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SPORT NEWS

Malheur, Harney County Title Is Still in Doubt

VALE, Ore., Feb. — The Vale high boys basketball team showed that they are still active contenders for the district championship by defeating Ontario Saturday on the home court 14 to 7. They were edged and neither team showed championship form. Occasionally Vale dropped into smooth working machine which accounts for the home team getting the long end of the score.

Vale basketball schedules are made and broken with every change of the wind. It would seem from the many last minute changes which have had to be made this season, Intermountain Institute led the way by cancelling the first game of the season, then Roswell high disbanded eliminating that game, Parma was secured as a substitute, and now scarlet fever has forced that school to cancel all basketball games.

Tough Rex Walcott did not give up, however, having secured a game with Fruitland high to take the place of Parma last Friday night on the local court.

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Crane	1 0	1.000
Nasas	1 0	1.000
Vale	1 1	.500
Horns	0 1	.000
Ontario	0 1	.000

PEDESTRAIN WANTS JOB

NEW YORK, Feb. 2 (AP)—Edward Payson Weston, famous pedestrian, who is 88 years old, seeking a job as a messenger to save himself and his adopted daughter from starvation, he says.

Nearly destitute, Weston was found yesterday living in a tiny east side flat with his daughter.

AKRON, O.—Judge E. E. Zesiger is looking for results from a brand new treatment for wife beating. Other methods having failed, he went to a cell and turned a cave-man—name John Cayes—over and spanked him with a rubber hose until he promised to reform.

Tuffy Wing Wins From Ad Cadena

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 2 (AP)—Weldon (Tuffy) Wing, Portland lightweight, won a slashing ten-round decision over Ad Cadena, Texas, here last night.

George Dixon, Portland negro welter, won an easy six-round decision over Johnny Jordan, Tacoma, in the semi-final.

Swimmer to Enter Vaudeville Show

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2 (AP)—George Young, youthful winner of William Wrigley's \$25,000 Catalina channel swim, who is to appear in vaudeville here, declared today he was satisfied with his present management and would stay with William Wrigley Jr. for 40 years.

SWIMMER LOST TITLE BUT KEPT HER NERVE

Bleanor Garatti won the national 50 yard free style swimming title twice but when the A. A. U. abolished that event from the championships, it placed her in the role of a queen without a crown. Instead of fading into obscurity the San Rafael, Cal., mermaid began a vigorous training campaign on longer distances and today, her trainer, Clarence Kierman, says she has developed into a touring swimmer who will match easily with any in the country. In practice tests over the 220 yard course she has been clocked in 2:15 and has held off 100 metres in 1:10-2-5.

TEMPORARY BOOM?

LONDON—John Bull thinks that American prosperity is due to a temporary boom if a forecast of the majority report of an investigating commission is correct. And a minority report says industrial disputes are fiercer in U. S. than in England. James J. Davis, American secretary of labor, has published articles recently entitled "The Vanishing Strike."

BOXING CHIEF



Charles F. Traugott, San Francisco boxing commissioner, until he was named to the post the present generation did not know that Traugott once managed the Nonpareil, the original Jack Dempsey, and was for two years amateur feather and lightweight champion of Oregon.

America Not To Recognize Any But Adolfo Diaz

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2 (AP)—As in the case of General Chamorro, who overthrew the American-recognized Nicaraguan government of President Solerzans, the United States has served notice on Juan R. Sacasa, liberal leader now opposing President Diaz, that he must not expect recognition from Washington even if he succeeded in the present war.

Until the legal elections next year in that country, the U. S. Sacasa was informed, will continue to recognize Adolfo Diaz, the conservative, as the constitutional head of Nicaragua.

No Committee Made
Dr. T. S. Vaca, Sacasa's agent here, brought this latest development in the Nicaraguan situation to light last night in renewing liberal protests against American action in landing naval forces in the country. State department officials declined to comment.

Vaca, who said the notification had been transmitted to Sacasa through his foreign minister by two American naval officers, vigorously defended the liberal leader and asserted American diplomatic and military pressure against his chief had developed an atmosphere charged with "pessimistic forebodings."

Conflict Prospects
Prospect of armed conflict between the Nicaraguan liberals and American marines were growing "more certain" Vaca said, as the "strange hold of Lathimer's forces on the constitutional authorities headed by Dr. Sacasa becomes tighter every day."

Secretary Kellogg today authorized a blanket denial of charges made by Sacasa and his representatives that American marines or bluejackets have committed outrages against the Sacasa forces in the establishment of neutral zones.

Use Explosives As Fuel For Torpedos

KANSAS CITY Mo., Feb. 2 (AP)—Nitroglycerin may be used as fuel for naval torpedos in future wars, Hudson Maxton, inventor and explosive expert, said here last night while en route to his home at Lake Hopatcong, N. J. Tests of this explosive as a substitute for superheated compressed air are being conducted he asserted, and may more than double the present motive power.

He will celebrate his 74th birthday tomorrow.

The flapper is an educational force in college life, says a Chicago professor. Yes, and you might almost say there's nothing elective about her, prof.

Second Trial



Sent to the minors because Rogers Hornsby couldn't see him as a big leaguer, Southpaw Eddie Dyer now that Hornsby is no longer manager of the Cards, is to return for another trial with the world champs.

TWO SPEAKERS SIGNED

EUGENE, Ore., Feb. 2 (AP)—Dr. Norman K. Tully, of Salem, and Jacob Kautler, of Portland, will be the speakers at the Lane county Christian Endeavor convention to be held at Pleasant Hill March 25-27.

Joseph, Norblad Fight Continues

STATE HOUSE, SALEM, Ore., Feb. 2 (AP)—The senate resolutions committee was today in the position of investigating an investigating committee as a result of charges by Senator Joseph yesterday that Senator Norblad was not properly conducting the fish investigation. Committee, of which he is chairman.

After a heated debate between the two senators late yesterday the resolutions committee decided to allow Joseph to call in such witness today as he wants to be heard to testify either concerning the manner in which the special committee was appointed by President Corbett or concerning the administration of fish affairs.

FRENCH GIRLS LIKE TO PLAY BASKETBALL

Basketball is crowding out football as a sport for French girls. There are 45 teams competing in the Paris women's basketball championship and scores of lesser teams in schools, other institutions and neighborhoods. Football is played by only 20 teams, with the drift away from it.

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