

# SPORTS

## FANS FAVOR CHICK TO CALM HOLLIS IN MONDAYS GRAPPLE

When the curtain goes up Monday night on Promoter Mack Lillard's new wrestling program, the most exciting talent in over a year will be on tap. Three top line bouts have been crowded into the evening, with Ken Hollis meeting Duke Chick, Frank Taylor tangling with Bob Kennaston, and Tiger Taskoff trading groans with Max Glover.

Hollis has been, for two months, the pet hate of Medford fans, being the focal point of one major riot and several minor ones when the public became incensed at his dirty tactics. In Chick, Hollis will be meeting a man who the fans feel will be more than able to calm the hot Hollis blood. Using a "lariat" spin with deadly effect, and wearing his men down with airplane scissors, flying shoulder butts and complicated arm locks and shoulder bars, Chick has command of three times as many punishing holds as the Arkansas terror has shown here.

The middle main event will see Frank Taylor, a lad who seldom becomes angry, but who packs the wallop of a mule when he finally does, against Bob Kennaston of Gold Hill. Kennaston has so far failed to miss an opportunity to kick or slug to get out of a tight spot, but has developed into a favorite of the rough-house school of thought. The betting here today was that Taylor will take at least one fall with his wild southpaw haymaker when he becomes angered at Kennaston's steady work.

The opening bout is one that Medford fans apparently enjoy. Glover and Taskoff are both inclined to take a sideswipe now and then at the referee. This invariably excites Referee Ray Frisbie, and the fans get a miniature battle royal.

Both Taskoff and Glover are dirty, but the fans don't seem to object to dirtiness when applied to another means.

Added to the fact that ducks have taken a radical drop in prices, Promoter Lillard already foresees the biggest house of the year.

## EDMONTON, SEATTLE CLIMB HOCKEY HILL

By the Associated Press. Edmonton and Seattle found their reward today for a long and gallant climb from cellar berths in the Northwestern hockey league.

Seattle defeated Vancouver, 3 to 1, in Seattle last night, while the Eskimos delighted a home town crowd by trouncing Calgary, 7 to 2, to record their seventh consecutive victory. As a result the Seahawks and the Eskimos moved into a tie for second place, only half a game behind the leading Lions. Portland was dropped to fourth place, a full game behind the leaders.

## OREGON FROSH TRIMS INDEPENDENT CAGERS

EUGENE, Ore., Jan. 30.—(AP)—The University of Oregon Frosh basketball team went on a scoring spree in the last half last night to defeat the Riggs' All-Stars, 52 to 34. The Ducklings were only five points ahead at half time, 24 to 19.

## GOLF, MOVIE PROMINENTS AT TOURNAMENT



Here are Lawson Little, British and American amateur golf champion; Dick Arlen, golfing film star, and Walter Hagen, top-notch at the game, ready to tee off in the Southern California \$3000 championship at the Oakland club course in Los Angeles. (Associated Press Photo)

## BOWLING

Team No. 6 in the Elks bowling league ran amok against the Team 4 last night, and took three out of four games. Team No. 9, under Capt. Bierma and with Canfield, LeClere, Lantia, Bullis and P. Sweeney, will roll Monday night against Capt. Burroughs' team, which was victorious last night.

Individual scores last night:

Team No. 6	Team No. 9
Burroughs.....178	139
Bowman.....170	145
Claude Holmes.....136	113
McHall.....164	162
Semon.....131	131
Sherwood.....164	164
Handicap.....164	169
Total.....1112	1023

Team No. 4:

Webster.....145	117
C. Saylor.....170	170
Miller.....156	163
Bob Hart.....148	148
Sanderson.....164	144
Paske.....146	145
Handicap.....144	144
Total.....1073	1031

The Forest service bowlers romped through the Medco five last night to take four straight games with a total of 2327 against 2198. The Economy Lumber and Walter Abbey five rolled tonight, as do the Mail Tribune and the Standard Roofers.

Individual scores last night:

Forest Service	1st	2nd	3rd	Total
Gill.....	156	175	176	507
Janouch.....	112	129	129	240
Johnson.....	162	153	146	461
Obye.....	104	121	115	240
Hankin.....	103	140	176	419
Jones.....	172	160	152	484
Handicap.....	18	18	18	54
Totals.....	704	767	806	2327

Medco:

1st	2nd	3rd	Total	
English.....	142	120	169	431
Schutt.....	85	111	100	296
Totals.....	227	231	269	727

## Fights Last Night

By the Associated Press. Denver—Emilio Martini, 176½, Denver, outpointed John Henry Lewis, 181, Phoenix, Ariz., (10).

Oakland, Calif.—Jim Thompson, 236, Oakland, Calif., stopped Jim Boy, 192, St. Paul, (2).

East Liverpool, O.—Vic Wicketta, 166, Pittsburgh, and Jimmy Brown, 169, Canton, O., drew, (10).

Cincinnati—Joe Mueller, 175, Cincinnati, outpointed Arch Feeveer, 166, Williamson, W. Va., (8).

## Catalina Open LURES BIG ENTRY

AVAILON, Cal., Jan. 30.—(AP) Santa Catalina Island surrendered to an invading army of golfers and fans today.

Drawn to the picturesque island playground by the Catalina \$5000 open tournament, 180 or more players were entered in today's first round of medal competition.

Practically the entire field of professionals which had been campaigning along California's winter tournament trail is here for the event. The winning pro will collect \$1500, with the purses split in 20 prizes.

Second-round 18-hole play will go on tomorrow, and the final 36 holes set for Saturday. A special professional women's event will be held Sunday.

## PACIFIC COAST SHOOT IN PORTLAND JULY 22

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 30.—(AP)—George Pick, president of the Portland Gun club, announced Portland again will be the scene of the Pacific coast trapshoot this year. Pick said he received word from O. N. Ford of Del Monte, Cal., director of the Pacific International Trapshoot association, that the event will be held here July 22 to 26.

## FANDOM AT RANDOM

By Dick Applegate

Medford's chances of defeating Grants Pass tomorrow and Saturday nights are only fair, according to Coach Bill Bowerman. True, Grants Pass dropped two games to Ashland by more lopsided votes than did the Tigers, and the Cave-men split a two-game series with Klamath Falls, as compared to two Tiger wins over the same outfit, but Bowerman has radically shifted his entire squad since the last game. "Frankly, I don't know how this team is going to turn out," Bowerman said today.

If Medford suffers a bad season in basketball this year, and it seems doubtful if they will, they will only be doing that which everyone expected them to do at the start of the season. Not many of the players out are basketball players yet, although all of them are vastly improved over what they were at the start of the year.

Coach Achison, over at the Junior high school, has developed a fine little team, and will be able to send some good players to Bowerman next year. The two coaches are using the same system, so that players from the Junior squad can step onto the varsity squad with a minimum of change in style.

With all the rain we've had here this month, at least the people of Medford can be reasonably certain that it won't be raining here in July and August.

Not so the Olympic Games committee in Germany. Fearful lest rain spoil many of the performances next summer, they have ordered thousands of showerproof paper raincoats, to sell at a few cents each, so that the spectators can watch in dry comfort. German officials have also ordered the scores of music played at the Olympic performances must be printed on rainproof paper.

Howard Hobson, Oregon basketball coach, says that his team has better than an even chance to defeat Washington when the two teams meet again in Eugene. Washington hasn't lost a game on her own floor this season, but starts out to play Oregon twice this week-end, and Oregon State twice next week, away from home. If they take Oregon just once, they are virtual cinches for the northwest title, and they have already dumped Stanford, leaders in the southern conference, twice in pre-season games.

SALEM, Ore., Jan. 30.—(AP)—The Salem reserve officers' pistol team won a close contest from the Eugene officers here last night. Salem won the seven-man match, 542 to 521, and the five-man event, 393 to 378.

## Bible Needed To Get Age Pension

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 30.—(AP) Mrs. Ella Paxson White of Oakland, Cal., asked Minneapolis police to find her a Bible. Not that there were no Bibles in Oakland, but she explained, the one she sought was the old family Bible in which her birth record was entered. She needed the record to qualify for an old-age pension and the Bible was left behind when the family moved in 1900.

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## Knickers Return Is Sad News For Warped Golfers

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—(AP)—Knickers are coming back in golf and you bow-legged fellows may as well make up your minds to like it. . . . the 1935 knockers will be less baggy than the old plus fours, but they'll be knickers-just the same.

For the die hards there'll be an innovation known as "knicker-slacks" . . . they are slacks amputated below the knee or knickers without a gathering belt or buckle to fasten them to the leg . . . you used to call them knee pants.

## SPORT SLANTS

By Pat

Willie Hoppe has at one time or another held every billiard title in the field. He rounded out the list when he defeated Welker Cochran for the three-cushion title in their recent challenge match. In winning over Cochran he demonstrated that, at 48, he is in his prime as a competitor, with the prospects for a long career still stretching ahead very bright indeed.

Many people realize that Hoppe has been a world billiard champion since 1907 and recite that fact glibly, but few realize how long ago that was in a sports way. Hoppe is pointed to as the sole survivor of the "Golden Age of Champions" when Bobby Jones, Big Bill Tilden, Jack Dempsey and Babe Ruth ruled the roost, but the fact is that the perennial "Boy Wonder" antedated all of these by many years as champion at 181 and 182 ball-line billiards. It is amazing that today, some 29 years after winning his first championship, he can go out and win the world three-cushion title for the first time.

Contemporary of Cobb

Back in 1907, the Wright brothers were still experimenting with flying machines and people were still convinced that they were crazy, at least so far as their dream of making the airplane a thing of practical value in transportation was concerned.

Ty Cobb won his first American league batting championship in 1907. His average was .330. By a strange coincidence, old Honus Wagner also batted .330 that year to win the National league championship. "Three-finger" Brown of the old Chicago Cubs led the National league pitchers, while Eddie Plank set the pace for hurlers in the American league. Babe Ruth was in an orphanage in Baltimore and Dizzy Dean had not been born.

Tad Jones was an all-America quarterback at Yale and the late Ted Coy had yet to win all-American honors in 1907. A field goal still counted

## ROOSEVELT ASKS CONGRESS STAND ON CONSERVATION

four points. Up in Cambridge the Harvard old grads were saying that Percy Haughton might make a good head coach of football for the Crimson if he got a chance.

That was a year before Mel Sheppard won the 800 and 1500-meter Olympic championships in London. Those 1908 victories stamped him as the most celebrated performer of his day.

He Takes Up Golf

Hoppe had his first title a couple of years before Harry Payne Whitney put the Waterbury brothers and a youngster named Devereux Milburn on the fleetest ponies he could find and went to England to win the Westchester cup from the British at Hurlingham. That was the first time the Americans won the famous international cup.

It is truly remarkable that Hoppe, in middle age, appears as good as ever after having been tops in a nerve-testing sport for many, many years. The answer is that he trains for an important billiard match just as any good athlete trains for competition.

Two years ago Hoppe took up golf and insists that the game has worked wonders with his legs. In fact, Jack Doyle, one of Hoppe's closest friends, says that the cue ace is in better condition right now than he has been for years, all of which he attributes to the golf he has played at St. Albans, on Long Island, the past two seasons.

Despite the fact that he has been contemporary of three or four generations of athletes his chances of outlasting most of the present day leading lights of the sports world appear extremely favorable.

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 30.—(AP)—The band played "Auf Wiedersehen," but the seamen hummed "Aloha" as the 500-foot German cruiser Emden headed for the open sea and Honolulu Wednesday after a nine-day visit in Portland.

It was the trim cruiser's only stop on the west coast, and 25,000 persons visited the craft docked in downtown Portland.

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means by which the federal government can co-operate in the common interest with the states and with such interstate agencies as may be established.

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