

Tony Gets Ring Nod Over Ray

New York — (UPI) — It's a good thing for lightweight Tony Anthony that he didn't "heart he bell" any earlier than he did.

Anthony won the unanimous 10-round decision over Sonny Ray of Chicago in Friday night's nationally-televised and broadcast fight at Madison Square Garden at all right, but he was railing at the finish.

A terrific right by Ray caught Anthony on the head with slightly more than a minute left in the bout and staggered him against the ropes. Anthony pulled himself back together momentarily and fought back, but seconds before the bell, Ray landed another hard right-left combination which sent Tony reeling.

Then he dropped his hands and turned his back on Ray. Before the 23-year-old Chicago fighter could take advantage of Anthony's condition, the final buzzer sounded.

In his dressing room after the fight, Anthony said he had gone back to the "ropes to gather myself together" for the final seconds. When asked why he dropped his hands, he replied:

"I thought I heard the bell." Ray said he had "tried to turn him around to get some clean shots at him," but before he could do so, it was all over.

Discounting the wobbly finish, Anthony won a clear-cut decision. He was in command throughout most of the first nine rounds, but the superior boxer, got much the better of the exchanges on the in-fighting and landed more good long-range shots.

This performance won him the votes of all three ring officials. Referee Ruby Goldstein scored the bout 8-2; and judge Frank Forbes 8-3-1; and judge Tony Castellano 6-4. The United Press International favored Anthony 7-2-1.

This was Anthony's 38th triumph, along with one draw, in 45 bouts. For Ray, it was the seventh defeat in 30 matches. He had drawn five.



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English Horse Wins Sweepstakes

Aintree, England — (UPI) — Oxo, an English thoroughbred who leaped to jump chasing hounds through the fields, today won the Grand National Steeplechase, the world's toughest horserace.

Making his first start over the rugged course of four miles, 856-yards, Oxo beat Scotland's Wyndburgh with Mr. What, the favorite from Ireland, third in the field of 34 steeplechasers.

About one hour before the start of the race which decides the lucky winners of the Irish Hospital Sweepstakes, Amorial III and Pippyskin were withdrawn.

Oxo, a comparatively young horse for this gruelling test of stamina, is owned by J. Biggs and was ridden by Mike Scudamore.

Odds Go Up
Although he was 10 to 1 in the final call over the Victoria

ROGUE VALLEY LEAGUE		
Standings:	W.	L.
State Forest Patrol	7	1
Kachina Room	6	2
Darrell Miller Co.	6	2
Domestic Laundry	5	3
Larry's Rich Maid	5	3
C.W.A. Local 9208	5	3
Piggly Wiggly	4	4
Fire Department	3	5
C. F. Vool Lines	3	5
Williamette Valley Co.	2	6
Prospect Shopping Center	2	6
Harry & David	1	7

Results:
Harry & David 0 (Davis 401)
2545; Darrell Miller 4 (Brown 488)
2699.
Rich Maid 4 (Peterson 529) 2809;
Williamette Valley 0 (Kreer 495)
2631.
Forest Patrol 4 (Layton 487) 2711;
Prospect 0 (Peterson 429) 2511.
Kachina Room 0 (Caster 450)
2571; Fire Dept. 4 (Millich 497)
2903.
C.W.A. 3 (Hunter 540) 2686; C. F. Van Lines 1 (DeGroot 534) 2681.
Domestic Laundry 3 (Legg 553)
2585; Piggly Wiggly 1 (McKen 542)
2780.

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE		
Standings:	W.	L.
Graham Electric	9	3
City Hall	9	3
Snoobs	9	3
Desert Service	7	5
Richfield Oil	7	5
Eagles	7	5
Kim's	4	8
Oregon Roof & Paint Co.	4	8
National Cash Register	4	8
Standard Oil Co.	3	9
Rail Road	2	10
Red Blanket Lumber Co.	1	11

Results:
City Hall 3 (Snedden 384) 2935;
Kims 1 (McNeil 301) 2689.
Red Blanket 1 (Fuller 592) 2735;
Graham Electric 3 (O'Connor & Graham) 2770.
Standard Oil 1 (Fowler 478) 2670;
Nat. Cash. 0 (Spain 507) 2528.
Oregon Roof & Paint 3 (N. Parrish 491)
2816; Richfield Oil 1 (Dickinson 523) 2691.
Rail Road 0 (Kidd 434) 2522;
Desert Service 4 (Beard 497) 2667.

PACIFIC LEAGUE		
Standings:	W.	L.
Johnston Stores	25	11
Hi-Way Cafe	22	14
Gates Furniture	23	13
Taylor-Salade Ins.	19	17
Western Hot Coffee	18	18
Whitlaw Candy	17	19
Fyre-Flyers	16	20
Moore Steel	15	21
Harry & David	12	23
Gassers	10	26

Results:
Johnston 4 (D. Mang 520) 2703;
Gassers 0 (G. Paul 460) 2626.
Hi-Way Cafe 4 (Mel Mager 574)
2717; Moore Steel 0 (Paul Boone 465) 2627.
Gates Furn 3 (Dick Weber 506)
2668; Western Hot 1 (Larry Fisher 503) 2636.
Taylor-Salade 3 (J. McCracken 528) 2739; Harry & David 1 (L. Thompson 526) 2718.
Whitlaw 3 (Norman Carter 510)
2769; Fyre-Flyers 1 (Jack Monroe 458) 2618.

INDEPENDENT LEAGUE		
Standings:	W.	L.
Hughes & Dodd	25	17
E. H. Mann Co.	22	14
Tee Pee Plywood	18	18
Midcoast Painters	16	16
Table Rock Lumber	16	16
Ideal Cement	15	17
Cove Valley Supply	14	18
Communication Workers	14	18
Timber Wolves	12	20
Andy's Jewelers	12	20

Results:
Hughes & Dodd 2 (Art Baker 517) 2733; Cove Valley 2 (Frank Fagale 466) 2669.
E. H. Mann Co. 2 (Ed Mann 561)
2805; Communication 2 (R. L. Janzen 481) 2828.
Tee Pee Plywood 3 (Ken Christian 539) 2740; Ideal Cement 1 (Herb Mang 495) 2728.
Midcoast Painters 1 (Bob Champion 529) 2589; Andy's Jewelers 3 (Carl Perdue 474) 2722.
Table Rock Lumber 3 (Dick Harrison 404) 2896; Timber Wolves 1 (Dale Graham 519) 2618.

Prep Basketball

By United Press International
Marshall 46, Klamath Falls 44
Franklin 49, Pendleton 38
Consolation
North Salem 48, Sandy 33
Beaverton 33, North Bend 43
St. Helens 62, Jefferson 54
Medford 81, McMinville 61

Club Friday night, betting at the course by the crowd estimated at close to 250,000, sent his final odds down to 8 to 1.

Wynburg, who finished second in 1957 and fourth last year, closed at 10 to 1, while Mr. What, winner last year for owner David Coughlan, was 6 to 1 when the large field went to the post.

Oxo won by a length and one-half with Wynburg, ridden by Tim Brookshaw, eight lengths ahead of Mr. What.

Mr. What thus failed to become the sixth horse in history to win consecutive runnings of the Grand National. His defeat ended the worries of England and Ireland bookmakers who stood to lose thousands of pounds if he had won. The Grand National is the first leg of Britain's big spring betting double. Marshall Pil won the Lincolnshire Handicap last Wednesday in the first half of it and was coupled with Mr. What in countless bets.

Only Friday night an unidentified person tried to buy Mr. What from Coughlan, who was a real estate dealer in Florida for 18 years before he returned to his native Ireland.

"The offer was made last night. But I turned it down. I'm not selling to this buyer. I won't say who — because an Irish-owned and Irish-trained horse has never won this race twice in a row. I want to break that hoodoo," Coughlan said.

The "hoodoo" still held, however.

Lakeview Girl Wins Ski Title

Kayaba, Wash. — (UPI) — Jean Saubert, Lakeview, Ore., finished second by only one second in the downhill event on Pitgail Peak near here Friday to win the girls' combined title in the 1959 National Junior Ski championships.

Miss Saubert was timed at 1:33.8 for the 1.3 mile run, just a shade behind Madeline Tschopp, Reno, Nev., who claimed the National Downhill Championship with a 1:32.8. The Oregon skier won the slalom event Thursday by a three minute and three quarter second margin. The difference in the victory margins decided the combined title.

Second in Total Score
Miss Tschopp, who finished fourth in the slalom, was second in the combined scoring.

Cheri Gervay was third in the downhill with a 1:34.8 timing. Judy Waterman came in fourth at 1:36.2, and Sharon Peckjack fifth in 1:36.2. All three girls are from Aspen, Colo.

The boys' downhill event also was run Friday with Bill Marolt, Aspen, coming in first with a 1:19.4 time. Gary McCoy, Mammoth Mt., Calif., was second at 1:20.2. Grant Whitman, Ellensburg, Wash., a 17-year-old, tied for third at 1:21.8.

The boys' slalom race was set for today. The championships will end Sunday with the boys' jumping event.

Mat Events Set for G.P.

Grants Pass — Al Kashey, who made a great hit with the Grants Pass fans last Tuesday, will get a rematch against Wild Bill Savage this Tuesday night in a mat event at the county fairgrounds arena here.

Kashey, who is the son of Abe Kashey of old-time fame, demanded another shot at Savage after being disqualified in a wild scramble last week. Al wants it understood that he doesn't blame the referee and that it was his temper that lost him the match.

"I know I can beat this guy and I'll control my temper this time and really work him over," Kashey said. Wild Bill, who is the newly crowned Northwest Heavyweight Champion, has a different opinion and predicts a quick victory for himself.

Kashey, the handsome Californian, showed the fans plenty of action and new mat tricks. He will match his spinning toe hold against Bill's neckbreaker.

The one hour semi final on this big card will feature Oni Wiki Wiki against the bearded German, Kurt von Poppenheim. Oni defeated Nick Lokak in a great match last week and thinks he can beat the big German. Kurt is well known here and will make a formidable opponent for the crowd moving Samoan. A good fight is expected for this outstanding card. Matches get under way at 8:30 p.m.



PICNIC TRIAL — Above, handler Leonard Lilya brings in his black Labrador, Imp, at the third in a series of picnic trials held Sunday, March 15, at the county gravel pits by the Rogue Valley Retriever club. The trial was a warm up for the annual Field Trial, licensed under the American Kennel club, scheduled here for next Friday, Saturday and Sunday, March 27, 28 and 29. The field trial will attract some of the top dogs, trainers and handlers in the nation, stopping here on their tour of the west coast circuit. Most of the trial is expected to be held on the south side of the game management area near the old Military bridge site. Also pictured above are, left to right, judges Paul Skinner and Jack Botcher. Dr. Lee Harlow, far right, field trial chairman, is waiting to run his dog, Jump Off Joe, who is next in line.

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE SPORTS

Best Ball Match Planned For Country Club Women

Mrs. Dean Lambert-Mrs. Lou McLaughlin, Mrs. Frank Tamney-Mrs. Ray Frisbie, Mrs. Ed Radzweit-Mrs. Wayne Safely were winners of the "Blind Partner Events" Thursday at the Rogue Valley Country club. Nine-hole winners were Mrs. Richard Dix-Mrs. Bob VanDuker.

Play for the next week, March 26, will be a "Best Ball Match." Qualifying for Spring handicap will begin April 2, and free group golf lessons to all women members who are interested, will also begin on that day.

Dues for 1959 golfing season are due and must be paid by March 31 to Mrs. William Kalibak, club officials said.

(Ladies are to contact others in their threesomes.)
Medanmas Warren Lesage, Noble Vincent, C. Ed Gordon; Leslie Schneider, E. Collins, Sam Colton; Ray Frisbie, H. Nulton; Richard Finch; T. A. Jr. Culbertson; Frank Tamney, W. O. Blackledge; Wm. T. Clark, E. W. Sicks, L. R. Smith; C. N. Tutting, Thomas Teutsch, Fred Conrad; Robert Templeton, Mahr Reymers, Ed. W.

Grange News

Upper Applegate Grange
Arrangements were completed at the regular session of Upper Applegate Grange March 13 for an officers meeting in the Grange hall 12:30 p.m. Sunday, March 22, when plans will be made for activities the rest of the year. This will be followed by a rehearsal of floor work under the direction of County Deputy Roscoe Roberts, and at its conclusion refreshments will be served by Worthy Master Kathleen Scovell.

Applications for membership were received from Curtis O. Gearhart and Dana L. Gearhart of Applegate and were referred to the membership committee for approval.

Report of the relief committee indicated prevalent illnesses among Grange members and other residents of the community. Mrs. Irene Culy, Grange secretary, is convalescing at home following knee surgery. Mrs. Clara Fletcher is progressing satisfactorily following surgery. Mrs. Margaret Cantrall is recovering from severe burns inflicted when she spilled boiling water from a kettle on her leg and foot. Gail Buffington is ill at home; her son, Mr. Elmer Dorn, who has been spending the winter in California, is also reported ill. Don Hackett continues to improve from the illness he suffered last December, and Mrs. Robert Webb is ill at her home, it was stated.

Home Economics Chairman Edna Sawyer reported plans are under way for a public dinner on Mothers day honoring pioneer mothers of the Applegate valley.

Legislative Chairman Anna Scott read a letter from Dr. Edwin L. Dunn, state senator from Jackson county, in which he agreed to be present at the Grange meeting May 8 to report on important laws that will affect the people of the Applegate valley. He also urged his constituents to write to him and to their other representatives.

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Brilliant Pitching Order Of Day in Florida Camps

United Press International
They're all smiling down in Florida today — the folks who live there just because the sun is shining and the baseball managers because the rain didn't make their pitchers rusty.

The boys got back to work again Friday after almost a week of inactivity and brilliant pitching performances were the order of the day. It seemed as if the unscheduled time off was just what they needed to recover from the first three weeks of training.

Here's how the pitchers vied with one another to prove they'll be ready when opening day assignments are handed out three weeks hence:

Pitchers Combine
— Hoyt Wilhelm and Ernie Johnson combined in a five-hit performance that enabled the Baltimore Orioles to beat the St. Louis Cardinals, 3-0.

— The Los Angeles Dodgers, who dashed off to Havana, Cuba in search of the sun, got a splendid seven-inning performance from Don Drysdale and beat the Cincinnati Reds, 3-2.

— Frank Lary, Paul Foytack and Jim Lunning yielded only five hits as the Detroit Tigers downed the Pittsburgh Pirates, 5-3.

— Russ Kemmerer and John Romonosky were tapped for only eight hits in the Washington Senators, 3-2 decision over the Kansas City Athletics.

— And the New York Yankees got fine performances from both Art Ditmar and Johnny Kucks as they beat the Milwaukee Braves, 6-3 and 5-4, in a day-night double-header at Miami.

Pitcher Sets Mark
The folks out Arizona-way had the day's "topper," however, when Bob Anderson of

4-H club. The group visited the Kershaw Nursery, and Mace supervised the planting of trees by the Reese Creek Renegades at one of the small lakes.

Hoover announced that 12 of the 15 Granges in the county have accepted the Eagle Point Grange's offer of trees, averaging 150 trees per Grange with the exception of Gold Hill Grange, which has ordered 4,001. Several replies have been received to the letters sent by the Eagle Point Grange to all Granges in the state urging the planting of trees and beautifying of landscape. He stated further that the community service committee is planning to hold "Open Lakes Day" for youngsters on a Sunday in the near future, depending on the weather. Several of the Hoover lakes will be opened from 5 p.m. to fishing for children under 14 years of age.

Several guests attended the meeting, including Mrs. Alma Meyer, Lake Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Weidman and Mrs. Velda Mang, Central Point, Mrs. Millie Walker, Live Oak, Mr. and Mrs. Reid McKay, Shady Cove. Visitors were introduced by Mrs. Paul Force.

Mrs. Lester Wertz, chairman of the ways and means committee, announced that the Eagle Point Grange will serve a ham dinner on Easter Sunday from 12:30 p.m. to 4 p.m.

A pie social and get together is planned for Saturday, March 21, at 8 p.m. in the Grange hall. There will be square and round dancing for those wishing it, and all members are urged to attend and meet our newly installed members.

C. C. Hoover, chairman of the community service committee, reported that a group of 53 persons gathered at the Hoover lakes to receive instructions and advice on the budding and grafting of trees, recognizing species of trees, and planting of trees.

Attending were committee members Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hoover, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bitterling, and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Moore, as well as Mrs. R. T. Nichols of the Oregon Federation of Garden clubs, Mrs. O. A. Eden of the Medford Garden club, Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Smith of the Crater Lake club, John Mace, forester, Glen Klein, county 4-H club agent, Miss Marlowe Garner, county 4-H club agent, and members of the Reese Creek Renegades

the Chicago Cubs became the first major leaguer to go nine innings with a four-hit, 3-1 win over the San Francisco Giants. The big rookie, a 17-game winner for Fort Worth, Tex., last season, struck out seven and walked four.

All in all, it was perhaps the most important day of the spring for worrying managers in Florida who feared the recent unseasonable weather would prevent their pitchers from being ready for the opening of the season. The chief losers now appear to be the rookies who lost four or five days' opportunity to impress managers who are now primarily interested in bringing their veterans into shape.

Vic Power's ninth-inning split provided the Cleveland Indians with a 5-4 victory over the Boston Red Sox at Scottsdale, Ariz., in the only other game played on the exhibition circuit.

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At Fort Myers, Fla.
Detroit — 100 000 000—3 5 0
Pittsburgh — 002 000 100—3 3 3
Lary, Foytack (4), Bunning (7) and Barberet, Wilson (6), Friend Witt (6) and Folles, Kravitz (9), Winner—Foytack, Loner—Friend.

At Miami, Fla. 1st day.
Milwaukee — 200 010 010—4 6 1
New York — 000 003 010—6 7 1
Burdette, Buhl (6) and Crandall, Dittmar, Gabler (7) and Berra, Winner—Dittmar, Loner—Burdette, HRS—Morgan, Skowron, Aaron.

At Miami, Fla. 2nd night.
Milwaukee — 200 010 010—4 6 1
New York — 000 003 010—6 7 1
Spahn, Rush (6), Hartman (8) and Rane, Kucks, Duren (6) and Berra, Howard (3), Winner—Duren, Loner—Hartman, HRS—Covington, Throneberry.

At St. Petersburg, Fla.
Baltimore — 001 000 000—3 5 2
St. Louis — 000 000 000—0 3 1
Wilhelm, E. Johnson (7) and Triandos, Jones, Blaylock (3), Grieson (9) and H. Smith, Winner—Wilhelm, Loner—Jones.

At West Palm Beach, Fla.
Washington — 002 010 000—3 13 0
Kansas City — 000 002 000—2 8 1
Kemmerer, Romonosky (6) and Courtney, Grim, Urban (4), Gorman (9) and Torny, Winner—Kemmerer, Loner—Grim.

At Mesa, Ariz.
San Francisco — 00 010 000—1 4 0
Chicago — 000 010 020—3 6 2
Antonelli, Muffet (8) and Steiglit, Anderson and Neeman, Winner—Antonelli, Loner—Antonelli, HRS—Kings, Taylor.

At Scottsdale, Ariz.
Cleveland — 003 000 002—5 5 1
Boston — 300 000 100—4 8 1
Monbouquette (5), Farnieles (8) and White, Theis (7), Winner—Broodski, Loner—Farnieles.

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