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SPORT NEWS

ROSENBERG WINS GRUELLING FIGHT

Bantamweight Championship Vacant, However, Because of Heaviness

NEW YORK, Feb. 5 (AP)—The bantamweight championship of the world was vacant today, the second of the lighter title classes to lose its crown because of a year through inability to make weight.

But despite fact of its throne, Charley (Phil) Rosenberg proved last night that he still is one of the greatest of the present day little men when he battered Mushy Graham, curly headed title aspirant, for 15 grueling rounds in Madison Square Garden.

Too heavy Rosenberg vacated his title in accordance with the articles of agreement for the match when he failed 12 1/2 pounds, four and a half pounds over the class limit, at weighing in time yesterday. He then announced his intention of campaigning in the future among the featherweights.

Graham, sealing 117 1/2, could have gained the championship by victory in the scheduled title defense last night, but the dancing master of Ulica, almost frail beside his rugged opponent, was whipped and battered throughout.

Trapshooters to Break Clays Sunday

The Wing, Pin and Fleetfoot club will hold a regular Sunday trapshoot at the Lone Tree grounds east of La Grande tomorrow, beginning at 9 a. m. All shooters, regardless of club affiliations, are invited to participate.

JUST HITTING STRIDE AFTER YEARS IN RING

Chuck Wiggins, lightweight boxer of Indianapolis, believes that after 11 years in the ring he is at the peak of his form.

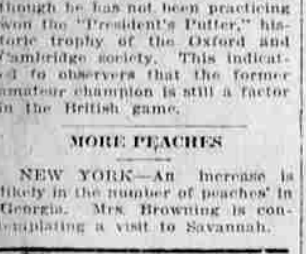
At 110 when most boxers are ready to hang up their gloves, Chuck declares that he has more strength and endurance than ever and plans an extensive 1927 campaign. He has fought many ring stars, Harry Greb six times, Mike Gibbons three times, Tommy Gibbons twice, Jimmy Delaney, Gene Tunney, Martin Burke, Charley Weisner, Tiger Flowers, Johnny Hinko and many more.

JOYCE WETHERED STILL GREAT GOLD PERFORMER

Joyce Wethered is living up to her reputation as one of the best women golfers in the world. She has been playing in England recently and men who have opposed her express astonishment at the length and straightness of her drives. One man at the end of a round remarked, "Miss Wethered should not be allowed to play, she is too good." Roger Wethered, although he has not been practicing with the "President's Putter," historic trophy of the Oxford and Cambridge society. This indicates to observers that the former amateur champion is still a factor in the British game.

MORE PEACHES

NEW YORK—An increase is likely in the number of peaches in Georgia. Mrs. Browning is contemplating a visit to Savannah.



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Central Squad Victorious Over Greenwood, 18-12

Central took the honors in a grade basketball game yesterday afternoon in the high school gym when they defeated Greenwood, 18-12. The game was fast, and both teams showed well. Greenwood has been making marked improvements since her last showing. She has been handicapped this year because of inexperience, but is getting her stride now, under the tutelage of Coach Nitzel and is expected to make Riviera fight for her laurels in their encounter next week. Owen Richey refereed the game yesterday.

Coach Brown's lineup follows: R. F. Lyle, L. F. Gekeler (6), C. Choate, R. G. Hartman, (16), L. G. Arrivey, Evans, (2) substitute, for Lyle and Lyle, substitute for Hartman. The Greenwood lineup: R. F. Shepard, (4) L. P. Cochran, (1), C. Harlow, (2), R. G. Workman, L. G. Whalen, (4).

Game Tonight
 An interesting game is scheduled at the high school gym to-night when the strong Riviera grade team, under Coach Chester Gilbert will meet the Union grade team. Riviera has shown in her encounters here this season, that any game in which she participates will be fast. The strength of the Union team is not known, but judging from previous teams produced there, the Union lads will be strong adversaries. The game will begin at 7:30 o'clock and a 25c admission for adults and a 5c fee for children will be charged.

Baker Quintet Chalks Up Win Over N. Powder

Baker high defeated North Powder basketball quintet in Baker last night 19 to 10 after trailing at half time 10 to 5. Baker and second string men mostly in the first half, when North Powder piled up a lead.

In the second half, with the regulars in, Baker scored 14 points while the Powder boys unable to count a marker.

Jimmy Rosenbaum, of La Grande, refereed.

SALEM DOWNS U. FROSH FIVE; MEDFORD WINS

BASKETBALL RESULTS LAST NIGHT:
 (By The Associated Press)
 At Medford—Medford high 50; Grants Pass 15.
 At Baker—Baker 19, North Powder 10.
 At Ashland—Southern Oregon Normal 44; O. A. C. Rooks 27.

SALEM WINS

EUGENE, Ore., Feb. 5 (AP)—Leading the University of Oregon freshmen quintet by a comfortable margin throughout, the Salem high school basketball team won a slow game last evening, 22 to 12. The game was played in McArthur pavilion.

The victory was the second of the season for the Salem team from the frosh.

Duffy, Salem forward, and Hotie, forward for the frosh, were tied for high score, with six markers each.

ASHLAND VICTORIOUS

ROSEBURG, Feb. 5 (AP)—A field goal in the last thirty seconds of play gave Ashland high school a victory over Roseburg by a score of 17 to 15 in closely contested basketball game here last night. The game was very close throughout and in the last two minutes Roseburg had a lead of one point. Ashland, however, worked the ball down to the basket and tossed the final goal just before the final whistle sounded.

KLAMATH MAN BEATEN

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 5 (AP)—Babe Anderson, San Jose lightweight, won a four-round decision from Jeff Hamilton, Klamath Falls, in a preliminary to the main event here last night, in which Ollie Bartlett, St. Paul, won a ten-round bout over Mickey Con, Chicago. Both are bantams.

NEGRO CARRIES KNOCKOUT PUNCH

Walter Hagen, Jack Hutchison, Bobby Cruikshank, Johnny Farrell, MacDonald Smith, Bill Mehlhorn, Leo Djegal and Tommy Armour.

Kid Parker, on Card Here Tuesday, Wins Several Times by Kayo

Kid Parker, negro fighter, who will meet Del Adams, of Boise, in a 10-round main event of next Tuesday night's boxing card, will come here with a favorable record.

According to advance information, Parker's recent fights include several knockouts.

Perry Walker kissed the canvas in the fifth round last Labor Day in Yakima before Parker's onslaught and K. Linkenbach, at Klamath Falls, lost a decision to the colored leatherpuncher.

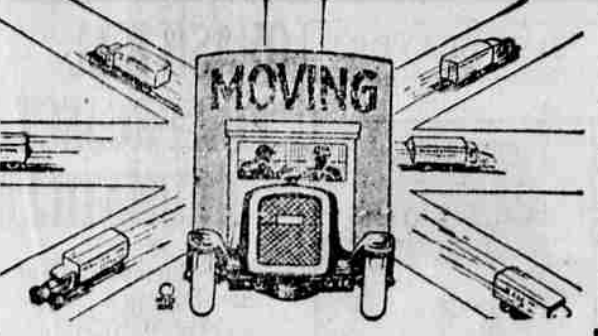
Other wins include a knockout over Kid Davis, of Oakland, Cal., in the second round, a knockout in the sixth over Little Dave, of Pittsburg, Cal., and a knockout in the sixth round over Kid Johnson, of Portland.

Kid Parker fought a draw with Kidd Jesse, of Los Angeles, recently.

STRONG FIELD READY FOR FLORIDA GOLF

Leading American golfers will gather at Tarpon Springs Feb. 25 to play for the West coast open championship. The winner in addition to his prize money will have his name engraved on the Morton F. Plant trophy, first offered 18 years ago. The record for the 6,400 yard course is a 67 made by Gene Sarazen. Among the experts who will shoot at the record score are

ago was a choir boy in a Paris church as late as June 1926. Louis de Ponthieu, former French lightweight champion, caught sight of the boy—he was only 18, last September and took him in charge. Pladner soon developed into one of the best European flyweights since Jimmy Wilde. It is likely that Pladner and de Ponthieu will leave for America in March in an effort to meet Fidel LaBarba.



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What Is The Market For Lime and Black Marble?

The Discovery

In the early days of Western history, there lived in Wallowa County, Oregon, a pioneer settler by the name of George Russell.

One day in preparing a chicken for the boiling pot he discovered two small nuggets of gold in his crow. Believing that this indicated the presence of a rich deposit close by he began a systematic search on the mountain side. Coming upon an outcropping of black rock, which was unfamiliar to him, he broke off a piece of it, and on the new surface he saw something that glistened in the sunshine. Hurrying to the little settlement of Joseph, at the foot of Wallowa Lake, he showed it to his friend, Charlie Christie, a prospector of the old school.

Together they proceeded to Bill Cole's blacksmith shop and gained permission to use his forge. While they were heating the stone on the glowing coals, they saw Alexander Donnelly, another old time prospector, coming toward the shop, and wishing to maintain secrecy they promptly removed it from the forge and dropped it into the water tub. Following the sizzle and the splash there was a bubbling as of boiling water. Russell and Christie looked at each other and surprise was written on their faces.

When Donnelly finally removed himself from the premises, the rock, now much reduced in size, was fished out and again placed on the fire. After a time it was taken off and laid, this time, on the anvil to cool. A strange thing had happened. A black stone had changed to purest white.

Prompted by the bubbling water in the tub, they now placed it in a pan and added only a small amount of water. Slowly it crumpled away as it absorbed the agitated sputtering water, and there, at the completion of their effort, spread out over the bottom of the pan, was only a white, smooth, creamlike substance, slaked lime.

Thus did George Russell discover, not a gold mine, but the most valuable and most available deposit of lime rock in all these United States. New York State only excepted, for there, at Glen's Falls, there is just such another formation and from which lime of the highest quality has been profitably produced since the year 1822.

For over fifteen years the lime from the quarries of the Black Marble & Lime company has been manufactured in limited quantities and sold to local contractors, plasterers, etc. As its superior quality became obvious with actual use in a great many ways, the demand always exceeded the supply.

The tremendous amount of building now going on and in prospect throughout the Western states is but one portion of the market for Black Marble lime.

One of the greatest potential markets is found in the paper mills of the Northwest as lime is used in the manufacture of paper. Due to the pulp wood resources of this section of the country new mills and enlarged mills are springing up in almost all parts of these timbered states, providing a lime market of great proportions.

Manufacturers of orchard spray materials have repeatedly sought sufficient quantities of Black Marble lime because it is so admirably suited to their purpose. Manufacturers of steel, ammonia, glass, explosives, paint, soap, flour, disinfectants and a score of other commodities are purchasers of lime in large quantities. Sanitation and purification of city water supplies demand increasing amounts of lime each year. Sour and leached soils are brought back to production by application of pulverized limestone. Sugar refiners of the Hawaiian and Philippine Islands are lime users.

Lime, as the commercial quick lime is commonly called, is the basis of operation of the Black Marble & Lime Co., but there is also an excellent opportunity for much revenue from by-products in the form of hydrated lime, agricultural hydrate, and the pulverized limestone previously mentioned. These are largely salvaged from the waste at quarry and kilns and the growing market for these lime products is obvious. Polished black marble, equal or superior, as some experts claim, to the Belgian or Italian black marble will also be manufactured for the building trade.

Because of the limited deposits in this country of limestone, and because only one deposit in New York state even approaches the quality of Black Marble or "Chieftain" lime, the market is tremendous. Letters and orders from various quantity purchasers of lime, throughout the Northwest alone, gives absolute confidence in the successful sale of the entire production of the company's new and modern plant.

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