

R.H.S. Basketeers Edge Cottage Grove

Last-Minute Spurt Gives Victory To Indians by 32-28

By DAN MINDOLOVICH
A brilliant last-minute rally by the Roseburg Indians netted them a 32-28 win over the highly touted Cottage Grove club in a non-league tilt at Senior High Tuesday night. Coach Newby's basketeers thereby avenged an earlier defeat handed them by the north city cagers.

The Roseburg quint started on the victory road late in the fourth period, when pint-sized Bob Schindler tried a long one from 20 feet out. He missed but big Daryl Blank was under the cage. He grabbed the ball, whipped it over his head and eased it in the bucket, giving Roseburg 24 points, to Cottage Grove's 28. Don Hubbard, high point man of the game with 13, followed a short time later with another basket.

Then Neil Wissing, short Senior High second stringer, latched onto the ball in the Indian rooting section waxed enthusiastic. He threw the ball to Schindler, who ran it under the cage. He jumped, faked, threw to Hubbard, who aimed for the net. But long Don missed a chance to tie up the game. Time was called, and the Indian rooting section waxed enthusiastic.

Bob Rogers was charged with a penalty, but the affronted Cottage Grove man failed to widen the score margin. Roseburg recovered the ball and Bob Schindler got hold of it. The long shot specialist aimed from nearly half-way out, and slipped the tying score through the hoop.

With the score at 28-28, it was a mad scramble on the part of both teams to gain possession of the ball. Another official time out at the three-minutes-to-go



HEADS FIGHT CARD—Red "Rock" Garrison, Spokane lightweight, will meet Joey Ortega, Oregon lightweight champion, in the 10-round main event of the Friday night boxing card at the Roseburg Armory. Garrison has had 49 fights, winning 43 and losing six. He won his last 14 straight fights. The five-event card starts at 8:30 p. m.

Cowan, Kennedy Slated for Tough Bout on Card Here

Al "Pinky" Cowan, scheduled to meet Paul "Tiger" Kennedy in the six-round preliminary of promoter Ernie Nazelrod's and Sandy Sanders' Friday night fight card at the Roseburg Armory, is well remembered by Roseburg fans when he decided to fight O'Conner in a recent fistie duel here. That particular fight was long remembered as the classic affair of the evening.

Cowan is regarded as one of the roughest sluggers to appear in any ring. He fought on 21 cards in Spokane last year and turned in 19 wins and two draws. Of the wins, 15 were by the KO route. He ran up a string of 12 consecutive knockouts and has been consistently matched with bigger and more experienced opponents. His KO victims include Dean Abney, Johnny Martin, Bobby O'Dair, Jerry Swartz, Rodney Bliss and Pep Diaz—all in less than three rounds. He had Abney on the canvas five times before the referee halted the slaughter in Spokane. He fought several semi-windups in Spokane and is slated to headline a show there next month.

His opponent in Friday night's fracas is a Portland puncher with 14 fights and two losses to his record. Kennedy is considered a real comer who more recently has fought in Portland and Tacoma—and winning. He's a hard hitter and headed for the big time.

Extra Purse Posted

Promoter Nazelrod reports an extra purse will be awarded to the fighter on the Jan. 14 card who demonstrates the finest ring performance of the evening. Mayor Al Flegel has agreed to announce the events. Roseburg fight fans are familiar with the genial promoter's fabulous announcing prowess as he introduces the various events.

Judges for the affair will include Troy Watts and Bill Olson, both of Roseburg. Refereeing the top portion of the show will be Freddie Steele, ex-middleweight champion of the world and now a motion picture actor in Hollywood. The initial contests will be refereed by Red Green, former Pacific Coast champion.

Ducats to the fight program are on sale at the Monarch Cigar and J-V Sporting Goods Stores.

Druggist Jailed For Trying to Burn Store

CENTRALIA, Wash., Jan. 11 (AP)—Walter Lunsford, who pleaded guilty last week to a charge of second degree arson after admitting he set fire to his Centralia drug store, was sentenced in Lewis county Superior Court to serve four months in the county jail. After his release he will be placed on probation for five years.

The locals were down, 10-2. The gap closed at the half, with Cottage Grove leading, 14-10, but again at the three quarter mark, betting odds on Roseburg were long, with the tally, 27-17, Cottage Grove.

The capacity crowd got what they came for late in the fourth. Roseburg's next tilt will again be played on the local court, against Reedsport Friday, Jan. 14.

Box score:

	FG	FT	PP	TP
Hubbard, f	6	1	2	13
Agee, f	1	1	3	3
Blank, c	1	1	1	5
Schindler, g	2	3	1	5
Garey, g	0	0	1	4
Rogers, f	0	0	0	6
Van Horn, f	0	0	0	6
Olsen, f	0	0	0	0
Dale Blank, g	0	0	0	0
Wissing, g	0	1	0	1
Total	14	4	11	32
	FG	FT	PP	TP
Mickey, f	4	0	2	11
Eastburn, f	2	2	4	12
Cook, g	0	0	1	1
Schaeffer, g	1	2	1	1
Anderson, g	0	0	0	0
Engler, g	0	0	0	0
Stiller, f	0	0	0	0
Chapman, g	0	0	0	0
Cook, g	0	0	0	0
Total	11	6	14	28

Free throws missed: Roseburg—Hubbard 2, Agee 2, Dale Blank 5, Garey 2, Rogers 1, Cottage Grove—Eastburn 1, Cook 2, Schaeffer 1, Anderson 2.
Officials—Ericson and Toman.

Dempsey's Protege Is Loser on Split Verdict

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 12 (AP)—Heavyweight Joe Weiden, Austrian protege of Jack Dempsey, dropped a split 10-round decision to Freddie Beshore, El Monte, Calif.

Weiden, 212½, captured the first three rounds, but after that he appeared puzzled by his lighter opponent's weaving and bobbing style. Beshore weighed 191½.

There were no knockdowns in the close fight last night. Referee Frankie Van called it a draw. But judges Jack MacDonald and Bennie Whitman gave Beshore the nod.

Jayvee Five Wins Over Cottage Grove

The Roseburg Junior Varsity Warriors defeated the Cottage Grove Junior Varsity Cubs, 34-25, Tuesday night in a preliminary to the Cottage Grove-Indian varsity tilt. This was the second straight win for the Warriors over the Cubs. Many fouls marred the contest and three Cottage Grove players fouled out, as did Scott of Roseburg.

The game was close until the final period, when Roseburg widened the margin. Buddy Matthews paced the Roseburg attack with 10 counters and Wolford and Cruse were high for the Cubs with seven and six points respectively.

The next Warrior tilt is scheduled for tonight at the Senior High gymnasium, in a game against Glide, starting at 7:30 p. m.

	FG	FT	PP	TP
Matthews, f	3	4	2	10
Campbell, f	0	0	2	0
Scott, f	0	4	2	4
Scott, g	2	1	1	5
Strickling, g	2	1	1	5
Henninger, f	0	0	0	0
Coolley, f	0	0	0	0
Johnson, c	0	0	0	0
Stumbo, g	0	0	0	0
Owen, g	0	0	0	0
Bliner, f	0	0	0	0
Bliss, f	0	0	0	0
Gibbs, f	0	0	0	0
McKern, g	0	0	0	0
Van Horn, g	0	0	0	0
Totals	9	15	24	34

Wolford, f
Cruse, f
Malcom, c
Gasper, g
Martin, c
Sullivan, c
Powell, f
Hoyer, f
Sears, g

Totals Cottage Grove (23)
FG FT PP TP
Wolford, f 2 2 1 5
Cruse, f 2 2 1 5
Malcom, c 1 2 3 4
Gasper, g 1 2 3 4
Martin, c 1 1 0 0
Sullivan, c 0 0 0 0
Powell, f 0 0 1 0
Hoyer, f 0 0 0 0
Sears, g 0 0 2 0

Missed free throws: Matthews 5, Campbell 2, Scott 5, Johnson 1, Henninger 2, Scott 1, Wolford 3, Powell 1, Cruse 2, Gasper 1, Hoyer 1, Martin 2, Sears 1.
Officials—Pope and Scotland.

Boxers, Wrestlers Billed Tonight At Junior Hi School

Eight boxing events and 10 wrestling encounters are tentatively scheduled for tonight's amateur fight card at Junior High School, at which time Roseburg Indians will match ring skills with Myrtle Creek contenders. The initial bout starts at 7:30 p. m. Ernie Nazelrod, local boxing promoter, and Bob Nazelrod, local professional boxer, will assume duties as second and referee respectively, in the boxing events. Joe Toman, basketball official and ex-collegiate wrestler, will be third man in the ring during the wrestling encounters. Coach Hod Turner will announce each event.

Wrestling opponents and weight classification includes Geo. Paraz, MC, vs. Norm Smith, RHS, 130-145; Chas. Ireland, MC, vs. Reggie Gray, RHS, 170-175; Tom Hamm, MC, vs. Don Ollivant, RHS, 140-145; Bob Bowman, MC, vs. Dick St. Onge, RHS, 150-155; Bob Hallinger, MC, vs. Carl Meske, RHS, heavyweight; Jack Perkins, MC, vs. Dale Bonbrake, RHS, 145-150; Terrell Drake, MC, vs. Marvin Sigridson, RHS, 120-125; August Werner, MC, vs. Dick Cumpston, RHS, 110-115.

Because Myrtle Creek didn't have fighters available for four Roseburg boys, the locals were paired off to wrestle among themselves. These lads include Glen Schofield vs. Jack Mathis and Boyd Kelly, 120, vs. Denny Hayden, 125.

Boxing events include Don Shelton, 133, MC, vs. Ed Reece 130, RHS; Ron Simmons 140, MC, vs. Howard Stumbo 123, RHS; Doug Trip 137, MC, vs. Archie Meyers 137, RHS; Kenny Bond 140, MC, vs. Jim Shrum 138, RHS; Daryl MacGarvey 140, MC, vs. Bill Weaver 140, RHS.

Lack of suitable opponents will bring four Roseburg boys together in two additional fistie encounters. These include Dick Thompson 120 vs. Dick Nuzum 122 and Jim Fosback 122 vs. Ted Wheeler 118.

Tickets to the high school sponsored fight card will sell at 50 cents. Students with cards, 25 cents. Coach Cece Sherwood is Indian wrestling trainer, while Coach Ray Brown instructs local boxers.

Wounded Man Extracts Bullet With His Fingers

YONGSTOWN, O., Jan. 12 (AP)—Shot in the chest during a

holdup yesterday Ray Schrader, 53, manager of a dairy store, pulled out the bullet with his fingers, police reported. The robber got \$10.

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