

SPORTS

LOUIS GOES INTO ARMY WEDNESDAY; BAER NO MATCH

Bomber Proves Ring Greatness Speedily—Gives All His Share To Navy Fund.

New York, Jan. 10.—(AP)—Less than 24 hours after doing a pretty fair fighting job for the navy, Joe Louis completed arrangements today to join Uncle Sam's army next Wednesday and do his battling in khaki from here on.

The Brown Bomber, who reached a peak in his blasting career for the second time last night in felling Buddy Baer in two minutes and 56 seconds, will be given his final physical examination Monday, will be inducted in the service Wednesday at Camp Upton, Long Island, and probably will make his next fist-fighting start in late March for an army fund.

Joe turned up at army draft board headquarters to straighten out all the advance details that will make him Private Joe Louis Barrow even before he stopped at Jacobs' office to settle up for last night's fight. Not that he had anything to collect out of the gross gate of \$189,700.55 contributed by the 19,870 fans who saw him become the vicious executioner and blasting executioner for the second time since he came down the pike. He was once more the fiercest fighter of the second Max Schmeling fight, and the oldest inhabitant of cauliflower alley couldn't remember when any fighter hit such heights twice in his career.

This time Joe disregarded all principles of the fighters' union by putting his title on the line and his dynamite on display for nothing. He and Promoter Mike Jacobs turned all their revenue from the show over to the Navy Relief Fund. Baer contributed a chunk of his.

The financial business of the fight was so complicated, what with the charity and one thing and another, that Mike's auditors announced they wouldn't have the breakdown figures added up until Monday. The best estimates were that the net gate was \$161,245, that Joe's end would total about \$64,498 and Baer's cut about \$24,200. Of this, Joe's donation to the navy fund is around \$50,000—his entire 40 per cent, minus only training expenses. Baer's contribution figured to be something like \$4,000, and Jacobs from \$15,000 up.

GIRL SWIM STAR TO WHITE HOUSE

Portland, Jan. 10.—(AP)—Nancy Merki, Portland, the outstanding woman swimmer of 1941, has been invited to the White House to help publicize the national campaign against infantile paralysis.

The youthful Miss Merki, who took up swimming to recover from the effects of the disease, accepted the invitation, which came from Richard McCann of New York, secretary of the National Sports Council committee for celebration of the president's birthday.

Miss Merki will participate in a national radio broadcast with Mrs. Roosevelt, January 19.

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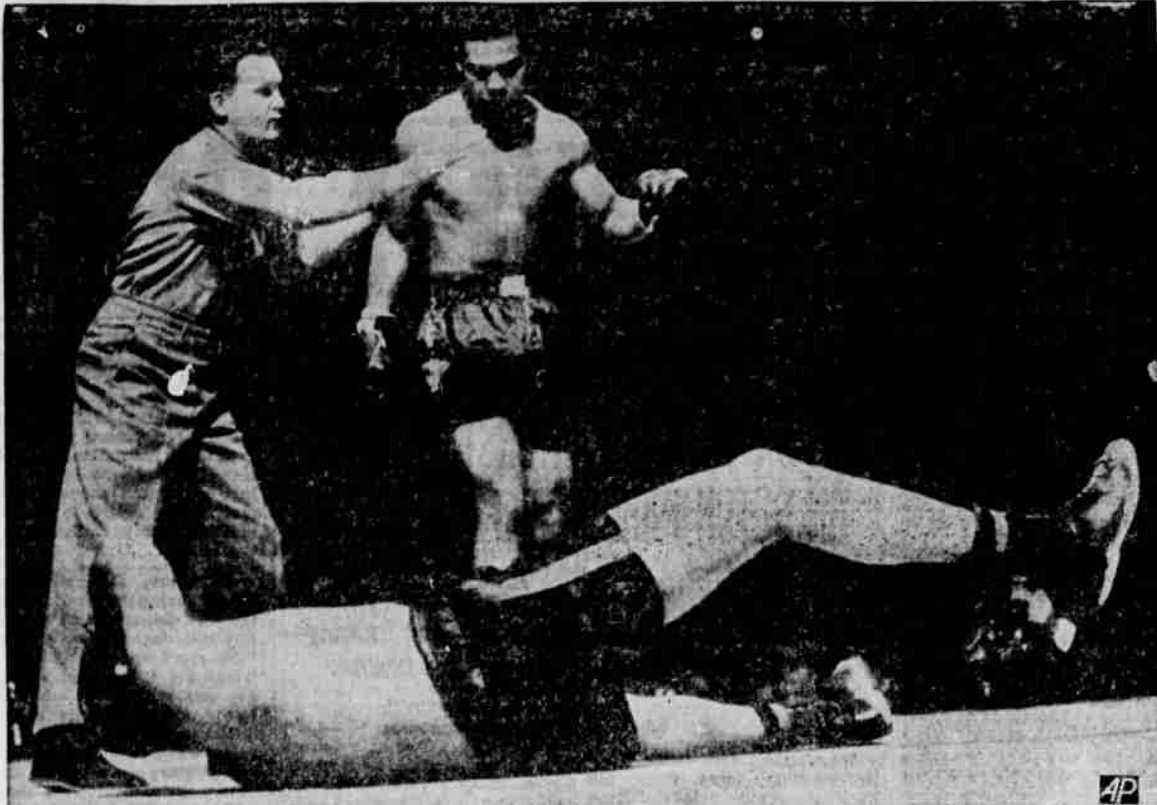
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Buddy Baer Down, No. 20 for Joe Louis



Buddy Baer lies on the canvas as Referee Frank Fullam leads Champion Joe Louis away after Joe had felled the challenger to score the 20th successful defense of his heavyweight crown at Madison Square Garden in New York. The knockout came in 2 minutes and 56 seconds of the first round.

Buddy Blocks One Just Before Kayo



Buddy Baer (left) uses his glove to block a left-handed blow by Joe Louis just before the champion knocked out Buddy in the first round of their title bout for Navy Relief held at Madison Square Garden in New York.

LITHIANS CRUSH CAVEMEN EASILY

District 4 Standings	W.	L.	Pct.
Ashland	1	0	1.000
Grants Pass	0	1	.000
Medford	0	0	.000
Roseburg	0	0	.000

Forwards Charlie Jandreau and Bud Provost accounted for 30 points at Ashland Friday night as the Grizzlies opened the district 4 basketball race with a crushing 35 to 11 defeat of the Grants Pass Cavemen. In the preliminary, the Ashland juniors nosed out Medford's juniors, 16 to 15.

Ashland, favorites to capture the title and enter the state tournament, completely outclassed the Cavemen. Jandreau had a field day with 19 points, while Provost made 11. Besides their hot offensive performance, the Grizzlies held Grants Pass to three field goals. Halftime score was 16 to 6.

Guard Jay Samuelson's field goal with only seconds of the game remaining, gave the Ashland juniors their hairline decision over the locals. The score was tied at 14-all, due to Watson of Medford's field bucket with a minute to play, when Samuelson tossed in the winning two points.

Scores:
Ashland (35) Grants Pass (11)
Jandreau 19 Provost 11
Provost 11 Hartz 2
Hartz 2 C. D. Martindale 3
Stacy 2 C. Lathrop 1
Power 1 O. Schrimpf 1
Subs: Ashland—Eliam, Dunn, Smith, Bartlett; Grants Pass—Evertson 2, Strowbridge, R. Martindale 1, Clayton, Davis, Smith 2. Officials: Worthley and G. Harrington.

Ashland (16) Medford (15)
Watson 4 F. Kery 3
Fawcett 2 F. Wilson
Stacey C. Quisenberry 3
Pinkett 4 G. Garrett 6
Weatherford 2 G. Samuelson 4
Subs: Medford—Hicks 3, Hayes, Bronger; Ashland—Provost, Jandreau.

BULLETIN

Seattle, Jan. 10.—(AP)—The University of Washington basketball team extended its winning streak to 10 games and won its second contest in the northern division of the Pacific Coast conference tonight, defeating Idaho, 40 to 33.

Tonight's defeat was the second straight for Idaho, which lost to Washington in the opener of a two-game series here last night, 36 to 28.

Bill Halverson, 230-pound Oregon State guard, and Bob McKeown, 296-pound Husky line-man, applied for class V-7 enlistment. Service would be deferred until they graduated and they would be trained as deck officers.

Glenn Byington, 215-pound O.S.C. tackle, applied for class V-3 service, providing the same deferment and training as a naval flying cadet.

CARRIER KILLED
Vancouver, Wash., Jan. 10.—Carl L. Dahl of La Center, Wash., news carrier, was killed instantly last night when his automobile collided almost head-on with two CCC trucks, one of which was towing the other, near here.

TRAFFIC VICTIM
Portland, Jan. 10.—(AP)—George Weiss, 62, a waiter by occupation, died early today of a skull fracture suffered in a traffic accident. He was struck by a car on Southwest Barbur boulevard last night.

TROUT SEASON TO START APRIL 18

Portland, Jan. 10.—(AP)—The State Game commission today set its 1942 trout season from April 18 to October 31, except in 11 eastern Oregon counties.

The 11 counties, Baker, Gilliam, Grant, Harney, Klamath, Lake, Morrow, Umatilla, Union, Wallawa, Wheeler and Malheur will have a season from May 2 to October 31. Certain lakes and streams were exempted.

The limit was set at 15 pounds and one fish, not exceeding 15 fish in any one day, or 30 pounds and two fish, not exceeding 30 fish, in any seven consecutive days.

Coastal waters will be open generally the year around, for trout over 10 inches, salmon and steelhead, provided, however, that from November 1 to April 17 the bag limit shall be three of all species in one day and 10 in seven days.

ELEVATOR DESTROYED
Superior, Wis., Jan. 10.—(AP)—Two explosions, followed by fire, destroyed the Great Northern railroad's elevator, giant grain storage plant, today with loss estimated at \$2,250,000.

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GOLF TITLE PLAY FOR 1942 CALLED OFF TO AID WAR

New York, Jan. 10.—(AP)—The United States Golf association abandoned all four of its national championships today in order to focus its entire attention on the nation's war effort.

After cancelling its 1942 tournament program, the governing body of golf immediately went into action in behalf of the government, changing the U.S.G.A. by-laws to permit amateurs to receive up to \$100 in defense bonds and stamps as prizes instead of cups and trophies, planning a nation-wide series of club tournaments on holidays, and proposing exhibition matches for war relief and defense.

The sweeping action was the most drastic regimentation for the support of the war any national sports governing body has yet taken.

Los Angeles, Jan. 10.—(AP)—Decision of the U. S. Golf association to cancel its tournaments because of the war will not affect the P.G.A. championships, Tournament Manager Fred Corcoran said today.

Here for the \$10,000 Los Angeles open, the director of the nation's professional golfers said various other events on the winter schedule likewise will be held.

He listed the Oakland, San Francisco and Bing Crosby tournaments on the coast, as well as the western open at Phoenix, and the San Antonio and New Orleans opens.

WANT CORSET STAYS
Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 10.—(AP)—The Red Cross surgical dressings department has issued an appeal for corset stays, explaining that they are excellent for smoothing and folding gauze and make the work at least 50 per cent easier.

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SLIM CROWD SEES TIGERS WIN FROM SOCE ROOK 33-21

Packing 24 points into blistering second and fourth period onslaughts, the Medford high Tigers tuned up for their opening district 4 clash with Grants Pass at the Climate City next Tuesday night by upsetting the favored Little Sons of Southern Oregon College of Education, 33 to 21, before a pathetically tiny gathering at the local gym here Friday night.

By actual count, only 98 adult customers turned out to watch the Bengals turn back the collegians with a surprising display of ball-hawking and good old fight and spirit. The Tigers weren't supposed to beat the Little Sons, who had whipped Ashland and Grants Pass, but aggressiveness and the necessary spark carried them over the hump.

Trailing by a 7 to 2 count at the end of the first quarter, the Tigers launched an 11-point scoring spree in the second period, while holding their opponents scoreless, to gain a 13 to 7 halftime bulge. Bill Wall, midway through the quarter, canned a cripple shot on a sweet assist from Hank Herman to give the Tigers the lead for the first time, at 8 to 7, and from then on the locals were never behind.

The Tigers gradually increased their lead in the third heat, which ended 20 to 11; then, in the fourth quarter they really turned on the steam. Herman, who went scoreless in the first half, found his eye and nabbed three field goals in the final eight minutes. Reynolds hit twice and Fawcett, Webber, Niedermeyer and Monteith once each for a total of 13 points.

Scoring for the Bengals was evenly divided. Reynolds got seven points, Wall and Herman six each and Niedermeyer and Fawcett four each. For the Little Sons, Smith, center, accumulated eight tallies.

The collegians suffered a severe blow in the first minute of the game when Dean Jones, first-string guard, dislocated his right big toe in a crash against the east wall.

Lineups:
Medford (33) Little Sons (21)
Herman 6 F. Stallard 4
Monteith 3 F. Hayes 2
Wall 4 C. Smith 8
Fawcett 4 G. D. Jones 2
Webber 3 G. Janger 4
Subs: Medford—Niedermeyer 4, Reynolds 7, Baylis, Weir, Kresse, Edwards, Dippel; Little Sons—Grievens, Thompson, Gregory, Blaker, Wittig. Officials: Hardy and Swanson.

COOPER AND HOGAN DISPLACE SMITH

Los Angeles, Jan. 10.—(AP)—Hurry Up Harry Cooper and Benny Hogan took over the leadership of the \$10,000 Los Angeles open golf tournament late today as yesterday's pace setter, Horton Smith, surrendered to a tough par on the Hillcrest Country club course.

A heavy threat for the \$3,500 top money Hogan matched his opening round 70 with another brilliant, consistent brand of golf and moved into the lead in mid-afternoon. His 36-hole total of 140 looked safe until Cooper, two-time winner of the event, hurried through the late afternoon shadows and posted a 71 to go with his first round 69 and tie the little Hershey, Pa., pro.

Closing time for Classified Ads 9 a. m.—Too Late to Classify 12:30 p. m.

B LEAGUE OPENS, JACKSONVILLE IS THRILLER WINNER

Jacksonville high's Redskins took over first place in the western division of the Southern Oregon class B basketball conference by nosing out Rogue River, 20 to 19, in a thrill-packed game at Jacksonville Friday night. It was the Redskins' second win in as many starts.

Never over three points separated the two quintets, with Jacksonville leading at halftime, 12 to 11. In the preliminary, Jacksonville Graders defeated Rogue River graders, 10 to 9.

In another western division contest, the Central Point Pointers crushed Kerby, 36 to 11, with Frohreich's 12 points being high for the winners. The game was played at Kerby. Central Point led, 20 to 7, at halftime.

St. Mary's of Medford scored an easy 45 to 8 conquest of Sams Valley at Sams Valley in an eastern division fracas. Center Corliss tallied 12 points for the Crusaders, who led at halftime, 20 to 3. Sams Valley graders won the preliminary, 13 to 12.

The Pirates of Phoenix high school swamped the Beavers of Gold Hill 36 to 13. Friday night, the Pirates led throughout the contest which was very rough, being marked by 20 fouls. Jack Evans was high point man with 12 points.

The preliminary game was won by the Phoenix super-varsity 15 to 5.

Between halves the Phoenix drill team performed. The high school band under the direction of Harry Meyers played several numbers.

Lineups:
(Gold Hill) (Phoenix)
Barry 4 F. Lewis
Kile F. Johnson
D. Rosecrans 2 C. Evans 12
Burton O. Isaacs 7
C. Rosecrans 3 C. Glover 10
Smith S. Cobleigh 6
Wolff S. Simmons
Steinmetz 4 S. Hite 1
C. Rife
Jville (20) Rogue River (19)
Smith 5 F. Porter
Johnson 4 F. D. Hatch 5
McClary C. K. Hatch 4
Sanford C. Miller 1
Hardy 6 O. Smith 6
Subs: Jacksonville—McIntyre 2, Hoffman 2, Swartz 1, Lett; Rogue River—Austin 3, Dimick 1. Referee: George Robertson.

Central Point (36) Kerby (11)
Frohreich 12 F. Pettas 4
Richardson 4 F. L. Cooper 3
Pinkham 6 C. Santos 2
Pierce 2 G. Baldwin
Schreier 6 G. O. Cooper 2
Substitutes: Central Point—Freeman 3, Wilson 2. Referee: Bill Robinson, Grants Pass.

St. Mary's (45) Sams Valley (8)
Bauman 6 F. Lucas
Corey 2 F. Thomas 2
Corliss 12 C. Bennett 2
Darland 3 G. Fraus 3
Iven 11 G. Galloway
Subs: St. Mary's—J. Corey 1, Lemire 2, Nary 8; Sams Valley—Libolt 1.

HUMBOLDT HANDS SOCE FIRST LOSS

Eureka, Cal., Jan. 10.—(AP)—Humboldt State college turned back Southern Oregon College of Education (Ashland) 41-38 in their basketball game last night. It was SOCE's first loss in eight starts.

Mulder, giant forward for the invaders, was top scorer with 21 points. Longholm, Humboldt forward, led the winners with 11.

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