

Hobo Chambers Seeks to Snap Out of Recent Grappling Slump

Defeat Series Now Totals 2

Jack Curtiss Sees Him as Just Another Meanie; Has Met Many

When Hobo Cliff Chambers enters the armory arena tonight to take on Jack Curtiss, fast Mississippi grappler, he will probably be ready for a hold, bad stab at a comeback.

The madcap panhandler has twice been defeated in the local arena after a sensational winning streak and is hoping to regain his lost honors with a win over Curtiss and he may possibly plan an attack on Referee Harry Elliott, Elliott downed Chambers last week.

Curtiss, a clean and scientific wrestler, can handle the hairy chested villain from the jungles if any grappler can. Rated as tops on many grappling circuits, Curtiss has long been popular here. While his attack in trade is mostly on the scrupulous side he has coped with many a bad man in his day and the wily Chambers is just another meanie to him.

Hazen to Make Bow Otis Clingman, blond hero from the dunes of Oklahoma, will appear in the 45 minute semi-wind-up match against Jack Hazen, a newcomer to the armory mat. Clingman, former navy middle-weight champion, knows more about wrestling science than many more publicized grapplers and usually gives a skillful exhibition.

Herb Burgess, Portland villain, will meet Denny Banks, a newcomer, in the 30 minute opener which starts at 8:30 o'clock.

Nelson, Truckers Win Upon Alleys

Nelson Brothers bowling team took the final pair of games from Acme Auto Wreckers in city league bowling at the Bowlor last night. Willamette valley transfer took the last two from the Senator food shop team in the other match.

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Chemawa Defeats Bulldogs, 24 to 20

WOODBURN, Jan. 27.—The Woodburn Bulldogs were defeated by the Chemawa Indians Friday night, 24 to 20 in an overtime game. The Bulldogs were in the lead 20 to 19 when a foul was called. Archembeau, Chemawa forward, tied the count 20 all at the regular playing time ended. During the three minutes overtime period Archembeau came through with two baskets. Racette and Shaw were given two free shots giving the Woodburn team a chance to tie but they missed.

In the preliminary Chemawa seconds beat the Woodburn B team 23 to 10 with R. Green of the Indians high man with 11 points. The Woodburn school band furnished music for the evening. The Bulldogs will be with Molalla at Molalla Tuesday, and Friday they will play Newberg here.

Lineup: Chemawa (24) (20) Woodburn Archambeau 13 F..... 3 Shaw Kalama 2..... 2 Anderson Sanderville..... 4 Racette R. Trac 2..... 6 Bonney C. Track 1..... 7 Whitman Referee, Vera Gilmore.

Monmouth Takes Minor Games as Independence Wins Conference Tilt

MONMOUTH, Jan. 27.—In two minor hoop games played at Monmouth Friday Monmouth high school squads were victorious over Independence high squads. The boys' B team defeated the Independence B team 21-1 in a tilt that prefaced the county conference game. In the latter Independence was the winner with a score of 27-19.

Monmouth girls took a one-sided win from the Independence high girls, score 41-29. Catherine Parker, Monmouth forward, made 25 points.

Noted Golfer Dies

STAMFORD, Conn., Jan. 27.—(AP)—Johnny Golden, member of the United States Ryder Cup team in 1927 and 1929 and Connecticut open golf champion, died of pneumonia tonight in the Stamford hospital.

Strong McMinnville Quint Here Tonight

West Linn Has Lead in League

Silverton Close Behind; They Play Tonight on Silver Fox Floor

WILLAMETTE LEAGUE table with columns: Team, W., L., Pct. Lists West Linn, Molalla, Newburg, Woodburn, Dallas, Canby.

DALLAS, Jan. 27.—John Brown's powerful West Linn Lions whipped Canby twice last week by scores of 45 to 15 and 35 to 16 to maintain their narrow lead over Silverton in the Willamette Valley league. Silverton kept pace one game behind by winning two fast games from Dallas high.

The Foxes won Tuesday night 39 to 28 and then Friday night came out ahead 25 to 18.

Molalla's defending champions strengthened their hold on third place by whacking Newburg easily 32 to 5 Tuesday night and then again Friday in a closer game, 24 to 12.

Woodburn was idle last week in league games but the Bulldogs get a chance to take over fourth position by playing Molalla Tuesday night and Newburg Friday. The Tigers are now half a game ahead of Woodburn.

With only three teams in the running for the title the league teams now enter one of the most crucial weeks play of the season. West Linn and Silverton tangle in the Silver Fox gym Tuesday night in a game that might settle the race. A win for the Lions would give them a two game lead with only four contests left. A victory for Silverton would tie the race in a knot and give Molalla a chance to retain the trophy.

Bauch Top Scorer Dallas and Canby, the two bottom clubs meet for the first time Tuesday night to settle for sole possession of the basement. Dallas entertains West Linn at home Friday and Canby plays host to Silverton the same night.

Joe Kycek the pacesetter in scoring to date had a bad week against Molalla and slipped to fourth place with 49 points. Stan Rauch, West Linn forward, scored heavily against Canby to take the lead with 62 tallies in seven games. Don Reed of Molalla follows in second place with 56. Billie Tour, West Linn flash, trails closely in third place with a total of 53.

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Here's a letter to us from somebody who signs himself "A Fight Fan" that deserves comment: Dear Sir:

Your paper is noted for obtaining excellent results (Thanks for the plug.—Ed); try this—please advise the boxing commission of Salem, or better yet, the match-makers of the recent fight cards to try and obtain a few new faces for their cards. The same old mugs are giving the fight fans a pain in the neck. We want something new. Here is hoping they soon will find a young "Ethiopian chieftain" who will show that "Young Italy" (the Pride of Brooks) where the Bear sat down in the Buckhead.

Yours truly, A FIGHT FAN.

We hardly think Mr. Fight Fan has a legitimate beef. When there have been only two fight cards in Salem (and those two good ones) for many months there are hardly grounds for complaining of seeing the same old faces again and again. The complaint that the fight fans aren't getting something new is also unjust. They are getting fights, good fights, which has been a part of Salem's sport program noticeable chiefly by its absence in the past.

It is true that on the two cards which have been held and on the one coming up Frank Riggi, the Brooks Bomber, has been headlined. But why shouldn't he be? He has shown that he is a fighter and that deadly punching of his is the stuff that pleases fight fans. Friday he meets Red Rader, the fast Tacoma boy. Rader fought here once a year ago and nobody can say that seeing a face once a year makes it as familiar as an old sock.

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More High-Priced Hub Heroes



ALTHOUGH Jimmy Fox was the big prize acquired by the Boston Red Sox during Tom Yawkey's winter spending spree, Beantown fans may possibly find that some of the lesser lights purchased in that deal with the Athletics may prove to be even more valuable than double-A James. The last half of this big transaction resulted in the shifting of

Roger ("Doc") Cramer, crack outfielder, and Eric ("Boob") McNair, capable infield performer, to the Red Sox. Cramer, a dangerous and highly efficient fielder of the willow, was one of the five leading hitters in the American loop throughout the 1935 season, and kept baseball observers esteem the Doc as one of the greatest fielding outfielders in the majors. McNair, affectionately called

Bailey's Team Major Threat

Blenkinsop and Mabec in Limelight; Vikings to Face Hard Battle

Salem high's in and out Vikings will have a chance to redeem themselves after Friday's walloping by Corvallis, when they meet the strong McMinnville high quint on the Salem floor at 8 o'clock tonight.

Coach Hollis Huntington's five, which has looked at times like world-beaters and has looked like a bunch of scared kindergarten kids at others, will have to show real basketball if it expects to come out on top of the Grizzlies.

McMinnville, in its first season under Coach "Bill" Bailey, edged out Salem 26 to 23 in a fast game last year. Don Mabec, picked on the second all-state team last year, and Bob Blenkinsop are the forward team of the McMinnville outfit and constitute a dangerous offensive threat. Both are dead shots. Blenkinsop ringing up 13 points against the Vikings last year.

Man-to-Man Jonah Coach Huntington's team witnessed the falling of his team to Clark against a tight man to man defense has been working the quint against that system in practice and hopes they will put up a better showing in McMinnville uses man to man. The Vikings have no trouble in breaking the zone defense with Skoppl and Wagner getting under the basket for quick points.

The McMinnville and Salem B quints will meet in a preliminary tilt at 7 o'clock.

Davey's Football Jest Recognized

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—(AP)—Gov. Martin L. Davey's football joke became officially known as such today.

After a thorough investigation, the western conference announced that the clearly satisfied that the Ohio governor was merely joking last October when he said 15 Ohio State football players were on the state payroll and insinuated the football prowess got them their jobs. Governor Davey later said he was merely joking, but the clearly satisfied that the western conference ordered two separate investigations with today's result that all 15 players were absolved from all insinuations and charges.

Faculty Team of Woodburn Plans Silverton Game

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Dutch Mill Loses To Valley Motor

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5th-Period Team Gym Class Champ

Beats First-Period Quint 27-14 in Final; Star Squad Selected

The fifth-period basketball team at Salem high school won the championship yesterday noon, downing the first-period squad by the decisive score of 27 to 14. Gordon Benson playing guard was high-scoring for the winners, getting 14 points while Davey acted for the first-period quint with eight points.

The game was the final of the inter-gym class series. Much interest has been shown in the league with crowds of students out each noon.

On the all-star team picked yesterday were the captains of the team for the various periods. The team of stars follows: forwards: George Davis and Sumner Galleher; center: Ed Maers; guards: Tom Hill and Jesse Johnson.

Yesterday's lineup: First-Period (14) (27) 5th Period Crockett 2..... 7 3 Smith Davis 8..... F..... Morley Galleher 4..... C..... 9 Maers Lentz..... G..... 11 Benson Huggman..... G..... 4 Myers Referee, Vera Gilmore.

Hunter Winner in Match Play Open

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27.—(AP)—Willie Hunter of Los Angeles won the sixth annual San Francisco match play open golf championship today when he defeated Willie Goggin, San Francisco 4 and 2, in the 36-hole final.

Hunter, 1921 British amateur title holder, set a pace that proved too swift for his rival as they entered the last nine of the afternoon round.

It was the most important tournament victory for Hunter since he turned professional in 1925. The win put \$1,675 into his pocket while Goggin drew down \$837.50. The junior chamber of commerce announced it had been thrown for a loss of \$2,260 in sponsoring the tournament.

Levinsky Kayoes Los Angeles Boy

OAKLAND, Calif., Jan. 27.—(AP)—King Levinsky, the reformed fish peddler from Chicago, belted out "Butch" Rodgers, Los Angeles heavyweight, in the fourth round here tonight.

It was right hander to the jaw and Rodgers went out for the full count. Levinsky, who recently drew more than \$200,000 with Joe Louis, gazed mournfully at the size of the crown when he entered the ring tonight and at first seemingly would not put his heart into his work.

Gate receipts were \$2,124. Levinsky weighed 202 pounds and Rodgers 183.

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Inseam Ball Adopted by Softball State Association; Collins Again Head, G. Fleisher Tourney Director

THE Oregon State Softball association, which has differed from nationwide usage in favoring an outseam instead of an inseam ball and a nine-man instead of a ten-man team, swung a little more into line with the national rules when it adopted an inseam ball as official at its annual meeting here Sunday.

The inseam ball has been tested in Salem leagues and in other leagues in the state and is thought to be superior to the outseam ball. Although some pitchers believe the use of an inseam ball will lessen their control the change is generally approved. The nine-man team remained official in Oregon although ten-man teams are the rule in the Portland leagues.

The association voted again to stage the state softball tourney in Salem, setting August 24 to 29 as the dates. It will be the fourth annual tournament.

Commercialization of the game was frowned upon by the association which voted to bar players who accepted money for playing softball.

Harry V. Collins of Salem was re-elected president of the state association. Other officers elected were: Vice-president, Dave White, Portland; secretary-treasurer, J. R. Gaynes, Oregon City; director-at-large, Tom Barry, Portland.

Gurnee Fleisher, who directed the Salem league and the tournament last year, was elected state softball director to succeed Dwight Adams.

Drunken Driving Case Under Way

Trial of C. W. Fox, accused of driving while drunk, got under way slowly in circuit court yesterday and most of today will probably be used in presenting the case to the jury. The case is the first of the January term before Judge L. H. McMahon to go before a jury.

Fox was convicted in justice court October 4, 1935, after a jury September 27 had hung, standing four for conviction to two months in jail. He was sentenced to spend 30 days in jail and to pay a \$100 fine.

In a crashup September 18 at the north edge of Salem he ploughed his car into a county truck.

Fox drove a car with a California license.

Badminton Club To Meet Friday

The young people's badminton club sponsored by the Salem Y. M. C. A. will hold its next session Friday night, with all young folks, both men and women, interested invited to attend. Badminton will be in play from 7 to 9 o'clock, with a swim and a social get-together to follow.

Wesley Roeder is president of the club and Beatrice Hartung, secretary. Membership so far includes Wallace Tower, John Creech, Warner Brown, Chandler Brown, Gus Moore, Miss Julia Query, Mrs. Mike Panek, Miss Grace Greibel, Miss Theresa Albrich, Miss Doris Schwabbauer, Miss Merydun B. Kantock, Miss Elsa Egan, Miss Frances Clement, Miss Mildred Goddard and Miss Edna May Storts.

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Sub-Tourney is Set

BAKER, Ore., Jan. 27.—(AP)—The "B" league sub-district basketball tournament, in which six teams will compete, will be held here February 23 and 29, school officials and coaches decided.

Davis Downs Russell

TACOMA, Jan. 27.—(AP)—"Wee Willie" Davis, 275, of Virginia, tonight defeated Reb Russell, 218, of Chicago, two falls out of three, in the headline bout of a wrestling show here.

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