

PHS Freshmen Win 5th; McClanahan Scores 31

Bob McClanahan scored 31 points for what is thought to be a freshman scoring record here as Plattsmouth High's Frosh defeated Bellevue at Bellevue, 62-58, Thursday.

It was the fifth win in eight games for Coach Cecil McKnight's yearlings. McClanahan rallied his team in the third quarter for a come-from-behind effort that earned a second win this season over Bellevue.

The lanky jump shooter got "only" eight points the first half as teammate Roger Lanum hit 10 to help keep his team within range at 22-32 at the intermission.

Then in the third, McClanahan



BOB McCLANAHAN
31 Points a Record?

Basketball Scores

Blair 80, Plattsmouth 57.
Blair Res. 58, Plattsmouth Res. 45.
Plattsmouth Frosh 62, Bellevue Frosh 58.
Bellevue Frosh Res. 31, Plattsmouth Frosh Res. 21.
Lincoln NE 55, Fairbury 50.
Murdock 44, Sprague-Martel 31.
Avoca 55, Douglas 36.
Auburn 67, Humboldt 59.
Ralston 85, Blair 66.
Seward 54, Crete 42.
Syracuse 86, Louisville 35.
Bennet 73, Elmwood 54.
Beatrice 44, York 30.
Holy Name 64, Tekamah 62.

scored six field goals and three free throws for 15. Lanum added six and a 25-12 margin put the Blue Devils ahead, 47-44, into the final period.

McClanahan got eight more the last eight minutes as Plattsmouth led narrowly to the finish. Lanum was next high scorer with 18.

Next for the PHS Frosh is the season's finale, here at 4 p.m. Thursday against Weeping Water.

Plattsmouth Frosh (62)

	fg	ft	pf	pts
B. McClanahan, f	12	7-9	4	31
C. McClanahan, f	0	0-1	0	0
Spencer, f	1	0-2	3	2
Gruber, f	0	0-0	0	0
Brink, f	0	1-3	5	1
Lanum, c	8	2-5	3	18
Taylor, c	0	0-0	0	0
Heedum, g	2	2-6	3	6
Christensen, g	0	0-0	0	0
Couch, f	1	2-3	4	4
Shown, g	0	0-0	0	0
Smith, g	0	0-0	0	0

Bellevue Frosh (58)

	fg	ft	pf	pts
Mitchell, f	4	5-8	3	13
Thomas, f	1	0-0	1	2
Harvell, f	1	2-4	3	4
Hately, f	1	0-0	2	2
Holmes, c	4	5-8	4	13
Pflug, g	2	3-4	5	7
Harding, g	5	7-9	5	17

Totals

Platts. Frosh	24	14-29	21	62
Bellevue Frosh	18	22-33	23	58

Platts. Frosh Res. 11 11 25 15-62
Bellevue Frosh Res. 12 20 12 14-58

A sailor stranded at Plymouth is said to have spoken a language nobody could understand. He has been given a job as a railway announcer.—Punch.

Frosh Reserves Defeated, 31-21

Plattsmouth High's Freshman Reserves lost, 31-21, to Bellevue Thursday in a preliminary to the Freshman game between the schools at Bellevue.

Dennis Smith led Plattsmouth with seven points.

PHS Frosh Res. (21)

	fg	ft	pf	pts
Gruber, f	0	0-0	3	0
Pohlmeier, f	0	0-0	0	0
Nuzum, f	1	0-0	1	2
Gorton, f	0	0-0	0	0
Ballinger, f	1	0-1	0	1
Adkins, g	0	0-2	0	0
Langdon, f	0	0-0	0	0
Markham, f	0	0-0	1	0
Taylor, c	1	0-0	2	2
McLeod, c	0	0-0	0	0
Schneider, c	0	0-0	0	0
Christenham, c	0	0-0	0	0
Christensen, g	0	1-2	1	0
Dittemore, g	0	1-2	1	0
Schalk, g	0	1-2	0	1
C. McClanahan, g	1	0-0	1	2
Shown, g	0	1-2	1	1
Smith, g	2	3-5	4	7
Schreiner, g	0	0-0	0	0
Osthus, g	1	0-0	2	2

Totals

Platts. Frosh Res.	7	7-16	12	21
Bellevue Frosh Res.	3	1-4	0	7

Torrens, f 3 1-4 0 7
Hagan, f 1 0-0 1 2
Spitzer, f 0 0-0 3 0
Glaze, f 0 0-0 2 0
Rhodus, c 2 0-0 0 4
Harvey, c 1 0-0 0 2
Gray, g 1 0-0 1 2
Reynolds, g 1 0-0 1 2
Himellic, g 3 4-6 3 10
Day, g 1 0-0 1 2

Totals

Platts. Frosh Res.	4	4	6	7-21
Bellevue Frosh Res.	7	7	5	12-31

Murdock Posts 20th Victory

Murdock won and two other Cass County high school basketball teams lost against competition from outside the county Friday night.

Murdock earned its 20th win against a single loss by defeating Sprague-Martel, 44-31, in a waiting game at Murdock. Sprague-Martel used slow-down tactics in an effort to upset the Bulldogs but Murdock led throughout.

Quarter scores were 10-6, 19-13 and 31-21. Jim Panska was high for Murdock with 13.

Elmwood got off to a slow start, trailing Beant 40 to 18 at the half, and lost, 73-54, at Bennet. The real killer was a 3-19 Elmwood deficit in the second quarter.

Louisville traveled to Syracuse, fell behind 7-40 at the half and dropped an 86-35 decision.

Rich Kuenning led Syracuse with 20 and Kenny Ahl was high for Louisville with eight.

Blair (80)

	fg	ft	pf	pts
P. Refsell, f	9	4-6	1	22
Bragg, f	1	0-0	0	2
Krantz, f	4	1-4	2	9
S. Refsell, f	6	3-7	4	15
Olson, c	2	1-2	4	5
Peterson, g	7	1-2	3	15
Plugge, g	0	2-2	1	2
Olney, g	3	1-1	4	7
Stewart, g	1	1-2	0	3

Totals

Blair	33	14-26	19	80
Plattsmouth	9	14	17	57
Blair Res.	18	15	22	58

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Bellevue Here Tuesday at 8 p.m.

One of the most talked-about Class A basketball teams in the state, Bellevue High, makes an appearance here Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.

Currently, Bellevue is ranked No. 5 in Class A by newspapers of Omaha and Lincoln.

And, Bellevue had the distinction of defeating both Fremont and Omaha Tech when the two teams were ranked at the top. The team also faces an important date this Friday when it meets Lincoln Northeast, presently rated No. 1.

The game here Tuesday is resumption of a longtime rivalry. Bellevue has a big, capable aggregation, headed by 6-6 rebounder Woody Dismuke and playmaker-marksman Bob Whitehouse.

Plattsmouth, having a season of frequent disappointment, would enjoy nothing better than making a good showing in its next-to-last game of the season.

Coach Lowell Johnson said he plans to start Jack Scott and Denny Campbell at guard, Dan Schultz at center and Rog Beverage and Rog Lanum at forward.

Scott led Plattsmouth Saturday at Blair by scoring 19 points, his best performance as a Blue Devil, but Plattsmouth bowed, 60-57.

The Blue Devils, with Scott getting 12 points, were down 23-33 at the half after trailing by just three with two minutes to intermission.

Blair's height and firepower were entirely too much after that.

Scott led his team in shooting goals with 9 for 14. Campbell had 3 for 6, Beverage 5 for 15, Tom Smith 2 for 5 and Butch McGraw 2 for 3.

The team shot 38 per cent on 22 for 57.

Beverage was top rebounder with 13.

Paul Refsell, one of the better opponents for Plattsmouth this season, hit 9 for 17 goals on his way to a game high of 22 points. Blair had 33 for 68 and 48 per cent.

Blair led in rebounds 43 to 38. The Blue Devils close out their regular season here Friday night against Tekamah.

Plattsmouth (57)

	fg	ft	pf	pts
Beverage, f	5	0-3	4	10
Lanum, f	0	1-4	4	1
Adkins, f	0	0-0	0	0
Campbell, f-g	3	0-1	1	6
Schultz, c	1	5-6	2	7
Ingwersen, c	0	0-0	1	0
Scott, g	9	1-2	0	19
D. Nettelmann, g	0	0-0	0	0
McGraw, g	2	2-2	1	6
Smith, g	2	3-3	3	7
B. Nettelmann, g	0	1-2	1	1

Totals

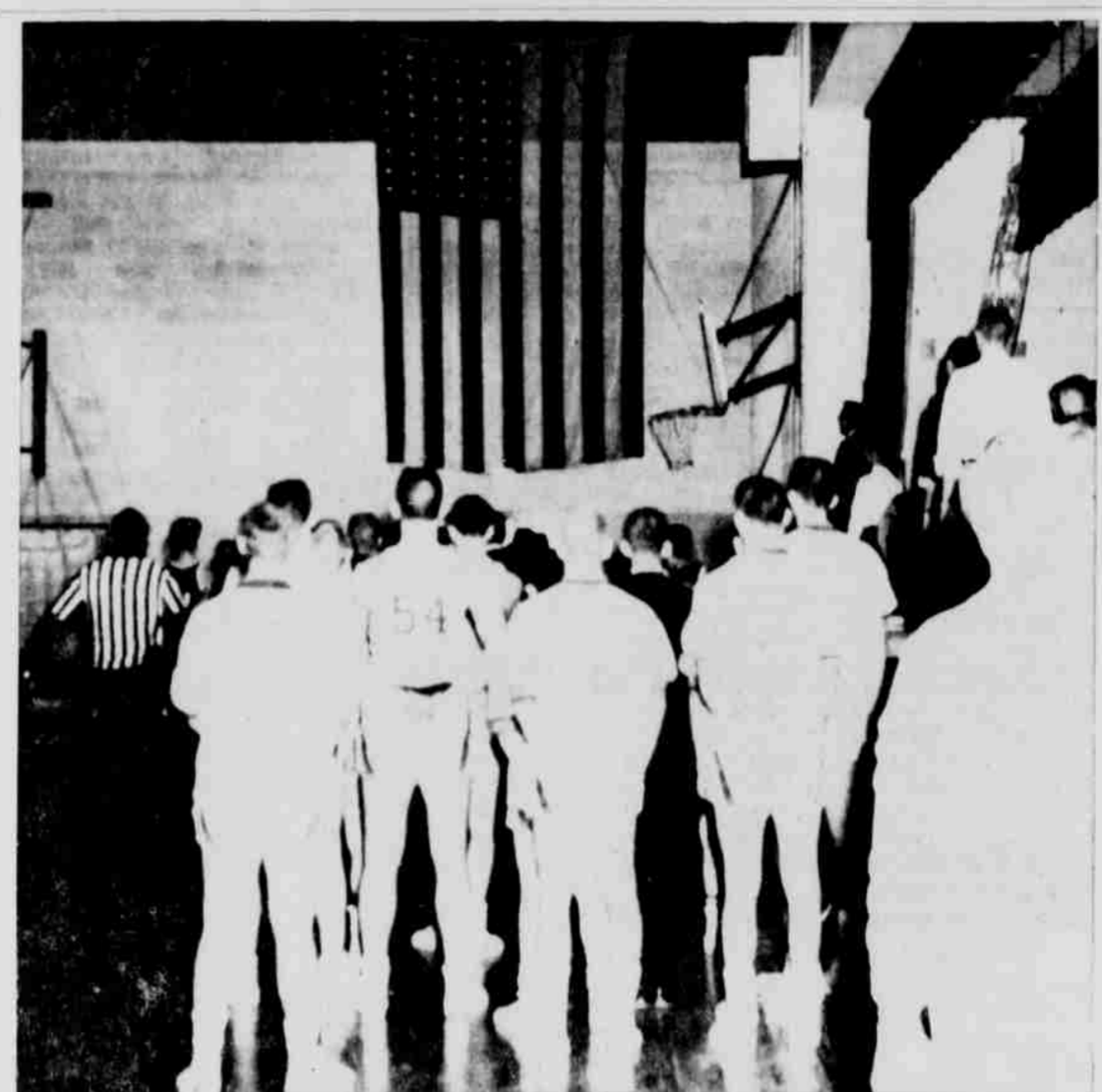
Platts. Res.	22	13-23	15	57
Blair Res.	15	15-28	13	45

Blair Res. (58)

	fg	ft	pf	pts
Bragg, f	5	3-7	3	13
Peterson, f	8	1-4	2	17
Brown, f	2	3-5	2	7
Peterson, g	0	0-0	1	0
Chase, f	0	0-0	1	0
Lowell, c	5	2-3	2	12
Wardwell, g	0	0-1	1	0
Noel, g	4	1-1	2	9
Bauer, g	0	0-0	0	0
Scheffler, g	0	0-0	1	0

Totals

Blair Res.	24	10-21	19	58
Platts. Res.	5	13	14	13-45
Blair Res.	11	8	22	17-58



WHAT SO PROUDLY WE HAIL—This shot was taken during pre-game playing by the Pep Band of the national anthem at the basketball game here last week. Innovations this season are introduction by loudspeaker of the starting line-ups and the pause for the anthem while everyone faces the large flag displayed on the south wall of the Auditorium.

Blair Reserves Triumph, 58-45

Blair High's Reserves broke up a close game in the third quarter with a 22-14 margin and went on to defeat Plattsmouth's Reserves Saturday night, 58-45.

Down, 5-11, after a quarter, Plattsmouth came back with Spencer Davis scoring three baskets to lead in the second quarter, and trailed only 18-19 at the half.

But Blair had more steam and won going away.

Ed Frazier's nine points led Plattsmouth.

Plattsmouth Res. (45)

	fg	ft	pf	pts
Frazier, f	2	5-7	3	9
Richards, f	0	0-0	0	0
Hansen, f	1	2-4	0	4
Spencer, f	1	2-2	0	4
McClanahan, c	2	4-9	3	8
Cadwell, c	1	2-2	0	4
Heedum, g	1	0-2	4	2
Davis, g	3	0-0	0	6
Pritchard, g	4	0-2	2	8
Biel, g	0	0-0	1	0

Totals

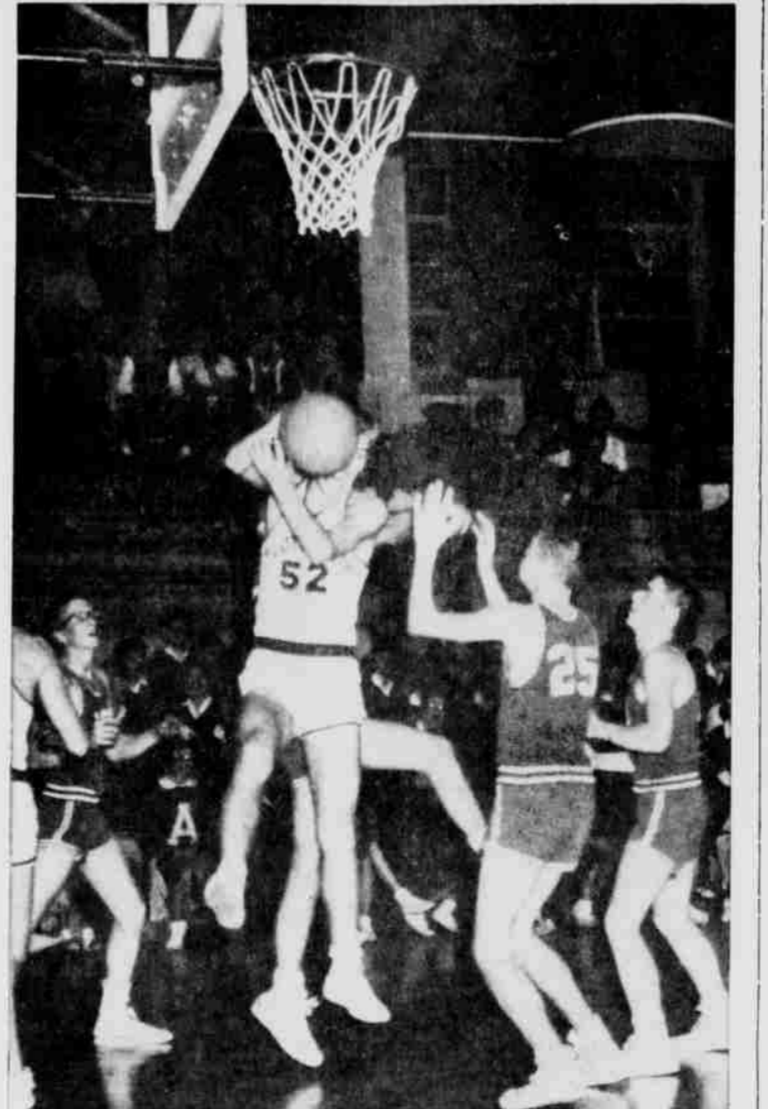
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WOULDN'T YOU?—One can hardly blame Plattsmouth's Larry Cadwell for jumping. Who wouldn't who had a ball head and four legs? Seriously, Cadwell came down with an important rebound as the local Reserves defeated Ashland, 61-47, here Tuesday night.

Avoca Finishes With 19-1 Mark

AVOCA—Mustang Conference Tournament champion Avoca High closed its regular season Friday with a 56-36 conquest of Douglas.

Steve Carsten tallied 22 to lead the Cardinals. Dennis Stubbendiek had 16 and Roger Ehlers 10.

It was Avoca's 19th win against only one loss, to Murdock.

Avoca had quarter leads of 9-2, 27-9 and 42-25.

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