

First Softball Tilt Slated For Women

Roseburg's lady softball team opens its season Sunday by hosting Oakridge in a game at old Fairgrounds Field (Schermer Field) starting at 2 p.m.

Ten games have been definitely lined up with prospects of another two or three in the making. Features of the schedule include invitations to take part in the Eugene Invitational Tournament in July and the state tournament in August.

The latter event will be held in either Roseburg or Klamath Falls. Both cities have made bid to the state association.

The ladies will field an all-veteran lineup composed of catcher Belle Johnson, pitcher Margaret Blizard, infielders Gladys Oyler, Marge Barge, Will Jean Grimes, Alta Gundersen, Maudie Pemberton and outfielders Donna Bashford, Claire Carter, Evelyn Tharp, Sonya Carlock and Lois Hamer.

A newcomer to the squad who may start is Mickey McKern, just out of duty with the Waves.



BELLE JOHNSON
... behind the plate

SCHEDULE

June
5—Oakridge, here, 2 p.m.
12—Oakridge, there, 2 p.m.
15—Eugene, there, 8:30 p.m.
19—Forest Grove, here, (double-header), 2.
26—Eugene, here, 2.
July
10—Klamath Falls, there, 1.
15-17—Eugene Invitational
23—Forest Grove, there, (tentative).
24—Salem, there, (tentative).
31—Open
August
7—Klamath Falls, here, 1.
11-14—State tournament.

Byron Nelson May Try Golf Comeback

NEW YORK (AP) — Byron Nelson, the Roanoke, Tex., rancher who once was undisputed king of the touring pros, is flirting with a golf comeback at the age of 43.

The U. S. Golf Assn. announced today that Nelson, in virtual retirement since 1949, had filed entry in both the United States and British Open championships.

The U. S. Open is scheduled June 16-18 at the Olympic Club in San Francisco. The British event is set for July 4-6 at historic St. Andrews, Scotland.

It will be the first British invasion for the graying so-called "mechanical man" who won the National Open in 1939 and who in 1945 amassed the most remarkable winning record in PGA tournament history.

That year he won a total of 19 tournaments, 12 in a row, and played 120 rounds of golf with an average of 68.33.

USC Freshman, 20, Beats Out Richards

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Participating in his first decathlon, 20-year-old Bob Lawson, University of Southern California freshman from Aberdeen, Wash., outpointed the Rev. Bob Richards, defending national A-A-U champion, Tuesday.

Lawson won the regional A-A-U title by scoring 7,090 points, eighth highest in international decathlon history. Richards had 6,970. Lawson led Monday but Richards was supposed to catch him when his specialty, the pole vault, was held. Richards, representing Los Angeles Athletic Club, vaulted 14 feet 8 inches for 1,000 points, but Lawson grabbed 516 points with his 11-foot 6 inch vault and went on to win convincingly in other events.

Sports Calendar

WEDNESDAY

SOFTBALL: Industrial League: Nordic Plywood vs. Moose Lodge; Mill's Drive-In vs. Roseburg Lumber; Schermer Field, 7.

Twilight League: La Vera's Beauty vs. Methodist Church, VA Field, 6:30.

THURSDAY

BOWLING: Men's doubles, 7:30. SOFTBALL: Twilight League: Christian Church vs. News-Review, 6:30. Church League: Pine Grove vs. North Roseburg; First Christian vs. Riversdale, 6:30.

FRIDAY

ARCHERY: Umpqua Bowmen, County Fairgrounds, 7.

SOFTBALL: Industrial League: Youngs Bay vs. Naval Reserve; Moore's Cafe vs. Moose Lodge, 7.

Twilight League: BLM vs. VA All-stars, 6:30.

SATURDAY

BASEBALL: SO League: Coquille at Roseburg, 8.

WRESTLING: Armory, 8:30.

SUNDAY

BASEBALL: SO League: Roseburg at Coquille. Evergreen League: Myrtle Creek at Riddle; Cottage Grove at Roseburg.

RACING: Hardtops, Speedway, 1:30.

SOFTBALL: (women) Oakridge at Roseburg, Schermer Field, 2 p.m.

TRAPSHOOTING: Winchester, 10 a.m.

Oakland Keeps Ripping Padres

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
San Diego	38	21	.644	
San Francisco	29	28	.509	8
Seattle	30	29	.508	8
Oakland	28	29	.491	9
Portland	26	28	.481	9 1/2
Los Angeles	27	31	.466	10 1/2
Hollywood	26	31	.456	11
Sacramento	25	32	.439	12

Tuesday's Score
Oakland 7, San Diego 1
(Only games scheduled)

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Loquacious Lefty O'Doul, the fiery Oakland manager, last week promised to knock San Diego's "morning glory pads" in the creek. He's batting a thousand so far.

O'Doul's Oaks are in the border town this week ripping the Padres apart. Their 7-1 win in the Pacific Coast League's only game Tuesday night gave them three straight victories over the league leaders.

O'Doul, who managed San Diego to the P-C-L pennant last year, had made light of the 55 Pads' red hot winning streak—15 straight.

"San Diego is riding for a fall," O'Doul predicted. "These morning glory clubs don't usually hold up in August and September when the real racing begins."

The Oaks blasted Bob Kerrigan for three runs in the fourth inning. Allen van Alstyne homered. Joe Bovia walked. Piper Davis got on base through an error. Bill Serena filed in one run and Ross Rose singled in the other.

The Oaks scored twice each in the fifth and seventh.

The Padres scored their run in the second off Hector Brown, who allowed only three hits all evening.

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San Diego 010 000 000—1 3 4
Brown and Neal; Kerrigan, Gray (6) and Bailey.

Six UO Men Get All-Star Berths

MOSCOW, Idaho (AP) — Six men from Oregon's champions were voted places on the mythical all-Northern Division Pacific Coast Conference baseball team.

Others voted tops by coaches and athletic news directors of the schools are from Oregon State, Washington State and Washington.

Oregon State's Jay Dean, a heavy slugging first baseman, was the only unanimous choice. Others on the first team are:

George Shaw, Oregon football star, center field; Jim Johnson, Oregon, second base; Pete Williams, Oregon, third base; John Keller, Oregon, shortstop; Neil Narlett, Oregon, catcher; Terry Madrox, Oregon, pitcher; Jerry Exley, Oregon State, outfield; Terry Sparks, Washington state, outfield, and Bill Reams, Washington, pitcher.

The second team:

Dick Schlossstein, Oregon, first base; Gordy Hersy, WSC, second base; Flip Kieffner, Idaho, third base; Ron Foley, WSC, shortstop; Phil Jantze, OSC, outfield; Norm Forbes, Oregon, outfield; Jerry Ross, Oregon, outfield; Al Guidotti, OSC, pitcher; Bill Epperle, OSC, pitcher; Ronn Webb, WSC, pitcher, and Jack Brady, Washington, catcher.

Yesterday's Stars

TUESDAY'S STARS
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Pitching —Sal Maglie, Giants, registered his sixth straight victory as he limited Philadelphia to five hits and struck out seven as the Giants nipped the Phillies 2-1.

Batting —Sam Dente, Indians, doubled home the winning run in the 13th inning as Cleveland defeated the Baltimore Orioles 2-1.

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Sidelineer

By JIM VANCE

Into the wild blue yonder: The current issue of Sports Affair asks that policy on national wildlife refuges be defined on a national level. It requests that the Secretary of Interior define his position on the question of refuges.

The 1954 waterfowl season report for the Game Commission's four public shooting grounds gives these figures: Out of 19,367 hunter days, 37,038 birds were killed of which slightly more than two-thirds were ducks.

Summer Lake led in the number of birds taken with 8,440 ducks and 8,709 geese taken. The success ratio was 2.49. Sauvie Island ranked second in kill. Warner Valley was third and the Malheur Refuge ranked fourth.

The 6,905 permits issued was the highest in the 11 years the Summer Lake shooting ground has been in operation.

Hunting and fishing continue to increase in popularity late figures reveal. The Oregon State Game Commission monthly bulletin shows that Oregon ranked 21st in the nation in fishing license sales (320,135) and 24th in hunting license sales (251,415).

Despite this ranking, the state ranked 10th in total fees accrued from fishing licenses and eighth in the country in total fees from hunting licenses.

In its current issue, a trap-shooting story in Sports Affair says of Arnold Riegger of Seattle that he "must be the best." Riegger won the men's singles title at

PAL Clubbers Win Game, 19-0

YMCA TWILIGHT LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
Methodist Church	3	0	1.000
Wilbur Lumber	3	0	1.000
PAL Club	4	1	.800
La Vera's Beauty	3	1	.750
Post Office	3	1	.750
VA All-stars	2	2	.500
BLM	1	3	.250
News-Review	1	3	.250
Christian Church	0	4	.000
VA Employees	0	5	.000

PAL Club stayed hot on the trail of the league leaders in Twilight League play Tuesday night, bouncing the VA Employees 19-0 in five innings.

The winners broke the scoring ice with seven markers in the second inning, added a pair in the third inning and scored 10 more in the fourth frame.

Three members of PAL Club hit home runs. They were Yraguen, Daniels and Mote.

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Everett and Morrison; Daniels and Evans.

Sports Accidents Victims Improve

Two Roseburg patients at Eugene's Sacred Heart Hospital, hurt in sports accidents here last week are reported to be improved.

Richard Buswell, hurt in a Twilight League softball game 10 days ago when he collided with another player, is said to have an "improved condition in the past few days," according to hospital officials.

The victim has been suffering from fat embolism in the blood stream, resulting from the broken leg which he incurred at the time of the accident. Because of the unpredictable nature of this condition, doctors have not been able to determine when they will be able to set the broken limb.

Hardtop auto driver Jack Beavers, hit in the eyeball by a tiny piece of steel while working on a motor last week, is now "up and around."

The particle off the motor imbedded itself in the right eye of the victim while he hammered with a chisel. The piece missed the eye's pupil and as far as is known now, sight will not be affected.

The accident happened last Thursday and the steel piece was removed Thursday night. Beavers is expected to be hospitalized another two or three days and then will recuperate for a couple weeks at home.

Boucock, Peirson Snare First Doubles Keg Win

Beginning of the midweek mixed doubles bowling season found Vi Boucock and Audrey Peirson leading all contestants with a total of 1,091 pins Tuesday night.

Bob Nesbit and Marge Roper and Jim and Marge Hennebeck tied for second place with 1,083.

Individually, John Smith rolled high game of 202 and Hennebeck had high series of 578. Mary Circle had high game of 168 and Vi Boucock had a 518 series.

RECORD TWO-MILER—Hungarian runner Sandro Iharos crosses the finish line at London's White City stadium (May 30) to break the world's two mile record in the British Games track and field meet. Iharos ran the distance in 8 minutes, 33.4 seconds to surpass the mark of 8:40.4 set by Belgium's Gaston Reiff in 1952. Another Hungarian, Laszlo Tabori, won the mile event at the games (May 28) in 3:59. (AP WIREPHOTO VIA RADIO FROM LONDON)

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SWEIKERT HAS 'HIS DAY'—In the winner's enclosure at the Indianapolis Speedway, Bob Sweikert sits happily in his Zink Special and receives kisses from his wife, Dolores, left, and Singer Dinah Shore. Sweikert was the winner of a race marred by many crashes and the death of veteran driver Bill Vukovich. (AP WIREPHOTO)

NY Giants Nip Philadelphia; Indians Pull Up On Yankees

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	30	13	.698	
Cleveland	27	15	.643	2 1/2
Chicago	25	18	.610	4
Detroit	22	20	.524	7 1/2
Boston	19	26	.422	12
Washington	17	24	.415	12
Kansas City	16	25	.390	13
Baltimore	14	31	.311	17

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Brooklyn	32	11	.744	
Chicago	27	17	.614	5 1/2
New York	24	21	.533	9
Milwaukee	21	22	.488	11
St. Louis	18	22	.450	12 1/2
Philadelphia	18	25	.419	14
Cincinnati	18	23	.439	13
Pittsburgh	13	30	.302	19

One of the facts of life in the major leagues is that a team can't win many ball games on four hits.

No one knows it better than a Manager Leo Durocher of the New York Giants and he's far from happy at the prospect of facing the Western clubs in 12 games starting tonight with the Cincinnati Redlegs.

The Giants eked out a 2-1 defeat over the Philadelphia Phillies last night on four paltry hits. Davey Williams broke it up in the ninth with a single, scoring Don Mueller, who had walked and moved to second on a sacrifice.

"The pitching hasn't been too bad, everything considered," said Durocher. "There were plenty of situations in some of our losing games when a hit in the right place would have made the difference."

"But we just aren't hitting — at least we aren't hitting in the right places."

Even the Giants' first run against the Phils was tainted. Pitcher Herman Wehmeier tried to pick Sal Maglie off first base and threw wildly. That sent Maglie to second and Whitey Lockman promptly followed with a double, tying the run the Phillies scored in the first.

The Brooklyn Dodgers dropped a 6-3 decision to the Pittsburgh Pirates. In the only other game on the schedule, the Cleveland Indians pulled to within 2 1/2 games of the New York Yankees by edging the Baltimore Orioles 2-1 in 13 innings.

Indianapolis Winner Collects Total Of \$76,139

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Bob Sweikert's victor's share of the Memorial Day auto race prize money was \$76,138—\$13,358 less than the record total won in 1953 by Bill Vukovich of Fresno, Calif.

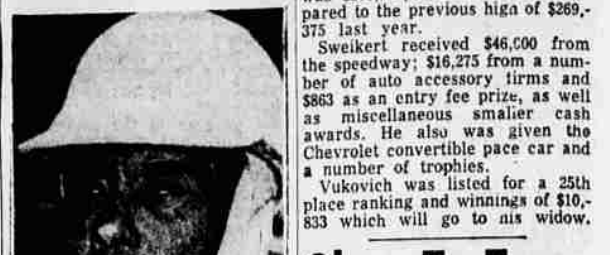
"I would gladly give up my first place of Billy were here," Sweikert told the annual awards banquet Tuesday night as he accepted the check.

"I feel I lucked into this one," Vukovich, killed Monday when his car crashed and burned after he had led 50 of the first 56 laps, picked up \$29,250 of his record 1953 total in lap awards. Sweikert's lap prize money was \$12,900 this year.

The overall 1955 prize divided was \$270,050, a record. This compared to the previous high of \$269,375 last year.

Sweikert received \$46,000 from the Speedway; \$16,275 from a number of auto accessory firms and \$863 as an entry fee prize, as well as miscellaneous smaller cash awards. He also was given the Chevrolet convertible pace car and a number of trophies.

Vukovich was listed for a 25th place ranking and winnings of \$10,833 which will go to his widow.



BILL VUKOVICH
... posthumously

Olson To Tour Europe Soon

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — A fistie circus featuring world middleweight champion Bobo Olson and ringmaster Sid Flaherty will head for Europe in August for a series of one-night stands.

"We'll wind up in London, probably in September, with Olson meeting Don Cockell," Flaherty said as he and his ace performer prepared to fly to New York and their June 22 date with Archie Moore for the light-heavyweight championship. (In London, Jack Solomons, the leading promoter discounted the report, commenting, "There's nothing in it.")

Flaherty figures — and Olson agrees — that a London fight with Cockell would be a good way — and a lucrative one — to wind up the tour.

Flaherty said arrangements for the bout were being made now through an agent he sent to England that they did not hinge necessarily on whether Olson defeated Moore in the Polo Grounds.

SIGNS AGAIN PHILADELPHIA

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — End Bobby Walston, leading scorer in the National Football League last season, has signed for his fifth year with the Philadelphia Eagles.

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