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Beavers Tip WSC; Huskies Down UO

Cougars Slightly Favored Over Stanford in First Title Game Friday

By The Associated Press
Washington State college will meet Stanford for the basketball championship of the Pacific coast conference at Pullman Friday, Saturday and possibly next Monday—but the Cougars will be starting all over again so far as a string of unbroken victories is concerned.

Pole Vault Record Set

Meadows Clears Bar at 14 Feet, 7-8 Inches

NEW YORK, March 10 (UP)—Earl Meadows soared through the smoke-clogged air in Madison Square Garden to his second world record pole vault of the indoor season Saturday night to join the parade of record-breaking performers in the 22nd annual Knights of Columbus track meet.

The Olympic champion vaulter from the Southern California Athletic association thrilled 15,000 fans as he skimmed over the bar at 14 feet 7 7/8 inches.

Two Other Records
Meadows' great vault followed two other world record performances. Al Blozis of Georgetown heaved the 16-pound shot 56 ft. 2 1/2 in., and Johnny Borican of Asbury Park, N. J., won the "Casey-600-yard" invitation run in 1:20.2. Blozis bettered his own mark by 4 1/2 in., and Borican clipped 8/10 of a second off the indoor record set by Jimmy Herbert last year.

An hour later Borican scored his "double" by winning the 1,000 yard run in 2:10.3.

Gregory Rice, chunky little Notre Dame alumnus who holds the indoor two and three-mile records, retired the Donahue Trophy with his third straight victory in the K. of C. mile run tonight. Strangely enough he did not break his own mark. It was Rice's 15th straight win over a two-season span. He won by a quarter lap over Mel Trutt of Des Moines, Ia., in 8:36.5—more than three seconds off the mark he set in the N. Y. A. C. games a month ago. Don Lash, Indiana State policeman, was another half-lap back in the third slot.

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Cecil Drew Second in Annual Meet

New Titleholder Wins Downhill, Ties in Slalom For Victory; Schmidt Third

Matching a scorching downhill victory with a first place tie in the slalom, Galloping Gordon Cunningham Sunday after perfect spring weather and snow conditions sped off with the 1941 Crater Lake Ski Club combined championship.

Cunningham's 200 points in combined standings nipped the 203.03 scored by Cecil Drew, last year's two-way winner. Drew tied for first in the slalom and followed the new titlist by one second in the downhill for the runnerup spot. Fred Schmidt hooked together a third in each race for 218.52 points and third in the combined.

The tourney was a ding-dong thriller not decided until the slalom's second heat was nearly complete. For short, slender Cunningham the final race was nearly disastrous.

He had established a slim lead by capturing the earlier downhill battle with a blistering 33 second run and set up a slight margin in the slalom's initial heat with a 37 second race over Drew's 38.5. Young Drew, running third in the last frame, boomed down in 39.2 for a total of 1:17.7, leaving Cunningham a possible 40.6 seconds for his last race.

As the red starting flag slapped the snow Gordie, slightly over anxious, charged through the first four gates in flawless form but tangled with the fifth and spilled. He was up within a few seconds and finished the twisting course without more trouble but in 40.7 for a tie.

Only six slatmen finished the grueling three race program which was delayed for three hours due to icy conditions on the shaded slopes of precipitous Garfield mountain. Finally started at 2 p. m., however, the schedule was run off without a hitch. Contestants were handicapped somewhat by the lack of a long lift and the necessity of laying out and packing their own course under the drenchingly warm sun.

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Cunningham Victor in 2nd Annual Ski Tourney



Gordon Cunningham, center, Sunday, won the downhill race and tied for first with Cecil Drew in the slalom to win the Crater Lake Ski club's second annual combined downhill and slalom championships held at the national park. Second in the downhill and tied for first in the slalom for a combined second was Cecil Drew, left. Third in slalom, downhill, and combined was Fred Schmidt, right. Cunningham is holding the White Stag traveling trophy presented through Rudy's Men's Store and the gold cup given by Matt Finnigan's for his permanent possession.

Coast Stars Whip Majors

Tresh Kayoed By Martin's Bat; Dizzy Dean Shelled

By ROBERT MYERS
HOLLYWOOD, March 10 (AP)—The ball game was a rousing success for everyone except young Mike Tresh of the Chicago White Sox and perhaps Mr. Jerome Dean.

Tresh, catching for the major league All-stars in Sunday's contest with the Coast league players, was accidentally hit in the head by Pepper Martin's bat and knocked semi-cold.

Helped from the field, Manager Jimmy Dykes' No. 1 backstop was taken to a hospital for six stitches in his scalp. It was hoped no lasting ill-effects would result, although X-ray photographs today were awaited to provide a definite answer.

The mishap was the only mar- ing incident of an otherwise entertaining exhibition served to a throng of 15,000 which packed Hollywood's ball park from top to bottom.

Dizzy Dean put his famous "nothing ball" on public display for the first time this season and saw it hit harder than Tresh was, two ball players qualified as non-contenders for Clark Gable's romantic prowess, a dog fight broke out beneath the grandstand — and the Coast leaguers won the game, 6 to 4, as each side collected nine hits.

Tresh was hurt when Pepper, the old boss in person, swung clear around on a missed strike, the bat connecting with the catcher's head and flooring him for a 10-count.

Ol' Diz, with Manager Jimmy Wilson of the Cubs doing painful duty as his receiver, took the mound the first inning. Both the great one and his offerings were warmly received. The fans gave the big right hander a royal welcome — and so did the coast boys.

When the dust cleared away Diz had been touched for two walks, three hits, three runs and a \$5 loan to a gentleman sitting just above the third base dugout.

see well for 24 hours. He collapsed in the dressing room after the game.

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Matt Winner Of National 2-Way Ski

ASPEN, Colo., March 10 (AP)—Toni Matt, 21-year-old native Austrian, is more determined than ever to become an American citizen now that he holds the championship among America's downhill skiers.

The rugged-featured Austrian, who scored 234 points to win the national ski combined championship on Aspen's storm-swept Roch Run course yesterday, said earnestly:

"I am going to become a citizen as soon as possible."

Matt, a ski instructor at North Conway, N. H., left his native Tyrol a few months after Germany moved into his country in 1938.

Matt captured the mile and three quarters downhill run with a time of 2:22.6 yesterday, edging out defending champion Dick Durrance, Alta, Utah, who was timed at 2:27.

Durrance, former Dartmouth star, won the slalom, in two minutes 9.8 seconds, with Matt taking second, but the Austrian-born youth held the lead in total points. Durrance's combined score was 238.

Behind Durrance came Bill Redlin, national intercollegiate champion from University of Washington, who finished third with 243 and beat out the veteran Alf Engen of Sun Valley, Idaho, by four points.

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Westport Wins State 'B' Title

Merrill Captures Sixth Place in Invitational Play; Chiloquin Second

ASHLAND, March 10 (AP)—Westport was the new champion of Oregon's "B" high school basketball teams today.

The team from the bank of the Columbia river between Astoria and Portland annexed the title Saturday night by whipping Corbett, 42 to 34.

Although Corbett lost the final game after leading in the early minutes, its brilliant forward, Ray O'Neil, shined brightly, scoring 18 points to lead the individual point-getting.

Dayton grabbed the Southern Oregon College of Education's invitational tournament title by humbling Chiloquin, 25 to 20.

Arlington finished third in the "B" tournament by turning back Reedsport, 30 to 28, and Jacksonville wound up in fifth place with a 29 to 19 victory over Lowell.

In the invitational meet, Powers grabbed the third spot by rolling over Gold Hill, 43 to 26, and Rogue River placed fifth by downing Gardiner, 40 to 25.

Merrill captured the consolation championship of the invitational by outscoring Sutherlin, 20 to 12.

By FRANK CALISE
ASHLAND — Chiloquin's Panthers played a rough final basketball game here Saturday with a powerful Dayton team and wound up with a loss, 20 to 25. However, the Chiloquin quintet at least had the satisfaction of winning second place in the state B league invitational tournament.

Giaccomelli and Horton showed real playing in the contest. Chiloquin never held the lead, but the score was tied 3-to-3 in the first quarter. At halftime Dayton held them 11 to six. Horton, by the way, weighs 235 pounds and he really gets around. A couple of boys in the Dayton squad had a slight edge for height. Todd is six feet four, and Little towers at six seven.

Annie-Over
So it was annie-over over Chiloquin. When there were about three minutes left to play and the score was 20-21, Dayton pulled away with four more points and stalled to the final gun. McGoughy was high point man for the Panthers with eight counters. Giaccomelli got seven. Merrill won from Gilchrist, 38

to 28 in the morning. In the afternoon Merrill beat Sutherlin 20 to 12 and grabbed off sixth place in the invitational tournament. Fast breaking of Chatburn and Fleck was what did it. Sutherlin led at the end of the first quarter, 4 to 3. At halftime Merrill had it 8-6. Third quarter score stood 16-13 for Merrill.

BASEBALL

EXHIBITION
Cleveland (A) 5-0, Brooklyn (N) 4-4, Washington (A) 5, Cincinnati (N) 4, New York (A) 7, St. Louis (N) 2, Boston (A) 4, New York (N) 3, Boston (N) 11, St. Louis (A) 5, Philadelphia (A) 5, San Diego (N) 5, Chicago (A) 10, Pittsburgh (N) 5, Pacific Coast League Stars 6, Major League Stars 4.

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