

RALLY BRINGS STANFORD WIN

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal., Jan. 9. (U.P.)—Stanford basketball tonight staged a last-half rally which won for them the second of two games with University of California at Los Angeles by a score of 31 to 26.

At the end of the first half U. C. L. A. led 17 to 11. During this period, Stanford's defense was unable to cover, and Uclans were able to

score frequently. In the second half, Stanford's defense tightened and members of the team began to find the basket. The rally, which brought victory for Stanford, was begun by Lacombe when he tossed three field goals in succession to even the score, and when Cordry dropped in two more.

High point men for Stanford were Lacombe, with five field goals; Cordry, with four field goals and two tosses, led the scoring for U. C. one field goal and one toss.

Piper, with five field goals and two tosses, led the scoring for U. C. L. A. Linthicum scored four field goals and two tosses.

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NEWS OF THE LAS VEGAS SPORT WORLD

SMITH LEADS L. A. OPEN TOURNEY

By GEORGE H. BEALE
United Press Staff Correspondent

HILLCREST COUNTRY CLUB, LOS ANGELES, Jan. 9. (U.P.)—MacDonald Smith, veteran New York professional, went a long way toward winning his third Los Angeles golf tournament when he shot a brilliant 69 today to lead the field in the first round.

Smith won the open in 1928 and 1929 and he looked like a repeater this afternoon as his clubs turned out birdie after birdie to enable him to cut par by two strokes.

Six birdies he registered during the 18 holes of play, two going out to make 37 and four coming in to make 32.

Pressing Smith closely in the \$7,500 event were Abe Espinosa of Chicago, Clarence Clark of Belleville, N. Y., Ray Mangrum of Los Angeles, Ky Lafoon, Miami, Okla., and Dallas Jeffers of Long Beach, Cal., all of whom made 70s.

Espinosa suffered one of those tragedies of golf when he took five strokes to get out of a trap on the seventh and took an eight on the par four hole. This cost him the lead.

Clark was another person who had a chance to catch Mac Smith but he missed a two foot putt on the 18th to a 70.

Six men equalled par with 71, two strokes behind Mac Smith. They were: Walter Hagen, of Detroit, who drew a larger gallery; Gene Sarazen, former Professional Golfers' association title holder; Willie Hunter, veteran Los Angeles pro; Leo Diegel, of Agua Caliente; Ben Hogan, of Fort Worth, and Larry Gleason, of Long Beach.

Practically all of the consistent golfers played well enough to keep in the running. An exception was Tom Cravy, New York City, who could do no better than a 77.

The defending champion, Ed Dudley, Wilmington, Del., took 72 as did half a dozen others including Joe Kirkwood of Chicago, John Golden of Norton, Conn., and John Black, of San Francisco.

U. OF W. EVENS OREGON VICTORY

UNIVERSITY PAVILION, SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 9. (U.P.)—The University of Washington basketball team came back tonight to even its score with the Oregon Staters and win 30 to 27.

The victory gave each team one win in the two-game conference openers here.

MONTANA DOWNS UTAH BASKETEERS

BOZEMAN, Mont., Jan. 9. (U.P.)—Montana State college defeated Utah university cage stars here tonight, 32 to 23, in the second contest of a two game series. The Utes are defenders of the Rocky Mountain conference championship.

K. OF C. MAY ORGANIZE HERE

Possibility that the Knights of Columbus may organize a lodge in Las Vegas was announced with the arrival yesterday of C. E. Horton, grand deputy for the state of Nevada.

All men interested in formation of the lodge are to meet with Horton today in room 3, El Portal building, at 1:30 p. m.

GLENNA WILL CAPTAIN TEAM

NEW YORK, Jan. 9. (U.P.)—In an annual meeting so brief it was almost over before half the delegates were comfortably seated, the United States Golf association today named Mrs. Glenna Collett Vare to captain an American women's team in a match with British stars, and passed on several other matters of importance.

Among these, may be mentioned the selection of Francis Ouimet to head the 1932 Walker cup team, announcement of dates for the various major tournaments, re-election of the entire slate of officers, and a change in the rules governing the play-off of ties in the national open.

Playing with Mrs. Vare on the American team will be Miss Helen Hicks, Mrs. O. S. Hill, Miss Virginia Van Wazer, Mrs. Leona Cheney and Miss Maureen Orcutt. Miss Marlin Hollins and Mrs. Harley Higby were named first and second alternates, respectively.

Present plans call for Mrs. Vare and her team to sail in May. The matches will be conducted generally along the same lines as the

CIRCUIT PLACES BAN ON FRESNO

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 9. (U.P.)—Because of the expense of sending teams north to Fresno, faculty athletic representatives of the southern California conference today denied application of Fresno state college for membership in the circuit.

The vote of rejection was unanimous.

It was explained that present financial conditions would make it a heavy burden upon conference colleges to send their teams north to meet Fresno.

CZECH STAR WINS FRENCH NET PLAY

BEAULIEU, France, Jan. 9. (U.P.)—Karel Kozeluh, Czecho-Slovakian star, won the French professional tennis championship today, defeating Martin Piau, 6-1, 6-4, 1-6, 6-0.

His victory gave Kozeluh permanent possession of the Bristol cup.

Walker cup, with three foursome matches on one day at 18 holes, and six single matches on the following day at 18 holes.

Fifty-five per cent of Ohio farm homes have telephones.

FLYING HEELS HELD FAVORITE

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 9. (U.P.)—Flying Heels, star of the John J. Curtis stable and a son of the 1925 Kentucky derby winner, will be top weight in the six furlong inaugural handicap at Hialeah park on Thursday.

Of the 61 speedsters nominated for this \$2500 added feature, the handicapper rates the son of Flying Ebony-Heeltaps the strongest and has assigned 126 pounds as the burden he must bear.

Vanderpool, sensational son of Campfire and Bramble Rose, is rated next, being allotted 125 pounds.

Lightning Bolt, Mrs. John Hay Whitney's Florida derby winner last year is also named, along with Lady Broadcast, Don Leon, Peto and several other well known sprinters.

THUG KILLED

CLEVELAND, Jan. 9. (U.P.)—Chas. Ode, 22, Monroville, Mich., was shot to death and his companion, Theodore Meyers, 22, also of Monroville, was captured, as three patrolmen frustrated a robbery attempt on a downtown shoe store here tonight.

MOAPA CAGERS BEAT L. V. H. S.

Moapa Valley high school triumphed over Virgin Valley high school by a very small margin in a hard fought basketball game Friday evening. The game, which was played in the Moapa Valley gym before a good crowd, was the first league game of the season and resulted in a score of 35 to 31.

Cooper and Lyons of Overton played the exceptional floor games for the Moapa Valley team but in other respects the boys from the Muddy played a rather flat-footed game, in contrast to their brilliant performance during the earlier games of the season. Somewhat overconfident, as a consequence of five previous victories, the Moapa team won the game by the slimmest of margins, and might easily have lost to the team from the Virgin valley.

Neagle of Bunkerville was the outstanding player for the Virgin valley boys.

Moapa Valley high school team has played six games this season, and lost none. They have an eagle eye on the league championship, and expect to give the other schools in the league a run for their money.

Moapa	Line-up	Virgin
Lyons	rf	Barnum
Gentry	lf	Wait
Johnson	c	Neagle
Levitt	rg	Prehner
Cooper	fg	Barnum
Hickman	fg	Barnum

Hickman of Overton was substituted for Johnson on the Moapa valley team.

Oregon State college is endeavoring to arrange a football game with St. Mary's in Portland, Ore., next December.

THE LAS VEGAS VAGRANT

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BEER TURNED IN MAINS

Dam Girl Stabbed In South End

Crimson Clot Marks Scene 1, Act 2 in Plot

Stabbed in the south end of a mysterious and beautiful blonde is in a critical condition in the Las Vegas psychopathic ward today, as a result of an altercation with a dark bearded stranger.

Police at first believed that it was a suicide attempt, as the comely young woman, reported to have been at one time Miss Hoover City, was said to have been cutting her wisdom teeth and it is thought the knife might have slipped.

However, more thorough investigation by the Vagrant's sterling reporter, Jake Lingle II, ensconced in his hospital cot at the Las Vegas hospital, revealed that all was not hunky dory.

In fact, it was suspected that possibly there might be something squirrely in the whole situation.

It was learned that the attractive young girl was a resident of the Boulder Dam area, being attracted to that place by the idea that there were some five men to every woman in the place.

At a late hour last night, local police were combing the gutters for additional witnesses who might throw some light, if not cold water on the mystery.

Zop To Rescue With Big Ideal From Tiny Dome

WASHINGTON, D. C. Feb. 31. (PDQ)—Announcement of a striking engineering project which will save millions in the construction of Boulder Dam and put money in circulation in Las Vegas, was announced here today by Oscar Zop, for the Defamation bureau.

The plan, which will remove the necessity for the costly diversion tunnels at the dam site, is extremely simple.

All dam workers will be given a pay day and a three day holiday. They will in turn come to Las Vegas and go on a glorious three-day foot. And at the end of this "binge" the 3500 will be rounded up, taken back to the dam site and on the morning after, allowed to drink the river dry.

While the river is dry, the Six Companies can go ahead and build the dam, without further bother by the water.

Racket

Telephoto to the Vagrant of the latest racket expose. Police have been strung a long time with this one, but feel they can now see through 'it.

Actress

Intimate and exclusive photo of Greta Garbo as she returned to this country from her native Sweden.

Not Even Reno Can Boast Such Unusual Pipes

A plan whereby Las Vegas will be unique among cities of the world, famed the nation over, was announced here yesterday by Gus Klotz, city commissioner of public utilities. The idea is no less than turning beer through the city water mains.

"Every city in the world," said Klotz yesterday in an exclusive interview with the Vagrant reporter, "uses the old idea of having water in the water mains.

"Why not be original? No other city, not even Reno, has beer instead of water on tap.

An additional saving has been calculated by the crafty and economical city fathers, when it was learned from unauthoritative sources that the froth from the beer will be collected and sold in wholesale lots to real estate promoters for desert subdivisions.

It is estimated that the revenue from this source alone will, when laid end to end, reach quite a distance. In fact, farther than most of the public realizes and into innumerable pockets.

Love-Laden Lady Ghastly Sight To Cops

Financial circles report consolidated firecrackers very shaky today. Added invasion of China by Japan is rapidly causing panic firecracker stockholders to dump huge blocks of stock, thus driving down the price.

In fact, one faction dumped a package of torpedos, the resulting explosions frightening other investors with the result that the entire market tended to nervousness today.

Cops Locate Casket Clue

Hacked with a sausage grinder into 'seven million pieces, the mangled remains of a Russian princess were found yesterday by police locked tightly in a sealed trunk.

After taking finger prints, psychopathic tests, and a bromo-seltzer, authorities announced they were proceeding on a suicide theory.

It is said by a noted English sociologist that half of all British married couples are women.

Los Angeles is the city of the angles.

Ten out of every 12 students at Cornell are reported to have been born toothless.

U.S.C. CAGERS WIN OVER CAL.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 9. (U.P.)—Springing a second half rally which netted seventeen points, the University of Southern California hoopers tonight defeated University of California, 22 to 14, in the first conference basketball game at Olympic auditorium.

Jerry Nemer, USC, led in the score making with 13 points to his credit, ten of them being made in the second half.

The first half of the game was an unusual one in many respects. At one point in that half, the Trojans led by 3 to 0 and for fully ten or twelve minutes two of the Trojan guards, Capps and Becos, passed the ball back and forth between themselves 90 times by actual count to break up the Bear defense.

Joe Kintana, Bear forward, had scored all the points for his team at the end of the first half, and was California's leading scorer, with 11 of the 14 points to his credit. He was the only scoremaker for the Bears until Venti, center, made another three points. Venti was the only other scorer for the bears.

U. S. C. played a fast-breaking game in the second half when Nemer began to pile up points. The game was rough-and-ready with two men, Capps of Southern California and Coughlan of the Bears being removed for personal fouls.

NEW MODEL FORD DUE OUT IN MARCH

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 9. (U.P.)—The Manufacturer and Financial Record today said Ford Motor company will not bring out its new models until March and there are indications the cars will include an improved four cylinder and an eight cylinder model.

The four is about ready for volume production, while the eight awaits the approval of its final design, the publication says.

JOE JINKS

EVEN THE MIGHTY PHYSIQUE OF THE HUGE RADANOVICH FAILS TO SCARE DYNAMITE OUT OF HIS RESOLVE TO GO THROUGH WITH THE BOUT AND JOE GIVES UP HOPE OF CALLING IT OFF!



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