

WOLFE FACES TURNER TONIGHT

Vanderveer, Weiser In Semi Scrap

By RED MURD
Ambitious Dick Wolfe will have to unload his best shots tonight at the Armory to keep a local fistic win skin alive.

Even the two-fisted blitz that chopped down Frankie Rowe two weeks ago may not be enough against Earl Turner, Richmond middleweight, who has climbed high enough in the ring business to trade socks with the likes of Sugar Ray Robinson.

This 10-round main event headlines an outstanding boxing card that opens at 8:30 for 30 rounds—of less—of boxing.

Little doubt exists that it will be less because the card carries boys with dynamite tucked away in their red leather gloves.

Turner is a definite favorite to spoil Wolfe's third consecutive main event stand here. Not only does his record make him top drawer but the Earl of Richmond already holds an eight-round decision over the Pacific Northwest welterweight champion.

REVENGE
Wolfe, darling of local ring customers after two smashing wins here, makes no secret of the fact that he'll go all-out for revenge.

His youth—he's 24 to Turner's 30—and speed may make for an upset.

Turner recently stopped Jimmy Langston and Jimmy Merrill, both of Vancouver, B. C., favorites, on their own stomping grounds.

In both cases, Turner's lethal weapon was a sickening left hook to the mid-section.

But Wolfe is a lad who's hard to hit squarely. He's always moving and is seldom caught with his defense down.

Two other home town lads may get their come-uppance in the semi and special events.

Ralph Weiser, the Beatty Bomber, goes in the six-round semi-wind-up against highly-rated Blackie Vanderveer of Seattle.

TOP FLIGHT
The Seattle lightweight has faced such competent workmen as Red Garrison, Hal Robbins, Al Cowan, Al Davis, Mickey Gimbel, Joey Ortega and Eudley Gilman.

Gilman is the boy who climbed off the deck three times to cool Weiser here a couple of years ago. Vanderveer whipped Gilman.

A knockout is anticipated in this one as in the six-best special that pits Stan Virgis of Merrill against Jimmy Murphy of Portland.

Both stopped hard-socking Billy Sunday in two frames. Few expect it to go the route.

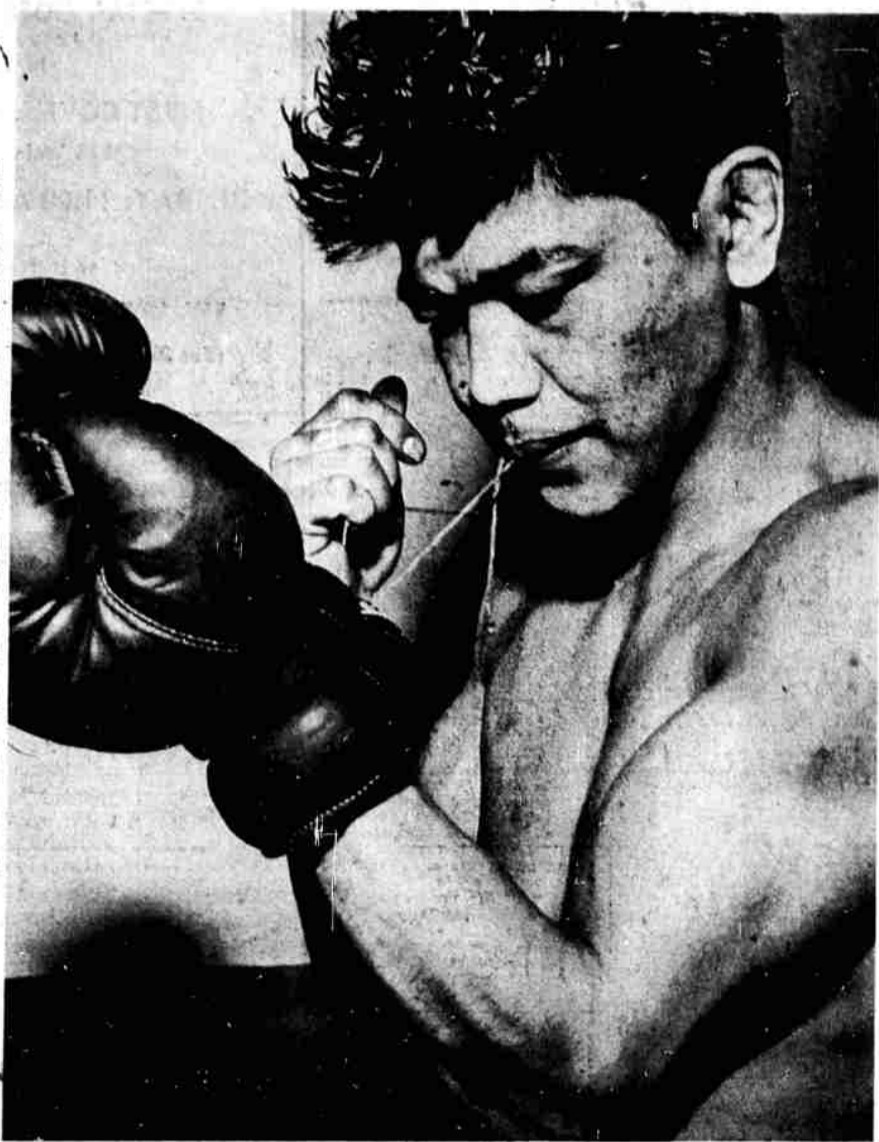
Two four-round preliminary matches complete the card. The Armory ticket-office opens 7:30.

Mills Teams Meet Again

The two Mills softball teams hold a "civil war" game this afternoon for the grade school Class B title.

Mills Number 1 team, coached by Jim Palmer, beat Fairview yesterday, 16-5, to earn another crack at unbeaten Mills Number 2 team, skippered by Cal Bonney.

The tourney is double elimination. If the Bonneymen lose today, then the two teams may meet again Saturday. The Palmermen have lost once.



LACES FOR LACING—Indian Dick Wolfe, Pacific Northwest welterweight champion, grimly resolves to reverse a recent loss to Earl Turner in tonight's main event at the Armory. The fight, a rematch of a recent donnybrook in Portland in which Turner won a close decision, tops an outstanding five-bout program of glove-throwing.

SPORTS

By RED MURD, Sports Editor

No-Hitter, Home Runs Dump Portland Twice

By The Associated Press
Oakland's Acorns, suddenly sprouted into the Pacific Coast League's first division, might do even more climbing Friday night.

Hal Gregg's no-hitter and Tookie Gilbert's heavy stick work combined to give the Oaks a double victory over Portland Thursday night 3-0 and 5-2.

Those wins left Oakland in fourth place, but just one game back of second place Hollywood. Should the Stars and Los Angeles both lose Friday night, and the Acorns beat Portland again, Oakland would land in second place by three percentage points.

But the top spot still belongs to the San Diego Padres who Thursday night whipped San Francisco 4-2 while Hollywood lost to Sacramento 11-6 and Los Angeles fell before Seattle 3-2.

Gregg, a former Major Leaguer and native of Anaheim, Calif., turned in his no-hitter in the seven-inning game opener. His performance included five strikeouts and four walks.

Gilbert, a valued property of the New York Giants, banged two home runs and a triple to bat in all the Oakland runs in the nightcap.

Seattle Pitcher Steve Nagy dropped a hit between the shortstop and centerfielder to drive in the winning run as his club beat Los Angeles 3-2 in the ninth inning. Bob Wilson had opened the final inning with a double off reliever Eddie Chandler.

After four straight losses about the only happy note for Angel fans was the fact the injured first baseman, Chuck Connors, could appear as a pinch hitter. But although the stage was set for a mighty homer, all Connors did was bounce out to the pitcher.

Line score:
Merrill 010 020 x-3 4 2
Chiloquin 010 010 0-2 3 7

Sanders and Johnson; Gentry, Hatcher (5) and Anderson.

Florida's tennis team is composed of six Floridians, one Kentuckian and a freshman from Illinois.

Pel B's in Tri-Meet

Coach Bob Hendershott's Pelican junior varsity scrambles for points with Medford and Ashland tomorrow, 1:30 p.m., on the Medford track.

The tri-meet will be run off in conjunction with a dual meet between Jack Kemnitz's Fremont Junior High thunders and Medford Junior High.

It's the last competition for Hendershott's spikesters until the Junior AAU classic in Medford May 14.

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Springfield 5, Toledo 3
Montreal 19, Baltimore 3
Syracuse at Buffalo postponed
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Indianapolis 5, Milwaukee 4 (10

innings)
Columbus 7, St. Paul 6
Minneapolis 11, Toledo 1
Louisville 7, Kansas City 4
TEXAS LEAGUE
Fort Worth 4, Beaumont 1
Shreveport 8, Dallas 7
San Antonio 7, Oklahoma City 4
Tulsa at Houston postponed
PIONEER LEAGUE
Billings 10, Pocatello 5
Magic Valley 4, Ogden 0
Great Falls 15, Idaho Falls 0
Salt Lake City 15, Boise 7

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