

KU Pelicans Slide By Cavemen In 43-37 Thriller

Owls Slip Past Portland State Vikings, 68-62

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Henley Narrowly Tips Eagle Point In Last Seconds

EAGLE POINT (Special)—The Henley Hornets remained undefeated here Saturday night but got their biggest scare of the season when Steve Reiling, a guard, hit a pair of free throws with 12 seconds remaining to give the Hornets a very narrow 65-64 win over the defending champions.

The Eagle Point team went ahead in the first period by 19-15 and held on for a half time lead of 33-30 but the Hornets came back in the second half to gain two points on the locals in the third period and two in the fourth for the one-point victory.

Kent Gooding, the lowering 6-7 Henley center, was high for the Hornets with 31 points which is his high for the season. But he had to relinquish high honors to Eagle Point's Charles Pomeroy, a 6-1 forward, who meshed 32 points.

Mike Beymer was the only other Henley to hit in double figures with 13 points. Boatwright meshed 12 for the losers to go with Pomeroy's 12.

The Hornets, ranked second in

Sacred Heart Beaten, 52-46

MEDFORD (Special)—The St. Mary's Crusaders beat the Sacred Heart Trojans here Friday night, 52-46, in a conference game by hitting 12 of 20 shots from the charity line for the margin of victory.

The Trojans hit only eight of 22 which was the difference. Elmo LeBeau hit 21 and Pete Korb 17 for the Trojans and Jim Calhoun paced the winners with 17 points.

The St. Mary's Jayvees won over the Trojan five, 46-46, in a pair of overtimes.



ROGERS HORNSBY

Stroke Takes Rogers Hornsby's Life

CHICAGO (UPI)—Rogers Hornsby, the greatest right-handed hitter in baseball history, died Saturday at the age of 66.

The tough, uncompromising and outspoken Hornsby, who for almost a half century fought with the great names of baseball from Judge Kenesaw Mountain Landis to Roger Maris, died at 10:05 a.m. CST at Wesley Memorial Hospital where he had been a patient since Dec. 9. The hard-bitten native of Winters, Tex., had served as a scout for the New York Mets in 1962.

Hornsby underwent surgery for eye cataracts, then suffered a stroke Dec. 15 while recuperating from that operation. A hospital spokesman said that Hornsby appeared to be making a good recovery both from the operation and the stroke until Friday night, when his temperature rose suddenly.

Heart Attack

The spokesman said death apparently was caused by a heart attack. An autopsy was scheduled.

The Hall of Famer was survived by his widow, Marge, whom he married seven years ago, by a step-daughter, and by a son by a previous marriage, Bill Hornsby of Nashville, Tenn.

Hornsby, who was born the youngest of six children at Winters, Tex., April 27, 1896, was at the same time one of baseball's greatest all-around stars and most baffling enigmas. He led the National League in batting seven times, including a fantastic six-year stretch from 1920 through 1925 during which he averaged

402, and his .358 lifetime average is second in baseball history only to Ty Cobb's .367 average. In his prime he was the fastest base runner in the National League and John J. McGraw called him "the best pivotman I have ever seen on a double play."

And yet Hornsby seemed to have less to show for all his accomplishments and opportunities than any other star of comparable rank.

He was fired as manager of the St. Louis Cardinals only two months after leading them to their first world championship in history in 1926. He wore the brand of a "clubhouse lawyer" and was accused of betting too much on horse racing. He answered questions without regard as to whom he offended and he insisted that modern players did not give enough of themselves to become super stars. He was a failure in five managerial jobs.

Spartan Life

The man who McGraw called "a better hitter than Babe Ruth" lived a spartan life. He never took a drink or a smoke in his life. He rose early in the morning and usually was in bed by 10 p.m. He ate only two meals a day and during his playing career never went to a movie for fear that it might hurt his eyes. His great mistake as a manager was that he expected his players to follow essentially that type of life.

"My eyes are as good as they ever were," he remarked when he reached 50. "If my legs were

Nash Leads Locals With 20 Markers

The Oregon Tech Owls won their second consecutive Oregon Collegiate Conference game in Owl Gym Saturday night by dropping the Portland State Vikings for the third time this season, but the Owls didn't have it quite as easy as they did Friday night in the 76-52 victory.

The Owls won Saturday night, 68-62. Little Hewlett Nash, the 6-0 guard who has sparked the team all season, led the Owls to their sixth victory in 11 outings with a spurge of 20 points. Van Zitek, who had his worst night of the season Friday night, bounced back in style with 16 points and Willie Anderson, the leading Owl scorer, added 15 more.

Big Sammie Smith, who just joined the team Monday and played his first game Friday night, got four fouls in the first nine minutes of the game Saturday and had to sit out most of the remainder. He got only eight points but did pull down 17 rebounds while he was in the contest.

The Owls had their uncertain moments in the first half when they were unable to pull away from the pesky Vikings and the first half ended with the two clubs knotted at 29-29. But the Owls came out in the second half with freshman Ron Wilkerson taking Smith's spot, and jumped off with 14 quick points while holding the Vikings to six.

Nash, getting the fast break into working condition, scored six, with Zitek and Anderson each hitting for four in that span. Nash got 15 of his 20 points in the last half. Zitek hit nine of his 16 in the final half.

The score was tied nine times in the first half and the lead changed hands two times. But the Owls pulled it out in the second half. Portland State pulled to within four points with about two minutes left in the game but Nash, Anderson, and Zitek galloped the Owls away once again to preserve the victory.

Norm Johns also played a good game for the Owls and had his

Rebels Defeat Yankees

MOBILE, Ala. (UPI)—Quarterbacks Glenn Griffing of Mississippi and Gary Cuzzo of Virginia and a magnificent goal line stand in the final seconds paced the South to a 33-27 victory over the North Saturday in the 14th annual Senior Bowl game before 35,048 fans.

The Rebel victory offset a record-breaking passing performance by the North's quarterback Jerry Gross of Detroit and an outstanding running show by Iowa State's brilliant halfback Dave Hoppmann.

Griffing passed for three touchdowns. Cuzzo tossed to South Carolina's halfback Billy Gambrell for the first score of the game. Gambrell later caught a touchdown pass from Griffing. Mississippi State end Johnny Baker caught two touchdown passes, both from Griffing.

Griffing was voted by sports-writers the game's outstanding player even though he played only a little more than one quarter.

The South's other touchdown came on a four yard run by Keith Kinderman of Florida State. The North scored in the first quarter on a one yard plunge by Hoppmann who ground out 120 yards. It came a few minutes after the South scored on the Cuzzo to Gambrell scoring pass.

The second Yankee score came on a razzle-dazzle play—fullback Dave Katterhenrick of Ohio State caught a lateral from Al Snyder of Holy Cross at the four while Snyder was being smothered by Southern defenders after catching a pass from Gross.

North 6 0 7 14-27
South 7 20 6 0-33

Klamath Wrestlers Capture Roseburg Four-Way Tourney

ROSEBURG (Special)—The Klamath Union wrestlers, both varsity and jayvees, won first places in the four-way invitational mat tournament here Saturday. The varsity won with 110 points to second place Roseburg's 77.

"The kids did a good job but the competition was n't extremely tough," said coach Delance Duncan.

The KU team won eight of the 13 first places in the varsity meet. Tom Carnes started things off for the Pelicans with a victory over Terry Hackler of Roseburg with a pin in 1:11. Jim McClug got the second win with a decision over Steve Sand of Roseburg with a 4-0 score.

Grant Humphreys got the next win for the Pelicans in the 123-pound class with a 10-0 win over Marshfield's Fred Williams. Mike Collins won his first title of the year by downing Roseburg's Don Clark 6-0 in the 130-pound division. Tom Miles kept things going in the 147-pound class with an 8-6 decision over Kent Garner of Marshfield.

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Green Faces Surgery

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn. (UPI)—Johnny Green, who started the 1962 season as the New York Titans' No. 3 quarterback and finished it as the No. 1 signal caller, undergoes surgery to correct a knee injury this weekend at Erlanger Hospital. Green is a former University of Chattanooga star.

The glory years were immediately ahead — 10 years during which the Rajah terrorized National League pitchers to the tune of seven batting titles, three 400-sevens, two home run titles and three runs batted in leaderships.



"SWEET" SAM GRABS REBOUND — "Sweet" Sammy Smith, who just returned to Oregon Tech after laying out the first semester, grabs off a rebound in the Owl Gym Friday night from Portland State's Jim Hollingsworth (55) at OTI's Willie Anderson (54) looks on. Anderson and Smith led the charge as the Owls won their opening conference game, 76-52. Anderson got 25 and Smith 17 points.

National All-Stars Defeat Southwestern Stars, 33-13

CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex. (UPI)—Accurate passing by quarterback Charles Furlow of Mississippi State and the running of backs Bill Thornton and Bobby Santiago Saturday gave the National All-Stars a 33-13 victory over the Southwestern Stars in the first Southwest Challenge Bowl.

Furlow threw 35 and 33-yard touchdown passes and Thornton, a 217-pound fullback from the University of Nebraska, ran for two more to give the conglomeration of college graduates from everywhere but the Southwest enough margin.

The Southwesterners obviously were hurt by the lack of a good passing quarterback for the proffession used by coach Bulldog Turner of the New York Titans. Turner was counting on Billy Moore of the University of Arkansas but Moore injured a knee in the Sugar Bowl last week and made only one appearance for an incomplete pass.

Johnny Gemang of Texas and Johnny Lovelace of Texas Tech

Joey Archer Defeats D. Moyer

NEW YORK (UPI)—Rangy, dark-haired Joey Archer of New York took a long step toward a shot at the middleweight crown Saturday night by scoring an impressive unanimous 10-round decision over junior middleweight champion Denny Meyer in their non-title fight at Madison Square Garden.

Archer, seventh-ranking contender for the middleweight 160-pound title, used repeated left jabs and left hooks—backed by straight rights—to whip the 155-pound division's champion from Portland, Ore., in their nationally televised fight.

Archer, 24 and scaling 159½ pounds to the 159 registered by 23-year-old Denny, won the lopsided decision on a rounds basis as follows: Referee Jimmy Devlin, 8-2; judge Jimmy Riccio, 6-1; and judge Leon Birnbaum, 6-1.

The United Press International had Archer ahead, 7-1.

The three ring officials did not agree upon any one particular round for Moyer, although they gave the first, second, fifth eighth and ninth unanimously to Archer.

Last Minute Rally Pulls Out Victory

By FLOYD L. WYNNE

The KUHS Pelicans moved out of the shadows of obscurity into the role of top district contender Saturday night at Pelican Court when they topped a driving Grants Pass Cavemen team by a 43 to 37 score in a top-drawer thriller.

Coach Al Keck shifted Hal Holman back to guard spot, inserting Terry Ash into his forward post, and the combination paid off.

Klamath rolled away to an impressive 25 to 13 first half edge as their nearly air-tight zone bewildered the Cavemen and gave them few good shots.

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Crater Runs By Ashland

CENTRAL POINT (Special)—The Crater Comets, using its speed to an advantage, handed the Ashland Grizzlies their second league loss in as many nights here Saturday night, 65-50.

The game was tied only once but the Comets were never behind in the contest. The Grizzlies cut the margin to one point in the third period, 33-32, but couldn't catch up and the Comets kept moving up.

Lou Alvarez hit high point honors for Crater with 19 points while Mike Glines added 15 and Pat Pepper 12 and Howard Tomlinson 11. Jim Lamb was the only double figure shooter for Ashland with 10.

Score by quarters:
Crater: 15-12-18-20-65
Ashland: 12-12-13-13-50

Fem Bowling Assn. To Meet

The City Women's Bowling Association will hold a meeting Wednesday at the Willard Hotel to set up rules for the upcoming City Women's Tournament.

The tournament is to be held Feb. 21-24. Members of the Association are asked to attend the meeting which is to begin at 7:30 p.m.

Whitebirds Rolled Away

The Whitebirds rolled away to an easy lead in the first quarter with Kelley, Chamberland and Ash hitting from the field. Scott adding a single free throw and Chamberland two. At this point Klamath led 9 to 0.

It was past the mid-point of the first frame before Jim Pippin hit from the side corner for the Cavemen's first points. Kelley dropped in two more and Ash one to give the Pels a 15 to 2 first quarter edge.

Klamath moved into a deadlock with Crater for the Southern Oregon Conference lead with their double weekend win while Crater was whipping Ashland Saturday night. Both clubs are unbeaten in both season and conference play.

Medford and Grants Pass each has a defeat on their records and Ashland has dropped two.

The coming weekend Klamath has only a single game as they tangle with the Black Tornado at Medford Friday night.

The Box Score

Player	Fg	Ft	Pt	Ts
Grants Pass (37)	7	0-0	1	8
Bauer	2	0-0	2	4
Blanton	2	0-0	2	4
Lindquist	0	0-0	0	0
Redlich	0	0-0	0	0
Searlin	3	0-0	3	6
Klascator	2	0-0	2	4
Shepherd	0	0-0	0	0
Hutchins	2	0-0	2	4
Totals	14	0-0	14	28
Klamath (43)	16	11-14	27	43
Chamberland	1	0-0	1	2
Scott	1	0-0	1	2
Holman	2	0-0	2	4
Moore	2	0-0	2	4
Moore	0	0-0	0	0
Dash	0	0-0	0	0
Totals	14	11-14	27	43

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Grants Pass: 3 11 14 10-37
Klamath Falls: 15 10 8 10-43

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