmark and Bob Fox, Lewis and Clark; Bob Close, Bernie Grant and John Polhemus, Linfield.

Fight Results
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Los Angeles — Al Escobar, 130½, Redondo Beach, Calif., knocked out Billy Thomas, 128, San Francisco, 8.

1961 Southern Oregon Conference All-Star Basketball Squad				
First Team				
Player	Pos.	Yr.	School	Pts.
Bruce Brickner	C	Sr.	Klamath Union	16
Bob Quinney	F	Sr.	Medford	16
Gary Patzke	F	Jr.	Klamath Union	16
Dick Ragsdale	G	Sr.	Medford	15
Wally Palmberg	G	Sr.	Klamath Union	14
Second Team				
Player	Pos.	Yr.	School	Pts.
Loyal Higinbotham	G	Sr.	Crater	12
Clyde Murray	F	Sr.	Grants Pass	9
Freddie Biehn	F	Sr.	Klamath Union	9
Jim Barry	F	Sr.	Medford	8
Louis Alvarez	G	So.	Crater	7
Honorable Mention				
Jim Davis, Grants Pass (5); Dennis Edwards, Crater (4); Larry Janssen, Grants Pass (3); Dave Hauntz, Grants Pass (2); Bob Lewellyn, Grants Pass (2); Sid DeBoer, Ashland (2); Ray Taylor, Klamath Union (2).				

Medford Places Duo On 1st Team List

MEDFORD (Special) — The Klamath Union Pelicans grabbed off the lion's share of 1961 Southern Oregon All-Star honors in selections announced today by the Medford Mail-Tribune.

Three Pels, big Bruce Brickner, Gary Patzke and Wally Palmberg, joined with Medford's Bob Quinney and Dick Ragsdale to completely fill the first team as picked by the conference coaches. KU's Fred Biehn and Medford's Jim Barry were chosen to the second team as were Crater's Loyal Higinbotham and Louis Alvarez, and Clyde Murray of Grants Pass.

A fifth KU player, Ray Taylor, was accorded honorable mention along with Jim Davis, Larry Janssen, Dave Hauntz, and Bob Lewellyn of Grants Pass, Dennis Edwards of Crater and Sid DeBoer of Ashland.

Of the first two all-star team members, all were seniors with the exception of KU's Patzke and Crater's Alvarez. Patzke is a junior and Alvarez a sophomore. Quinney topped all the conference scorers during regular season, while Higinbotham was next and Palmberg, Brickner, Patzke, Murray and Ragsdale followed in that order.

The Klamath Falls team will enter the state A-1 Tournament as the number one representative of the league while Medford, the 1960 defending champions, will go as the number two SOC team. The Pelicans meet the St. Helens Lions in the tourney opener while the Black Tornado will face Tillamook in the first round.

Tourney-Bound '5's Set Saturday Tilts

Three tournament bound basketball teams will swing into action on the Chiloquin High School court Saturday night beginning at 7 o'clock in what will be their final pre-tourney appearances of the season.

The powerful Klamath All-Nations quintet will tangle with Hal's Sport Shop immediately following a preliminary featuring the Sprague River five versus the Chiloquin Pirates.

The All-Nations team, one of the strongest aggregations of Indian athletes ever assembled in this area, is one of the teams to participate in the annual Reservation Jaycee All-Indian Invitational slated in Chiloquin next Thursday, Friday and Saturday, and is the Sprague River club.

The Hal's Sport Shoppers will travel to Alturas to compete in the widely recognized 20-30 tournament scheduled Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Thursday night the Klamath Nations squad, paced by the 39 points of Butch Crume, roared to a 113-41 win over the Chemult Mohawks Cafe team while the Sport Shoppers belted the host Sprague River team 60-44.

Bob Petersen, a member of the Oregon Tech championship Owl squad, led the Hal's team with a total of 28. A teammate of his at OTI, Norm Johns, had 10 for the All-Nations while Erwin Crume added 22.

The scoring summaries:
Klamath Nations (113) — Crume 39, Johns 10, McCutchen 15, Joe 4, E. Crume 22, Barney 2, Cate 10.
Chemult Mohawks (44) — Weiburn 2, Jessup 2, Carlson 14, Clark 14, Sutherland 1, Martin 3, Rogers 4.
Hal's Sport Shop (40) — Petersen 25, Perkins 14, Sutherland 14, Silwell 12, Abraham, Yum 10.
Sprague River (44) — Jimenez & Devlin 4, Woods 3, Coburn 2, Owens 22, Green & Barney.

ALTURAS — Eight top flight teams will be entered in the Alturas 20-30 Club Fifth Annual Gold Medal Men's Basketball Tournament to be held March 17, 18 and 19.

Teams entered are defending champions Susanville, Lakeview, Herlong, Dunsmuir, Alturas League All Stars, Bieber, champions of Alturas League, Empire Redtoppers of Gerlach, Nev., and Hal's Sport Shop of Klamath Falls.

This tournament will feature many former high school and college stars. A total of four trophies and 53 individual awards will be presented. Tournament director is Shiny Yamagata.

Tournament schedule:
March 17 (Friday) 7 p.m. Susanville vs. Bieber; 8:30 p.m. Klamath Falls vs. Lakeview.
March 18 (Saturday) 12 p.m. Dunsmuir vs. Alturas; 1:30 p.m. Gerlach vs. Herlong.

Santa Arita Nears Close

ARCADIA, Calif. (AP) — The Santa Anita racing season ends Saturday with a field of about 10 slated to run the grass course in the \$100,000 added San Juan Capistrano Handicap.

T. V. Lark, Geehee Lou, Don't Alibi, Gink, Anisado, Scotland, Prince Blessed, First Balcony, Balsaroch Boy, Paris Pike and possibly Nite Shift are slated to run.

The distance over a course that ranges down a slope and around the infield turf course is about a mile and three-quarters.



GARY PATZKE
... 1st team



WALLY PALMBERG
... 1st team

KF Squires Play Host To 8 Clubs

Klamath Falls, the defending champion, will host the Oregon State Squires' Invitational Basketball Tournament Saturday and Sunday in the Sacred Heart Academy gym.

The teams will compete in a single elimination tournament which is scheduled to begin at 1 p.m. Saturday when the host team tangles with the squad from Hermiston.

The teams entered, in addition to Hermiston and KF, include Eugene, Woodburn, Bend, Gresham, Milwaukie and Prineville.

Other first-round pairings are Bend vs. Prineville at 2:30; Milwaukie and Eugene at 4 o'clock; and Gresham vs. Woodburn at 7:30. The semifinal round will start at 11 Sunday morning. The championship game will be played at 2 p.m.

The Klamath Falls team will be picked from among Jerry DeNault, Elmo LeBeau, Pete and Mike Krok, Mike Arne, Shan Britton, Mike Shuck, George Flores and Dan Louie.

DiMaggio Nixes Job
ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (UPI) — Joe DiMaggio is going to do his best to help the New York Yankees this spring but he's not interested in returning to baseball as a manager.

"Thanks, but no thanks," the 46-year-old Hall of Famer quipped Thursday when asked whether he had any ideas about managing a major league team. "How long do managers last? I'm happy with what I'm doing."

DiMaggio, who played for the Yankees Thursday for the first time since he retired nine years ago. He weighed in at 195 pounds — exactly the same weight as when he played his last game — and displayed the same flawless grace which helped to make him famous.

DiMaggio said he would make himself "available" to any young Yankee who might want his help but pointed out: "I know I can't teach a man to hit in two weeks. I'm going to be here. Besides, the Yankees have a very good hitting coach in Wally Moses."

Boom Boom Earns Bonus
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Boom Boom Geofrion already has earned \$3,600 in bonus money this season and by right he should share some of it with the New York Rangers.

The star Montreal right winger scored three times Thursday night as the Canadiens moved into a tie for first place with Toronto in the National Hockey League by beating the Rangers 6-1. Detroit clinched a Stanley Cup playoff spot by defeating Boston 5-2 in the only other game.

Geofrion's goals gave him 46 for the season and 300 for his career. His 1960-61 contract calls for a \$1,000 bonus for scoring 20 times and \$100 for each goal over that total. In the seven games against the Rangers at Montreal's Forum, all won by the Canadiens, Geofrion had 14 goals.

Indian Ace Scores 31
COTTAGE GROVE (AP) — Prospective Roseburg opponents in the Oregon class A-1 high school basketball tournament next week have some disturbing news. Jim Jarvis, the state's leading prep scorer who has been slowed by injuries in recent games, registered 31 points in an 81-43 Roseburg victory over Cottage Grove Thursday night.

Roseburg, the Midwestern League champion, is ranked No. 1 in the Associated Press poll.

Brown Trout Plant Planned
McCLOUD — Nearly 10,000 1-year-old German Brown trout will be planted in the McCLOUD River this summer. The California Department of Fish and Game will do the planting, assisted by members of the McCLOUD Fish and Game Club and local men.

Carl Hill, Mount Shasta hatchery superintendent, said the browns will be planted with the catchable rainbow trout plantings, some prior to opening day of the fishing season.

Basketball Results

BEND (AP) — First round results of the Oregon Class B high school basketball tournament Thursday:

Powers 62, Prospect 47
June 72, Huntington 56
Portland Christian 74, Wheeler (Fossil) 57
Lowell 74, Perrydale 43

Today's Schedule:
—Consolation—
2:30 p.m., Prospect vs. Huntington
3:45 p.m., Wheeler vs. Perrydale

—Championship—
7:30 p.m., Powers vs. June
8:45 p.m., Portland Christian vs. Lowell

College Basketball
SEC Playoff
Kentucky 88, Vanderbilt 67
Other Games

St. John's (NY) 76, NYU 64
Okla. State 60, Oklahoma 47
Marquette 77, Xavier (Ohio) 74
Manhattan 78, Fordham 69

National Basketball Association
Thursday Results
Philadelphia 135, New York 126
Boston 119, Detroit 118
Syracuse 129, St. Louis 119

OSC, Duck Series Gets NCAA Eye

EUGENE (AP) — Oregon and Oregon State will close their regular basketball season schedule this weekend in a civil war series that will be watched closely by the NCAA.

The first game comes tonight at Eugene, the second Saturday night at Corvallis.

Both teams have hopes of winning an invitation to the western regional NCAA playoffs at Portland later this month.

Oregon won two earlier games between the teams.
Coach Steve Belko of Oregon indicated he would start his usual five of Charley Warren, Bill Simmons, Glenn Moore, Denny Strickland and Leon Hayes.

Coach Slat Gill of Oregon State is expected to start Steve Flynn, Bob Jacobson, Karl Anderson, Bill Wild and Gary Rossi.

Capacity crowds are expected each night.



BOWLING

Lakeview

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE	W	L
Banister's Barber Shop	19	9
Favell-Utility Inc.	18	9
L.B.M. Plumbers	15	13
Coast to Coast Store	13	15
Hunter's Lodge	10	18
American Forest Prods.	8	20
Edt. 27 results: Coast to Coast 3, American Forest Prods. 1, Banister's Barber Shop 1, L.B.M. Plumbers 0.		
High ind. game, Tom Crawford 255; low ind. game, Tom Crawford 164.		
High team game, Favell-Utility Inc. 298; low team game, Banister's Barber Shop 272.		

TOWN AND COUNTRY LEAGUE	W	L
Lakeview Lodge	22	4
Howards Drugg	12	11
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PINE TREE LEAGUE	W	L
Lakeview Creamery	41	39
Coltini Chevrolet	37	43
Virgilio's Beauty Salon	37	43
High ind. game, Tom Crawford 255; low ind. game, Tom Crawford 164.		
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RUSHER LEAGUE	W	L
Desert Rats	18	10
Lakeview Lumber	15	13
Brattain Const.	14	14
Howards Drugg	14	14
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