

HERE TONIGHT

Indians, Myrtle Creek Mix In Traditional Game

Roseburg's varsity Indians hope to hit the maples against Myrtle Creek tonight, starting at 8 o'clock, after more than a week's layoff because of power failures or weather conditions.

The Indians and Vikings will play the league game on the Roseburg high school court. A preliminary game between Norm West's jayvees and Myrtle Creek jayvees will start at 6:15.

Makeup Game
Tonight's game is a makeup that originally was slated for last Friday. Myrtle Creek comes here.

GOOD THING

Big Kentucky Court Artist Peace Loving

ATLANTA, Jan. 19. — (AP) — It's a fine thing that Bill Spivey of Kentucky is peace loving on a basketball court.

A seven-foot quarter-inch, 215 pounder with a belligerent attitude would be dangerous, even for his Kentucky teammates.

Coach Adolph Rupp, however, considers Spivey's attitude somewhat different. He doesn't want "Grits" to hurt anyone, accumulate fouls or break rules—but he would like a little harder playing.

"If Spivey ever gets fired up," Rupp says, "there's no telling how good he will be."

Spivey went to Kentucky from the peaceful sounding town of Warner, Robins, Ga., as replacement for all-American center Alex Groza. He's a sophomore and Rupp things as good as Groza was his second year.

Because of his spirelike figure, Spivey already is famous. But besides that, through 13 varsity games, this youngster, who is the tallest ever to play on a college team in Madison Square Garden, is making good the predictions about his play.

Interest Up In Wrestling As Top Sport

The remarkable rise of high school wrestling is indicated by the recent organization of the sport into districts similar to that of other sports.

Wrestling coach Cece Sherwood reports that Roseburg, along with Klamath Falls, Grants Pass, Springfield and Mapleton, have been designated members of District 4.

Playoffs Scheduled
District playoffs in wrestling will be held to determine the state tournament entry. Just as in the other sports, Sherwood said.

Heretofore, any school boasting a team of mat men took a bus or train to Corvallis, to participate in the annual tourney held there.

Due to the many entrants that have been congregating at Corvallis, the tourney has, of recent years, turned into a bedlam of grunts and groans, twisted arms, backs and necks, with four matches going on at the same time.

Only Top Team
In order to avoid congestion in the future, only the top team in each district will journey to the tourney.

Sherwood said he hopes to have the district playoff held at Roseburg, as it is centrally located for schools in the district. He said he'd talk it over with the other coaches.

The district meet is dated for March 3. The state meet is slated for March 10 and 11, at Oregon State college at Corvallis.

EXERCISE FRIDAY

Exercise-conscious women will meet 7:30 p.m. Friday at the Benson school gymnasium, for a weekly session of calisthenics and volleyball. Women of the community are invited to participate in the YMCA-sponsored activity. The ladies are asked to bring gym shoes and a quarter.

Beaten By Sam Snead



BANTAM BEN — Golfer Ben Hogan is shown driving down a fairway of the Riviera Country club in the Los Angeles open. His golf comeback failed to reach its peak as Sam Snead won the playoff Wednesday. — (NEA Telephoto).

Hogan's Effort Remarkable Despite Defeat From Snead

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 19. — (AP) — The greatest golf comeback of all time didn't quite hit its peak. Which is one way of saying that Sam Snead beat out Ben Hogan in the playoff for the Los Angeles open title.

He did it by four strokes, too. But remember back a little.

Last Feb. 5, that story from El Paso reported that "Hogan's left ankle, one bone of which was broken was placed in a cast . . . physicians plan to apply a cast for a broken pelvis bone. The golf star also fractured a collarbone and rib."

And the item from El Paso March 3 read: "Golfer Ben Hogan was reported in a serious condition today as a result of a blood clot complication . . . Might Not Walk."

The doctors said Hogan might never walk around 18 holes again, much less play that distance.

But he's the same Hogan who shot a 280, four strokes under par, in his comeback to golf over Riviera's tricky, treacherous 18 holes last week. And who finally lost to Slammin' Snead, the West Virginian, in yesterday's playoff, postponed a week by rain.

Slammin' Sam slightly spoiled the playoff. He went around in 72 strokes, one over par. Bantam Ben, the tiny Texan, took 76 strokes.

It was the same smooth Snead who last year won more than \$30,000 as the country's top pro golfer, replacing Hogan, who banked slightly less the year before.

Hogan, Snead Differ
"I was lousy," said Hogan in the dressing room at Riviera Country club.
"He was terrific," said Snead.

Penn Topples Army Hoopers In 66-45 Tilt

By The Associated Press
It was a black Wednesday for the Army and the Navy in college basketball.

Army was toppled from the unbeaten ranks by Pennsylvania, 66-45, while Navy suffered its second defeat of the season at the hands of Columbia, 45-37.

Playing on their home courts both the West Pointers and Annapolis Midgies had been favored. Inconsistent Penn, rebounding from its Yale defeat, led Army at halftime, 31-29, then ran wild at the start of the second half to pile up a 53-33 lead. Big Herb Lyons sparked the Quakers with 23 points.

Columbia Wins
Columbia, bouncing back from its Cornell defeat on Saturday, had a tougher time at Annapolis. Navy led at the half, 20-19, but Columbia went ahead, 31-30, on Sherry Marshall's set shot midway of the second half. From there Columbia went on to a 44-33 lead.

Yale made it two straight in the Eastern "Ivy" league. The Eli trounced Dartmouth, 68-54, leading all the way behind Jim Osborn's 24 points.

The Oklahoma Aggies likewise took an early lead and stayed in front to crush Oklahoma, of the Big Seven, 45-37. The Aggie defense held the Sooners to 14 points in the first half.

Missouri Beaten
Missouri, another Big Seven team, had better luck against another Missouri Valley conference quintet, Wichita. Missouri romped to an easy 70-45 victory over the Shockers.

Notre Dame, back home after its defeat by Canisius, likewise enjoyed a romp against Michigan State 71-65. Bob Carey tossed in 28 points for MSC.

Arkansas took over the lead in the Southwest conference spilling Southern Methodist, 63-55. The Texas Aggies moved into a tie for second with the SMU by beating Rice, 56-37, while Texas Christian deadlocked Texas for fourth by whipping Baylor, 64-54.

LEAVES FOR TOURNEY

EUGENE, — (AP) — Hans Holass, national cross-country ski champion, left here Wednesday for Berlin, N.H., and the Nansen Ski club national tourney. He was accompanied by Neil Norman, the northwest class B cross-country titlist.

The New Hampshire tourney is scheduled for Saturday.

Deer often starve to death rather than move far from the protection of a woods.

SPORTS

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College Basketball

(By The Associated Press)
Idaho Frosh 59, Washington State Frosh 49.
Yale 69, Dartmouth 54.
Penn State 74, American Univ. 54.
Miss State 64, Mississippi 60.
Louisville 73, Eastern Kentucky 62.
Western Kentucky 73, Evansville 69.
Columbia 45, Navy 37.
North Carolina 64, South Carolina 42.
Arkansas 63, Southern Methodist 63.
Texas A & M 54, Rice 37.
Texas Christian 64, Baylor 54.
Oklahoma A & M 45, Oklahoma 37.
Missouri 70, Wichita 45.
Notre Dame 71, Michigan State 65.

Unusually Small Number Of Fish Seen At Station

The fish counting station at the Winchester power dam holds some sort of a record for inactivity. Ross Newcomb, resident biologist with the state game department, believes.

From Jan. 1 through Jan. 15 just one, lone winter steelhead passed over the counting board, Newcomb reports.

This one fish was considered unusual, according to Newcomb because experience has shown migration comes to a halt when water temperature drops to around 40 degrees, and the water stood at 37 degrees the day the one fish was checked through.

Average maximum water temperature for the 15-day period was 36.2 degrees, Newcomb reports.

Comparative counts for the season to Jan. 15 reported as follows: 1946, 834; 1947, 1126; 1948, 1596; 1949, 1288; 1950, 490.

ANY FEATHER CHASERS?

Badminton enthusiasts will meet at the junior high gym Monday evening at 7:15. All interested adults are urged to turn out for the YMCA-sponsored sport. A short business session will precede the playing of badminton.



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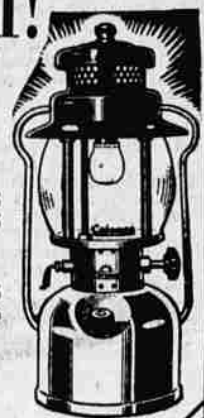
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