

# SPORTS

## MEDFORD STAGES LAST MINUTE DRIVE TO WIN, 22 TO 21

Coming from behind in the last two minutes of a rough, fast basketball game that saw the score knotted five times, the Medford Tigers last night outdrew the Grants Pass Cavemen on their own floor to annex a tight win, 22-21. With the vote standing 18-20 against the Tigers with but two minutes to go, Lewis dropped in a swisher to balance the count and Van Dyke followed his offering a few seconds later to bounce the locals into the lead, 22-20.

With 15 seconds left in the game the Climate City squad was awarded two free throws and a chance to balance the count. The first toss was good, but the second and deciding heave crumpled the hoop and glided out as the gun ended the game.

Grants Pass, sticking to the zone defense they employed the night before, again got away to an early lead, but the clawing Tigers overhauled them time after time. On the small Grants Pass floor, Coach Bowerman of Medford was evidently fearful of using his "Sophomore Shocks," and made only two substitutions during the fray. None of the Tiger offensive efforts were outstanding.

Van Dyke, playing his second regular game of the season, was high point man for the Tigers with 8 points, overshadowed only by Harard, Caveman forward, who annexed nine. The victory gave Medford her fourth win of the regular season as coach Bowerman, who also used the same lineup with Jackson and Lindley as substitutes.

Medford was in the front at half time, 10-6, but lost their marginal lead before the end of the third frame when they trailed 16-15. The locals worked set-ups frequently, maneuvering the ball into shooting territory, but missed wide open shots with regularity.

Grow and Ettinger were the only substitutes used by Bowerman, the starting lineup being the same as for Friday's game. Grants Pass also used the same lineup with Jackson and Lindley as substitutes.

## JUNIORS BOW TO ROSEBURG QUINT

The Medford Junior high school Bulldogs, after leading the Roseburg Juniors 10-7 at half time, apparently dozed off in the second half of their encounter last night on the Senior high floor and dropped a rough game, 16-11.

The Roseburg squad, playing with the smoothness of a good high school team, so efficiently checked the Bulldogs in the second half that the Bulldogs garnered only one digit—on a gift leave by Prentice. Passing of the locals was rugged, and fumbles marred their floor game.

In the opener the Junior "Toy Bulldogs" of Medford continued their winning streak by scraping out a 23-22 victory over the Central Point 9th and 10th graders in a close, exciting game.

## SONS LOSE, 43-31, TO WILLAMETTE

SALEM, Ore., Feb. 1.—(AP)—Willamette University's basketballers turned the tables on Southern Oregon Normal in a fast and rough game here tonight to win 43 to 31. It was the fourth game between these teams and left them all even with two victories each.

The in-and-out Bearcats, looking tonight as they did when they downed Union Oil recently, held an 11 point lead before the teachers scored and were ahead 30 to 11 at half-time. The second half was almost a free-for-all that brought the total of personal fouls to 34 for the game.

Jerry Gastineau, Willamette forward, led scoring with 11 points.

## CAGE GAME INVENTOR GOING TO OLYMPICS

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—(UP)—A drive to send Dr. James A. Naismith, originator of basketball, to the 1936 Olympic games was believed assured of success tonight as hundreds of schools pledged their cooperation. Members of the National Association of Basketball Coaches have designated February 7-15 as "National Naismith Week." Every high school, college and university in the nation has been asked to set aside one game during that week as "Naismith games."

One cent will be taken from each admission. The money will be used to send Dr. Naismith and his wife to the Olympics and found a small annuity for them.

## STOEFFEN, TENNIS STAR TO WED FILM ACTRESS

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 1.—(UP)—Lester Stoeffen, tennis star, and Ruth Henkelts, movie film actress, filed notice of intention to wed here today. They plan to be married Wednesday in Hollywood. Stoeffen, former amateur star who turned pro, is 26 and Miss Moody 18.

## HUSKIES DEFEAT OREGON CAGEMEN IN FOURTH GAME

ENGENE, Ore., Feb. 1.—(AP)—The University of Washington maintained its unblemished record in conference basketball tonight by defeating the University of Oregon in a fast game 35 to 31.

The victory was Washington's fourth over Oregon this year and left the Huskies atop the Northern division of the Pacific Coast conference with six wins and no defeats.

Tonight's game was considerably different from the 42 to 23 trouncing the Huskies handed the Webfoots Friday. Washington was hard-pressed much of the way but led throughout. Half-time score was 21 to 16.

A last-half rally by a hithe-to-untied combination almost gave Oregon a lead but the Huskies' clever and conservative coaching in the final three minutes kept the threat. The Webfoots, trailing, 31 to 21, spurred to a 35 to 31 score late in the game. Five first stringers were rushed in but the Oregon line was unable to break up Washington's defensive tactics sufficiently to score.

The Oregon Giants came back to within one point of the Huskies twice in the first half after the northerners had piled up a lead.

The Webfoots appeared much more able to withstand Washington's break-neck pace tonight and kept the crowd on edge throughout the final half when the gap was slowly closed. Loverich, Husky forward, was high scorer with 15 points, 14 of them on field goals.

Washington's next game is with the Oregon State Beavers, defenders of the northern division title, at Corvallis February 3.

The lineups and summary: Washington (35) FG FT TP Loverich, lf 7 1 15

EGE, rf 2 2 6 Bishop, c 1 1 3 Wagner, lg 1 1 3 McKinstry, rf 3 2 8 Patterson, rf 0 0 0 Totals 14 7 25

Oregon (31) FG FT TP Liebowitz, lf 3 3 9 Howell, lf 0 0 0 B. Jones, rf 1 0 2 W. Jones, rf 0 0 0 Silver, c 4 1 9 Patterson, c 0 0 0 Bourke, lg 1 1 3 Courtney, lg 0 0 0 Lewis, lf 2 2 6 McLean, rf 0 0 0 Scott, rf 0 0 0 Totals 11 9 31

Personal fouls: Ege 3, Bishop, Wagner 4, McKinstry 2, Patterson, Liebowitz 2, B. Jones, Bourke 3, Howell. Free throws missed: Loverich 2, Wagner 3, McKinstry, B. Jones, and Bourke 2. Referee: Coleman, Corvallis. Umpire: Henegess, Portland.

## ROOSEVELT QUINT TIGHTENS LOOP LEAD

In a preliminary encounter to the Medford-Grants Pass game here Friday night, the Roosevelt grade school five under Coach Guy Davis clinched their lead in the city grammar school league by thumping a scrappy little Washington school team, 30-15.

Quintette, long-legged Roosevelt pivot man, was outstanding for his team and ran up high total for the game with 11 digits. Carson, little guard for the Washington aggregation, was outstanding for his team, both in shooting and floor work, getting seven points.

Lineup: Roosevelt Washington Reynolds (7) F (1) Stated Pascoe (2) F (1) Moly Scott Gunnette (11) C (4) Merl Scott Morrow (2) G (2) Holbrook Leonard (5) G (7) Carson

## PHOENIX BASKETEERS TRIM CENTRAL POINT

Rambling through the Central Point high school defense with ease, the Phoenix high basketballers Friday night slammed out a lop-sided 34-13 victory. Leading 14-5 at half time, the Phoenix lads, with Newlin and Hill as the spearheads, scored 20 markers in the last two cantos to eight for Central Point.

Central Point's second string evened the count in the opener when they ran up a 27-8 victory over the Phoenix seconds.

Starting varsity lineups: Phoenix—Central Point—Hill (12) F Croptinger Newlin (12) F (4) Lawrence Jacobs (4) C (4) Orimes Purry (4) G (3) Jewett Metteloids (2) G Lathrop (2) Hood

## AMERICAN GIRL LEADS SKATERS IN STOCKHOLM

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 1.—(AP)—Kitt Klein, America's No. 1 woman speed skater, came through with two victories today to take a commanding lead over rivals from six other nations at the opening of the women's world speed skating championships. The 20-year-old girl won as expected in the 500-meter race and then upset the pre-race calculations by turning in the fastest time for the 3000-meter event.

## CAGE STAR FOR OREGON STATERS



Robert W. Bergstrom of Astoria, Ore., is a veteran guard on the Oregon State College basketball squad. (Associated Press Photo)

## MEDFORD QUINT RALLIES TO TAKE CAVEMEN 35 TO 23

The Medford Tigers, paced by the brilliant basket shooting of little Ray Lewis, came from behind Friday night to snipe the Grants Pass five under, 35-23. The Tigers got away to a faltering start, trailing 6-1 shortly after the end of the first quarter when Coach Bowerman sent his "Sophomore Shocks," second-year reserve team, into the fray.

The Cavemen quickly added two more baskets and a free throw to put the vote at 11-1, where it stood when the varsity returned to the game with four minutes left in the half. Baker sank a long heave, and Van Dyke feeding beautiful assists to Lewis, the Medford forward tallied 9 points before the half, when the score was tied at 14-11, 12 points being scored in the four minutes.

An outstanding feature of the game was Van Dyke's work at forward and Lewis' accuracy at the net. Finding, in the early part of the game, that he was not "on," Van Dyke devoted the rest of the game to feeding shots to Lewis, with the result that Lewis tallied 24 points during the evening, the highest single tally of any man so far this year.

At the end of the third quarter, the locals were in the vanguard 21-18, and completely dominated the play from that point forward. Using a shifting, weaving offense, the Tigers broke Lewis into the open time and time again, the sharp-shooting forward sinking most of the offerings and picking up five baskets by following the ball in and picking it off the backboard.

With four minutes left in the game, the Tigers were leading 33-21. Coach Bowerman sent the Shocks back on at this point. Grants Pass picked up one basket, and McKee, Shock forward, dropped a swisher to end the scoring.

Holloway and Harard were tied for scoring honors for the Climate City squad, each grabbing six points. Holloway was outstanding both for his floor work and his defensive efforts. Bowerman used three complete teams, with Grants Pass sending in only one substitute, Madden, who tallied four markers.

Lineups: Medford—Grants Pass—Lewis (24) F (6) Holloway Van Dyke (3) F (6) Harard Hayes (2) C (4) Coffey Baker (4) G (2) Stokes Lindley G (3) Jackson Substitutions, Medford: McKee (2), Childers, Crow, Santo, Ettinger, Bowman, Verhick, Pitt, Reich, Dickey, Grants Pass: Madden (4).

## HUSKY CROSS COUNTRY SKIERS WIN 4 PLACES

YOSEMITE, Calif., Feb. 1.—(AP)—The University of Washington won all four places in the four-mile cross country race at the opening of the Pacific Coast Inter-Collegiate Ski tournament here today.

## WRESTLING CARD IS TOPS FOR YEAR

"The best wrestling card of the year" is the way Promoter Mack Lillard and most of the Medford wrestling fraternity, describe tomorrow's three-star card at the Armory, when Dude Chick meets the Arkansas hoodlum, Ken Hollis, in the main event. Neither man has ever lost a bout in this city, and neither man is willing to grant any vestige of superiority to the other, although Chick's larist spin, his airplane scissors, his flying shoulder butt and his step-over shoulder bar are expected to give him the advantage over his boisterous rival.

Bob Kennaston, pride of Gold Hill will provide the excitement in the middle event when he swaps punches with Frank Taylor, handsome and powerful University of Ohio grappler. Taylor has not lost a match here in three appearances, while Kennaston lost to Chick on a foul last week, and is anxious to redeem himself.

An all-meante event will open the program, when Tiger Taskoff tangles with Max Glover, Detroit tough baby who made his first appearance here last week.

## BOWLING

The Economy Lumber bowlers last night thumped the Abbey Motors five by a 4-0 shutout, while the Mail Tribune and the Standard Roofers failed to be content with a tie.

Individual showings: Economy Lumber Larsen 150 145 168 483 McCormick 159 158 173 490 C. Overmeyer 168 151 150 440 Rogers 192 137 157 489 Jennings 144 158 145 444 Totals 818 726 818 2382

Abbey Motors Johnson 121 136 130 387 Abbey 142 95 122 360 N. Thornton 126 135 155 448 Boykin 153 136 171 460 Peterson 103 105 125 333 Handicap 50 50 50 150 Totals 728 658 753 2286

Mail Tribune Ferguson 198 157 144 499 Murray 169 160 155 484 Brayton 125 163 155 447 Saylor 145 152 150 447 Sada 205 234 180 619 Handicap 5 5 5 15 Totals 847 871 784 2482

Standard Roofers Joe Burroughs 145 145 161 541 Semon 178 153 171 502 Walsh 190 160 178 528 Jerry Burroughs 136 187 168 491 Daly 181 187 181 550 Handicap 18 18 18 54 Totals 831 852 847 2510

## WRESTLING MEDFORD ARMY Monday Nite

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Frank Taylor vs. Bob Kennaston

"Tiger" Taskoff vs. Max Glover

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## ROGUE SNOWMEN WILL SKI TODAY; LAKE ROAD OPEN

About half the members of the Rogue Snowmen will go today to Crater lake national park for a sports frolic while the other half will participate as individuals in the weekend tournament being sponsored at Mt. Shasta by the California Ski association.

At their meeting in the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce Friday night the Rogue Snowmen made tentative plans for a club tournament at Crater later in the month. The club has held up its tournament plans because the highway leading from Medford to the park resort has been closed in recent weeks between Diamond Lake Junction and the west entrance.

The highway is now open for one-way traffic, the state snowplow having reached the scene of the road blockade after a difficult journey from Klamath Falls which involved a collision with an automobile in Ashland.

William Montgomery, park ranger, came to Medford yesterday over Crater lake highway. He reported that the road was open, saying he got through without difficulty. Although only one lane has been plowed, numerous turn-outs have been provided to permit the passing of cars, he said. Weather at the lake resort yesterday was clear and brisk, with ski conditions good, he stated.

The U. S. forest service was counting upon a large turnout of sports enthusiasts in the forest domain at Union Creek where a ski slide has been provided.

## DISCOVERY CLEANS UP ON SANTA ANITA TRACK

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 1.—(AP)—Discovery, the 1935 champion of the American turf, made his 1936 debut today at Santa Anita by winning the \$5,000 added San Carlos handicap at a mile and one-sixteenth. The big horse of the Alfred G. Vanderbilt stable started 15 lengths behind his five rivals and finished five lengths in front of his nearest competitor.

Ariel Cross was second and Beefsteak third. Head Play, starting outside the gate, was fourth.

The time, on a sloppy field, was 1:42.3. Discovery was the odds-on favorite in the betting and paid \$2.20, \$2.80 and \$2.40. A-1-Cross rewarded with \$3 and \$2.80, and Beefsteak paid \$4.20.

## AMERICAN SKATER IS FIRST IN SWITZERLAND

DAYOS, Switzerland, Feb. 1.—(AP)—Barely recovered from an attack of influenza, Delbert Lamb, 21-year-old landscape artist from Milwaukee, defeated the premier speed skaters of 13 nations at 500 meters today and gave the United States an even break with Norway for the first two individual titles of the world championships.

Lamb flashed across the finish line in 42.6 seconds, equaled as Thunberg's listed world record for the distance and defeated his nearest rival, Hans Engenstangen of Norway, by three-tenths of a second.

## IDAHO FRESHMEN SCORE 46-45 WIN OVER W. S. C.

PULLMAN, Wash., Feb. 1.—(AP)—A free throw after the final gun by Jerry Stevens, star guard, gave the University of Idaho freshmen a 46 to 45 basketball victory over the Washington State yearlings here tonight.

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## HUNTER CAPTURES ISLAND GOLF COIN

AVALON, Calif., Feb. 1.—(AP)—Cracking par by a dozen strokes in 72 holes of medal play, Willie Hunter of Culver City, Calif., won the Santa Catalina Island \$5000 open golf meet today with a total score of 252.

His score of 64-62-62-64 was worth \$1500. Last Monday he collected better than \$1500 first money in the San Francisco open.

Tied in second place with 255, were Ted Longworth, 200-pound pro from Portland, Ore., and Rod Munday, Santa Rosa, Calif.

Ray Mangrum, Pittsburgh, who thrilled the gallery with a hole-in-one in the first round, finished third with 257.

Johnny Dawson, crack Chicagoan, won the amateur trophy with 260, beating out young Don Erickson, Los Angeles city champion, by one blow.

## CITY TRIES TO SNARE BEER PARLOR OWNER BY BOUNDARY CHANGE

GARDNER, Kan. (UP)—S. V. Wolf, 68, beer garden operator, and the Gardner city council have been playing a peculiar game of checkers the past several months.

Two months ago he opened a beer parlor and immediately began a flourishing business selling the beverage at all hours of the day and night. Citizens protested so the council enacted an ordinance prohibiting the sale of beer between midnight Saturday and midnight Sunday.

Wolf moved his place just outside the city limits and continued to sell beer 24 hours a day seven days a week. The council again was besieged by complaining citizens and after considerable discussion decided the only way to meet the problem was to extend the city limits.

The council petitioned the county court to extend the boundary lines. If this is done Wolf will have to move again.

## VANDALS RALLY WINS, 33-30 OVER COUGARS

PULLMAN, Wash., Feb. 1.—(P)—A brilliant second half rally brought the Idaho Vandals a 33 to 30 victory over a favored Washington State college quintet tonight after trailing, 21 to 15, at half-time. The victory was Idaho's first in seven coast conference games.

## GIL DOBIE RESIGNS AS CORNELL HEAD COACH

ITHACA, N. Y., Feb. 1.—(AP)—Gilmour Dobie voluntarily joined the ranks of football's unemployed today. Simultaneously Cornell's new athletic administration announced it was in the market for the job as head coach.

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## SIX MAIN CHANGES RECOMMENDED BY GRIDIRON COACHES

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 1.—(AP)—Striving for greater uniformity in football, the rules committee of the American Football Coaches' association tonight recommended six sweeping changes, including abolition of both the "slow whistle" and the first down penalty for interference with a kicker.

The 30 coaches attending the all-day committee meeting further recommended that players be numbered on the front and back of their jerseys; that the rule on ineligible players going down under passes be clarified and that the firing of the pistol to signal the end of the game be observed universally.

The other recommendation suggested that smaller institutions sometimes find the expense of four officials a burden. The coaches proposed that, in such cases institutions be allowed to designate a person acceptable to both teams to keep time and tabulate substitutions.

The recommendations will be submitted to the national collegiate A. A. rules committee, football's law-makers, at a meeting in Palm Springs, Calif., February 14 to 16.

## LITERARY OUTPUT FOUND BARREN OF MOVIE MATERIAL

NEW YORK.—(UP)—The myriad of technical details which are represented in a suspension bridge, of other great construction, are manifest in many ways in the American film industry's process of selecting literary material which will be the basis of tomorrow's entertainment on motion picture screens of the world.

Like architects and engineers contemplating plans for their work, story buyers must know the facilities of their company and various aptitudes of their stars before they begin their job of finding suitable new story material.

So it is evident that while billions of words get into print each year, a major picture company has to consider thousands of angles before it can begin to negotiate for a single story properly. For instance, story experts for Paramount in New York are confident that the literary fields of the entire universe will yield slightly under 10,000 subjects which will merit attention of film producers as potential screen material during 1936.

This knowledge of the literary market, acquired after years of intensive study and reading, seemingly lessens the aching and calculating task of a screen story buyer. The average studio produces between 60 and 75 features annually. This means constant vigil and highest judgment and box office discernment on the part of story experts. For each picture a company makes the buyers have to reject some 150 other hooks, plays and nondescript stories that lend themselves to the screen.

To the average public motion picture producer are comedy, drama or musical; not so, however, to screen buyers. The same story would not lend itself, for example to Mae West or Harold Lloyd. Thus for early 1936 story men picked "The Milky Way," a farcical comedy, for Harold Lloyd, and "Klondike Lou," a melodramatic comedy, for Mae West.

The same delicate classifications are found among screen dramas. Musicals for the screen are differentiated just as carefully by story men as comedies and dramas.

## FARMERS' AUTOMOBILE Inter-Insurance Exchange

FINANCIAL STATEMENT As of JANUARY 1, 1936 ASSETS

Cash	\$1,039,101.91
Government Bonds	120,276.27
Municipal and Corporate Bonds	820,545.68
Preferred Stocks	42,010.90
Premiums in Course of Collection	99,165.27
Prepaid Reinsurance Premiums	2,824.03
Interest Due and Accrued	6,280.25
NET ASSETS	\$2,158,406.23

Market value of bonds on December 31, 1935, was \$35,258.27 in excess of these figures.	
LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS	
Reserve for Claims in Process of Adjustment	\$ 642,887.49
Reserve for Adjustment Expense	68,524.35
Reserve for Administration Expenses	26,478.94
Reserve for Accrued Taxes	92,817.07
Reserve for Reinsurance Premiums	878.21
Reserve for Unearned Premium	870,530.05
SURPLUS	451,178.18
Total	\$2,158,406.23

A CONSISTENT RECORD OF PROGRESS

Year	Assets	Net Surplus	Net Premiums	Total	Total
1928	\$ 170,668	\$54,331	\$43,334	\$ 268,333	\$ 66,710
1929	492,620	102,291	203,330	798,241	749,328
1930	841,545	118,416	104,830	1,064,791	1,098,971
1931	931,594	159,129	117,734	1,208,457	1,338,405
1932	1,068,855	321,783	178,207	1,568,845	1,716,701
1933	1,371,470	301,274	360,458	1,933,202	1,859,482
1934	1,887,983	357,051	718,292	2,963,326	2,189,530
1935	2,153,498	451,176	876,938	3,481,612	2,587,029

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