

Your Health and It's Care

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THE NATURE OF RHEUMATIC FEVER

The more I delve in current medical literature the less ashamed do I feel about that apple green brochure "The Ills Called Rheumatism"...

When you get right down to cases we know little if any more about the nature and treatment of chronic joint disabilities...

Please note I say chronic disabilities—joint trouble or gradual or insidious development slow progressive course...

Terrible Tony Ross will be pitted against the dreaded standing full Nelson of Georges Dusette in the fourth round...

TALL BASKETBALL PLAYERS BENEFIT BY RULE CHANGES

New York, March 28.—(U.P.) Tall players, the target of rousing criticism, because of their advantage in scoring plays...

The committee passed a rule which stated that points will not be nullified if a player touches the basket hoop or net when a field goal obviously has been made.

Most important of the other changes effected was the cancellation of the 30-second rule, which heretofore enabled a team to get by without a charged time-out when a player was substituted.

Another change provides standardization of signals by officials for all parts of the nation to enable players to know what action was being taken by the referees.

Other changes were: 1.—An out-of-bounds ball is to be given to the nearest offensive player to avoid delay by passing it to a man in a distant part of the court.

2.—On canceled goals brought about by any violation, the ball is to be taken out on the side court instead of behind the basket.

3.—On plays when the offensive player accidentally steps in to the back court, he is to be permitted to retain possession of the ball.

4.—Officials to be given the power to fix the responsibility of screening plays upon offensive men.

BOUTS EXPECTED TO DRAW CROWD

A capacity crowd is expected to be on hand tomorrow night at Medford armory to witness the rematch between Pete Belcastro and the Gray Mask...

BEATEN GERMANS TRUDGE UNHEEDED TO PRISON CAMPS

(This is the first dispatch from captured Limburg. It was flown by air courier back to the 1st army communications center.)

By John McDermott United Press Correspondent Limburg, Germany, March 28 (U.P.)—What yesterday appeared to be another 1st army lightning offensive similar to that across France today had turned into a complete rout of German forces in this area.

Surrendering Germans are streaming unguarded along all the highways around this vital communications center trying to find somebody who has time to take them prisoner.

American tank columns, surveying the thousands of prisoners, merely jerked their thumbs to the rear, when the Germans tried to stop them to surrender.

No Time For Prisoners The Germans want to give themselves up but the 1st army hasn't got time to bother with them.

Mingling with the hiking Germans are hundreds of liberated French, Russians, Belgians, and Poles who shouted gleefully at the Americans and raised their hands in the V-for-victory sign.

There were also some 200 American and British prisoners of war who threw their arms around the Americans when Lt. Gen. Courtney M. Hodges' troops forced their way into the prison camp and hospital where they were confined.

Here in battered Limburg where the Germans tried to put up a little defense yesterday it already was quiet.

Liberated Happy One of the happiest Americans liberated here was a lieutenant from Cincinnati, O., who sobbed when Sgt. Frank Biffin, Garden City, N. Y., broke his way into the room where he was imprisoned.

"God, that can't be you sarge," he said, "it just can't be."

The lieutenant had been executive officer of Biffin's company before his capture Dec. 17 in the Ardennes battle.

Civilians in Limburg and the surrounding towns don't know what to make of the sudden appearance of the Americans.

They had expected them eventually—but not so soon.

Flying over the area in a Piper Cub with T/Sgt. Tom Smythe, Middleton, Cal., I could see crowds of Germans lined up along the roads, with hands upraised waiting for someone to whom they could surrender.

Capt. William T. Gibber, Oklahoma City, a Disciple of Christ chaplain, said a liberated German prisoner in a filthy German hospital greeted him with: "You haven't got a C-ration, have you?"

An American soldier has to be pretty hungry to beg for a C-ration.

Names of the Americans and British liberated were not released by censors. The total of liberated allies was expected to run to several thousand.

Daily Weather Report

Medford and vicinity: Cloudy with occasional rain tonight and Thursday. Little change in temperature. Oregon: Scattered showers west of Cascades and snow flurries over mountains of northern portion tonight...

Forecast: Medford and vicinity: Cloudy with occasional rain tonight and Thursday. Little change in temperature.

Local Data: Temperature a year ago today. Highest 71 degrees, lowest 29. Total monthly precipitation 1.97 inches. Excess for the month 37 inch.

Relative humidity at 4:30 p. m. yesterday 34%; 4:30 today 71%.

Sunrise 6:59 a. m. Sunset 7:33 p. m. Past 24 hours: High Low Prec.

Boise 53 32 --- Boston 53 32 --- Chicago 52 61 --- Denver 48 25 --- Eureka 55 45 --- Hays 51 31 --- Los Angeles 66 37 --- Medford 42 41 --- New York 73 50 --- Omaha 79 55 --- Portland 66 46 22

Difficult Decisions. By CLUYAS WILLIAMS. Whether to go all the way home to be reminded what it was mother wants, or from the market in a hurry, whether to telephone, which will leave me a nickel short, or whether to take a chance on one of three things you think it may have been.

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WANTED - Reliable woman for cooking in private home. Phone 2254. PAPERHANGING - Ketchikan, painting inside of outside. Free estimate. Phone 3429.

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BALED HAY for sale, \$20 and up. Phone 5193. CAMERON-MOFFITT LUMBER CO. LOW-PRICED LUMBER - So Riverside at Barnett Rd. Phone 3462.

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BARNEY GOOGLER and SNUFFY SMITH



Crossword Puzzle

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down. Clues include: Across: 1 - The Occident, 2 - Donkey, 3 - Uncooked, 4 - Pushed, 5 - Fly larva, 6 - Pallid, 7 - Apolline, 8 - Irish, 9 - Do to, 10 - Warned of attack, 11 - Slip stone, 12 - African worm, 13 - Piece of jewelry, 14 - Operative class.

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

Answers to the crossword puzzle: Across: 1 - Occident, 2 - Donkey, 3 - Uncooked, 4 - Pushed, 5 - Fly larva, 6 - Pallid, 7 - Apolline, 8 - Irish, 9 - Do to, 10 - Warned of attack, 11 - Slip stone, 12 - African worm, 13 - Piece of jewelry, 14 - Operative class.

