

Central Ends Loss Streak At Gresham

METRO LEAGUE table with columns for team names, wins, losses, and points.

By BILL MULFLUR. GRESHAM (Special) — Central Catholic stopped a four game losing streak and dissolved a three-way tie for fifth place in the Metro League by dropping Gresham, 47-40, here Monday night.

Central has fifth place to itself and Gresham drops to seventh, with Milwaukie sandwiched between. Both the Rams and Gophers went into the game with 5-5 records.

The Gophers spent three quarters chasing the Rams. Gresham went ahead for the first time after the opening minute, 33-32, on a free throw by Wayne Larsen as the third quarter closed.

Central ran eight straight points, capped by Ken Campbell's rebound basket to open up a 40-33 lead with four minutes and the Gophers were never able to close the gap.

Larsen opened the scoring with a two-pointer for Gresham. Central countered with an eight point string to take an 8-2 lead. After Bob Longanecker passed on a three point play, Thatch McLeod canned a pair of free throws and a rebound bucket to give the Rams a 12-5 lead at the end of the first quarter.

McLeod and Joe Quirk scored two field goals quick in the early minutes of the second quarter while the Gophers were held to three charity losses, to open up the Rams biggest lead of the game at 20-8.

Longanecker, Gresham's 6-3 scoring ace, held to one fielder through the first fifteen minutes, scored twice on a rebound and a fast break to cut the Ram margin to 24-20. Quirk closed out the first half with a two pointer on a fast break to give Central a 26-20 lead.

Longanecker paced all scorers with 21 points—seven fielders and seven of 14 from the free throw line with a left handed shot. Larsen added 11 to the Gopher total.

Quirk was high for Central with 12. McLeod and Ken Campbell chipped in with 10 each.

Gresham redeemed 16 of 28 free throw attempts while Central made good on three of 11. The two teams meet again Friday at Central, Monday's game was a make-up of a storm-postponed January 19 contest.

CENTRAL 47—Bergman 2; McLeod 10; Eilers 4; Altenhofen, Campbell 10; Kudson 2; Wheeler 4; Fetz 3; Quirk 12; Cooghinho.

GRESHAM 40—Steele 1; King 5; Carlson 0; Longanecker 21; Owens 1; Larsen 11; Sweeney 1.

Shag Wins Mat Battle

Shag Thomas, the ex-Olio State football star, won a two-fall victory over Kurt Von Poppenheim at the Labor Temple Monday night, but he was almost out on his feet when awarded the verdict.

Thomas took the first round with head butts and a body press and when the rivals returned for second-fall action Von Poppenheim was wearing tape on his elbow.

He declined to permit the referee to inspect the band and used it to cloud Thomas. After getting his opponent dizzy, he whacked the referee a couple of times and then was disqualified.

In other matches, Ed Francis beat Joe Konno in one fall, Tony Borne and Eddie Sullivan wrestled to a draw and Larry Lopez defeated Red Donovan.

Soccer Action

In soccer action Sunday, three games were played while one was called off because of field conditions. Westmoreland Park: PSC Varsity beat PSC Vets 4-2. Blue and White defeated the Rangers 6-2 at Columbia Park and Vikings rolled over Hollandia 4-0 at Montavilla. In the Viking game, Frank Mudd scored 3 of 4 tallies.

Honor Rollers

MILWAUKIE BOWL: Double A. Chris Chambers 47; Jonstater; Oscar Mack 35; Undercliner; Ted Kahler 32; Marlene Lucas 37; M.L. Jackson; Les Arnold 58; Kay Reiskind 46; Catharine Lindes; Donna Herman 42; Fred Bernie 42; The Rocks; Irene Whitford 43; First Nighters; Elise Mulford 39; Elberts; Beverly Clancy 31.

HOLLYWOOD BOWL: Man. Low Lindes; E. Brown; Clara Reiser; Gail Griffin; Bob Miller; Odrian Zart; Fred 43; Hank Nyquist 32.

MILWAUKIE BOWL: Highway Merchants; John Treich 37.

Scores Topple In Pin Action

SALEM (Special) — Second week bowlers staged an uprising and leads went tumbling during weekend play at Cherry City Bowl in the 19th annual state meet for men.

Only class A escaped the onslaught as leads changed hands in B, C and D team events; C and D singles; B, C and D doubles; and B and D all-events.

HOOP SCORES

Table of basketball scores for various leagues including Far West, East, Midwest, South, and NIBL.

Rose City Golfers Win

The combination of Bill Eggers and Bill Leary of Rose City shot a 64 to take top honors in the best ball division of the Oregon Professional Golfers Association's Pro-Amata tournament held at Glendoveer Monday.

Bunny Mason of Salem registered a stunning 5-under-par 69 to take home a first place in the Professional division. Mason, who birdied six of the eighteen holes, shot a 35 on the front nine and a 34 on the back nine.

The low amateur gross division saw Bob Patterson of Colwood come out on top with a 72. The low amateur net was won by Doug LaMear of East Moreland who scored a 72-5-67.

Amateur Gross — Bob Patterson, Colwood, 72; Glenn Schaback, Oswego, 72; Don Salinas, Rose City, 75; E. R. Jones, Colwood, 75; Al Carroll, Glendoveer, 75.

Amateur Net — Doug LaMear, E. Moreland, 72-5-67; Gordon Powell, Forest Hills, 81-11-70; Larry Austin, Top O'Cricket, 79-71; Fred Young, Glendoveer, 81-11-71.

Hanson Wins St. Pete Golf

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP) — Beverly Hanson of Palm Desert, Calif., fired a par 71 Sunday to win the 72-hole St. Petersburg Women's Open St. Pete Golf championship and \$1,247.75 by two strokes over Louise Suggs of Atlanta.

She had three birdies and 13 pars on her tour of the 6,116-yard Sunset Country club course. Her bid on the fifth hole put her ahead of Miss Suggs by two strokes and there she stayed. Her 72-hole total was 287.

Miss Suggs, a veteran of the games, went out in 38 and back in 35 on the windswept course. She carded 288 good for \$961.40. Fay Crocker of Montevideo, Uruguay, took third with a 290. She carded a 76 Sunday.

Veteran Patty Berg of St. Andrews, Ill., fired a 36-36 that made her total 291 good for fourth place. The fifth spot went to Mickey Wright of San Diego, Calif., on a 293.

Olympic Ski Stars Hurt In Practice

SQUAW VALLEY, Calif. (AP) — The Olympic casualty list soared to 13 Monday as two European racers suffered broken legs in wild spills on the perilous men's downhill run.

Shortly after Battista Pordon of Italy and Louis Moine from Spain were carried off the mountain, Hilde Hofherr of Austria broke her thumb practicing slalom and was virtually out of the games which start Thursday.

Another Austrian girl, pigtailed Traudl Hecher, 16, just missed tragedy when she crashed into a tree on the women's downhill course. She broke her risks, but was not hurt.

The first aid station was one of the busiest places in the valley as the fierce training period increased.

Skiers Sonja McCaskie from Great Britain and Sam Chaffey of New Zealand were carried off the slopes, but their injuries were not serious.

Jack Douglas, a Canadian ice hockey player, sprained an ankle in a practice session, and Tim Spencer, an Australian figure skater, tore a knee ligament. They are expected to be ready for the competition.

Crash helmets for racers were the order of the day. The men plummeted off Squaw Peak while officials timed them at various intervals.

Roger Staub, a 23-year-old Swiss storekeeper, was rated one of the fastest. He rocketed off Squaw Peak at mile-a-minute speeds, shouting and yodeling while making his descent.

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Pioneers Nip Badger Quint

PACIFIC UNIVERSITY, Forest Grove (Special) — Pacific University's Badgers lost their 34th straight basketball game Monday night, but not before they threw a scare into Lewis and Clark's taller Pioneers.

Lewis and Clark won the Northwest Conference battle, 56-52, but had to come from behind on several occasions in the second half to put down the Pacific challenge.

Pacific alternated leads with L-C throughout the early part of the second half, and led with 15 minutes remaining, 35-34. Then Bob Brooks tipped in a basket for Lewis and Clark and the Pioneers were ahead the rest of the way.

L-C moved into a 51-45 lead with six minutes left. But Pacific fought back to within two points at 51-49 and 53-51 before the Pioneers put it away for good.

In the first half the lead changed hands four different times with Lewis and Clark holding a 30-24 halftime edge. Dick Ramsey and Don Printz led Pacific scorers with 12 points each. High for L-C was Royce McDaniel with 10.

Scoring: LEWIS AND CLARK 56—Fleck 7, McCord 2, Fox 9, McDaniel 10, Maurer 2, Langos 4, Vermillion 7, Brooks 3, Lundmark 5, Haljer 2.

PACIFIC 52 — Perkins 8, Ramsey 12, Roberts 5, Printz 12, Lykes 9, Ferguson 2, Stewart 4.

Hearn Wins Golf Crown

MIAMI (AP) — Jim Hearn came from behind with a final round 75 Sunday and defeated Alvin Dark by one stroke for the National Baseball Players Golf Championship.

Hearn, a one-time National League pitcher, finished with a 72-hole total of 301 for the 6,620-yard, par 70 Country Club course at Miami Springs.

Al Lopez, manager of the Chicago White Sox, and John Gray, former Phillies and Athletics' pitcher, shot 74 for the best rounds of the day. Lopez finished fourth with 307 and Gray fifth with 309.

Ski Conditions: TIMBERLINE—Stormy conditions prevail with powdery snow falling. Road being plowed, chains needed. Total snow 95 inches with 8 inches new. Temperature 20 degrees at 9 a.m. Strong west wind. All facilities operating.

YMCA Scores

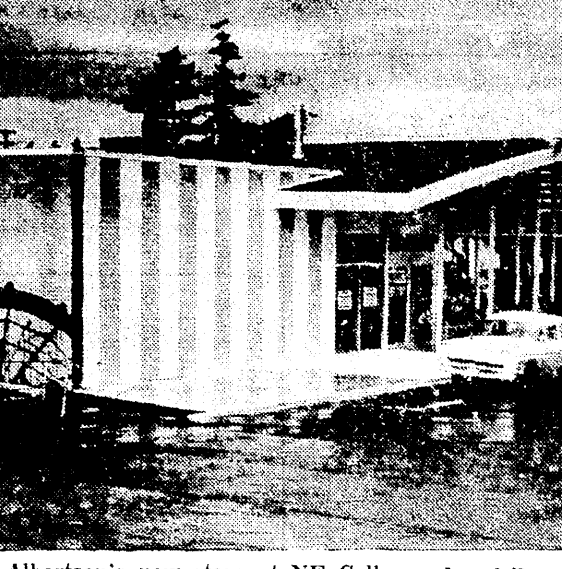
Table of YMCA scores for various teams and events.

Golden Ball

Abraham 33, Richmond 31 (8th grade), Sellwood 36, Abernethy 18 (7th grade).



J. A. Albertson (left), president of Albertson's, Inc., will be here for new store opening. Richard (Dick) Allen was named to manage firm's new Cully Rd. and Prescott St. food center in Portland.



Albertson's new store at NE Cully road and Prescott St. is scheduled to open Wednesday morning. This will be the firm's third food center in Portland and its 68th in the Pacific Northwest. Two others are under construction here.

Albertson's Store Ready News Of The Port

Albertson's, Inc., regional food chain organization with headquarters in Boise, announced that it will open its third Portland area food center Wednesday morning at NE Cully Rd. and Prescott St.

At the same time officials of the organization said that the firm has two additional stores under construction in the Portland area.

The store opening Wednesday will be Albertson's 68th in the Pacific Northwest. It is similar in design to stores previously opened at SE 174th Ave. and Division St. and NE 123rd Ave. and Halsey St.

The new Cully Rd. and Prescott St. supermarket, and provides since last fall, construction is now well advanced. It will be a shopping area of 23,800 square feet and represents a total investment in excess of \$500,000.

Richard (Dick) Allen, who has been named store manager, reported that it will feature one of the largest displays of domestic and imported cheese in the Northwest and that there will also be a "fabulous" display of frozen foods. There will also be a modern bakery located on the premises. All bakery products will be provided fresh daily.

Other departments will include a large combination service and self-service meat market and a 5,000-square-foot variety section.

Allen said that store hours will be from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Saturday and from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Sundays. Approximately 75 full-time employees will be on hand to serve customers.

Albertson's has plans for a \$1 1/2 million dollar expansion program in the five Pacific Northwest States in 1960.

MUTUAL FUNDS

Table of Mutual Fund performance data including fund names, shares, and returns.

COFFEE SWAP MADE

BRILIZIANS have contracted to swap coffee for Communist East German tractors in a deal estimated to total \$8,700,000.

Pressure Of Sales Drops Stock Price

NEW YORK (AP)—Selling pressure generated near the end of another losing stock market session sent some recent favorites to sharp losses Monday.

The list as a whole was beating a moderate retreat in the afternoon when prices were hit hard near the close. The ticker tape ran late for the final eight minutes.

An estimated \$1,900,000,000 was clipped from the quoted value of stocks listed on the New York Stock Exchange, based on the fall in the AP average.

When the final flurry was over, key stocks took losses running from fractions to 2 or more points while some of the wide gainers of 1959 fell 3 to 7 or more points.

Lower were rails, oils, coppers, airlines, farm implements and most steels and chemicals.

The weekend reports of a cutback in auto production and a slowdown in demand for stainless and tool steels formed part of the background.

Friday's advance was more than wiped out and the market as a whole was back again in the vicinity of last September's lows.

The Dow Jones industrial average fell 4.65 to 617.58. The AP 60-stock average fell 1.40 to 215.00 with the industrials down 2.30, the rails down 1.20 and the utilities down .20.

Of 1,206 issues traded, 369 advanced and 588 declined. New highs for 1959-60 totaled six and new lows 48.

Volume rose to 2,780,000 shares from 2,230,000 Friday. Nine of the 15 most active stocks declined, five advanced and one was unchanged, Aluminum lid.

NAFI Corp. was the most active stock, up 1 1/2 at 31 1/2 on 210,400 shares.

NAFI gyrated considerably, showing a loss of about 2 at one time. Trading was halted on it temporarily under a flood of buy orders. The stock gained 10 1/2 last week on the news it was acquiring Chris-Craft.

Brokers said short covering accounted for some of the rise Monday. On Friday the New York Stock Exchange banned all stop orders in the stock. These are placed in advance at specified prices and sometimes lead to a "bunching" of orders.

American Stock Exchange prices were irregularly lower. Volume rose to 1,170,000 shares from 840,000 Friday. Israel-American Oil, the volume leader, was unchanged. Losses were taken by Syntex, Helicon and Avnet.

AT&T Past \$1 Billion

NEW YORK (AP)—American Telephone & Telegraph Co., the world's biggest public utility, earned more than one billion dollars in 1959 for the first time.

Bell System earnings rose to \$1,248,769,000 last year from \$981,463,000 in 1958, Frederick R. Kappel, president, said in the annual report.

This is equal to \$5.22 a share on AT&T stock compared to \$4.67 a share a year earlier.

American Telephone thus becomes the second U.S. business firm to reach the billion-dollar-profit plateau. General Motors Corp. did it in 1955, but then slipped back.

GM still holds the record for the most profitable year achieved by any company. GM reported earnings of \$1,189,477,000 in 1955. That was \$40,708,000 higher than AT&T's total for 1959.

Kappel said Bell System operating revenues increased in 1959 to a record \$7,540,194,000 from \$6,908,090,000 the previous year.

Another new record was a gain of 3,298,000 telephones during the year—topping the 1946 high of 3,264,000. This brought to nearly 58 million, the number of Bell-operated phones. They represent more than 80 per cent of the nation's total.

The annual report was mailed to 1,373,000 shareholders, largest corporate family in the world. Last year's total was up 107,000 from 1958.

"For the fourth consecutive year," Kappel said, "the Bell system spent more than two billion dollars on new construction to expand and improve service. The 1959 figure was 2 1/2 billion dollars."

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