

# Medford Men Win \$5,000 On Portland Grid Parlay; Hitch Is Seen in Pay-Off

Chipping in \$5 apiece and taking a long shot on a Portland football pool last Saturday, five Medford men hit a stupendous jackpot of \$5,000—\$1,000 for each player—it was revealed today by Dick Lewis, one of the prognosticating quintet. Besides Lewis, others on the tickets were John Dallaire, clerk, and Frank Reinhart, merchant. The other two remained anonymous, by preference.

The five men purchased two ten-game tickets, each ticket paying off at odds of 100 to 1. They picked every one correctly, which was necessary in order to win.

However, according to Lewis and the Medford agent of the Portland operators' of the pool, the money has not yet been received. A definite decision was due today—the deadline for payment.

The local agent, who requested that his name not be used, stated that the two tickets, in Lewis' handwriting, were placed on a Portland-bound stage at 9:30 a. m. Saturday, arriving in the northern city that night. A copy of the tickets is in the agent's possession.

Arrival of the winning tickets at the Portland pool headquarters produced an immediate long distance call to the local agent, and signs of a hitch in the "payoff" became apparent, the agent said. The instructions state the tickets should be in the Portland office before 10 a. m. Saturday. However, the local agent pointed out, tickets had been sent to Portland all season by the same method, and until the big jackpot was hit Saturday, payoffs had been made without failure.

The 10 teams picked to win by the five men were Duke, Army, Oregon State, Holy Cross, Fordham, Washington, Stanford, Georgia, Florida and Texas Christian. All these teams won except Georgia, which was tied by Georgia Tech. However, the Portland pool spotted Georgia six points.

Football pools have been popular in Medford during the past season, hundreds of dollars every week being spent for tickets which pay off at odds ranging from seven to five, for two games correctly called, to 1000 to 1 for 16 winners. Long shot tickets have been especially popular with the Lewis group, while other groups and individuals have played shorter shots with varying degrees of success.

## A. L. DAVIS HELD ON NON-SUPPORT

Arthur L. Davis, charged with non-support, following a preliminary hearing in justice court Monday, was ordered held to await grand jury action under \$500 bonds.

Gen Jennings, a recent arrival from the Middle West entered a plea of guilty to depositing injurious material on a public highway. Passing of sentence was deferred until December 8.

Roy Thompson of Trail, charged with malicious and wanton destruction of property was ordered held to await grand jury action, with bonds at \$1000. Thompson assertedly used the Trail general store as a target, firing rifle bullets through the windows Sunday. He claims he had been drinking wine.

Arthur H. Schneider of Grants Pass, was assessed \$1 and costs for operating an auto without a muffler.

## Menus of the Day

(By Mrs. Alexander George)  
Timely Recipes  
Oyster Stuffing  
(for 10-pound fowl)

- 6 cups cubed bread
- 1 cup butter, melted
- 2 teaspoons salt
- 1 cup minced celery
- 2 tablespoons chopped parsley
- 2 tablespoons minced onion
- 1/2 teaspoon sage (optional)
- 1-3 teaspoon white pepper
- 2 cups chopped oysters
- Lightly mix ingredients with fork and stuff fowl.

Harvest Cocktail  
(12 portions)  
1 quart apple cider  
1 cup orange juice  
1 cup pineapple juice  
2 tablespoons lemon juice  
1 pint ginger ale  
Mix and chill fruit juices. Add ginger ale, chilled, and serve in cups.

Old-Fashioned Pumpkin Pies  
2 unbaked pie shells (deep)  
3 cups cooked, mashed pumpkin  
3 teaspoons cinnamon  
1 teaspoon cloves  
1 teaspoon nutmeg  
1 teaspoon salt  
1 cup dark brown sugar  
1-3 cup granulated sugar  
4 eggs, beaten  
2 cups milk  
1 teaspoon vanilla

Mix together the pumpkin, spices, salt, sugars, eggs and milk. Add vanilla and pour into shells. Bake 10 minutes in a hot oven. Lower heat and cook for 45 minutes in a moderately slow oven.

Spiced Cranberry Jelly  
6 cups cranberries  
6 whole cloves  
1 tablespoon bark cinnamon  
2 cups water  
1-3 cup vinegar  
3 cups granulated sugar  
Boil gently until the berries are soft, the berries, spices, water and vinegar. Press through a sieve. Add sugar to juice and boil for two minutes. Pour into a bowl or mold. Cool and chill for at least 24 hours.

Currant Jelly Sauce For Duck  
3 tablespoons duck drippings  
2 tablespoons flour  
1 cup orange juice  
1/2 cup currant jelly  
1/4 teaspoon salt  
Mix together the drippings and flour. Add rest of ingredients and let simmer for three minutes. Serve hot.

The department of agriculture was formed in 1889 under President Grover Cleveland and its secretary was given a place in the cabinet.

## BELCASTRO KICKS LYONS IN CHIN TO TAKE FINAL FALL

With one mighty kick to the chin, Pete Belcastro of Wood, Cal. felled Red Lyons of Joplin, Mo., to win the main wrestling event in the Medford armory last night and get complete satisfaction for the beating he suffered at the hands of the "ghost" on last week's program.

The whistler-clout came near the 50-minute mark, after each grappler had grabbed one tumble in a fierce and ferocious fray. Lyons apparently had Pete dead to rights for the finisher when the Mad Italian, cornered and feigning grogginess, suddenly fired his right pedal extremely to Red's sour map. The heavy Belcastro foot crashed against Lyons' chin, sent him reeling backwards and to the carpet, and Pete fell on top of him for the fall.

Previous to that sudden and devastating kick, Pete had taken the first tumble with a shoulder stand, after slugging the big Red from pillar to post. Lyons came back 10 minutes later to even the count by knocking Belcastro in the groin, then flopping him to the axminster and applying a "leg strap."

Both men paid little attention to the finer points of the game, choosing to reveal all they knew about the dirty angles of the industry. They proved they knew plenty, and the large ladies night crowd was kept in a continuous uproar at the goings-on.

Sockeye Jack McDonald is a panty-waist no longer. He isn't even a namby-pamby or a sissy. In fact, Sockeye is his old-time, rough and tough self.

That was definitely proved in the middle event when the big ex-Seattle logger knocked out Floyd Britt in the third round with a mighty blast to the Kansan's chin. It was a wrestling match, alright, but the ending could have masqueraded perfectly for the finish of a great prize fight.

It was the lone fall of the battle, and came after Britt had punished McDonald unmercifully with foul neck-breakers over the ropes. For two stanzas the Britt person poured it on, with McDonald throwing punches whenever he was able. Finally, in the third round, Britt added groin-punching to his other nasty tactics, and Sockeye made up his mind to end things quickly.

It couldn't have been any quicker. McDonald caught Britt coming in, drew back his huge arm, and let him have it square to the point of the chin. Britt let out a sigh, sagged at the knees and toppled over backwards, dead to the world. It was a mere formality when McDonald jumped on him for the official verdict, because Britt remained unconscious for fully five minutes.

Frankie Schroll took two out of three falls from Cecil McGill in a sensational opening event. After McGill won the first fall in the second round with droppicks and a body press, Frankie came back to garner the next fall with a rolling scissors in the fifth round, and win the match in the sixth with a figure-four best scientific bouts here in several months.

PITTSBURGH, Nov. 29—(AP)—Carnegie Tech gridgers, beaten only by Notre Dame, accepted today a bid to play in the Sugar Bowl game at New Orleans January 2.

## TECH AND FROGS FOR SUGAR BOWL

Tech officials said they had not been informed officially who the Tartans' opponents would be, but expressed belief Texas Christian university would be named.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Nov. 28—(AP)—If permission of the southwest conference is obtained, the T. C. U. Horned Frogs will play in the Sugar Bowl game at New Orleans January 2. Athletic Director Howard Grubbs of T. C. U., announced today.

## WISCONSIN GIRL IS 4-H WINNER

CHICAGO, Nov. 29—(AP)—For the third consecutive year a Wisconsin girl won top honors in the national girls' record contest conducted by the National 4-H club congress' extension service.

She is Ruth Humphrey, 15, White-water Wis., and here's part of what she did in the last eight years to win this award, which carries with it a \$500 college scholarship:  
Canned 1,818 pints of foods, baked 349 loaves of bread, made 311 garments, set out 598 plants, attended 7,629 square feet of garden, supervised 24 club members; won \$148.70 in prizes on exhibits at county and state fairs.

Blue ribbon individual winners in the girls' clothing exhibits, representing 26 states, were announced. The exhibit awards included:  
School outfit: LaVerne Whitehead, Turner, Ore.  
Children's garments: Jane Walborn, Portland, Ore.



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