

R. H. S. Hoopsters Trim Medford, 52-35

Conversions Of Fouls Produce Margin of Victory

Indians Spurt From Half - Time Lead of One Point; Tonight's Foe Will Be Grants Pass.

By "HAP" APPLEGATE
Unleashing a furious third quarter attack that netted them 19 points to their opponent's four points, Roseburg's towering Indians opened their conference basketball season with a convincing 52-to-35 victory over Medford here last night. Roseburg's advantage in height led the Pear Pickers into the commission of numerous fouls, and the margin of victory was in free throw conversions. Roseburg making 22 points from the free throw line while Medford made only five. The teams were even in field goals.

Unlike the last half of the contest, the first half was a see-saw affair with the lead changing hands several times. Dixon and Gunnette kept the Pear Pickers in the game with sensational shots from the keyhole area, while Finlay and Ward were the leading first half scorers for the Indians, who led at half-time by a score of 24-23.

Conversions Decisive
Roseburg came back in the third period with a brilliant set-play attack in which Goodlow and Denton opened the scoring.

The game picked up speed as the Indians began to drive and the desperate Medford players, endeavoring to match Roseburg's height with speed, drew many personal fouls. Accuracy in conversions by Finlay, who tossed 10 out of 12, and Goodlow with 9 out of 11, proved the margin of victory for the Indians.

Roseburg committed 15 personal fouls of which Medford converted only five.

In the closing minutes of the game Medford lost four of its starting players on personals, while Roseburg lost only one. Coach Watts, however, sent in substitutes to match the changes on the Medford team, leaving Finlay as the only regular to guide the reserves.

The game while fast and rough was exciting. Although 43 personal fouls were called by Harold Hoyt and Waldo Campbell, there was no deliberate fouling on the part of either team, the unusually large number of fouls being made almost entirely to the speed of the contest and the fact that Medford players were forced into rushes and leaps because of Roseburg's superior height. Medford's tallest player was an even six feet in height, while Roseburg's starting line-up ranged from six feet to six feet, seven inches.

The Indians will meet Grants Pass at 8 o'clock tonight in the second conference game of the season, and on Tuesday night will play Ashland. A preliminary between the Roseburg B squad and Myrtle Creek high school will be played at 6:35 tonight.

Summary:

Medford (35)	fg	ft	pf	tp
Wall, f	0	0	4	0
Williams, f	1	1	2	3
Gunnette, c	4	0	4	8
Reed, f	1	1	3	3
Dixon, f	4	0	3	8
Fawcett, f	3	0	4	6
Herrmann, g	1	1	4	3
Thorndyke, c	1	2	0	4
Reynolds, g	0	0	1	0
Todd, f	0	0	3	0
Callister, f	0	0	0	0
Totals	15	5	28	35

Roseburg (52)	fg	ft	pf	tp
Ward, f	3	1	4	7
Hughes, f	2	0	2	4
Denton, c	2	1	3	5
Finlay, g	4	10	2	18
Goodlow, g	2	9	2	13
Schrimph, f	2	1	1	5
Anderson, c	0	0	0	0
Cacy, f	0	0	1	0
Ness, g	0	0	0	0
Deekley, f	0	0	0	0
Totals	15	22	15	52

Louis, Godoy Will Battle Third Time

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 11.—(AP)—Los Angeles will soon see a boxing bout between Champion Joe Louis and Arturo Godoy.

The third and very last meeting, barring a miracle, is tentatively set for this city April 14, and official approval from the California athletic commission will be forthcoming as soon as the signed contract and formal application for a license are presented by Promoter Tom Galery.

"We are not trying to fool anyone into believing that this will be the best fight in history. But it is the best match we can get for a championship shot," Galery explained.

"We tried to get Max Baer. He wants no part of Louis. The same goes for Buddy Baer. And," Galery continued, "we tried and failed to interest Lou Nova or his manager in the match. That ends all the California native

son possibilities.
"Godoy is the only capable opponent available, and he at least holds the distinction of having been in the same ring with Louis for 23 rounds. No one else has done that."

U. of O. Hoopsters Lose First Game To Cougars, 48-39

By the Associated Press

The University of Washington saved the experts by two points last night in its first Pacific Coast conference basketball game. By that margin, the U. W. firemen defeated Idaho, thereby justifying to an extent the experts' predictions that Washington would be a team to beat in the northern division.

Meanwhile, the Washington State college Cougars were salvaging part of their Oregon trip by winning an unexpected 48-to-39 victory over the University of Oregon after two straight defeats by Oregon State college.

Washington State and Oregon were knotted, 14-14 at half-time in Eugene, but after the rest period, Paul Lindeman scored 16 points. The two teams met again tonight.

Rubenstien Oregonians, independent AAU team, walked over Willamette, 46 to 38, in a last-half push that included four field goals in the last 50 seconds of play.

Oregon High School Scores
Springfield 22, Cottage Grove 20.

Ashland 28, Grants Pass 16, University (Eugene) 42, Junction City 12.

Nazi Planes Aid Italy in Attack on British Ships

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smokescreen put up by the cruisers.

British batteries were reported pounding outlying fortifications around the Italian base of Tobruk in Libya, with the British still marshalling more siege artillery brought up from battered Bardia.

Greek Advance Continues
From captured Klisura, crossroads town in south central Albania, Greek shock troops were reported smashing on north and west today in a double-pronged drive toward the southern Albanian port of Valona and the oil center of Berat.

Italian forces were said to be falling back hastily before both drives, intended to force fascist troops from their last strongholds in southern Albania or cut them off from escape ports.

The Greek high command said 600 more Italians and much military equipment were taken in the fall of Klisura. The town itself had been burned and pillaged by the Italians, the high command said.

Soviet Aiding Nazis
New significance was attached to the oft-mentioned harmony of German-Russian relations by news of the Soviet-German trade treaty signed yesterday in Moscow, whereby the Russians undertake to ship great stocks of grain, other foodstuffs and war materials to Germany in exchange for manufactured articles.

A Russian communique declared the pact gave fresh evidence of "mutual confidence."

"The possibility that Russia may become an even greater medium for feeding warring Germany also was seen in news from Buenos Aires that a Russian trade delegation was en route to Argentina to negotiate a "giant" trade deal based principally on the export of Argentine grain to Russia.

In Moscow, the newspaper Izvestia, organ of the Soviet government, announced that Russia intends to conclude other "economic treaties and agreements with other states, both belligerent and non-belligerent" in 1941.

The other states were not named. "Attempts made by the press hostile to the Soviet union to prove that any agreement concluded between the U. S. S. R. and Germany is directed against third powers cannot stand," the paper said, adding that Russia "follows its own independent policy."

In Sofia, Bulgaria, a member of the government parliamentary majority said in effect in a newspaper article that Bulgaria must open her doors, if requested by a great power. Presumably the writer was referring to speculation through Bulgaria to Greece and the Dardanelles.

Funeral Services Held at Camas for Owen E. Hunt

Graveside services were held at 2 p. m. Friday at the Noah cemetery in Camas Valley for Owen Edward Hunt, who died suddenly early this week at Camas Valley. The service was conducted by the Rev. Mr. Penney. Arrangements were in charge of Stearns mortuary, Oakland.



Commercial League Standings

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Kiwanis	30	18	.625
Stephens Auto Co.	31	20	.608
Eagles	26	22	.542
U. S. V. A.	24	24	.500
Coca Cola	25	26	.490
Elks	20	28	.417
Professional Men	20	28	.417
Del Rey	19	29	.396

Games Last Night

Stephens Auto Co., 3, Coca Cola 0; Professional Men 2, Del Rey 1; Kiwanis 3, Elks 0; Eagles, U. S. V. A., postponed.

Scores Last Night

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Hdcp.	133	133	.399
Wellman	179	123	.662
Liles	143	164	.471
Sweem	118	144	.446
Bishop	108	139	.433
Roser	152	160	.488
833	863	817	.513
Stephens Garage:			
Hdcp.	88	88	.500
Cec Black	167	192	.464
Stanton	141	142	.497
Russell	150	141	.514
Loomis	142	178	.443
Beaty	162	183	.478
850	924	853	.627

Professional Men:

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Hdcp.	175	175	.500
Lehrbach	155	117	.569
Compton	127	133	.488
Campbell	202	151	.572
Judd	138	110	.556
Chapman	140	108	.564
937	794	924	.655
Del Rey:			
Hdcp.	52	52	.500
Radigan	169	149	.531
Hill	147	142	.507
Taitt	137	101	.573
McMullen	151	165	.477
Henry	134	190	.413
790	709	848	.483

Kiwanis:

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Hdcp.	125	125	.500
Krell	139	129	.515
Parkinson	139	182	.434
Fullerton	155	160	.494
Rogers	202	179	.531
W. Fisher	168	175	.488
928	930	874	.513
Elks Lodge:			
Hdcp.	148	148	.500
Cordon	170	115	.597
Elliott	124	200	.383
Carl Black	151	143	.514
Morgan	142	130	.519
Stephenson	137	133	.503
872	869	871	.621

A tournament for left-handed bowlers will be played Sunday evening, Jan. 19. All left-handed bowlers desiring to enter the competition are invited to register at the alleys prior to the matches.

Zale Wins Split Verdict In Sluaght With Mamkos

CHICAGO, Jan. 11.—(AP)—Tony Zale, king of the National Boxing association's middleweights, has long been billed as a two-fisted battler with dynamite in either hand.

But Steve Mamkos of Washington, D. C., obviously hadn't heard much about Zale's reputation when the two met last night in a non-title battle in Chicago stadium.

Zale proceeded to slug the Greek fighter with everything he had, but he did little to dent his rival's armor in the 10-round engagement. The champion won a split decision, earning no wider margin simply because Mamkos kept boring in and matching Zale punch for punch.

Lawmakers of Oregon Will Convene Monday

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rating in the unemployment compensation act; forest practices legislation; reapportionment of legislative districts, and the suggestion of the state highway department that Oregon's "basic rule" speed law be junked.

Lease-Lend Plan to Aid Britain Being Shaped

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ern hemisphere were received in return for 50 world war destroyers transferred to Great Britain.

Pending signing of the formal leases the British government will permit work to proceed, officials said, to avoid delay.

Just prior to the announcement, Secretary Hull told his press conference that it was not true that the British government had charged the United States for the land involved.

In answer to questions he also denied reports that the British government was charging duties on American materials being shipped to construct the bases. He also termed untrue re-

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It was declared the industry here had rejected the Japanese offer as contrary to this nation's economic and military welfare. The committee suggested that the Japanese offer was prompted by loss of the British market through the Japanese nation's adherence to the Rome-Berlin axis.

Campaign Funds Show Need of Tightening Law

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VITAL STATISTICS

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NEAL—To Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Neal, 122 Second Ave. S., a daughter, Linda Jeanne; weight, six pounds, six ounces, at Mercy hospital, Jan. 10.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
KNAGGS-AGEE—William Russell Knaggs and Avis Athalie Agee, both of Roseburg.

DIVORCE COMPLAINTS
LUBCKE—William versus Matie Lubcke; married Oct. 8, 1927, at Eugene; desertion.

LOCAL NEWS

Former Resident Ill—Word has been received here that L. S. Fortin, a former resident of Douglas county, is seriously ill at his home in Cottonwood, Idaho, where he has resided for many years. Mr. Fortin is a brother-in-law of L. E. and O. C. Thompson of Umpqua.

Funeral services for Mrs. Josephine Lynch, 72, well-known resident of Edenburg, who died at her home yesterday, will be held in the chapel of the Douglas Funeral home at 2 p. m. Tuesday. Rev. H. P. Sorensen of the First Baptist church will officiate. Interment will follow in Civil Bend cemetery.

Stock and Bond Averages

Compiled by Associated Press, Jan. 11.

Stocks	30	15	15	60
RR's Ind's U's Fgn.	63.8	17.7	35.3	44.9
Prev. day	63.9	17.7	35.4	45.0
Month ago	63.3	16.2	34.7	44.2
Year ago	70.4	18.8	39.3	49.5
1940-41 high	74.2	20.3	40.6	52.2
1940-41 low	52.3	13.0	30.9	37.0

BONDS

Bonds	20	10	10	10
Ind's RR's U's S's	63.7	105.1	101.2	40.2
Prev. day	63.8	105.1	101.2	40.2
Month ago	61.3	103.6	100.3	38.3
Year ago	58.1	102.2	96.7	51.3
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