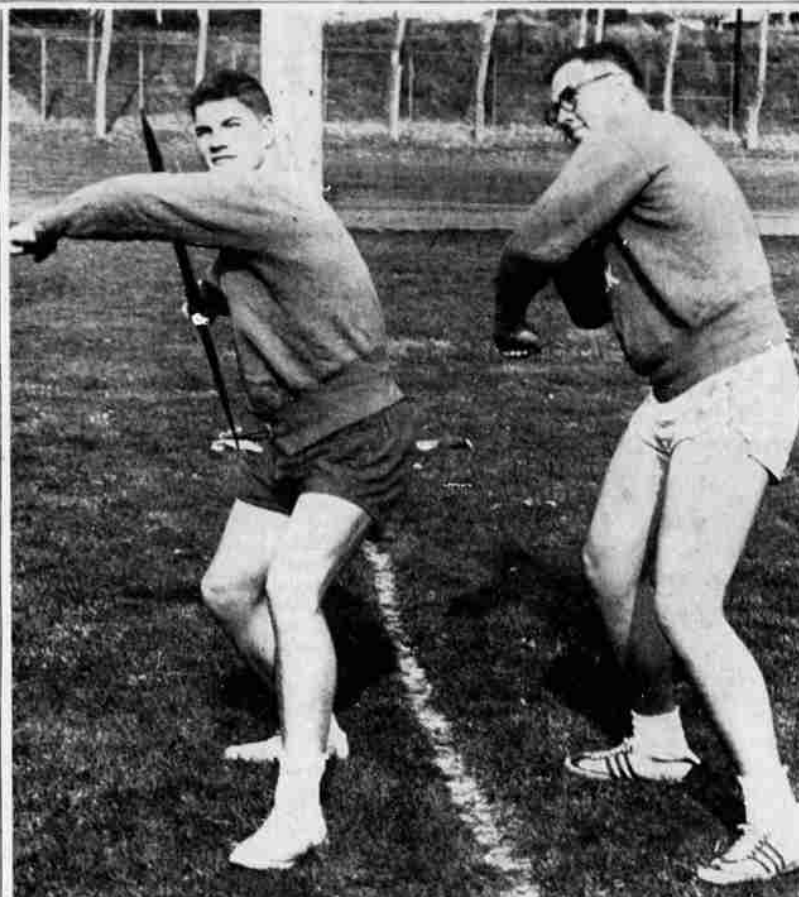


Pelican Baseball Team To Roseburg For Season's Big Test



KU'S 440-YARD RELAY TEAM — This relay team will represent the Pelicans in the Rogue Relays Saturday in Medford. They will run the 440-yard relay and have been improving and showing well. They are, from left to right, Terry Eccles, sophomore; Chuck Mills, sophomore; Arie DeGroot and senior Grover Dahn. Eccles, Dahn and DeGroot probably will run in the 880-yard relay with John English also.



PELICANS' WEIGHT MEN — These two Pelican track men carry a lot of the load for the Whitebirds in the Rogue Relays Saturday in Medford. Walt Smith, left, is one of the top javelin throwers in the area and Bill Mills tosses the shot and discus. Both boys captured firsts in their specialties last Saturday in the Cal-Ore Relays. Mills won the shot and discus while Smith won the javelin throw.

Whitebirds Tote Four Game Skein

The Klamath Union Pelican baseball will get its first real test of the season Saturday when the Whitebirds travel to Roseburg to take on the Indians in a doubleheader non-conference meeting. The first game is slated to begin at 1 p.m.

Coach Bill Mansfield's Pelicans will be totting a 4-1 record into the game with the four victories coming in succession. Roseburg had its first three scheduled games rained out and was to play at Grants Pass Tuesday in a single game and at home today against the Cavemen. So the Pelicans will have a slight edge in that department.

Coach Mansfield has been ill and missed the Weed game Tuesday in which the Pelicans bested the Cougars, 8-4. He may not go to Roseburg with the team so as to make sure to be well by Tuesday when the Pels host Grants Pass in the second Southern Oregon Conference action. Assistant Coach Wade Patterson will handle his chores.

The Whitebirds are co-leaders in league play with a 2-0 record due to the double no-hitters by Gary Benson and Rich Jackson against Ashland. The other co-leader is Crater. The Comets eased by Grants Pass in a pair Tuesday, 3-1 and 7-6. Medford is 1-0 with a 7-2 win over Ashland. Crater probably will take the league lead this weekend when they go to Ashland for a twin-bill and Medford is at Grants Pass for a doubleheader.

The probable starting lineup for the Pelicans will be Dave Johnson behind the plate with Jay Paxton and Vern Petrick in reserve. John Gray, the leading hitter on the team with a sizzling .667 average, will open at first. Lanny Guyer, beginning to come around on his hitting, will be at second. Mike Kitching, still lacking some glove ability at shortstop but with a strong arm and a heavy stick, will be the shortstop.

John Parisotto has been ill the past few days but may be ready to go at third base. If he isn't ready it will be Marv Yunc, who took over against Weed and

Lumber Barge Run Aground

EUREKA, Calif. (UPI) — The lumber barge Mary Olsen stood high and dry on the mudflats of Eureka harbor Thursday after a tugboat captain purposely grounded it to save a cargo of lumber.

Captain Cliff Miller of the tug San Jacinto said several hundred thousand board feet of lumber slid into the ocean as the barge listed heavily in stormy seas Wednesday.

The barge, carrying three million board feet of timber from Coos Bay, to Los Angeles, apparently sprung a leak, according to Miller.

Pel Thinclads Have Rugged Go In Rogue Relays Saturday

The Klamath Union track team, which showed well in a warm-up meet in the Cal-Ore Relays at Ashland last weekend, go to Medford Saturday for the Rogue Relays and this meet will provide a measure of sorts of what a type race it will be in the Southern Oregon Conference this season.

Most of the league teams figure to be entered in this first big meet of the season. The Pelicans finished a close third to Medford and Grants Pass in the Cal-Ore Relays and figure to be better this week. Several teams are entered in the meet and the competition is expected to be close.

Coach Jack Peterson will be taking about 26 athletes to the meet with hopes of bringing home

the trophy. "Certain phases of the sport are coming along well for us and some of them aren't. He was happy with the way the Pels performed last week in the Cal-Ore meet despite terrible weather and it being the first competition for the Whitebirds. He was pleased with Ron Thorne's pole vault of 11-6 which is only one inch off the school record. But Ron Hitchcock, who just recently came out after competing in the AAU wrestling tournament in Corvallis, turned in two leaps over 12 feet in practices this week.

We are pretty strong in the weight events with Bill Mills in the shot and discus and Walt Smith in the javelin. Both these Pelicans nailed down first places last week with mediocre performances. Their competition figures to be rougher this week.

"Don Graham is coming in the high hurdles. He (a sophomore) really surprised us last week by finishing second with a 15.4 clocking which is good for this early in the season and for a lad so inexperienced. He is pushing senior John English to harder work and we hope better performances.

John is doing well in the low hurdles but needs more work in the highs. He has the speed," Peterson said.

"We got an added lift, too, when Fred Kelley (the basketball) turned out for the high jump this week. He jumped 5-7 on his first day out and has gone over 5-9 since. He should continue to improve with conditioning," Peterson volunteered.

"The 400-yard relay team looked good. We had good hands

Informed Person Says Story Told Him Differs To Post

ATLANTA (UPI) — The first person informed of a controversial telephone conversation between former Georgia Athletic Director Wallace Butts and Alabama coach Paul (Bear) Bryant considered it routine coaches' chit-chat, a previously undisclosed document showed today.

John Carmichael said the conversation as related to him by associate George Burnett, who said he accidentally overheard it, differed completely from the version that appeared in a Saturday Evening Post article.

The magazine story, based on Burnett's account of the telephone talk, accused Butts of giving away Georgia team secrets to Bryant nine days before the 1962 Alabama-Georgia football game, Alabama, a 17-point favorite, defeated Georgia 35-0 in the opening game of the season for both teams. Both Butts and Bryant denied the allegation.

"What Burnett quoted to me (on the morning of the telephone call) and what is in the Post are two complete and different things," said Carmichael. "The conversation quoted to me that morning, when it was first in his mind, was not important enough to impress me that anybody was throwing a football game."

Says Conversation Basic "It sounds like just basic conversation between coaches," Carmichael said in one of 16 documents gathered by state Atty. Gen. Eugene Cook during a two-week investigation of the Post accusation. The document, however, was not released with the other 15 last Tuesday but was obtained Thursday by United Press International.

"We are not trying to hide anything," Asst. Atty. Gen. George Therrell told UPI. "It's just that we didn't have time to process this one in time for the release." Cook said in his report to Gov. Carl E. Sanders that he concluded from the probe that Butts did give vital information to Bryant in the Sept. 13, 1962, long distance telephone call from Atlanta to Tuscaloosa, Ala. Attorneys for Butts and Bryant attacked the Cook report as inaccurate. Butts has filed a \$10 million libel suit against Post.

There will also be a woodchuck shoot where varmint shooting specialists will shoot at a similar target at 300 feet.

Loren Montgomery and Jesse Barker, president and vice-president respectively of the gunsmithing class, will manage the shoot. Scores will be earned according to the number of holes in the target and the correctness of placement. Visitors are welcome to view the shoot.

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28.61 Miles Per Gallon Wins Honor

DETROIT (UPI)—Les Viland, a quiet, soft-spoken engineer, eased his Rambler American into the motor city Thursday to take first place honors in the marathon Los Angeles to Detroit Mobil Economy Run.

Viland, an engineer at American Motors Corp., averaged 28.61 miles per gallon in his six-cylinder large engine compact during the 2,500-mile run. A veteran in the classic, he led the entire route.

General Motors was the big winner in the competition, taking first place in four classes. Chrysler Corp. was close behind with three winners.

A total of 36 cars made the run by way of Las Vegas, Salt Lake City, Cheyenne, Omaha, and Chicago. Drivers said averages were cut down this year because of strong headwinds during the entire drive.

The second best mileage was turned in by Pat Sawyer, a housewife from Hemet, Calif. Mrs. Sawyer averaged 27.9 miles per gallon in her Corvair Monza to edge Mary Hauser, Detroit, at 27.52 in the small engine compact class.

BOUT POSTPONED SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — A fight scheduled for April 8th between Frank Duarte and Al Chabot, has been postponed for a week because of injuries suffered by Duarte in a Sacramento bout last week.

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STARTING PELICAN INFIELD — These four Pelican baseballers will open in the infield for the Whitebirds in Roseburg against the Indians in a double-header Saturday. They are, from left to right, third baseman Marv Yunc, shortstop Mike Kitching, second baseman Lanny

Guyer and first baseman John Gray. The Pelicans will be looking for their fifth and sixth straight victories. They are 4-1 for the season. These games will be non-conference affairs.

Moon Ship 'On Target'

MOSCOW (UPI)—Russia's Lunik 4 moon rocket continued on course today, heading for its target with all instruments reported functioning according to plan.

The 1½-ton unmanned Soviet rocket was launched Tuesday to speed to the "vicinity" of its target by late Friday or early Saturday.

The official news agency Tass

said Wednesday Lunik 4 covered 134,215 miles during its first 24 hours.

Alexander Khabakov, a geologist, said that "a soft landing on the moon of a container with instruments and auxiliary apparatus seems to be technically possible."

TO ELIMINATE PLAYOFFS WILLIAMSPORT, Pa. (UPI)—Rankin Johnson, president of the Eastern Baseball League, Wednesday announced plans to eliminate the post-season Shaugnessy playoffs this year.

Johnson termed the playoff a "hazardous, costly venture" and lacking fan interest during the early fall.

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