

PORTER'S CAP WINS DERBY AT SANTA ANITA



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Champ Cue Artist Nearly Defeated

Willie Hoppe Retains Lead in World Three Cushion Tournament, Beats Hall

CHICAGO, Feb. 12 (UP)—Champion Willie Hoppe narrowly missed another defeat tonight but after two hours and 15 minutes he finally disposed of Allen Hall of Chicago, 50 to 48, in 58 innings and retained an undisputed lead in the \$20,000 world three-cushion billiards tournament.

Chiloquin Edges Cats

Panther's Monk Paces Scoring With 11 Markers

Trading basket for basket the Chiloquin Panthers edged out the Klamath Wildcats 34 to 25 on the KUHS maple court Wednesday night.

Monks of the Panthers led the scoring with 11 points. Giacomelli of the same squad was close behind with 10 tallies.

Ralph Foster, speedy Klamath forward, tied with Bob Marr of the Chiloquin aggregation for high points, each chalking up eight counts.

The game was close all the way. At the end of the first quarter the score stood 8-8; at half-time it was 20-20. At no time during the entire session did either team lead by more than two points.

For a curtain raiser to the main struggle the Chiloquin Cubs pushed out the KUHS Frosh 22 to 17, making the second time this season the Frosh have gone down to defeat.

Welch of Klamath led the scoring with eight counts. Conroy and St. Clair came close behind each with six.

The Frosh led at the quarter, 7-5. The teams were even at 10-all at the half.

Summary:
Chiloquin (23) Pos. (24) Klamath
McDougal, 8 F. 8. Foster
Giacomelli, 10 C. 6. Ernst
Monks, 11 C. 6. Cox
Horton, 7 G. 3. Bush
Leigh, 4 G. 7. Butler
Miller, 6 R. 0. Cooley
Robertson, 0 R. 0. Bellotti
0 R. 0. Hunter
0 R. 0. Vallinor
0 R. 0. Starr
Cubs (22) Pos. (17) Frosh
DeBartoli, 8 F. 5. Stone
St. Clair, 6 F. 8. Welch
Conroy, 6 G. 6. Kennebeck
Miller, 4 G. 0. Giovannioli
Ince, 1 G. 4. Metz
Taylor, 0 G. 0. Yancey
Hicks, 0 R. 0. Smith
0 R. 0. Bigger
Maurice Deller, referee.

Luck Holds For Howard Winners

Cheers of 32,000 Fans Drive Chestnut Racer To Grab \$50,000 Stake

By JACK GUENTHER United Press Correspondent ARCADIA, Calif., Feb. 12 (UP)—The fabulous racing luck of Charles S. Howard held good again today when Porter's Cap, picked up by the San Franciscoan for a paltry \$1300, ploughed over a holding track with the speed of a rabbit and the strength of a dray horse to a romping triumph in the \$50,000 Santa Anita derby.

Driven on by the cheers of 32,000 persons who established him a heavy favorite in the bulky field of 16 starters, the racy chestnut son of the Porter picked up his rivals at the last long turn, then cake-walked down the straightaway much as he pleased to stamp his name up with those of his stablemates—Seabiscuit, Mioland, Kayak II, and Sortedeo.

Cool Veteran Up It was even easier than it looked. With a cool and calculating veteran—Leon (Buddy) Haas—on his back, Porter's Cap simply held his speed until it was needed. He loped along, willing to be plastered with a little mud in the early furlongs.

Then he stepped out with a widened stride, flattened his ears and drove. He was all alone at the finish line—four comfortable lengths in front of Mrs. Anthony Pelletier's Bull Reigh while H. S. Nesbitt's Copperman shaded W. E. Boeing's Welcome Pass for show money in a film finish.

This newest in a long line of Howard's bargain-counter buys—he was picked out of the Saratoga auction ring by Trainer Tom Smith a year ago last August—ran out the mile and a furlong route on heavy footing in 154.25 while shouldering scale weight of 120 pounds. He paid \$5,20, \$4.00 and \$3.20 across the board as the rollicking crowd sent more than a million dollars churning through the mutuels, and he returned the fat sum of \$43,500 net to his owner.

Winnings Big The triumph boosted his winnings to \$81,630 for two years. In all he has won only five races, but one of them was this \$50,000 derby and another was the \$40,000 Washington futurity in Chicago.

Bull Reigh, who was bought at Saratoga for only \$1100, paid \$6.40 and \$3.20 while earning \$10,000, and Copperman, coupled as an entry with Staretor, paid \$12.20 while picking up \$5000. Fourth money was worth \$2500 to Welcome Pass.

The seventh running of the west's richest three-year-old fixture turned out much as the experts and bettors figured. Brandywine stable's Madigama broke on top in a good start from the electric gate and shot away to a three lengths' lead with Bull Reigh second, A. G. Vanderbilt's Good Turn third, and Transfigure fourth. Porter's Cap was fifth here and running easily in his red and white silks.

Going by the half-mile post, Madigama still showed the way and Bull Reigh followed closely. Porter's Cap moved up to third and Transfigure faded. Welcome Pass was far behind and the field was strung out for more than 15 lengths with the filly, Nasca, a poor last.

In the backstretch the Howard hurricane began closing ground and with him came Valinda Groom and Welcome Pass. There was a brief tussle on the turn, then Porter's Cap swung around in front and he merely kept on going while the rest of the field flattened out.

The order behind the first four at the finish was Valinda Groom, Swain, Fairymant, Pirate, Staretor, Transfigure, A. F. Justice, Buckhorn Creek, Nasca, Good Turn, Madigama and Havana Lad.

BASKETBALL
Michigan State 35, Michigan 22.
Penn State 43, Carnegie Tech 24.
Southern Methodist 42, Texas Aggies 37.
Oklahoma Aggies 23, Oklahoma 23.
Missouri 25, St. Louis 21.
Army 26, Connecticut Wesleyan 30.
Princeton 34, Harvard 22 (overtime).
Georgetown 27, Temple 25.
Columbia 20, Pennsylvania 29.
North Carolina 20, North Carolina State 20.
Holy Cross 23, Amherst 26.
Alabama 44, Georgia Tech 22.
Arkansas 46, Rice 41.
Dartmouth 23, Yale 41.

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Lake Skiers Cheered By Powder Snow

LAKEVIEW — The Fremont Highlanders are looking forward with eagerness to this weekend of skiing at Warner canyon where over 15 inches of new powder snow has fallen the last few days.

Osmo, Klamath's master skier, will be back again to thrill spectators with his exhibition jumping. Competitive races including both slalom and downhill among the members of the organization will be another highlight of Sunday afternoon and one which will provide thrills alike to skier and spectator.

Eight members of the local club were guests of the Modoc Ski club at Cedar Pass last Sunday. Those enjoying the excellent course were President Rudy and Ardit McLane, Less and Freddie Passmore, Mr. and Mrs. Tro Long and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Snider.

Four Klamathites and eight Paisleyites were guests of the local organization on the same day.

Skiers Eye Meet Slate

Crater Club Outlines Five Tournaments in Coming Weeks

A precedent-setting schedule of tournaments for the next five weeks was outlined and tentatively set by Crater Lake Ski club members at their regular meeting in the county courthouse Wednesday night.

In addition to a novice tournament, the Silver Slalom, and the annual Crater Lake combined championships, meet officials are dickering for a junior downhill and slalom tourney for February 23 and a cross country competition for mid-March.

In all probability, leaders said, the junior meet will be followed by a men's and women's novice race on March 2, the championship meet on March 9 and the langlauf tourney on March 16.

Next Sunday the much-delayed Silver Slalom will finally get under way, it was promised. The competition, jointly sponsored by the Roberts Hardware store and the club, is open to all members and is divided into three classes—men's novice, women's novice, and expert.

Standard courses have been laid out on Garfield slide and time goals will be set before Sunday's two o'clock post time. Competitors must sign up at the Roberts Hardware store before Sunday to be eligible.

The possibility of bringing Olaf Rodegaard, ex Mount Hood skimeister, to Crater lake for weekend instruction was discussed at the meeting and okayed by members.

Local participation in Zone 3 of the Pacific Northwest Ski association was approved by the club and a new emblem voted for committee consideration.

By mounting fog or road lights on special brackets that automatically turn the lamps in line with the front wheels of the car, the beam of light is always pointed in the direction the car is traveling.

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Angling Limits Announced

KUHS Grapplers Practice for Smoker



Pelican wrestlers and boxers will meet the Medford Tiger squad Friday night in a return smoker at the Klamath high gym at 7:30. Last week local mitt and maul men plastered the valley ringers, 11-3 at Medford.

Gem Quintet Meets Bank

Klamath Conference Cagers Resume Play After Layoff

TONIGHT'S GAMES
7 p. m.—Lost River Dairy vs. Tik Tok.
8 p. m.—Rickys Jewelry vs. First National Bank.
9 p. m.—Giesinger's Grocery vs. Bly.

Regular schedule of games will be resumed tonight on the Klamath armory court following last night's postponement of two Commercial league contests. The postponed contests probably will be made up Sunday afternoon so as not to interfere with next week's playoff series billed to get underway in the Church division on Monday and for Commercial league teams Wednesday evening.

Tonight's middle fracas is expected to be a real battle with the outcome probably undecided until the last few minutes. Both will be gunning for a win to improve their rank in the Commercial league standings. The Jewelers will be able to reach first place by defeating the Bankers, while the latter group will go into a tie with Rickys for second place by posting a victory tonight.

Lost River Dairy is a big favorite over Tik Tok in the evening's opener while Giesinger's Grocery five of Chiloquin and the Bly Townies will go into their nightcap tilt tonight on pretty much a par basis. The Bly quintet defeated the reservation team during the first round action, but Captain Bud Giles' men are set to reverse the outcome tonight.

Tomorrow night's billing will

Roseburg Loses Services of Earl Wiard

ROSEBURG, Ore., Feb. 13 (AP)

There was great sadness and waiting in the camp of the Roseburg Indians today as the persistent jinx of sickness and accident which has blasted hopes of Roseburg high school basketball teams time and again for more than 15 years struck again today with brutal suddenness.

Earl Wiard, most versatile player of the Indian squad and defensive strong man, was reported ill with mumps.

Roseburg has practically no reserve strength and the brunt of play in the entire season has been borne by the five players making up what is believed to be the nation's tallest prep school team. Wiard, 6 feet three inches in height, was a key man in the Indian defense system.

Now leading the southern Oregon district, the Roseburg Indians face a crucial game against Ashland here Saturday night.

Loop-Leading Cougars Bow To Signal Oil

By The Associated Press

The Washington State Cougars, riding comfortably atop the northern division, Pacific Coast conference basketball chariot, made a detour en route to Seattle Wednesday night and stopped off at Longview where they were promptly spanked by the Signal Oil team of Portland 47-37.

The Cougars will resume their trip today and are scheduled to arrive at the Washington pavilion late this afternoon where they will work out behind closed doors for their two-game series with the Huskies opening tomorrow night.

The Pullman squad has won seven of its last nine conference games.

The Idaho Vandals start a road trip tomorrow when they open a two-game series against Oregon in Eugene. In their previous encounter they handed the Webfoots a pair of defeats. The Vandals will move to Corvallis for games with the Oregon State Beavers Monday and Tuesday. They have not met the Beavers yet this season.

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