

Champion Belcastro Tangles With Norman Mack on Tonight's Card

AGILE GRAPPLER RETURNS AFTER WORK IN FILMS

Karasick and Arabian Meet in Middle Event — Studious Dr. Cosneck to Face Marsh in Opening Go

Peter Belcastro, Pacific coast junior heavyweight wrestling champion, who has been basking in the southern California sun and doing stand-in work in motion pictures, again takes up the wrestling game when he tangles with Norman Mack, deceptive and rough Oklahoma grappler in the top bout of Promoter Mack Lillard's weekly mat show at the Armory tonight. The big Italian champ declares himself in the best condition of his career, and anxious to renew a favorable impression on the Medford wrestling family.

The middle main event is another outstanding match, with Al Karasick, burly Russian Lion, meeting Prince Mihailias, Arabian nobleman. Karasick has lost but few matches in the Medford ring, and has intimidated that he doesn't intend starting on the downhill slide tonight. Karasick's rib-cracking bear hug and his cruel Boston crab will be his main weapons, pitted against Mihailias' camel lock and dragon scissors. Both of the gladiators are known as merciless when they have an opponent at a disadvantage, and the bout is expected to be a wild one.

Dr. Barney Cosneck, Ph.D. from the University of Illinois, will dust off all his academic and ring lore in an attempt to flatten the third rounder to Medford, big Joe Marsh, roughhouse artist from Missouri. The match will be the second on the coast for Marsh, who has just invaded this territory seeking new laurels after a highly successful tour of the east and south. A powerful man, Marsh is said to favor the rough type of muscle mauling, and has already indicated that he does not intend sparing the horses in taking a win in his first appearance here.

Cosneck, who can get rough himself when the occasion seems to demand, will be wrestling his second performance here. Last week he took the measure of the fire-eating Mike Caddock when that worthy intolced the metal of his man and tried to beat the professor to death. It took Cosneck just 11 minutes to take the two falls.

The first two bouts will be under the Australian system of rounds, with the main event under the American rules of best two-out-of-three falls. The curtain rings up on the opener promptly at 8:30, and Lillard has stated that advance ticket sales indicate that unless the weather breaks off into a small blizzard before tonight, the best crowd of the year will be in attendance.

He's Scholarly Wrestler



Dr. Barney Cosneck, Ph.D. University of Illinois, who meets big Joe Marsh on the opening match at the Armory card tonight. Cosneck, cast in the role of lion tamer with the task of subduing the reputedly rough Marsh, has expressed his confidence in his own ability to handle any situation that might arise. Seldom showing anything but hot-headed retaliation for dirty treatment in the ring, Cosneck, paradoxically enough, did not go out for football during his college career because he considered the game "too rough."

FANDOM —AT— RANDOM

By DICK APLEGATE

Anyone who hasn't visited the Medford Gun club grounds beyond the airport lately should take a run out there and have a peek at it some time, if they're at all interested in that sort of thing. Since the big state shoot held here last year the Medford club has been known as a progressive one, and they're anxious to retain that status.

By saying that they're not letting any grass grow under their feet, we could bring in the fact that President T. E. Daniels and Harry Eldon, firing in a squad of six with only five posts to shoot from, were taking turns standing on the ground that is being prepared for grass, but that would be a pun. The point is that new grass is being planted in many different places, new screens have been put up to protect the spectators from flying bits of clay from shattered targets, and the entire grounds are being beautified.

Said Pres. Daniels: "We want to keep improving our grounds until we have the finest in the state, and then these visiting shooters will carry away a good impression. We're not through improving the grounds by a long way yet."

Spring football is being started at the high school today, weather permitting. Coach Bowerman has said that there will probably be no scrimmage, but that the time will be spent in learning next year's plays, and in fundamentals. There will be much calisthenic drilling, and the "daily down" to get the men into some semblance of condition. Most of them will work through the summer, and the start now is expected to have them in fine condition for opening of festivities next fall. "I don't believe in too much straight football in the spring," Coach Bowerman said, but added that there will probably be touch football, and possibly a light scrimmage game at the end of the spring session.

Prince Mihailias, who wrestles Al Karasick at the Armory tonight, claims to be a true Arabian nobleman. Born in Bagdad, Arabia, in 1910, he is the grandson of Caliph Ibn Ali Hassan Mihailias. He left Arabia at the age of seven and came to California where he attended an American school in San Francisco, and attended the English university at Kuwait.

He majored in chemistry and physics with a bit of archeology, but much of his interest was centered in wrestling. During his college career he wrestled much, and when he graduated a bachelor of science, he took up the game. Before leaving Arabia he was champion of the country in the all-weight division, which is tame.

He has toured Europe, meeting and defeating many men of great ability. He features holds that are rather different from the run of the mill American stuff, he says, specializing in his camel lock and the dragon scissors.

He sports a jeweled turban which is a rank of quality in his country, and he carries a prayer rug into the ring, which he spreads out and kneels

MENDENHALL HIGH WITH 97 'BIRDS' IN SUNDAY SHOOT

S. G. Mendenhall shattered 97 birds from 16 yards in the 100-target match at the Medford Gun club traps yesterday to take high honors in that event, with George Jantzer hot on his trail with 96 for second place. C. A. Dunn of Klamath Falls splattered 47 out of 50 to take high gun in the handicap event, with Dr. C. W. Lemery and Jack Porter tied for second with 48. In the shoot-off for secondary honors, Porter knocked 25 straight birds in the head, Lemery trailing with 22.

In the doubles event, Jantzer nabbed first prize by smashing 22 out of 12 pair. In the team shoot Jack Porter's Reds nosed out Dr. Edward Durno's Blues, 674 to 645. Mendenhall, Lemery, Jack Porter and T. E. Daniels took trophies in the 100-target 16-yard event, added bird system.

The scores at 100 targets:

Broke	Add	Tl.	
S. G. Mendenhall	97	0	97
C. W. Lemery	91	6	97
Jack Porter	91	6	97
T. E. Daniels	85	2	97
Geo. Jantzer	86	0	96
Chas. Monaghan	92	4	96
Dr. Bishop	81	15	96
John Tomlin	89	7	96
Geo. Porter	90	6	96
Elmer Wilson	93	1	94
Wm. Young	94	10	94
Dr. Durno	83	11	94
Ray Coleman	93	1	94
E. H. Brayton	88	5	93
F. M. Craig	91	2	93
Chas. Woods	80	13	93
O. O. Alenderfer	80	13	93
W. W. Bates	89	3	92
Roland Hubbard	76	16	92
C. A. Dunn	68	4	92

Handicap:

C. A. Dunn	47
Jack Porter	45
C. W. Lemery	45
Geo. Jantzer	44
Chas. Monaghan	44
E. R. Durno	44
Bill Bates	42
E. H. Brayton	42
T. E. Daniels	42
Geo. Porter	41
Wm. Young	41
John Tomlin	41
O. O. Alenderfer	38

Scores in the team shoot:

Capt. Jack Porter's Reds	48
S. G. Mendenhall	48
Geo. L. Jantzer	48
T. E. Daniels	47
C. W. Lemery	46
Jack Porter	46
Chas. Monaghan	45
Everett Brayton	45
John Tomlin	45
Harry Eldon	45
Bill Bates	44
H. Creasant	43
M. C. Gleason	42
Chas. Woods	38
Roland Hubbard	36
Dr. Thayer	35

Total 674
Capt. Eddie Durno's Blues, Sid Newton 40

All-State Again



Ted Sarpola, flashy Astoria forward, who won a place on the all-state basketball team named by officials of the state high school tournament completed Saturday in Salem. It was the third successive year in which Sarpola had won the honor. He was also voted the most valuable man to his team.

F. M. Craig 48
Ray Coleman 46
Clarence Eads 46
E. R. Durno 44
Elmer Wilson 44
Geo. Porter 44
Ed Pease 43
Ed Lampont 43
Wm. Young 43
W. C. Bishop 40
Jas. F. Moore 40
Ron DeVore 38
R. C. Cook 34

Total 645
At sheet two visiting shooters from Redding, Calif., took high honors. The scores at sheet:

Mr. Wyatt	34
Mr. Olsen	24
Ray Coleman	20
Jim Moore	20
C. A. Dunn	20
Dr. Lemery	20
Ron DeVore	17
Geo. Jantzer	15
McAllister	11
Harry Eldon	10

Medford gunners again turned in a perfect score of 75 in the Oregonian telegraphic tournament. Those

GOLF CLUB NAMES OFFICERS TONIGHT

Election of officers and other important matters will come before the meeting tonight of the board of directors of the Rogue River Valley Golf Association. It was announced today. Among the important matters to be discussed will be the advisability of building an addition to the present club house so that social functions can be held there, and the club house can become a center of attraction during the summer. Improvement of the grounds, and a drive for new members will also be discussed at the meeting, which was described as of paramount importance.

The board of directors is made up of Harry McMahon, president, and Raymond Beter, Eugene Thordike, William Lydard, John Tomlin, C. J. Semon and Roy Pruitt. The last two were named to the board last week.

COLLEGE BOXER FATALLY HURT

SACRAMENTO, Calif., March 23.—(AP)—Funeral services will be arranged today for Judson Hobart, 17-year old University of California at Los Angeles student, who died yesterday from head injuries received in a college boxing match.

The youth in a final bout for the Pacific coast inter-collegiate welterweight championship, was knocked out by Robert Bates of Washington State college. Bates was absolved from all blame by Assistant District Attorney J. Francis O'Shea, who witnessed the match.

Hobart suffered a basal skull fracture, physicians at Sutter hospital said, caused not when punched but on hitting the floor of the ring. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hobart of Sacramento, were spectators at the fatal fight.

The young boxer never regained consciousness, dying several hours after being carried from the ring.

BIRTHS

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Gutches, 310 North Bartlett street, a boy, weighing 10 1/2 pounds, March 22 at the Community hospital.

KLAMATH TAKES BOWLING PURSE FROM EADS FIVE

The Eads Transfer bowling team of this city is 100 bucks poorer and 1000 times smarter than they were before they accepted the challenge of the Kern Hotel bowlers from Klamath Falls several weeks ago. The whole mess started last month when Eads took an inter-city clash that had been supposedly "in the bag" for the Klamathites.

Apparently enraged at such temerity the Kern bunch challenged the locals for a 10-game series, five to be played in each city, for a \$100 side bet. The Eads outfit edged out the Kerns first at Klamath, by five pins. They believed they could easily win on their own courts, but yesterday dropped the last five games by 75 points, the series and the 100 berries going to Klamath by 70 pins.

It may be said that the locals did not bow up to form, and the Klamathites bowled beautifully, but that knowledge offers little balm to the bruised wallets of the Eads bunch.

In the open play yesterday evening, Medford bowlers made a clean sweep when Eads and Pruitt, members of the Eads team, took first in the first double event with a 1115, noosing out Saylor and Murray and Antle and Franklin, who took second and third.

In the second doubles Antle and Franklin annexed first place with 1225. Daily and Mann of Medford were second with 1137, and Harmon and Rechar of Grants Pass took third with 1096. In the singles Haight of Klamath Falls was high with 557, and Franklin of Medford was next with 563.

In the three-team sweepstakes, the Klamath Falls All-Stars grabbed high honors with a 2596, the Grants Pass Rogues were second with 2501, and the Medford Concrete Construction company brought up the rear with 2532.

Scores in the \$100 match game:

Kern Hotel	
Wilson	203 169 225 183 108 978
Geiger	170 171 184 188 211 919
Ward	184 166 163 227 165 907
Ross	152 179 135 168 212 846
Strong	199 194 236 202 175 1006
Total	910 879 943 963 981 4656

Eads Transfer	
Frank'n	214 175 181 182 221 973
Sims	172 136 185 157 187 837
Antle	192 182 193 169 201 937
Pruitt	213 187 198 224 158 980
Eads	187 158 202 181 156 834
Total	948 838 959 913 923 4581

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ST. LOUIS, March 23.—(AP)—The death bed request of Mrs. William A. Allmeroth that Miss Florence J. Lasmelle, an intimate friend, care for her two children, will be fulfilled. Mr. Allmeroth and Miss Lasmelle will be married April 2.

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ST. LOUIS BOWLER SETS FAST PAGE

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 22.—(UP)—Lou Exler of St. Louis, Mo., bowled a nine game total of 1940 Sunday afternoon to go into first place in the all-events program in the American Bowling congress here. Exler edged out Louie Levine of Cleveo, who held a total of 1941.

In the doubles, Exler teamed with Leonard Springmeyer for a total of 1262 and second place, and Hubert Exler hit a 664 for seventh in the singles.

William Miksaell of Lansing, Mich., hung up a 698 for the best singles mark of the day, placing him fifth among the high 10. Exler hit a 659 in the singles.

Two changes in the all-events standings occurred. H. Arndt of Cudahy, Wis., went into sixth place with 1858, and Chaffield of Albany, N. Y., landed in ninth with 1851.

WADDELL HIGH ON OUTDOOR TARGETS

Iran Waddell was high man on the outdoor range of the Medford Rifle association yesterday afternoon, turning in a score of 889. Ed Lull with a 885, and C. R. Richmond and Pete Pomeroy with 885 were all grouped close in the firing.

Individual scores:

50-yds.	100-yds.	Tl.	
Iran Waddell	184	195	359
Ed Lull	196	189	383
C. R. Richmond	180	194	383
Pete Pomeroy	194	189	383
R. L. Edwards	180	188	377
Fred Sander	180	181	370
Otto Howard	181	189	370
Ray Watkins	180	181	370
I. C. Daley	183	181	364
C. Gutches	163	174	339

CORVALLIS CCC QUINT DISTRICT CHAMPIONS

VANCOUVER, Wash., March 23.—(AP)—The Baker, Ore., CCC quintet fell before a fast Corvallis Ore., five here Saturday night, 28 to 21. Corvallis won the basketball championship of the Vancouver district and will meet the titlist of the Fort Lewis CCC hoop tourney later.

DAFFY JOINS DIZZY IN RETURN TO FOLD; WAGES KEPT SECRET

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