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FROM: BOB GILLULY  
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MISSOULA---Lithe guard Ray Lucien paced Montana University freshmen in scoring during the 1959-60 season, averaging 17.2 points per game in intersquad tussles. The former Louisiana all-stater also had the best shooting percentage on the team, over 50 percent.

Lucien hit a total of 172 points during the Cub season. Next in line was guard Larry Riley of Roundup, who hooped 134 points for a 12.2 average. Riley also scored nearly half of his attempts from the field.

Big Steve Lowry from Red Lodge was third in scoring, notching 117 points for an 11.7 average. The 6-6 post man also led the squad in rebounding. Fourth in line was former Wolf Point ace Ed Thompson, who hit 127 points for an 11.6 average. Forward Jim Bryngelson scored well at the end of the season and ended with 99 points for a nine-point average. Next was Gary Johnson of Helena, 85 points for an 8.5 mark.

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#### SILVERTIP SLANTS.....

Seniors Vince Ignatowicz and Dan Balko were elected honorary co-captains of the Montana cage outfit following the final game of the season last Saturday. The Grizzlies had no regular captain during the season, but team members voted unanimously for the two senior guards.

Balko, who earned the C. R. Dragstedt award as the Most Valuable Grizzly for the second season in a row, had the highest point total of his career against the Cowpokes. His 32-point effort eclipsed a 31-point output against Denver last season.

Others who turned in good single game performances were center Duane Ruegsegger, 31 against BYU, Terry Screnar, 28 against Montana State, and John Lands, 25 against MSC.

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