

R.H.S. Sweeps Boxing - Mat Card

Grants Pass Outfought In All Matches

Glove Bouts Especially Entertaining To Crowd At Roseburg High School

By DAN MINDOLOVICH

Roseburg high school wrestlers and boxers made a clean sweep over Coach Mel Ingram's Grants Pass Cavemen in a twin-bill at both the Roseburg high schools Thursday afternoon and evening.

The wrestlers of Roseburg smothered the visitors 56-20, while the boxers pounded out a 49-19 win Thursday night.

The boxing portion of the Indian-Cavemen duel proved to be the more popular attraction, probably because there is usually no doubt as to what is going on when two lads start slugfests.

As a rule, only those educated to amateur wrestling can really appreciate the finer points of that sport. No groans are emitted and this fact alone is enough to puzzle those trying to determine who is winning.

Roseburg wrestlers accumulated all but six of their points on falls. John Gaffney and Boyd Kelly won their matches on decisions.

The boxers provided the 300-odd fans with something to really shout about. Roseburg's Dick Gilman, Jim Fosback and Claren Hooper put on especially colorful and crowd-pleasing performances.

Gilman, weighing 137 1/2, had his opponent on the canvas three times before winning a decision. The unlucky Grants Pass lad was 135-pound Charles Karlquist.

Senior Jim Fosback won on a TKO, after pounding Dick Strick-

Douglas County Sportspicture

TONIGHT (Basketball) Roseburg at Grants Pass, Rutherford at Myrtle Creek, Days Creek at Riddle, Yoncalla at Elkton, Drayton at Glide, Roseburg Papooses at Ashland.

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loma to the mat a few seconds before the bell ended the second round. Strickland failed to return for the third and final round and the bout went to Fosback.

Climaxing the sparkling 13-bout fight card was a grim encounter between Roseburg's Claren Hooper, at 153, and Caveman Darrell Brown. Hooper nearly put his opponent to sleep in the first round, but Brown struggled to his feet and took a lot of punishment before the final bell sounded. Hooper won the decision easily.

Deputy Sheriff Dallas Bennett refereed; Dick Gilman and Ray Lee were judges; Hod Turner announced the bouts and Frank Purdy was timer. Joe Toman refereed the wrestlers.

Roseburg meets Springfield Tuesday, Jan. 31, in another wrestling-boxing card. The mat show starts at 3:30 p.m. and will be held at Senior high. Boxers clash in a night card at junior high, starting 7:30.

Wrestling Results 13-minute falls 125 lbs.—Dennis Hayden, Roseburg, pinned Lee Fifield in 63 seconds of the second round.

135 lbs.—Al Nicholson, Roseburg, pinned Lee Fifield in 22 seconds of the second round.

153 lbs.—Mary Sigfridson, Roseburg, pinned Dick Strickland in 30 seconds of the first round.

150 lbs.—Bill Palmer, Roseburg, pinned Lee Kessler in 23 seconds of the third round.

118 lbs.—Al Ammons, Grants Pass, pinned Vernon Thompson in 23 seconds of the third round.

145 lbs.—John Gaffney, Roseburg, pinned Lloyd Strong.

150 lbs.—Norman Smith, Roseburg, pinned Everett Marcia in 1:37 of the first round.

165 lbs.—Milan Foster, Roseburg, pinned Emil Ball.

175 lbs.—Jack Cards, Grants Pass, pinned Bob Housley in 1:18 of the second round.

Heavyweight—Glen Scofield, Roseburg, pinned Leroy Miller.

145 lbs.—Roy Hagan, Grants Pass, pinned Larry Burke in 1:02 of the second round.

155 lbs.—Jim St. Onge, Roseburg, pinned Tom Tribbey in 1:45 of the second round.

119 lbs.—Boyd Kelley, Roseburg, de- cisioned Joe Martin.

155 lbs.—Joe Slinger, Grants Pass, pinned Larry Crawford in 1:18 of the second round.

Heavy—Harry Thomas, Roseburg, pinned Floyd Brumley in 1:35 of the first round.

150 lbs.—Tom Vance, Roseburg, pinned Charlie Reams in 1:24 of the third round.

Boxing Results (Three rounds each) Marlen Forbes, 118, Roseburg, de- cisioned Bill Reimiro.

Howard Brumbo, 120 1/2, Roseburg, de- cisioned Bryan Newman, 120.

Lee Fifield, 125, Grants Pass, de- cisioned Jim Prowell, 127 1/2.

John Lewis, 127, Roseburg, and Boy- an Coraher, 136, draw.

Jim Fosback, 135 1/2, Roseburg, TKO over Dick Strickland, 135, in two rounds.

Dick Gilman, 137 1/2, Roseburg, de- cisioned Charlie Karlquist, 135.

Archie Myers, 140, de- cisioned Dave Pickinger, 145.

Loren Johnson, 146, Roseburg, TKO over Verill Tribbey, 144, in 40 sec- onds of the second round.

Tom Towne, 150, Grants Pass, de- cisioned Dennis Hayden, 150.

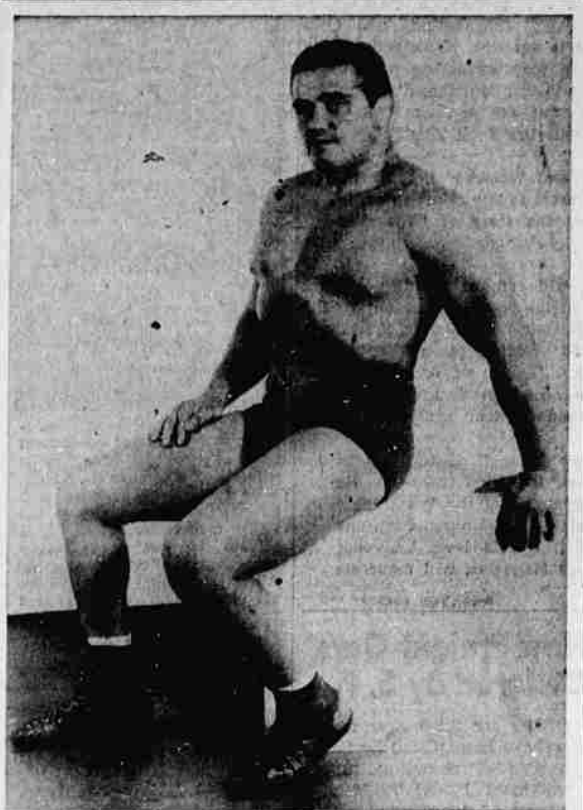
Jim Shrum, 147, Roseburg, and Jerry Tribbey, 150, draw.

Bob Swager, 155, Roseburg, de- cisioned Bob Weaver, 156, Roseburg, and Freyne Syer, 153, draw.

Claren Hooper, 153, Roseburg, de- cisioned Darrell Brown, 155.

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THE GREAT ATLAS—This former Mr. America has announced he will display his colorful wrestling attire Saturday night at the armory when he meets George Strickland in the headliner. That alone will be enough to attract a capacity crowd, says Atlas.

The Great Atlas Says He'll Dominate Wrestling Feature

The Great Atlas, Hollywood's gift to the muscle and beauty magazines, has promised he will dominate Saturday night's three-star wrestling show at the Roseburg armory.

The former Mr. America an- nounced that a display of his grappling jackets (satin, velvet and silk to match the color of

his tights) will be enough alone to attract a capacity crowd, "and along with my physique and ability to beat any wrestler in the trade will make me the No. 1 mat attraction in the nation."

Atlas boasts. The strange thing is that he is becoming one of the top men in the business and is demand in the Mid West and Southwest presently. He has an- nounced to one and all, particu- larly Matchmaker Elton Owen and the Roseburg commission, that he will no longer appear in any match unless being top billed. That's the reason he will be meeting George Strickland of Denver in one half of a double headliner this week—and will col- lect the usual main-event purse.

Strickland has a chore to do, too, and promises that Mr. Amer- ica is in for a rough time. He has been on the shelf with a cauliflower ear—which he picked up from Atlas recently. "I'm through wrestling like a gentle- man," Strickland said, and ap- parently he has started a rough- and-tumble campaign. Last week he defeated Cowboy Heinz, and the Cheyenne wrestler is now in a Salem hospital with a broken leg and three cracked ribs.

Maybe Atlas will dominate the show, but Douglas county fans are actually more interested in the Al Szasz-Leo Wallick bout. After all, it is for the Pacific coast junior heavyweight champe- ship—which Szasz holds. The rivalry is torrid, too. Wallick was nearly shunted out of a crack at the crown until Maurice LaChap- pelle offered to meet him—only to lose to the Frenchman with a tremendous piledriver. Szasz, who downed Ted Bell, the Jer- sey sensation, last week, prom- ises that he will keep his title, al- though admits he may have to use his new hold—the "Hun- garian twist."

The opener should prove to be an interesting bout, getting under way at 8:30 p.m., and matching Lee Grable, the New Mexico vet- eran, against Arnie Skaaland, a highly-touted Norwegian new- comer. Elton Owen will referee all three matches.

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Y-Church Hoop League Launches Play Saturday

The YMCA-Church Basketball league throws off its wrappings and starts action Saturday afternoon, at 1:30, in the Benson school gym, announced Harold Hoyt, league director, today. Five games will be played each Saturday afternoon for about six weeks. The gymnasium has two courts running crosswise of the building, thus affording the play- ing of two games at the same time.

The first games to formally open the Y-Church league will be Salvation Army meeting, the Presbyterians, while the First Christian church opposes the First Methodist five. These are all "A" division teams and the games start at 1:30 p.m.

The first "B" division encoun- ters, with play starting at 2:35, will find the First Baptist bat- tling the Episcopalians and the First Methodists taking on the First Christians. In the final game, at 3:30, the "A" division teams of the First Baptist and Faith Lutheran Church meet.

Hoyt urges all team members and managers to be on time and ready to participate. The referees are to be furnished through the cooperation of the two high school basketball coaches, Jack Newby and Norm West. The public is invited to witness any or all of these games, but are asked to sit on the stage so they will not interfere with play.

If any boy has any question in regard to the time his team plays, he is asked to contact the manager of the team or the YMCA office, or call Marlen Yoder. Hoyt added that it is hoped each church will be sure to have two persons there, while their team is playing, to help keep time and manage the ball club.

Bowling Scores

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE
TEAM W L
Univ. Hardware 8 4
Donut Bar 7 5
Jones Insurance 7 5
Yoncalla Brake Supply 7 5
Elks 326 7 5
B. P. O. E. 7 5
Vets Hospital 3 9

Games Jan. 26
Jones Ins. 2, Vets Hospital 1, Univ. V. Har- ware 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 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