

SPORTS

TORNADOES WILL MEET BEND FOR 2-GAME SERIES

Medford Will Meet Toughest Competition of Season In Last Year's Runners-Up.

Medford high school's Black Tornadoes will meet the Bend high school quintet Friday and Saturday nights in a two-game non-conference basketball series on the Medford floor that promises to be the toughest the Tornadoes have faced to date.

Bend will bring to the game a first string made up almost entirely of men from last year's state runner-up team and one which has looked good in competition this year.

Meet the Best Although Bend lost to The Dalles last week-end, the encounter was close and they were meeting a team considered one of the best in northern Oregon.

Three weeks ago Bend split a two-game series with Klamath Falls in the only contests with a southern Oregon conference team. Medford, as yet unde-

feated this season, stopped Grants Pass for the third time this season, 40-18 Tuesday night. "Tough Time"

In practice last night, Coach Al Simpson said the Tornadoes looked a little ragged and he predicted "we'll have a tough time with the Bend squad." A preliminary game, starting at 8:45 p. m., will see the Medford high juniors meeting the Medford junior high aggregation. The main game will start at 8 p. m. tomorrow night.

Phoenix Hoopsters Will Meet Talent In Polio Benefit

A basketball game between Phoenix and Talent high schools for benefit of the infantile paralysis fund will be played at Phoenix tomorrow night, the Phoenix school announced today.

A collection will be taken at the door, the announcement said, and receipts thereof turned over to the local polio fund chairman, Elva Caster.

The game, which will start at 8 p. m. will mark the final appearance of the Talent squad on the Phoenix court for the season.

Pointers Seek 2nd Win Over Cavemen

Central Point high school's hoopsters will attempt a repeat performance of their previous victory over Grants Pass when they travel to the Cavemen's lair Saturday night for a non-conference tilt.

The game will be preceded by an encounter between the reserve teams of the two schools. Grants Pass was stopped in its last outing Tuesday night against Medford high school, coming out on the short end of a 40-18 score. Central Point defeated Prospect 40-10 last Friday.

TWIN BRAWLS ON TAP ON MAT CARD

A pair of first class brawls are promised for an expected capacity crowd at the Medford Armory tonight for the weekly mat card, Promoter Mack Lillard said today.

Topping the bill is a clash between the Gray Mask, the Hollywood horror man, and Harold (Blood and Guts) Davidson, ex-Marine who bounced the Mask off the canvas like a rubber ball half a dozen times in their first match here last November before the hooded giant-killer was able to subdue him. Davidson has been clamoring for a rematch ever since.

An equally rugged match is scheduled for the semi-windup when Pete Belcastro, the Weed assassin who kicked, gouged and slugged it out to a draw with the Mask last week, meets Terrible Tony Ross, his chief rival among the fans for most hated wrestler of the year.

A promising donnybrook also is on tap in the preliminary bout between Georges Dusette, Canadian strong-arm specialist, and Tarzan Potvin, also from the land of the maple leaf. The first match will start at 8:30 p. m.

Riflemen Fail To Set New Records

No records were broken or tied at the Medford Rifle club weekly rifle shoot yesterday.

The five high scores were made by Jimmie Bolton 369, Octavia Waddell 361, Max Terzenbach 356, Lew Conger 347, and Charles Bottjer 344. There will be a pistol shoot tomorrow.

BASKETBALL

By United Press
Army, 73; West Virginia, 47.
Navy, 60; Penn State, 27.
St. Joseph's, 45; Syracuse, 37.
St. John's, 71; Fordham, 35.
Carnegie Tech., 59; Allegheny, 37.
Rice, 59; Texas, 48.
Holy Cross, 64; Worcester Polytechnic, 47.
Dartmouth, 45; Columbia, 38.
Brown, 58; Harvard, 32.

Closing time for Sunday Too Late to Classify 5:30 Saturday afternoon. Please remember

Nelson Favored To Garner Top Honors At Corpus Christi

Corpus Christi, Tex., Feb. 1—(U.P.)—Byron Nelson of Toledo, O., golf's top money winner last year and favorite in every tournament he enters, held that spot today even before he arrived on the scene of the first Corpus Christi open, despite several sub-par practice rounds fired by other top-notch professionals.

Nelson and Harold (Jug) McSpaden of Philadelphia, second in money winning last year, were scheduled to arrive here today in time for a tune-up round over the par 70 layout over which play starts tomorrow. Indications were that it would take a 261 or better to win the first prize of \$1,000 in the \$6,675 tournament.

PHOENIX BOWS TO J'VILLE QUINTET

Jacksonville high school's hoopsters took the measure of the Phoenix high school quintet 34 to 21 on the Jacksonville floor Tuesday night, paced by Grinstead, speedy guard, who racked up eight points for the evening.

Johnson, forward, and Hite, guard, led the Phoenix squad with seven tittles each.

Lineups:
J'ville (34) Phoenix (21)
Kilworth, 3..... Johnson, 7
Forbes, 7..... F. Newton
Henspeter, 6..... D. Newton, 2
Grinstead, 8..... Hite, 5
Adams, 3..... Beck, 5
Offenb, 7..... Shaffer
Gunter..... Whited
Johnson..... Marshal

Wildcats Will Meet Trojans Tomorrow

St. Mary's high school Wildcats will meet the Sacred Heart academy basketball team in a return game at Klamath Falls tomorrow night.

In their first outing on the St. Mary's floor the Wildcats emerged with a 43-31 win.

Starting lineup for St. Mary's will be Dick Iven and Harold Rickman, forwards; Howard Rickman, center, and Neil Murphy and Bob Messer, guards, Coach Thomas Hamilton announced today.

LOCAL WAC MARKS WINDUP OF FIRST YEAR OVERSEAS

Mediterranean Allied Air Forces Headquarters, Italy—Pvt. Maxine L. Pearce, 1122 Sunset Avenue, Medford, Ore., is a member of a WAC platoon which recently marked the first anniversary of its overseas service.

They're still talking about the buffet-supper dance which celebrated the occasion. For most of the WACs it was the closest approach to a home to a social event since they came overseas. True, the ballroom was not strictly Park avenue, but they managed to transfer a local Italian schoolhouse into a reasonable facsimile, and dined and danced to their hearts' content.

It was "remember when" night and coming in for the most remembering was the big date in January, 1944, when the platoon landed at Casablanca, North Africa. They recalled, too, the plane trip to Tunis where they were assigned to headquarters of the AAF Mediterranean Theater of Operations. A month later the headquarters moved to Italy and the battle lines were closer.

It hasn't been an easy year, but the WACs have won the respect and admiration of army officers for their efficiency. Off duty, they enjoy numerous recreational facilities. Once a week there's a dance in the spacious recreation hall and then there's a "rumpus room" for the WACs exclusive use.

A telephone operator for the U.S. Forest Service at Union Creek before her enlistment in the WAC Sept. 18, 1943, Pvt. Pearce now works for MAAF Message Center as a proofer and file clerk. She took her basic training at Ft. Des Moines, Ia., then joined the overseas unit. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Cannon, Pvt. Pearce has two brothers in the armed forces. Pfc. Clayton Cannon is on Guadalcanal and Cpl. Nelson Cannon is in the Philippine Islands.

Fighting Triplets Become Casualties In Five-Day Period

Washington, Feb. 1—(U.P.)—The Brock triplets—three Texas farm youths who were inducted at the same time, went overseas together, and fought in France in the same regiment—were casualties within five days of each other, the war department disclosed today.

Floyd Brock was killed in action on Nov. 19. His brother Boyd, was seriously wounded on Nov. 18. The third brother, Lloyd, was reported missing in action on Nov. 20.

The parents of the three boys, Mr. and Mrs. Roy D. Brock, live near Clarendon, Tex.

ZURITA STOPS BELLOISE ON TKO IN 4TH STANZA

Houston, Tex., Feb. 1—(U.P.)—Juan Zurita, 137, Mexico City, N.B.A. lightweight titlist, scored a fourth round technical knockout over Mike Belloise, 136, New York City in a 10-round non-tittle bout here last night.

Belloise stood up gamely throughout the first three rounds but Zurita floored the former featherweight champion with a right to the midriff just as the bell sounded. The New Yorker was unable to answer the fourth round bell.

OAKS KNOCK PORTLAND OUT OF HOCKEY LEAD

San Francisco, Feb. 1—(U.P.)—The Oakland Oaks scored a 6-5 win over the Portland Eagles in a Pacific coast league hockey league game last night, knocking the northern team out of the league leadership in a hotly-contested game.

CHAMP 'WHIRLS' FOR NAVY

Ottumwa, Ia. (U.P.)—One of the nation's leading baton twirlers, who won the national high school championship three years in a row—1937-1939—has donned Navy blues and leads the Ottumwa, Ia., naval air station band. He is Seaman 2/c Karl Thurman, Brookfield, Mo., who this year won the national men's championship at the Chicago Musical Festival for the second time.

EARLY WAR PAINT

South Dartmouth, Mass. (U.P.)—Beside the well-preserved, 500-year-old skeleton of an Indian found under a dwelling here was perhaps America's earliest make-up kit—a clam shell containing a small mass of war paint that regained distinct red, yellow, green and blue hues on exposure to air.

China Missionary Will Tell Story At Presbyterian

Paul J. Snyder of Canton, China, will speak at the First Presbyterian church at the 11 a. m. service Sunday, telling a gripping story of his evangelistic work in south China as well as of his personal experiences



Paul J. Snyder

there. Mr. Snyder was in Canton during the Japanese bombing and occupation of that city and, with his wife and 8-year-old daughter, was prisoner of the Japanese for eight months after Pearl Harbor until his repatriation on the "Gripsholm" in August, 1942. An older daughter had left for school in America in 1940. As superintendent of the famed Hackett Medical center, he had direct dealings with the Japanese military officials.

Mr. and Mrs. Snyder first arrived in China in 1925 and for 11 years Mr. Snyder was head of the physics department in the Pui Ying middle school.

Boy Scout News

By C. D. Griffiths, Scoutmaster
Troop 2 met Tuesday at the Lincoln gym with 27 scouts pres-

ent. New applicants accepted were Lloyd Dyer, Dennis Dawson and Howard Burnette. The latter belonged to a troop at Roseburg before moving to Medford.

The council has authorized the troop to add an air scout patrol to its ranks.

Scout mothers plan a troop father and son banquet at the armory February 9, at 7:30 p. m. This is a special occasion for national scout week which is to be celebrated throughout the nation.

Also during national scout week there will be a window display at the J. C. Penney store of articles made by troop 2.

The scout casual department reported Scout Roberts Shaffer underwent an appendicitis operation last week at Community hospital, also that Scout George Lockett's broken arm is mending rapidly.

The troop plans to work Sunday on their camping ground. They will leave the Lincoln gym at 9 a. m. sharp.

After a long, hard struggle we believe that the first Boy Scout drum and bugle corps of the west coast is about to get underway with the supervision of Bliss Heine, noted instructor,

and guaranteed full support of the D. A. V., sponsors of the troop, with co-operation of the parents of the troop.

The troop is working hard for another court of honor at the gym Feb. 20.

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Southbound		
6:05 A. M.	10:45 A. M.	3:45 P. M.
7:00 A. M.	11:10 A. M.	5:15 P. M.
7:05 A. M.	1:30 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
8:00 A. M.	1:45 P. M.	6:50 P. M.
		10:30 P. M.
		12:55 A. M.

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