

Pels Batter Comets, 68-63, To Take League Lead

Owls Lose First League Game

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Finland's Nikula Vaults Unbelievable 16-8 3/4

PAJULAHTE, Finland (UPI)—reached exactly one year after John Uelses of the United States shattered the 16-foot barrier for the first time in history. Nikula cleared the 16-8 3/4 mark cleanly on his first attempt and then missed two attempts of 16-10 1/4 before calling it quits as a crowd of 900 looked on in the small hall.

The flying Finn, who earlier this week said his main ambition was to jump 16-4 1/2, holds the approved world record of 16-2 1/2, set outdoors July 22, 1962. A devotee of the fibre glass pole, Nikula will compete in four meets.

Jack Nicklaus Takes Lead In Palm Springs Classic

PALM SPRINGS, Calif. (UPI)—Jack Nicklaus, the blond bomber from Ohio took a stranglehold on the Palm Springs Golf Classic title Saturday when he finished the first 72 holes in play leading the field by five strokes for the second straight day.

With only 18 holes left Sunday on the trouble-free Indian Wells course, the National Open champion looked like a shoo-in to win the \$9,000 first prize and bring home his first title of the 1963 season.

Nicklaus added a fine, pressure-laden round of one-under-par 71 on tough Eldorado Saturday to go with previous efforts of 69-66-67 for a 72-hole score of 273.

Gary Player, the little South African who has won one tournament and finished second in two others already this year, was in second place with a 278. Tied at 279 were Gardner Dickenson and Wes Ellis, the latter shooting a 65 at Indian Wells, lowest round of the tournament.

In a day of brilliant shot making under a 90-degree sun there were these outstanding efforts: Don January, who collected \$50,000 for getting a hole in one on the 15th hole at Indian Wells two years ago, got an ace again there Saturday. But this time he collected nothing for the effort except satisfaction because it wasn't a payoff hole.

Jack Fleck, who had a fine 66 at Indian Wells, got an eagle on the par four 11th by knocking in a six-iron from 155 yards.

Veteran Stan Leonard of Vancouver, B. C., won the pro division of the 72-hole pro-am event which ended Saturday, and collected \$2,000 with the help of 12 different amateur partners, playing three at a time, he was 52 strokes under par for the 72 holes.

Most of the big names were far back of Nicklaus. Arnold Palmer eagled the 18th at Eldorado for a fine 68 Saturday and 212. Gene Littler was at 233, Billy Casper at 234 and Sam Snead at 236. Tommy Aaron had a 285.

Ken Venturi called a foul on himself and was disqualified from play Sunday. He had hit one out of bounds and three putted on the neck hole, before he noticed he had been playing someone else's ball.

Venturi had started the day trailing Nicklaus by 16 strokes. There was a three-way tie at 290 involving Fleck, Bob Shave and Tommy Bolt. At 291 came Johnny Pott, Julius Boras, Dan Sikes, George Bayer and Al Geiberger.

But Nicklaus was the big story again. After birdieing the first hole he immediately ran into trouble by taking a double bogey five on the par three 175-yard second hole. He hit his tee shot into a sand trap and failed to bring it out on the first blast. He finally got on the green in three and two putted. But he birdied the third, sixth and ninth holes.

After finishing the nine holes with 34, he was eight strokes ahead of his nearest competitor. He bogeyed the 11th hole and then played it safe in straight pars to come back in 37.

Chiloquin Bombs Antler Quintet With Ease, 62-42

BONANZA (Special)—The Chiloquin Panthers, expecting to get a tough game from the Bonanza Antlers on their home court, swamped the home team here Saturday night after a close game Friday, 62-42.

It was all Chiloquin after the first quarter which was slow and had the Antlers in front by 10-6. But the Panthers poured in on the second period to burn the nets for 20 points to take a 26-23 half time lead. It was much of the same in the third and fourth periods as the hot Panthers hit for 36 points in the last two periods to 19 for the Antlers who seemed to have run out of gas.

Three Panthers hit in the double figure column with Tony DiUlio leading the way with 17 markers. Don Taylor was right behind with 15 while Greg Harris made the big three with 14 points. Fred Dearborn was the high Antler in the double figure column with 18. Ed Simmons collected 39.

The Panthers thus have a 9-0 Klamath County League record and the loss left the Antlers virtually out of the race with a high of 4-5. The Panthers have lost only two games all season.

Score by quarters:
Chiloquin 6 20 16 20-62
Bonanza 10 13 8 11-42

Scoring:
Chiloquin—Kirk 8, Harris 14, DiUlio 17.

Hitchcock Selected To Shrine

PORTLAND (UPI)—The 27-man roster for the 16th Annual Shrine Hospital All-Star Football Game this year were announced here Saturday.

Officials also announced that the game between the State and Metropolitan All-Stars at Multnomah Stadium in Portland had been rescheduled for Aug. 17 from Aug. 10 as announced earlier.

State champion Medford placed four players on the State team and Jefferson and Oregon City each placed four players on the Metropolitan squad.

Named from Medford were quarterback Dan Miles, halfback Jack Lowery, guard Gary Griffin and end Lloyd Hammons. Picked from Jefferson were fullback Leo Montgomery, halfback Tom McAllister, guard Larry Burk and tackle Bart Wilson and selected from Oregon City were quarterback Tim Jones, center Ron Hudson, guard Gary Kmetz and end Rick Sekne.

Klamath Falls guard Ron Hitchcock was selected to the state team. Also named to it was quarterback Mike Glines of Crater.

Fred Spiegelberg of Medford is head coach of the State team and Bob Hull of Jefferson is head coach of the Metropolitan squad.

Also announced were the rosters for the annual East-West Shrine Game at Pendleton Aug. 24. Included on the East team were quarterback Jim Calhoun of St. Mary's of Medford, halfback Dave Johnson of Phoenix, and Charles Pomeroy of Eagle Point. Tackle Jim Thompson of Merrill and halfback Al De Bortoli of Chiloquin.

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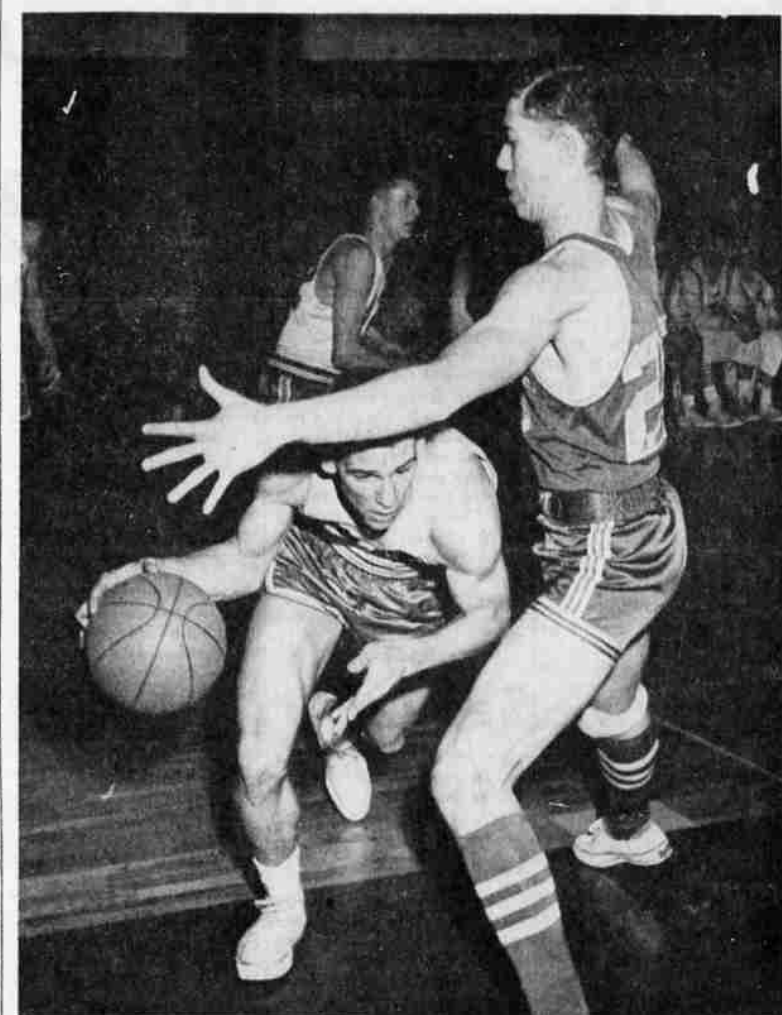
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UNDER AND AROUND — Steve Reiling (with ball) ducks under the arm and around the body of Rogue River's Tom Davidson as he drives toward the basket Friday night against the Chieftains. The Hornets, top A-2 team in the state, downed the seventh place Chieftains, 73-50.

Henley Stops Eagle Point In Overtime Set, 76-70

The Henley Hornets had to go into overtime Saturday night to fight off a desperate flock of Eagle Point Eagles who were virtually out to win to stay in the race for the league flag after dropping a game Friday night to the surging Lakeview Honkers.

The Hornets had their own way in the overtime by hitting eight points to the Eagles' two. Big Kent Gooding was the big gun again Saturday night as he poured through 27 points and picked off 29 rebounds and held Eagle Point's great Richard Short to only eight rebounds and nine points.

The Hornets were hurt early in the second half when fiery guard LeVoy Young was tossed from the game when he and an Eagle got into a little argument. Both were tossed out but Young's loss was felt worse than the Eagle loss.

The Hornets had to settle for a close first period as the two finished the first period all tied up at 17-17. But the Hornets pulled out in front in the second by burning the nets for 23 points to Eagle Point's 19. Henley outscored the Eagles in the third also, 16-14, but the fired-up Eagles came back in the fourth to tie it up by tallying 18 points to 12 for Henley. But the Hornets hit for eight in the overtime to two for the Eagles.

Gooding led the charge with 27 points while Earl Albright connected for 17 and Mike Beymer had an off night with 10. Charles Pomeroy led the Eagles with 14. Wilbur Boatwright had 11 and John Linder 19 for the losers. But the Eagles were led by Heitl who just became eligible. He hit for 24 points.

Dan Leahy had the hottest night for the Honkers with 25 points while Larry Samples hit for 15. Dennis Warren for 14 and Fred Williams for 11. The Chieftains didn't have a player in double figures. Their highest point maker was Tom Davidson with nine.

Lakeview Bruises Rogue River, 71-44

The Lakeview Honkers strengthened their hold on second place in the Rogue League Saturday night by whipping the Rogue River Chieftains, 71-44, behind the double figure scoring of four players.

The Honkers didn't have any trouble as they led all the way and kept increasing the lead in almost every period. They tallied a whopping 26 points in the first quarter to take a 26-12 lead. Rogue River hit for 19 in the second to the Honkers' 15, but the Honkers increased the lead in every other period. They hit for 22 in the third and eight in the fourth to six and seven for the Chieftains.

The victory gave the Honkers second place in the league all alone after Henley beat the Eagle Point team at Henley. The Honkers are now 7-2 in league play while Henley leads with a 9-0 mark. Eagle Point, the defending champion, is 4-3.

Dan Leahy had the hottest night for the Honkers with 25 points while Larry Samples hit for 15. Dennis Warren for 14 and Fred Williams for 11. The Chieftains didn't have a player in double figures. Their highest point maker was Tom Davidson with nine.

College Scores

College Basketball Results By United Press International EAST														
Oswego 86	Plattsburgh 73	Yale 74	Dartmouth 72	Brookport 51	55	Ontario 51	47	Kings 66	Fair-Dickinson 53					
Seton Hall 88	Catholic U. 75	NYAC 83	Wesleyan 70	Brown 73	Harvard 72	SOUTH								
Va. Union 69	Virginia St. 59	Alabama St. 74	Fla. A&M 72	Davidson 95	Richmond 73	Maryland 68	Geo. Wash. 67	MIDWEST						
Wyoming 87	Denver 72	Chicago 67	Oskosh St. 47	Augustana 51	Ill. Wesleyan 50	SOUTHWEST								
Arkansas Coll. 59	Hendrix 57	Panhandle A&M 64	N. M. High 62	WEST										
Colorado St. 100	Montana 83	Washington 49	Stanford 48	Oregon 60	California 55	Oregon St. 66	Seattle 60	THE BOX SCORE						
UCLA 77	Southern Cal. 65	Washington St. 66	Idaho 57	Chico State 72	Alaska 62	USF 64	Portland 52	THE BOX SCORE						
Chapman 30	San Fernando 65	Nev. St. 82	Cal at Riverside 48	Upland 72	Sou. Cal. Col. 60	Pac. Lutheran 83	Seattle Pac. 65							
Lewis & Clark 80	Col. of Idaho 74	Pacific 48	Whitman 43	East. Ore. 101	Southern Ore. 83	Oregon Tech 70	Portland St. 68	THE BOX SCORE						
Score by quarters:														
Rogue River	47-44	Pg	Ft	Al	Pt	Tp	Albion	47-44	Pg	Ft	Al	Pt	Tp	
Davidson	3-3	4	4	4	4	4	Eagle Point	30-27	OT	Fg	Ft	Al	Pt	Tp
Sailer	7-24	3	8	8	8	8	Pomeroy	5	4	1	1	1	1	1
Sheetsboro	1-0	1	1	1	1	1	Shier	5	4	1	1	1	1	1
Franks	6-13	3	3	3	3	3	Northwest	5	5	1	1	1	1	1
Palmston	1	4	4	4	4	4	Whaley	1	0-0					
Prosser	6-0	3	3	3	3	3	Whaley	10	6	0-0				
Cropper	7-34	6	6	6	6	6	Healey	22	4-15	3	3	3	3	3
Powell	0-13	0	0	0	0	0	Tenley (Jr.)	OT	Fg	Ft	Al	Pt	Tp	
LeRoy	3	0-0	0	0	0	0	Albion	6	3-8					
Totals	15	14-26	19	44			Baymer	4	2-7					
Lakeview (77)	Fg	Ft	Al	Pt	Tp		Gooding	3	2-4					
Steward	1	0-1	3	3	3		Welling	1	4-5					
Williams	4	3-4	4	4	4		Welling	2	2-5					
Samuels	4	3-4	4	4	4		Welling	1	0-0					
Warren	4	2-8	3	3	3		Samuels	3	3-3					
Leahy	2	7-15	3	3	3		Waring	29	14-27	7	7	7	7	7
Totals	28	6-5	4	4	4		Score by quarters:							
Score by quarters:										Eagle Point				
Rogue River	47-44	Pg	Ft	Al	Pt	Tp	Rogue River	28-15	29-8	71	Hayley	17-16	14-18	
Davidson	3-3	4	4	4	4	4	Hayley	28-15	29-8	71				

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Soph Terry Ash Provides Spark

By FLOYD L. WYNNE

A steadily improving band of Pelicans found themselves holding the top rung in the Southern Oregon conference ladder Saturday night following a convincing 68 to 63 triumph over a battling band of Comets from Central Point.

The victory gave KUHS a conference mark of 6-2, the best effort in the league as play reached the halfway mark for the season, and dropped the Comets out of the lead into a second place tie with the Grants Pass Cavemen.

Klamath marched into an early lead in the first quarter on Pelican Court, held a 10-point advantage most of the way and saw the Comets race them to the wire in the final moments.

Terry Ash, lanky sophomore, who entered for Fred Kelley in the second quarter, provided a battling spark for the Whitebirds when they needed it most, and poured in 17 points to pace KUHS scorers.

Outside artillery kept the Comets within firing range of the Pelicans as Mike Glines zeroed in from 35 feet and kept punching in two pointers that didn't even bother with the rim. He took game scoring honors with 23 points.

When the defense tried to halt Glines, Pat Pepper or Lou Alvarez took up the range with each of them counting 15 points.

Klamath took early command with Dick Scott hitting a jumper in the first 30 seconds of play. Hal Holman adding a two pointer from the left side and made it a three-pointer when fouled by Alvarez. Klamath led 5-0.

Alvarez untracked from the tough Klamath zone long enough to cannonade one in from the corner to make it 5-2, but Kelley dropped in both free throws when fouled by Paul Bransom. Holman added another two-pointer and the Pels led 9-2.

The Comets stepped up their shooting, getting quick shots off a side screen and Pepper hit one, but Wayne Chamberland worked under a two-pointer for Klamath. Tomlinson bounced a rebound back in for 2 for Crater and a moment later counted a gift toss to pair it to 13-7.

However, Kelley added 2 points on a two-handed jumper. Alvarez got a free throw for the invaders, and then Klamath ran nine straight points. Kelley, Holman and Chamberland scored from the field and Chamberland added one free throw and Holman two.

The Hornets were hurt early in the second half when fiery guard LeVoy Young was tossed from the game when he and an Eagle got into a little argument. Both were tossed out but Young's loss was felt worse than the Eagle loss.

The Hornets had to settle for a close first period as the two finished the first period all tied up at 17-17. But the Hornets pulled out in front in the second by burning the nets for 23 points to Eagle Point's 19. Henley outscored the Eagles in the third also, 16-14, but the fired-up Eagles came back in the fourth to tie it up by tallying 18 points to 12 for Henley. But the Hornets hit for eight in the overtime to two for the Eagles.

Gooding led the charge with 27 points while Earl Albright connected for 17 and Mike Beymer had an off night with 10. Charles Pomeroy led the Eagles with 14. Wilbur Boatwright had 11 and John Linder 19 for the losers. But the Eagles were led by Heitl who just became eligible. He hit for