

The Sporting Page

BIG BROTHERS TO CLASH IN MONDAY EVENING FEUDING

Big Brothers Alvin Britt and Tony Jones, leading members of the two grappling families which have been feuding in the local armory for two weeks, clash in the main attraction next Monday night of the program that winds up the 1938 grappling season here. A roaring, shrieking crowd of ladies nighters is expected to view proceedings. Promoter Mack Lillard claims another jammed armory is assured, and warns fans to obtain seats as early as possible lest they be forced to stand up for the fireworks.

Floyd Britt and Tuffy Jones collide in the center bout, a match expected to produce almost as much sensational action as the main go, and Little Brother Mike Jones and Spider Kelly of Oakland, Cal., will repeat their excellent performance of last Monday by facing off in the opener.

The main event between big Alvin Britt and bigger Tony Jones will bring together the only two grapplers as yet unbeaten in this bitter, honest-to-goodness family squabble. Alvin, ex-junior heavyweight champion, fouled Tuffy Jones into submission last Monday while Tony was taking the measure of Alvin's little brother, Floyd. Alvin is reported to be hot under the collar because of the rough treatment Brother Floyd received at the hands of Tony, and determined to bust Tony's arms all over the ropes.

Floyd's percentage of victories against the hillbillies from Arkansas stands at 506, he having whipped Mike two weeks ago and lost to Tony last Monday. Now, he faces Tuffy, and is confident of making it two out of three over the Jones boys. Brother Alvin has given him some pointers on how to whip Tuffy, which Floyd believes will come in plenty hands.

Monday night's card will be the last for several weeks, as Promoter Lillard and the muscle-manglers will take a vacation from activity until the second or third Monday in January.

MRS. GALL LEADS IN WEEKLY SHOOT

By a scant two-point margin Mrs. C. C. Gall took the lead from her husband in the final shooting of shooting at the Rifle club indoor range last night, her 381-x 400 topping the scores in the regular weekly handicap shoot.

The second stage of the postal match with the Coos Bay rifle club, fired last week, resulted in another decisive win for the local shooters. Medford's first and second teams marked up totals of 1408 and 1365 to the coast's club 1349 and 1278. The third and final match scores will be published next week. Foregoing results indicate the Medford rifle club will win the three-stage tournament by a considerable margin.

Handicap match scores last night were: Mrs. C. C. Gall, 381; C. C. Gall, 379; Phil Whitlock, 376; Ed Lall, 375; Mrs. Ivan Waddell, 371; Ivan Waddell, 371; Clyde Richmond, 371; Shelby Tuttle, 369; Otto Howard, 369; Hilbert Young, 369; S. M. Tuttle, 368; Mrs. S. M. Tuttle, 365; Law Conger, 359.

Fights Last Night

By the Associated Press
New York—Pedro Montanez, 139½, Puerto Rico, knocked out Jimmy Fautino, 135½, New York (3).
New York—Julie Kogan, 134½, New York, technically knocked out Bennie Plazas, 130½, New York (4).
London—Eric Boon, 125, Chatterbox, Cambridgehire, knocked out Dave Crowley, 133½, England (13)—(British lightweight championship).
Atlantic City, N. J.—Bobby Jones, 169, Atlantic City, outpointed Tiger Red Lewis, 167, Richmond, Va., (10).
Philadelphia—Tony Clacico, 156½, Norristown, Pa., defeated Roxie Ferguson, 161, Philadelphia (10).

Hutchinson Sold to Tigers



Nona Hutchinson, Seattle physician's wife, poured a glass of milk for her 19-year-old son, Freddie Hutchinson, after it was announced the University of Washington youth had been sold by the Seattle Rainiers, Pacific Coast ball club, to the Detroit Tigers for a reputed \$35,000 and four players. He will report to the Lakeland, Fla., training camp next spring. (A. P. Photo).

Sport Graphs

Billy Hulen says:

Hinman Has Idea for Determining Color of Plates

If an idea advanced the other day by Harry Hinman is carried out, the worries of Secretary of State Earl



Billy Hulen.

Snell regarding the yearly color scheme of Oregon's automobile license plates are at an end. The issue will be put squarely up to the football teams of Oregon State college and the University of Oregon; to them will go the honor of deciding on the field of battle, with a combination of color will be used each year to designate the plates.

Harry, advertising manager of Mann's department store and a rabid sports fan, gave birth to what seems like a red hot idea when he saw the new 1939 Oregon license plate—black and yellow, close to the Oregon State college color of black and orange. Suddenly, the idea struck him that the coloring of the plates could be determined year after year, by the state's two major gridiron aggregations.

Harry's entire plan is simply this: Each year, let the color of the plates be determined by the Oregon-Oregon State football game played the preceding fall, with the plates taking the color of the winning school. If Oregon wins, then the plates the following year would be lemon yellow and green. If Oregon State wins, because the next year would be orange and black. For instance, if the Webfoots should beat the Beavers in 1939, the 1940 plates would be yellow background with green numerals, or vice versa, or if Oregon State should win next season, the 1941 license would be orange with black numerals, or vice versa.

Because it has been the custom to change the color of the plates each year, Harry explained that such could be continued, more or less, by simply

DUSKY CAGE AGES CLASH WITH OWLS SATURDAY NIGHT

Medford's first big basketball show of the year featuring a nationally famous barnstorming team goes on at the junior high school gymnasium Saturday evening, with the dusky Broadway Clowns, hailing from New York City's Harlem, tangling with the local Owl club quintet, one of the leading independents of this section. A preliminary between the varsity and reserves of Coach George Harrington's junior high squad will start at 7:30. The top attraction will begin immediately following completion of the prelim.

Led by Al (Burr) Pullins, one of the clearest floor men and finest shots in the entire basketball world, the Clowns will bring a great team to Medford, the same team, with one exception, as that which appeared here last season against Southern Oregon Normal school. Their center is Deacon Goins, with Pullins at forward is Po'kops Brime, and Hillary Brown and Buzz Mathews take care of the guard positions. All except Pullins are well over six feet. The Owl club team which will face the claimants of the world's Negro championship will be selected from the following local stars: Arvis Ager, former SON's flash; Sam Van Dyke, Wayne Curtis, Louie Campbell, Hoke Curtis, Stan Kunzman and Tommy White, ex-Medford high school luminaire, and Herb Henderson and Gus Johnson.

FARR FAVORED TO DEFEAT LOU NOVA

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—(AP)—The most significant heavyweight fight on the apathetic indoor season will go on in Madison Square Garden tonight between Lou Nova, a promising youngster from Alameda, Cal., and Tommy Farr, a doddering ancient of 24 from Tonybandy, Wales. The prize is the doubtful pleasure of fighting Joe Louis for the heavy-weight title sometime next year.

The only obstacle between tonight's victor and the stiff left jab of the champion is Max Baer. The unpredictable one beat Farr last winter and if Tommy wins and gets another shot at Louis, there will be plenty of hollering from Baer. But there has been something less than a universal demand from another Louisville fighter.

'CAC' HUBBARD NAMED DENVER U. GRID COACH

DENVER, Dec. 16.—(AP)—Curly-haired Claude (Cac) Hubbard is Denver university's new grid coach. He was named to succeed William H. (Navy Bill) Saunders, whose resignation was announced yesterday. Hubbard will become head man next fall after seven seasons as assistant to Saunders and Percy Loyce. Saunders' predecessor, Th. Genet, "Cac" also is basketball and baseball coach.

GENE O'GRADY LOSES NOD IN PRELIM BOUT

TACOMA, Dec. 16.—(AP)—Joek Member of Tacoma won a ten-round decision over Ernie Collins of Reno, Nev., in a bruising main event here last night. Member weighed 173½, and Collins 180.

Other results: Felt Williams, 26½, Chicago, dethroned Gene O'Grady, 178, Klamath Falls, Ore.

CLASS B QUINTS BATTLE TONIGHT

Final games before the Christmas holidays will be played tonight by teams in the Jackson county class B basketball conference. All encounters start at 7:30.

In division 1, Prospect and St. Mary's both undefeated in league play, clash here in the St. Mary's gym; Jacksonville travels to Butte Falls and Eagle Point plays at Talent.

Division 2 battles will see Central Point moving to Rogue River and Gold Hill tangling with Kerby at Kerby.

The St. Mary's Prospect tilt here highlights division 1 activity, as the winner will retain an undefeated status and at least a share of the division leadership. In opening games last Friday, St. Mary's beat Butte Falls, 19 to 18, and Prospect scalped Eagle Point, 30 to 15.

Probable starting line-ups follow:
St. Mary's Prospect
Jensen F Carlton
Lentz F Tibbitt
Burdick C Webber
J. Gilson C Lyle
J. Lewis G Moore

BOWLING

The City bowling league ended its first-half schedule last night at the Medford alleys, with Copco taking all four points from Mohlioli, Hohlweg beating Union Oil, 3 to 1, and Hubbard Brothers taking three out of four points from Medco. Hubbard Brothers, with 25 wins and 8 losses for 32 points, topped the first-half title. Second-half schedule starts Thursday, January 12. Following are the scores of last night's games and the final first-half standings:

W	L	TP	Pts
Hubbard Bros	25	8	32
Zoric	23	10	31
Hohlweg	22	11	28
Weeks & Orr	21	12	27
Tribune	18	15	23
Union Oil	19	14	23
Medco	18	15	21
Monarch	16	17	21
Copco	17	16	21
Mohlioli	8	22	4
Telephone	6	24	7
DeMoly	1	26	0

W	L	TP	Pts	
English	144	148	196	488
Stewart	144	152	167	453
Andren	118	149	127	394
Ovrmeyer	149	165	139	453
Kessler	183	188	155	526

W	L	TP	Pts	
Dick Wray	133	103	152	388
Chet Hubbard	136	143	127	426
Tom White	139	181	117	437
V. Swanson	181	164	179	524
H. Fleida	194	203	163	560

W	L	TP	Pts	
Hohlweg	173	166	166	505
N. Dickenson	132	177	195	504
Ekersen	145	112	122	379
Gable	182	199	162	543
J. Dickenson	175	175	175	525

W	L	TP	Pts	
Union Oil	807	829	820	2486
Williams	165	130	98	377
Grames	104	147	144	393
Greenwood	184	152	187	523
Frisher	132	143	129	398
Simmons	147	179	212	538

W	L	TP	Pts
Mohlioli	71	71	213
Pruitt W.	168	170	448
Patterson	123	132	442
Roseborough	102	120	329
Snyder	125	90	334
Sanderson	122	143	377

W	L	TP	Pts	
Copco	711	726	697	2131
Burroughs	148	137	148	433
Bullie	100	147	167	414
Palm	165	165	165	495
Clement	121	169	154	444
Sherwood	188	112	133	433

W	L	TP	Pts
807	829	820	2486
792	810	823	2424
711	726	697	2131
732	730	767	2210

Carnegie Tech's Victory Over Pitt Is No. 1 Upset

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—(AP)—Carnegie Tech's football victory over Pittsburgh was ranked officially as No. 1 upset of the 1938 sports season by the 70 sports experts participating in the Associated Press eighth annual poll today, but analysis of the returns reveal that the outcome of the heated National League pennant race actually was the biggest surprise.

This apparent paradox was brought about by the fact that the sports critics who approached it from two directions. One group suggested that the Chicago Cubs' last finish was the biggest surprise. Another group took the position that it was the collapse of the Pittsburgh Pirates which was most astonishing.

With points awarded on a 3-2-1 basis as each expert made three nominations to the "upset" list, Carnegie Tech's 20-10 triumph over Pitt was given a total of 35½ points to top the list. Thirty-one points went to the Cubs for their pennant victory and 25 to the Pirates for their collapse. Combining the Cubs and Pirates' points would produce a total of 56 points, a half point more than was credited to Carnegie Tech.

In the actual tabulation which ranked Carnegie Tech's feat at the top, Joe Louis' one-round knockout of Max Schmeling was rated as the next biggest surprise. Then followed the Cubs' pennant victory; Seabiscuit's victory over War Admiral in the match race; the Cincinnati Reds' fine showing in the National League race; the Pirates' collapse, and the Chicago Blackhawks' triumph in the Stanley cup hockey playoffs.

All told 54 surprises were mentioned in the balloting, with football contributing 19 and baseball 12. Boxing and golf followed with six each.

COUGARS WIN, 51 TO 23, OVER WILLAMETTE FIVE

PULLMAN, Dec. 16.—(AP)—The Washington State Cougars ran their string of victories to seven by defeating the Willamette university Bobcats 51 to 23 in a hoop game here last night. The Cougars led at the half 28 to 16.

TURKS, GROCERIES GUN CLUB PRIZES

Duck and pheasant hunters throughout the county will be the guests of the Medford Gun club at the first annual "Hunters Special" shoot, Sunday at the club ground. Turkeys and groceries will be generously distributed among the guest shooters, who will be afforded all the privileges of regular gun club members.

Hunters will be divided into classes to shoot for the turkeys and other prizes, and no club members or other experienced trapshooters will be permitted to shoot with the "Hunters Special" contestants.

The gun club has announced that the hunter guests may exchange their game loads at the club for trap loads or shoot their game loads in the contests if they prefer.

Shooting will start at 11 o'clock. The club members are setting the day aside specially to entertain the visitors and the public is invited to attend. Lunch will be served throughout the day.

Wrestling

By the Associated Press

Hartford, Conn.—Gus Sonnenberg, 214, Boston, defeated Bull Curry, 204, Hartford, Curry disqualified for hitting referee.

Camden, N. Y.—Ernie Dusek, 201, Omaha, Neb., drew with Louis Thesz, 205, France, 90 minutes.

North Bergen, N. J.—Bibber McCoy, 227, New York, pinned Chief Chawacki, 242, Oklahoma, 18:53.

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