

Lewistown Defeated After a Rough Game

Player Disqualified by Roughness and Visitors Credited With 14 Fouls—Home Team Wins by Score of 14 to 2.

What will it profit a basketball team to gain all the personal fouls in the catalog and lose the game for its school? Last night's basketball game played at the Great Falls gymnasium floor with the Lewistown high school team was a fine exhibition of a football on the part of the visitors.

Also the contest was won by the local boys in a 14 to 2 score the entire game was close and more of a battle than seen on the Great Falls floor any time this season. The Fergus county team had evidently practiced with a conglomeration of basketball and football rules and had become fairly adept at both to such an extent that they ignored all usual regulations and substituting "tackles" for guards, forwards, and center they went after the Cascade county team with apparently a well mapped out plan to surprise the enemy by inaugurating a new system of rules and a manner of warfare all their own.

After the first surprise attack the Great Falls team rallied nobly and despite the fact that the local team was playing the ball and the visitors playing the man they got together enough for the home team to win a complete victory.

Interesting features of the entire game were the numerous calls for time by the visitors, during which they discussed their grievances pro and con and declared the game somewhat by plotting new and fresh modes of attack. The fact that the visitors refused for some time to put out a player after he had made four personal fouls when only four disqualifies a man, is one instance of an unusual game.

eliminated the Lewistown players would receive all sorts of praise for careful guarding.

The line up last night was as follows: GREAT FALLS LEWISTOWN Carmody rf rg Sorenson Holkesvig lf lg Roseland Moriarty c c Hoiland Hearth rg rf Praffley Hoffman lg lf Gretencourt

Next Friday the local team expects the hardest game of the season when Butte comes to play the final contest to be seen on the home floor. The Silver Bow team has the reputation of being at the head of the list for state championship and next week's practice will put the final touch on the Great Falls team before their hard and final battles of the season. The tournament at Helena which is scheduled for February 21-22 will be a meeting of a number of fast teams and will partly determine the results of the state tournament at Bozeman a few weeks later.

SNOWFALL IS NOT OVER WIDE AREA

Yesterday's light fall of snow was local to the general vicinity of Great Falls and the mountainous section between this city and Helena, according to advices received from outside points. Snow fell at Belt to about the same depth as here, but on to the south and in the Judith basin territory and to the north towards Fort Benton and Havre there was no precipitation, it is stated.

Those with an eye more or less trained in the science of weather observation were inclined to believe that the light storm in progress yesterday morning would terminate in a good fall of snow, but these predictions proved erroneous shortly after 12, when the sun broke thru.

CLUB WILL OPEN ROOMS TOMORROW

Soldier and Sailor Boys Will Have Meeting in Valeria Library Building.

The regular meeting of the Soldiers' and Sailors' club tomorrow afternoon at 3 will be held in the organization's new club rooms instead of in the palm room of Hotel Rainbow, as heretofore. The new club rooms are in the Valeria library building until recently occupied by the Y. W. C. A., just one door north of the public library.

Work on the new club rooms is progressing rapidly and will probably be ready for permanent occupation tomorrow or Monday. The large room up stairs has been fitted out for a general reading room. The rooms will be for the use of all army and navy men and in a short time the offices of the organization will be installed in the building.

Mount St. Charles High Defeats Boulder

Helena, Feb. 7.—Mount St. Charles College of this city defeated Boulder High, 42 to 8, at basketball here tonight.

ASK THE KIDS. "So you insist on informing your entire family that Santa Claus is a myth." "Yes. It seems to me about time I was getting personal credit for being the chap who pays the bills."—Washington Star.

ONE TRACTOR FOR THE COUNTY WORK

One traction engine will be employed by Cascade county in building roads during the coming summer. It was stated yesterday by Chairman W. F. Kester, of the board of county commissioners. The two engines that have been in service for the past three or four years will be immediately sold and the county will purchase one new machine for use in work that will be conducted under the immediate supervision of the commissioners. In addition to that done by the county's crew, considerable work will be let on the contract plan.

Helena High School Beats Gallatin Boys

Bozeman, Feb. 7.—The Helena high school basketball team won from the Gallatin county boys this evening by a score of 38 to 25. Maps of Helena started for the visitors, and Cooley, center, for Gallatin, made all of the baskets for their respective teams.

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