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Cost Of Ivory High; Senators Spend Fortune

WASHINGTON, (AP)—If money is in baseball "ivory" during the winter days dividends in the form of percentage points during the playing season, the Washington Senators will be among those present at or very near the top of the American league percent...

President Clark Griffith has taken the band off his bankroll in an unprecedented manner since the 1924 race ended, and the rookies who will try to convince Manager Walter Johnson that they are big leaguers carry price tags totaling \$292,250. This, of course, is exclusive of the five players, three of them regulars, that Griffith sent to Boston for Buddy Myers, which represented a sizeable financial deal.

All but three of the rookies—Pitcher Cantrell, infielder Yeter and outfielder Spencer Harris—have been purchased outright at a cost of \$65,000 and even should one or all of this be returned it will cost the Nationals something for the privilege of looking them over.

The new material that will parade for Manager Johnson and their market rating lists as follows:

Table with 2 columns: PITCHERS and CATCHERS. Lists names and prices for various players.

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Beavers Go Into Action In South

ANAHEIM, Cal., Mar. 2 (AP)—The first of 17 exhibition games scheduled to be played by the Portland Beavers during the spring training sojourn here, was on tap for today.

ROOSEVELT HOTEL HOLLYWOOD CALIFORNIA advertisement with image of the hotel building.

CALIFORNIA WINS IN SEATTLE 43-31

University of Washington Hopeful of Turning Tables Tonight

SEATTLE, Mar. 2 (AP)—Soaring under their crushing defeat by the University of California last night, the University of Washington basketball team was hopeful of turning the tables and evening up the championship series tonight.

Before the largest throng ever crowded into the University athletic pavilion the Huskies lost their first game of the season last night to the Bears by a score of 43 to 31. The Washington team plainly suffered from a case of stage fright and the smooth working combination that had carried them to the championship of the northern half of the Pacific coast conference was lacking.

If the Bears, champions of the southern half of the conference, are able to continue their assault on the Huskies tonight they will end the season as undisputed champions, unbeaten by a conference team. In case the Huskies win tonight a third game to decide the titleholder will be played on Monday night.

The probable lineups for tonight's game are: Washington Pox, California Sander, Corbin, Jalloff, Stevens, McClary, Ten Kirk, Holstad, G. Coffield, Heranson.

Medford to Enter Tourny in Salem

MEDFORD, Ore., Mar. 2 (AP)—The Medford High school defeated the Ashland High school here last night 25 to 12, thereby winning the district championship of Southern Oregon and the right to enter the state tournament at Salem.

The game was rough, in the first quarter which ended eight to seven in favor of the locals. At the end of the half the score was fourteen to six in Medford's favor, and they never headed thereafter. Melvin and Anderson were high point makers for the winners.

Evaporation From Tree The evaporation from a large oak or beech tree is from 10 to 25 gallons in 24 hours.

After that terrific cold wave Europe has been having, the reparations committee needn't be surprised to find most of the assets over there have been frozen up.

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Blue Larkspur! That seems to be the good word among the betting men who like to pick a Derby winner in February. The son of Black Servant and Blossom Time is wintering so well at the Bradley farm near Lexington, Ky., many turf men figure the horse will open at odds of 4 to 1.

Ontario Forward Leads Scorers In Tournament

With the district basketball tournament entering the semi-finals at Union today, several players stand out as consistent scorers during the first three elimination rounds.

J. Huffman, captain of the Ontario team, leads the list of players with 44 points. Most of his shots were made from outside the foul line although a dozen or so were lobbed in from close range.

Other leading scorers follow: Clark, forward, Wallowa 26; Crawford, center, Wallowa 26; Sannar, forward, Enterprise 24; Sarrett, guard, Wallowa 24; Wolfe, forward, La Grande 22; Roe, guard, La Grande 18; McKim, forward, Baker 18; Wilde, guard, Union 17.

During the tournament, there have been several entertainment features between halves. Music has been furnished by the La Grande High school band and the Union concert band.

Last night Miss Sally Siegrist, of La Grande; Miss Marian Hayes, of Hot Lake; and Miss Elaine Hoos, of Union, danced between halves. All three numbers were greatly appreciated.

McLARNIN WINS IN ROUND TWO BY KNOCKOUT

NEW YORK, Mar. 2 (AP)—Jimmy McLarnin is ready to graduate to the welterweight division and he won't do his campaigning with one hand either.

He finally convinced eastern critics that he was not simply a right-hand slugger when he knocked out tough Joe Glick, the Williamsburg tallor, in the second round of their ten round battle in Madison Square Garden last night.

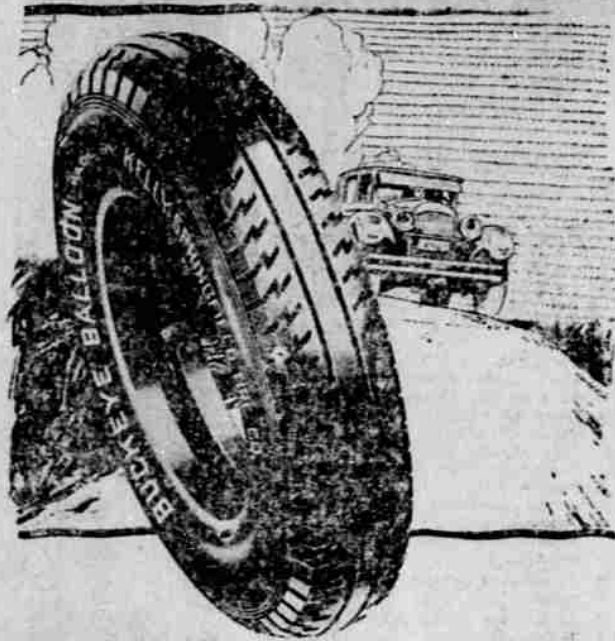
True, the knockout punch came from McLarnin's right arm but twice before the finishing punch the coast star had floored Glick with left hooks. He seemed to have equal power in either hand. Glick crumpled up under a two-fisted barrage.

The Williamsburg tallor, in more than 129 fights, had been knocked out only twice, both these reverses coming when he was campaigning as a featherweight three or four years ago.

Weighing 140 1/2 pounds last night, McLarnin appears ready to tackle the welterweights. Glick scaled 126 1/2.

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Jimmy Maloney Defeats Heeny In Boston Fight

BOSTON, Mar. 2 (AP)—Jimmy Maloney of Boston, rated eight months ago as the easiest "push-over" in the heavy-weight flock, was crowding fistiana's top-notchers today as a result of his decision over rugged Tom Heeny of New Zealand.

Maloney met Heeny for the second time last night and had but little trouble, grinding the hard rock with a succession of left jabs and hooks, the blows which cut the New Zealander to ribbons last July when he met Gene Tunney for the world's title.

Pacific Coast Hoop Officials Discuss Rules

SEATTLE, Mar. 2 (AP)—Basketball officials and coaches of the Pacific coast conference will continue discussions today on proposed changes in the basketball rules.

The chief argument at yesterday's conference dealt with the margin of contact to be permitted in play one group contending that personal contact should be eliminated as much as possible.

Masters of Oratory

Demosthenes, Isocrates, Lytes Aeschines, Pericles and Cicero were famous orators who lived before the time of Christ.

For true rope There can be no true rope where there is no bravery.—Amelia Magazine.

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