

SPORTS

TWO PRINEVILLE PLAYERS OUT OF TONIGHT'S CLASH

Dick Fawcett, Medford Guard, Not To See Action In First Game of Series

John Pariseau, coach of the Prineville Cowboys who will play Medford's Black Tornado here tonight, beginning at 8 o'clock, in the first game of a two-out-of-three series for a berth in the state tournament at Salem next week, announced today that illness and an injury has taken a drastic toll of his first team.

Paul Thalhofer, tall center who is an excellent backboard control man, is in bed with a fever of 104 degrees and a sore throat, Pariseau said. He will definitely not play in tonight's game, according to the coach.

Wes Durkes, one of the highest scorers in central Oregon and a sparkplug of the Prineville club, suffered a badly sprained ankle during a workout on the Medford court and will probably see little if any action.

Fawcett Slick
Coach Al Simpson of the Tornado said today he has his own troubles. Dick Fawcett, fast-stepping guard who can be shifted forward with ease, will be out of tonight's game. He has a bad cold and was confined to his bed this morning. His place will be taken by Glenn Bostwick.

Jerry Ross, southern Oregon conference scoring leader, has a sore neck and a slight fever. He was not at school this morning and Simpson said he is a doubtful starter. If he is unable to go his place will probably be

taken by Earl Stelle or Jim Cave.
Medford's plight has a somewhat bright side, however, with the return of Lerry Hayes, who will be playing his first game since Feb. 10 when he was injured in a contest with Klamath Falls here.

Principal Lester Harris said today there will be a slight hike in admission prices because of the expense in bringing the game to Medford.

NELSON M'SPADEN TEAM FAVORITES

Miami, Fla., March 8—(U.P.)—Byron Nelson of Toledo, O., and Harold (Jug) McSpaden of San Ford, Me., who have become practically automatic co-favorites in golf tournaments, today held the favorite spot as a team as 32 top flight professionals teed off in teams in the penultimate of the \$7,500 international four-ball tournament.

Following the Nelson-McSpaden team in pre-tournament betting was the duo of Sammy Sneed and Bob Hamilton. Sneed has won three consecutive medal-play tournaments in the past three weeks and the team figures as a definite contender. Hamilton is the P. G. A. champion.

BLACK HAWKS TIE WITH BRUINS FOR 4TH PLACE

By United Press
The Chicago Black Hawks moved into a fourth place tie with the Boston Bruins last night by defeating the New York Rangers, 6 to 3, to vacate the National Hockey league's cellar for the first time in four months.

BOWLING

In City league last night State Police took two out of three games from Office Boys (Eads 210-582). Union Oil defeated Firestone three straight (Schantz 218-582) and Henry's Drive-In won three straight from P. M. T. (Holman 201-523).

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WALTONIAN CLUB EYES LEGISLATION ON CONSERVATION

With the full membership of 10 directors and officers present the board of directors of the Jackson County Chapter of the Izaak Walton league held its monthly meeting at the Elks Club Tuesday evening, heard committee reports on bills before the legislature concerning wildlife conservation, and made plans for the membership meeting March 20 at the Medford Hotel.

House bill 378, providing for shortening of commercial fishing seasons, elimination of set nets and other conservation restrictions on the Oregon coastal streams south of the Columbia River, was endorsed by the directors. Records of commercial fishing, from the State Commercial Fish Commission, were introduced to show the declining take of fish from the streams to the point where, it was emphasized, the complete extermination of migratory fish would result under present laws.

House bill 292, sponsored by the State Game Commission, met with enthusiastic endorsement of the board. The bill provides for screening of all irrigation and other diversion ditches by and at the expense of the State Game Commission, that require screens under eight feet in dimension.

The bill would relieve the land owner of this responsibility as provided under the present law. Screens measuring eight feet and larger would remain under present state requirements, but continue under regulation and jurisdiction of the game commission. It was pointed out that conservationists throughout the state have championed such a law for many years in the belief that it is the only method of efficient screening protection.

The plan for diversion of the Klamath River from Klamath County into California, as proposed by the United States Engineers, was opposed by the board members. The action was identical with the position taken on the matter by Klamath County chapter of the league and other Klamath Falls and Yreka, California, civic and conservation organizations.

A copy of the Klamath-Modoc Izaak Walton League Bulletin was read and examined by the directors for consideration of a like publication by the local chapter.

A list of applications for membership was read and will be

voted on at the next membership meeting.

Vice President Larkin Grubb and Director E. S. Corthell, of Ashland, reported on the Ashland membership campaign and plans for the meeting of the chapter to be held in Ashland on April 16.

ARMORY MATMEN TO ASSUME RISK IN BATTLE ROYAL

Mack Lillard announced today that all wrestlers taking part in tonight's battle royal at Medford Armory have signed contracts to assume responsibility for any injuries received in the free-for-all. Those taking part in the melee are Pete Belcastro, Gust Johnson, Jack Kliser, Terrible Tony Ross, Georges Dusette and Harold (Blood and Guts) Davidson.

Three regulation matches will follow the scheduled fracas, first pair eliminated to meet for three rounds, second pair out to make up the four round semi-windup and last two to collide in the six-round main event. All matches will be for the best two out of three falls, with a fall constituting a round.

The survivor of the battle royal has been promised a match with the Gray Mask next week. Lillard said. The card starts promptly at 8:30.

Novikoff Signs Angel Contract

Los Angeles, March 8—(U.P.)—Lou Novikoff, baseball's "mad Russian," today changed his mind and signed a 1945 contract with the Los Angeles Angels.

Novikoff was released from the Chicago Cubs after disappointing attempt to break into the major leagues. After his release to Los Angeles, Novikoff turned holdout, but finally came around to the Angels' terms.

Ward Store Party Marks Victory In District Contest

In celebration of winning a district contest held during November and December, when the Medford store ranked first among 18 in selling merchandise coupons, employees of the Montgomery Ward store here were entertained at a party Tuesday evening.

Each employee was given a ticket to the Craterian theater show and following the show all gathered at the store for an evening of music, dancing, games and a buffet lunch.

The party was arranged by an employees committee which included Mary Bierma, Al Piche, Juanita Slead and Mrs. Vivian Shaver. Mrs. H. Bradshaw and Mrs. S. McMahan aided Mr. Piche in serving.
About 75 attended the party.

GAME KITS SENT HOSPITAL SHIP BY RED CROSS

In response to a hurry up call from San Francisco, 50 recreation game kits containing nine games each of polished wood, were shipped Tuesday to be used on a hospital ship.

The kits, made in Junior High school and Jackson grade school, are gifts of the Junior Red Cross to wounded service men. Originally intended for prisoner of war camps, they are now consigned to hospital trains and ships.

Jackson county Juniors have the honor to serve the first ship to use the kits.

Last week a hospital ship docked in San Francisco and the 598 party favors, which have been made such attractive window displays in the Junior Red Cross shop windows the last two weeks, were carefully packed and sent to help in parties planned for wounded men by the Red Cross staff of the ship.

Twenty bedtrays went to Barnes hospital and 203 educational gift boxes have been shipped to San Francisco, each containing about 20 articles for refugee children in devastated countries overseas. In all 3420 articles have been shipped from the tiny Junior headquarters in the Holly theatre building since February 1, according to Miss Vera Humphrey, chairman.

Lt. Ted L. Taylor Home On Leave After 34 Months

First Lt. Ted L. Taylor recently arrived in Medford on leave after serving 34 months in the Southwest Pacific area with the army. The lieutenant saw action in the New Guinea, Netherlands East Indies and Philippine campaigns. Lt. Taylor left Medford in 1940 with the National Guard and went overseas as a 1st sergeant with the 41st Division. Later, receiving his commission in Australia, he was assigned to the famous 32nd (Red Arrow) Division. It was with this division that he saw the larger part of his action, receiving the Presidential unit citation and the Combat Infantry Badge.

Lt. Taylor is a graduate of Medford High school and attended Oregon State College. He is the son of L. C. Taylor of this city and Blanche Taylor of Oakland, Calif. His wife resides at 710 Park Avenue.

At the MarKade

Carl Winklebleck and his band will play for the Saturday night dance at the MarKade this week, dancing to be from 8 until 11 p. m.

Ration Calendar

Processed Foods—Book 4
Blue stamps X5 through B2 valid through March 31.
Blue stamps C2 through G2 valid through April 28.
Blue stamps H2 through M2 valid through June 2.
Blue stamps N2 through S2 valid through June 30.
Meat, Butter, Cheese—Book 4
Red stamps Q5 through S5 valid through March 31.
Red stamps T5 through X5 valid through April 28.
Red stamps Y5 through D2 valid through June 2.
Red stamps E2 through J2 valid through June 30.
Sugar—Book 4
Sugar stamp 35 valid through June 2.
Shoes—Book 3
Airplane stamps 1-2-3 now valid.

Gasoline
"A" 14 coupons, 4 gallons each, valid through March 21.
Fuel Oil
Period 1-5 (incl) coupons valid through August 31. Not more than 69% of season's rations should have been used to date.

Price Control
Refer inquiries and complaints to price clerk at local board.
Rent Control
In areas under federal rent control, all rented dwelling units must be registered, and changes in tenancy reported.

BATISTA COMING
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