

Edwards-Murdock Re-Match Armory Tonight Interests Mat Fans

BIG BILL MORGAN TO BE ALTERNATE REFEREE, IS WORD

Promoter Lillard Names Pro Football Star As Emergency Arbitrator — Ticket Sale Proves Card Popular

The re-match between Billy Edwards, had-acting Kansas City butcher boy, and Paul Murdock, handsome Oklahoma grappler, as the main event on tonight's armory card apparently has popular support, according to promoter Mack Lillard, who stated this morning that there has been a record-breaking demand for advance pasteborders for the show. In Mack Lillard line with the demand of Murdock that an alternate referee be present to guard against anything "happening" should the regular referee, Ray Friable, be knocked out, Lillard announced last night that Bill Morgan, 250-pound professional football player, would be present and take up the task any time his services were required.



Paul Murdock, Oklahoma matman, who meets Billy Edwards in a re-match at the armory tonight. Murdock lost to Edwards last week when the referee was knocked out.

COOS BAY BRIDGE BIDS FAR BELOW ENGINEERS' IDEAS

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was awarded recently. Bids on the other three spans, at Florence, Reedsport and at Newport, will be received by June 7.

The bridge, across the bay at North Bend, will be about 8338 feet long, with an 27-foot roadway and two pedestrian walkways, and will consist of a steel cantilever span 1708 feet in length with seven reinforced concrete arch spans totaling 1475 feet and a 540 lineal feet concrete viaduct on the north end and six arch spans totaling 1322 feet and 283 lineal feet viaduct on the south end.

Other bids opened In addition to the bridge contract the state highway commission opened bids on about \$150,000 highway work and for ferry service across the Umpqua and Siuslaw rivers.

No bids were received for the one mile of shoulder construction on the Dalles section of the Columbia River highway. The bid of E. C. Hall of Eugene for construction of 3.54 miles roadbed widening of the Agate-Little Butte creek section of the Grater Lake highway, was thrown out. Both jobs will be readvertised for the next meeting May 17.

Low bidders on other jobs to be awarded later today were: Parkdale Rock Production project on Mount Hood highway in Hood

BRAVES DO WELL DESPITE ABSENCE OF MARANVILLE

Pair of Wins Over Dodgers Puts McKechnie Outfit in Tie With Brooklyn for Fourth Place Standing

By HUGH S. FULLERTON, Jr. Associated Press Sports Writer.

Despite the manifold difficulties of having to get along without Rabbit Maranville, who is something of an institution as second baseman and "sparkplug" of the Braves, Bill McKechnie and his club are acting as if they intended to go places in the National league.

The Braves swung into their stride Sunday when they gave the Giants their first defeat of the season, and since then they have added a pair of victories over the Dodgers to go into a tie with Brooklyn for fourth place in the standing. They spotted the boys from Flatbush four runs in yesterday's encounter, then rode up from behind on Hal Lee's slugging to win, 9-4.

The Chicago Cubs continued their perfect start-of-season by downing the Cincinnati Reds, 6 to 1, for their seventh consecutive triumph.

The New York Yankees, still in the unfamiliar role of a "hitless" club, continued to furnish the American league headlines by trimming the Athletics, 3 to 2, and going to the top of the standing. The Yanks got only six hits off young Alton Benton and Bob Kline, but bespectacled Danny MacFayden hurled expertly and Benton's wildness in the fourth started a two-run rally.

Detroit and Cleveland wound up in a second place tie as the Indians defeated the St. Louis Browns, 5-1, and Chicago's White Sox handed the Tigers a 3-2 setback. Cold weather forced postponement of the Boston-Washington clash in the American league and the St. Louis-Pittsburgh and New York-Philadelphia games in the National.

River county—Schmeer & Williams, Portland, \$15,350.

Siuslaw river bridge approaches on the Oregon Coast highway in Lane county—Edelefeon-Weigant, Portland, \$31,610.

Landscaping project at the Pacific and McKenzie highways junction in Lane county—A. G. Enright, Eugene, \$1859.

Concrete viaduct at intersection of Bybee Boulevard and East Portland-Oregon City highway in Multnomah county—Settgergen Bros., Portland, \$21,562.

Railroad bridge over East Portland-Oregon City highway at South Portland city limits—Parker-Schramm Co., Portland, \$19,935.

Construction 1.28 miles roadbed in Austin creek-Upper Yach bridge section of the Little Neutucca highway in Tillamook county—O. N. Pierce, Portland, \$20,718.

Surfacing 5.2 miles of the Cold Springs-Holdman section of the Pendleton-Cold Spring highway in Umatilla county—Joplin & Eidon, Portland, \$16,680.

RETIRED BULL FIGHTER RETURNS TO OLD GLORY

MADRID, April 25.—(AP)—Wending his homeward way in the early hours this morning, Antonio Sanchez saw a slight to gladden the heart of an old toreador. His steps led him past the Central market, where there was a great hubbub. Prancing and snorting amid a shambles of garlic and cabbages, beans and potatoes, was a bull that had escaped from a slaughterhouse herd. The triumphant animal, with lowered horns and devastating charges, defied all mankind. Sanchez, a retired bullfighter, rushed home and shouted for his trusty mulets and small red cape—and his sword. Back he raced. The bull, at the climax of its orgy among the vegetables, started for Sanchez.

After a brief exhibition under flickering street lamps, the old toreador plunged the sword into a vital spot and the show was over. Grateful vegetable dealers showered Sanchez with gifts salvaged from the market shambles. Bearing the traditional tribute of the animal's ears and laden with produce, the old bullfighter resumed his homeward journey.

SERAPHS SETTING RECORD PACE FOR COAST LEAGUERS

Breaking Up of Great Pitching Staff Last Year Falls to Dim Team's Brilliance — Portland Signs Burns

Scores Yesterday. Los Angeles, 5; Sacramento, 0. Missions, 2; Seattle, 1. San Francisco, 3; Oakland, 0. Portland-Hollywood, rain.

(By the Associated Press) Los Angeles walked off with the 1933 Coast league pennant, sold outfielder "Tut" Stainback to the Chicago Cubs and broke up the circuit's best pitching staff by sending Buck Newton to the St. Louis Browns and Wyn Ballou and Leroy Hermann to San Francisco.

Despite this, Manager Jack Lellvelt has a 1934 pennant contender that is setting one of the fastest early season paces in the league's history. Louisa Garland shut out Sacramento with eight hits yesterday, 5 to 0, to boost the Angels' victory total to 19 against four defeats. As in their previous games this year, the Los Angeles batsmen backed up fine pitching with plenty of power at the plate.

At Seattle, Johnny Barron won his own game for the first time by slugging in the ninth and going home on Hafey's single. Babich limited the Indians to seven hits in hurling the Reds to a 2-to-1 win.

San Francisco made it two straight over Oakland, 9 to 0, as Sad Sam Gibson pitched a masterful four-hit game, striking out nine of the opposing batters. Gibson's three singles gave him a tie for the day's hitting honors with Flat Baseman Jack Penton of the Seals.

Hain forcing postponement of the Hollywood-Portland game, President Tom Turner took steps to bolster his cellar Beavers by signing George Burns, former Seattle manager and first sacker.

COX PINS, CANTONWINE FOR DECIDING TUMBLE SEATTLE, April 25.—(AP)—Ted Cox, 230, Lond, Calif., won the odd fall of a wrestling bout from Howard Cantonwine, 235, Des Moines here last night.

EDWARDS PINIONS CHARLIE HANSEN

PORTLAND, Ore., April 25.—(AP)—A backward lunge from the ropes brought the deciding fall to Billy Edwards here last night in his match with Charlie Hansen. Edwards, 200, Kansas City, landed on top when his hold on the ropes was pryed loose by Hansen, 210, Seattle, from behind. Chiropractic headlocks brought Edwards the first fall. Hansen took the second with a body slam. A foul in the second round brought Chief Little Wolf, 198, Trinidad, Col., a win from Ed Helwig, 212, San Francisco. Pat Reilly, 210, Boston, battered and body pressed to victory over Jack Donovan, 210, San Diego.

DR. PEDEN WILL OPEN OFFICE ABOUT MAY 1

Dr. Barton E. Peden of New York, who recently arrived in Medford, announced today that on or about May 1st, he will open offices in suite 419 of the Medford center building, specializing in treatment for eye, ear, nose and throat ailments. Dr. Peden, before coming to Medford, was formerly with the New York eye and ear infirmary.

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DUB AND DUFFER FINAL SCHEDULED FOR NEXT SUNDAY

The mixed foursome scheduled for Sunday at the Rogue Valley Golf course has been postponed, according to Jack Hueston, club pro, and instead the feature of the day will be

the finale in the duffer and dub tournament. Jack Thompson and Jack Reynolds, finalists in the duffers' flight, will complete the second nine holes of their 36-hole match before Saturday night, leaving 18 holes to be played Sunday. The pair started to play 18 last Sunday but were rained out after nine holes. Thompson being one down when the downpour forced cessation of hostilities.

E. L. Childers and Bruce Bauer, finalists in the dubs' flight, have 18 holes to play before Saturday evening and will tangle for the remaining 18 holes to play before Saturday evening, and will tangle for the remaining 18 Sunday afternoon. They are scheduled to tee off at 1:10 p. m.

EAGLE PT. ORGANIZES NEW BASEBALL CLUB

EAGLE POINT, April 25.—(Sp.)—A baseball team has been organized here with Don Britton as manager. There is a game scheduled for Sunday, April 29, with Butte Falls, at Butte Falls.

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