

Oregon City, Hood River Step Nearer Tournament

Undefeated Medford Black Tornado Clashes With Prineville Five Tonight

By The Associated Press
Oregon City and Hood River, hood one rung up today on the three-step climb to berths in the state prep basketball tournament.

Woodburn. The squads battle again tonight at Oregon City, with a third tilt, if necessary, at Milwaukie tomorrow.

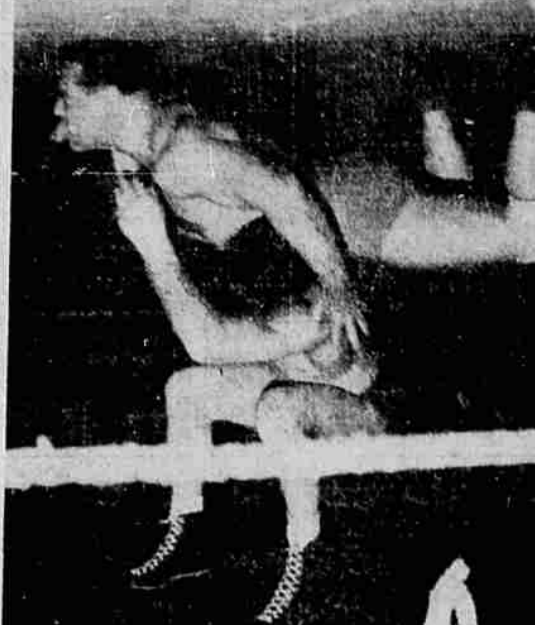
Beavers' Roster Complete

LOS ANGELES, March 8 (AP)—Bill Klepper, business manager of the Portland coast league baseball club, today announced the signing of first baseman Larry Barton and Don Pulford, a right-handed pitcher.

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Over He Goes—Feet First



Georges Dusette, the French-Canadian strongman, arches his powerful back to flip Jack Kiser up and over in their bout last week at the armory.

Rowland Predicts Great Year

Proxy of Pacific Coast Loop Says Current Season Will Be Manager's Test

By BILL BECKER
LOS ANGELES, March 8 (AP)—Baseball moguls in general may be singing the "Alphabet Blues" (dedicated to ODI, WPB and assorted government agencies) —but Clarence (Pants) Rowland, president of the Pacific Coast league, refused to join in the chorus.

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From Midfield

Oregon-Washington State Game Sellout

Both the Cougars of Washington State and the Webfoots of Oregon have started extensive preparations for their title basketball tilt Saturday night at Pullman.

Poem to Klamath Duck Hunters

(Printed through the courtesy of Harry Mesner and dedicated to Deb Addison)
The poor duck hunter in his blind is chilled in front and wet behind.

Chicago Cubs Unable To Field Full Team At Training Grounds

FRENCH LICK, Ind., March 8 (AP)—Manager Charlie Grimm of the Chicago Cubs didn't have enough players to field a team today as the club's spring training drills formally opened.

Nice Work



Outfielder Danny Gardella will quit molding feminine form divine in New York gymnasium when he reports to New York Giants at Lakewood, N.J., March 11.

Rising Generation



Three-year-old Helen Sue Goldy of Los Angeles, pictured balancing by one foot on the thumb of her father, Sid Goldy, not only entertains at service camps with her balancing feats, but interests the medical profession as well.

Big-Name Athletes Sign Up As Guinea Pigs For Research

PHILADELPHIA, March 8 (AP)—Big-name athletes and hundreds of athletic young fry were signed up as guinea pigs today in a medical research project to determine whether there is any such thing as an "athletic heart."

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Four-Day Open Golf Tournament Starts Today In Italy

ROME, March 8 (AP)—A four-day open golf championship tourney that has attracted from 200 to 300 servicemen and civilians opens today with more than \$500 in prizes for the pro participants.

Charity Golf Match Scheduled For April At Los Angeles Club

LOS ANGELES, March 8 (AP)—A charity golf match between Betty Jameson of Houston, Texas, and Mrs. Mildred (Babe) Didrikson-Zaharias of Los Angeles, will be played here April 8.

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Webfoots To Arrive For Opener

PULLMAN, March 8 (AP)—The University of Oregon Webfoots team is scheduled to arrive here today to begin practice for the opening game of the opening day of the northern division basketball playoff series at Washington State.

Golden Gloves Elimination Begins Tonight

PORTLAND, Ore., March 8 (AP)—The first elimination round of the 1945 Golden Gloves tournament opens here tonight at a field of 100 amateur boxers.

Former WSC Grid Captain Reported Missing In Action

SPOKANE, March 8 (AP)—Col. Ira Christian (Chris) Burke, former captain of Washington State college football team and president of school's student body, is missing in action, his family reported today.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

By The Associated Press
CLEVELAND — Tommy 149, Youngstown, Ohio, lost out to Bobby Richardson, Cleveland, 6.
ELIZABETH, N. J. — Miller, Elizabeth, 124, edged Cannonball Gibson 121, York (6).
MILWAUKEE — Mack 130, 134, New York, edged Juste Fontaine, 134, Milwaukee (10).

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