Battle Royal To Decide Opponents In Tonight's Grappling Card

TRIO OF MEANIES WILL FACE THREE WHO FIGHT CLEAN

First Two Downed Will Meet In Preliminary—Next Two In Semi-Final—Remaining Pair In Main Go.

There will be 1168 pounds of raw wrestling meat, and 425 pounds of referee tissue in the Armory ring tonight at 8:30 for the opening gong of the second battle royal ever held here. That tonnage is expected to be decreased rapidly as the battling behemoths throw each other out into the assembled witnesses.

Of the six wrestlers, Billy "The Bully" Burns will have the greatest effect on the Fairbanks. He carries 205 pounds of heft. Joe Hubka, at 198, will be next heaviest, with Pete Belcatro third with 195 pounds. Les Wolfe, Jimmy Goodrich and Gene Moore average 190 each.

The huskiest man in the ring will be Referee Ray Friskie, at 215 pounds, with his cohort, Swede Anderson, weighing 210. There is some question as to whether the wounded troops, or the ring, will do the loudest groaning.

The battle has all the elements making for an evening of excitement. Three meanies and three purists will be in the melee or whirling arms and legs, snarling and biting, with speculation still ony that as to whether the meanies will play lone hands or gather together under a common flag to protect themselves from murder.

Several little grudges are expected to be settled in the general dog fighting. Les Wolfe, knocked out by Pete Belcastro in a boxing match at Klamath Falls two weeks ago, is hopeful of a chance for revenge. So is Gene Moore, victim of a Belcastro haymaker here last week. Hubka, who apparently had Wolfe beat in a recent match only to lose to dirty methods, has no desire to take advantage of anyone but will not be overscrupulous about busting Wolfe in the nose if he gets a good set-up.

Unlike the previous battle royal held here, there will be three regulation matches after the dust of the opening whirlwind has died away. The first two men eliminated will return for the opening match, the second two will be the middle eventers, and the survivers will bustle and hug in the main event, each match to be to a one-fall finish, no time limit.

Interest in the struggle is great. Promoter Mack Lillard stated today that tickets were going so rapidly it had been necessary to install an extra row of seats around the ground floor sections. New seats have been ordered but have not yet arrived, so the extra chairs tonight will be rented.

CHICAGO BEARS KEEP UNDEFEATED STATUS

CHICAGO, Oct. 19.—(AP)—It was the Chicago Bears against the field today in the national professional football league race, with the powerful Green Bay Packers the standout "dark horse."

"Qualifying as "the team to beat," the Bears yesterday won their fifth consecutive league tilt by whipping Pittsburgh, eastern division leader, 26 to 7. As the Packers bowled over the champion Detroit Lions in a 20 to 18 thriller, the Bears today were the only undefeated team in the circuit.

Boston defeated Philadelphia's Eagles 17 to 7, and New York trounced the Chicago Cardinals 14 to 6.

Oakland Member Of Hockey League

OAKLAND, Calif., Oct. 19.—(AP)—Oakland entered the Pacific coast professional ice hockey league today.

Dick Munder, secretary of the newly-formed Oakland club, announced that agreements had been reached with Don Allen, Jr., attorney for the Oakland ice arena, for exercise of the fourth franchise in the coast circuit.

The other clubs in the league are Vancouver, B. C., Seattle and Portland.

The 21-game season will open here November 7 or 12.

World Court Judge

Dr. Manly O. Hudson (above) of Harvard University, was elected to the World Court of International Justice, succeeding Frank B. Kellogg, former secretary of state. He is the fourth American to be named to the World Court bench. (Associated Press Photo)

Has Minor Meanie Role

Above is Billy "The Bully" Burns, mat villain who will be one of the six gladiators in the battle royal tangle at the Armory tonight. Since he hasn't been in this part of the country long, Burns isn't hated as generously as are the other two meanies, Les Wolfe and Pete Belcastro, and for that reason he believes he will be able to put in some telling thumps and kicks where they will do the most good, without fear of too sudden reprisal. The battle royal will be the second ever held in Medford.

BOWLING

The "South Paws" won two out of three games from the "We Wins" in the Elks bowling tournament Friday night. The former took three out of the four points in the match. Jack Gill was high individual for the evening with 574 pins. Tonight the "Quacks" will roll the "Kilowatts."

Friday night's scores were:

We Wins				
Holmes	74	113	93	280
J. Gill	220	172	182	574
Winkle	125	148	123	396
Jerome	165	165	165	495
Boone	150	156	120	426
Handicap	141	141	141	423
Totals	875	895	824	2594
South Paws				
York	125	130	143	407
Semon	188	144	134	466
Bowman	146	150	151	447
Murray	185	185	185	555
Piche	125	122	123	370
Handicap	148	148	148	444
Totals	917	888	884	2689

The Schuss all-star traveling bowling team stayed home Sunday to entertain the Dunsmuir all-stars in a return match of a home and home series, the locals taking all three games.

Friday night the Studebakers flattened the Schuss outfit in a city league match to the tune of four points to none while the Hohlwegs were handing the same size defeat to the Concretes.

Scores:

Schuss				
Kitts	159	166	157	482
Daly	200	151	201	552
Semon	145	142	146	433
Walsh	190	170	185	545
Eads	191	192	178	561
Totals	885	821	867	2573
Dunsmuir				
Dixon	201	165	130	496
Hammon	137	102	186	425
Fletcher	102	140	201	443
Luttrell	106	145	100	351
Mickie	151	163	162	476
Totals	697	715	779	2191
Schuss Vintage				
Gill	156	191	157	504
Marshall	124	209	148	481
Carlson	168	179	159	499
Antle	153	163	208	524
Jones	192	173	195	560
Handicap	21	21	21	63
Totals	814	929	888	2631
Studebaker				
Paske	170	195	192	557
Moore	174	196	178	548
Murray	148	158	201	507
DeVore	159	191	213	563
Totals	871	953	997	2821
Hohlwegs Top Shop				
Hohlweg	196	172	186	554
Akers	152	128	206	483
Tye	186	136	157	479
Webster	173	201	156	530
Jennings	158	159	168	485
Totals	865	793	873	2531
Med. Concrete Const. Co.				
Sims	180	214	152	546
Thornton	155	141	147	443
Marx	106	147	122	375
Mrs. Semon	87	92	101	280
Semon	147	145	132	477
Handicap	25	25	25	75
Totals	700	767	729	2196

Marion Co. Value Drops

SALEM, Oct. 19.—(AP)—Marion county's assessed valuation for 1936 will be reduced by $2,476,000, bringing the total down to $33,848,540. In 1930, the county assessor reported, the valuation was $41,642,940. The reduction represents $1,864,350 in farm lands and $429,950 in town and city property.

Would Mark Navy Day

SALEM, Oct. 19.—(AP)—In urging Oregon to observe Navy day and the birthday of "that great American—Theodore Roosevelt," on October 27, Governor Martin requested the people "turn their attention not only to the past, glorious history of the navy, but to its present problems and future value in these troubled times."

Better clothes for less. Klein the Tailor, upstairs.

FIRE, FIGHTS ENLIVEN SCORELESS TIE GAME BETWEEN GAELS, DONS

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 19.—(AP)—Football, fire and fights, all mixed in a super-explosive gridiron setback for the powerful St. Mary's college Gaels, left a toll of burns, bruises and shattered hopes here today.

Injuries to many fans came from an explosion of bunched rubber balloons, fist fights and a near riot at Kezar stadium yesterday.

Hopes of the Gaels for national championship recognition were shattered by a scoreless tie—a "moral defeat" at the hands of San Francisco University's Dons.

Against the charging Gaels, who left after the game to play Fordham University in New York next week-end, the Dons had only a stubborn goal-line defense which refused to break.

Seventeen men and boys, burned by the balloon explosion during the half-time intermission, required hospital treatment.

Two others, treated at the hospital, were injured in the near riot which kept most of the 35,000 fans in the stadium for more than half an hour after the game ended. Scores of others were knocked down and bruised.

Port Bonds Reduced

SALEM, Oct. 19.—(AP)—Oregon port districts reduced their indebtedness $616,223 during the past two years, State Treasurer Rufus C. Holman's biennial report will show, this despite the $200,000 bonds issued by the port of The Dalles and the $300,000 airport bonds of the port of Portland.

Band Leader Dies

SEASIDE, Ore., Oct. 19.—(AP)—Albert William Utzinger, who became widely-known by his organization of the Seaside girls' band, died here from heart disease. The band played a prominent part in Portland's rose festivals.

Use Mail Tribune want ads.

No. 1 For Bears

Floyd Blower, one of the Pacific Coast's best passers and runners is rated the No. 1 backfield threat of the 1936 University of California eleven. (Associated Press Photo)

TIGERS TO SEEK AERIAL DEFENSE AGAINST G. PASS

Bowerman Worried By Weak Showing In Halting Foeman's Heaves—Saturday Game Conference Climax.

The Marshfield game safely in their pockets by a 37-13 margin, the Medford Tigers will concentrate their efforts this week on pass defense in preparation for the game which will probably decide the southern Oregon conference title Saturday, when the Black Tornado blows against the undefeated and untied Grants Pass eleven on the new turf field here.

Grants Pass scouts saw Marshfield complete 10 consecutive forward passes against the Tiger reserves in the game at the coast city, and they believe that what a weak Marshfield team could do well, the Cavemen can do better. The Climate City squad, big, powerful and experienced, boasts no pass flinger such as Marshfield's Ring, but they do have a spectacular passing and running attack that has carried them to five straight wins, culminating in steam-rollering the Yreka team 27-0 Saturday.

G. P. Coach Confident

Not since 1930 have Grants Pass prospects of taking the southern title been so good. Coach Loren Tuttle himself admits that his team is of championship calibre, a statement seldom made by a coach until he is pretty sure he is on safe ground in making the assertion. Early season reports on the comparative strength of teams in the loop gave all the gravy to Klamath, Medford and Ashland.

Already the ignored Cavemen have tripped up Klamath and Ashland hopes with clean-cut wins, dropping those two teams out of the conference running. Klamath, by a win over Medford, could jump back into the picture if Medford defeats Grants Pass, but by no angle can Ashland be longer considered. Saturday their hopes went glimmering under a 26-0 Pelican onslaught.

Undefeated teams over the state are already clamoring for recognition in the annual Thanksgiving Day battle in Portland with the metropolis champions for mythical state honors, but Bowerman's Medford crew has no such a picture. They play the so-far undefeated Eugene high team at Eugene on Turkey day.

An Associated Press roundup of the high school football situation today showed Eugene, Cottage Grove, Independence, West Linn, Bend, Hood River, Arlington, Mac-Hi of Milton-Freewater, Pendleton, Grants Pass and Medford in the vanguard as undefeated and untied. The report said: "Grants Pass, only infrequently heard from as a championship contender, stood abreast of the ever-powerful Medford eleven for southern Oregon honors."

Dalles Defeated

The Dalles, after flashing a breath-taking passing attack to down Klamath Falls two weeks ago, was dropped from the title running by the Bend Lava Bears Saturday 21-19, in what the Associated Press called a "wildly exciting battle."

No comparative scores are available for the coming Grants Pass-Medford clash. While the Cavemen have met and defeated the two strongest southern Oregon league teams outside of Medford, (Klamath Falls and Ashland), the Black Tornado has met only one southern Oregon team, the small brother of the group, Roseburg.

On paper neither of the meeting teams has much of an advantage. A crushing, bruising, almost relentless charge by Grants Pass has shouldered aside some strong teams and a few weak ones, while a combination of varsity and reserves has run up big scores for the Tigers.

Coach Bowerman is frankly worried about the impending struggle. With the best team they have had in six years the Cavemen are punting for the Medford scalp, their scouts have seen the locals in action in every game this year, and on top of that is the apparent Medford weakness against well executed forward passes. That weakness will be removed this week if hard work can turn the trick, he said.

The Grange

Applegate Grange

Applegate Grange session Friday was opened by the officers seating drill.

John W. Carroll was obligated in first and second degrees.

Home economics chairman hopes for a more successful meeting next time. She also announced that the fair date set for October 21 was to be instead, October 24, the following Saturday. It is a community fair and all Applegate valley is asked to put on exhibits of livestock, or anything else. They are planning to have a fish pond and all the ladies are asked to contribute something to it or donate a nickel or so. They are also going to have a bazaar and each lady is also asked to contribute something to this.

Several members worked their way in and out of the hall for a bit of practice.

Grange was honored by the presence of Mrs. Katheryn Denzer, a member of Phoenix Grange. Let us see more of you at out next meetings, Mrs. Denzer.

Lecturers program consisted of songs by the grange, a cheering round sung in five parts and a reading by Mrs. Moran.

Don't forget the community fair Saturday, October 24.

Gold Hill Grange

Regular meeting of Gold Hill Grange was held Oct. 15 with 37 in attendance.

Home economics club will meet next on Oct 27 at Mrs. Barnes', with Mrs. Hittle and Mrs. McKay co-hostesses.

An all day meeting of Pomona will be held at Talent Oct. 24.

Next regular meeting of Grange will be Nov. 5. At this meeting will be held the annual election of officers.

Committee for refreshments will be Mrs. Hittle, Miss Ethel Henderson, Mrs. Dennis McGuire and Miss Joyce Handley.

The lecturer's program consisted of readings, by Betty Shoemaker and Edith Howes; and community singing by the grange. This included the contest songs to be used at Pomona Grange at Talent Oct. 24. Gold Hill Grange is one of the outstanding granges of the county in musical ability.

Communications

From a Hospital Cot

To the Editor:

This morning, as every morning for the past week, I have wakened at half past five and watched the town of Medford wake up.

I have a wonderful view as I am lying in a hospital bed in front of a big window where I can overlook the whole town.

Anyone who has never gotten up early and climbed on some hill around here should do so; it is good for the soul to see the beauty all around us which God gives so freely and so few of us ever see.

First this morning just before day light everything was very still and so peaceful with the city lights shining like stars. Then as the sun began to climb over the hills I could see a few smoke curls rise here and there as folks began to build their morning fires. And the sky was wonderful, the prettiest sunrise, first a lovely red, then pale pink, then orange and pale orange to a fleecy grey and a blue background, and the hills change just as fast; first a deep purple, then soft purple to blue, then dark green to green and brown. Oh it is just too wonderful to watch; you can't put it all on paper. I can't find words to express just how beautiful the town and valley are at this time of the day.

From my window just across the valley on the horizon there is what looks to me a big face, and it changes with the sky and hills also, for at first he is very sleepy and is having a hard time to wake up; then as the sun comes full upon him he wakes up with a smile and seems to look over the town to see that things are all right, then settles down again.

Now the sun is full on the town and in its beautiful setting of trees and hills that look so much like walls the town looks very much like the city of Jerusalem that I have in my Bible and looking over it with this though I wonder if God or Jesus doesn't feel sometimes as He looks over our city the same as He did the time He stood on the hill overlooking Jerusalem, when He said:

"Jerusalem; Jerusalem; many times would I have gathered you together under my wings as a hen gathers her chicks, but ye would not let me!"

I am very poor at writing and expressing things the way it should be, but maybe, if you will put this in your paper, it might help someone to feel a little better one way or another.

Mrs. G. C.
(Name on file).

Medford, October 17.

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ginning to wish that those Du Ponts would give some money to the democratic campaign. The burden is getting just a little heavy.

They did not mind when they were invited to take $10 seats at the Jackson day dinner and even later when they were similarly "invited" to buy a convention book for $5. But a few days ago along came an invitation to contribute 2 per cent of their salaries to state campaign committees, which are not under the same rigid restrictions against receiving federal donations as is the national committee. This meant a $20 contribution for each $1000 of annual salary, and, in some cases, it hurt.

The solicitation in one office, however, was about 100 per cent perfect.

Suggestion by RFC Chairman Jones that the corporation tax law would be modified next session was not accepted here as official.

Mr. Jones has always thought the law was wrong. He wants deductions for plant expansion and debt retirement. In fact, Mr. Jones, FRB Governor Eccles and FDIC Chairman Crowley are understood to have worked inside for some such liberalization of the bill in congress against the treasury last session. But the treasury prevailed.

Modifications of the law next session, if any, will be in the hands of the treasury. The question is whether President Roosevelt will side with the Morgenthau-Oliphant group of advisers, as he has so far, or whether he will come around to the viewpoint of Messrs. Crowley, Eccles and Jones, whose advice was not followed often in the past year.

There are at least two cabinet rumors for every cabinet officer, except Wallace and Hull. Imaginary flights of gossip have conjured the following possibilities if Mr. Roosevelt is re-elected: General Johnson for the temporarily filled war department chair; Mayor La Guardia for labor; Senator Couzens for commerce, and also, with Joseph Kennedy and Governor Lehman, for treasury; Governor McNutt for war; Donald Richberg for attorney general; also Johnson or Richberg for Harry Hopkins.

The ideas are pure speculation, partly for campaign stimulation purposes, but some of the suggestions are believed to have been talked officially. La Guardia, Couzens and McNutt are the best bets.

Weather

Northern California: Fair tonight and Tuesday, but unsettled in extreme south portion; snow over high Sierra Nevadas; cooler in the interior of north portion; fresh northwest wind off coast.

Oregon: Showers tonight, Tuesday unsettled; colder in interior; moderate northwest wind off coast.

Find Suicide's Body

PORTLAND, Oct. 19.—(AP)—The body of Miss Alta Warinoth, 45, Spokane, was recovered by officers from the lake in Laurelhurst park in five feet of water. A small boy, playing in the park, noticed a woman's coat and shoe. He called the park watchman's attention to his find and the watchman notified police. Investigating officers believed Miss Warinoth was a suicide.

Tune in KSL every evening Monday thru Friday 8 p.m.

Heads Women Golfers

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 19.—(AP)—Members of the Oregon Women's Golf association named as president, Mrs. Charles W. Ilgner, of the Columbia-Edgewater club. She succeeds Mrs. David M. Jack, Oswego Lake Country club.

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