

FIGHTERS CONGREGATING FOR BIG DOUBLE MAIN EVENT TONIGHT!

BOXERS WAIT RING OF GONG

Dawson of Eugene and Harris of Pendleton Coming to Challenge Winners

From the first ring of the gong at 8:30 o'clock tonight the boxing program offered at the Armory by Matchmaker Harry Plant is expected to be a hummer, featuring two 10-round events and two snappy four-round preliminaries. All the participants are in excellent condition while future matches are promised when it became known yesterday that Charlie Dawson of Eugene would challenge the winner of the Doyle-Deane bout, and Harry Harris of Pendleton, the winner of the Bays-Warren match.

Frankie Doyle, 146 pounder of Spokane arrived in the city yesterday in tip-top condition, with a long string of battles to his credit. Out of 36 fights he has won 24, and of the last 14 lost only two. He has been performing around Spokane, Pendleton, La Grande, Baker and other interior cities. Doyle has been in training in Portland, working out with Izzy Panner of St. Paul. Doyle is hailed as a human punching bag, using both hands to great advantage and packing a fast left and a wicked right. He is also boxing instructor for the Spokane Arlington Athletic club. His manager, Curley Bethel, of the Portland Athletic club, will arrive in the city today.

Sewell Deane of Salem, his opponent, needs no introduction to



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TODAY - SATURDAY OREGON

STRANGLER LEWIS LOSES HIS TITLE

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 9.—"Strangler" Lewis was taken to a hospital early today. Physicians there said that they had not completed an examination and could not say to what extent the former champion had been injured.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 8.—Wayne "Big" Munn, former University of Nebraska athlete, won the heavyweight wrestling championship of the world here tonight by defeating Ed "Strangler" Lewis, in two falls out of three.

Munn won the first and third falls and lost the second on a foul when he lifted Lewis over the ropes and threw him out of the ring. Munn won the first fall in 21 minutes with a crotch and body hold. He took the third in less than a minute with the same hold. Billy Sandow, Lewis' manager, announced before the third fall that Lewis was wrestling under protest. After the match he said the decision would be contested.

FRANKLIN HI. BEATS SALEM

Portland Basketball Team Takes High End of 15 to 14 Score Last Night

Unable to annex free throws for the basket and thereby passing up sufficient points to put the game on ice, Salem high school was defeated by the Franklin high school of Portland here last night by the score of 15 to 14. During the first half, which ended 10 to 5 in favor of the visitors, Ellis annexed only one out of seven free throws. This average was steadily maintained throughout the contest. After running the ball down the floor and eluding the Franklin guards, who were easy to pierce, Salem would try in vain to locate the hoop much to the discomfort of the large crowd of rooters.

Only one real burst of basketball was exhibited by the locals during the game. This came about the middle of the second half, with Franklin leading, 12 to 5. With six minutes to play Salem tied the score at 13 points. A free throw was allowed the visitors for a foul. Though cautioned against yelling while the attempt was made to convert, too much noise caused the referee to give the Franklin man an extra shot. He made both, leaving the score at 15 to 13. Salem annexed a foul and made the point, ending all further scoring. With Salem going as strong and had the rooters been able to curb their enthusiasm the game would have been tied at 14 points and an extra five minute period been necessary, the locals stood a good chance to win. High tossing at center also worked to a disadvantage.

This is the first time in several years that Salem has met a Port-

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P. H. Houser Acquired Entire Interest in Business From Brother

After 20 years of business association, Paul H. Houser has purchased all of the interest of Lloyd Houser in the Houser Brothers sporting goods store at 372 State street. In addition he has secured his brother's interest in the building occupied by the business and it is to be operated at the same location. The sporting goods store which Houser brothers have conducted here since 1900 is one of the oldest establishments in Salem. For many years it was known as the Salem Gun store and was started in 1885 by a Mr. Beck of Portland. For several years it occupied the premises now quartering the Price shoe company. This is the culmination of a

WOODBURN BEATS BEARCAT FROSH

One lone tally defeated the Bearcat Babes last night at Woodburn when the home team kept the large end of a 26 to 25 score at home. Coach Leslie Sparks sent in his first string men for the first land team. The McMinnville quintet will invade this territory Saturday night.

Lineups for the two teams were: Salem—Heenan and Ellis, forwards; John Drager, captain, center; R. Drager, Ashby, Lyons and Gould, guards. Franklin—Scallan, captain, Epps and Potter, forwards; Lawrence and Foster, center; Douglas, Kritzeimer and Pope, guards. Faber, of Portland, was referee.

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friendly suit instituted in the circuit court in which H. Crawford was named as the receiver of the properties. The receivership will be closed within a few days as the details pertaining thereto are nearly completed. Paul H. Hauser states that he intends to conduct the business as in the past. It is possible, he said, that a line of hardware might be added to the present stock in order to give better service to his customers.

Firpo Confirms Acceptance Of Match With Tom Gibbons

LONDON, Jan. 8.—(By The Associated Press.)—Luis Angel Firpo, Argentina's "wild bull of the Pampas" called, unaccompanied, at the National Sporting club here today and confirmed his acceptance of the club's offer for him to meet Tommy Gibbons the American light heavyweight, in London, March 30, for a purse of 20,000 pounds sterling, with the winner taking 60 per cent and the club's heavyweight belt.

Chemawa Quintet Triumphs Over Deaf School Players

The Chemawa Indians snatched another victory from the Deaf school team in a basketball game played on the latter's floor Wednesday night.

The game was hotly fought from start to finish. At half quarter the Deaf boys led 11 to 10. But when the whistle blew at the end of the game the score stood 21 for Chemawa and 19 for the local boys. Both teams passed the ball very

well. Willie Rickert made several long throws. Kenneth Hagen broke through the Chemawa ranks time and again and spoiled many of their chances to score. Chester La Fave and Ray Hummel guarded very closely. It was not until the last minute that Chemawa got

the two points needed to win the game. Mr. Steincipher of Willamette university refereed.



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