

Riddle Bowler Crowned State Tourney Champion

Area Kegler Contingent Wins Places

Ralph Hanson 163 average bowler from Riddle who has been battling the pins only two years, is an Oregon state champion. He won the Class C all-events crown at Astoria with a total-pin mark of 1784.

Five other singles bowlers, three doubles aggregations, and two teams from the local area got into the money in the competition. The state men's bowling meet was held at Astoria, ending Sunday night.

Meanwhile on the Albany alleys three two women's and one men's team, two women's singles and one doubles entry, and two men's singles combines were either win, place, or show. This was in the All-Coast handicap bowling tourney on Sunday.

Hanson works at the Keystone Lumber Co. in Riddle as a millwright. He bowls with the Sportsman's Club, sponsored by Steve Kodas, and competes in the Tri-City Bowl.

Hanson's series was 628 in the team, 541 in doubles and 615 in the singles, the latter netting him second place.

Hanson also got his highest individual game in league play, a 252 with seven straight strikes and ten eventually in the game.

In other men's bowling tourney placings by local area keggers: Harold Ready and Kayo Edwards of Drain were fifth in Class B doubles, with 1163. John Sanders and Earl Wiley of Roseburg were fifth in Class C doubles with 1083 and H. Schultz and A. Hammer-schmitt of Roseburg ninth with 1065.

Stanley Piersol of Roseburg scored 605 to rank tenth in Class B singles. In Class C singles Hanson tallied 615 for second and Fred Vedore of Riddle 614 for second and third positions in singles play. Cliff Owen of Riddle with a 586 ranked ninth.

In Class D Singles play Hubert Wesley of Riddle tallied 556 for a sixth-place finish.

Nickel Bowl of Myrtle Creek with 2680 ranked 10th in Class B play.

Besides Hanson's triumph John Sanders of Roseburg dropped 1710 pins in Class B play to rank tenth in that category.

Local area placings at the All-Coast handicap tourney in Drain include:

Teams: Men's 170 and over, Tri City Markets of Myrtle Creek 3171 for first and Sun Studs of Roseburg 3131 for second. Women's 145 and under, Wansley's Red and White of Drain 2851 for second.

Doubles: Women's 145 and under, R. Johnson and Avis Edwards of Drain 1228 for first.

Singles: Men's 170 and over, John Sanders of Roseburg 707 for third.

All Events: Men's 170 and over handicap, Bob Shroyer of Roseburg 1960 for first. Women's 145 and under handicap, Avis Edwards of Drain 1827.

High Scratch Game 145 and over handicap, Midge Johnson of Drain 242 for second.

Beavers Belt Suds 7-5 For Third In Row

EL CENTRO, Calif. (AP) — Portland defeated Seattle 7-5 Tuesday for its third straight baseball exhibition victory over its northern Pacific Coast League rival.

A fine relief pitching performance by rookie Norman Bass, brother of College of Pacific football star Dick Bass, preserved the win for the Beavers.

Portland was ahead 6-2 when veteran left-hander Vic Lombardi retired after six innings.

Rookie Bob Villaseñor relieved him and was promptly touched for a three-run homer by Seattle's Ron Foisy.

Bass Retires Side

Seattle got two men out again in the eighth. Bass then relieved Villaseñor. He got former major league star Elmer Valo on an infield fly and struck out Jack Bloomfield to retire the side.

In the ninth Bass moved down the Rainiers in order.

Lombardi, besides pitching in mid-season style, drove home three runs, two with a single and another with a sacrifice fly.

Three For Freese

George Freese and Wimmer Schantz each had three hits for Portland, which goes to India for a game with San Diego Wednesday.

It was Portland's sixth exhibition victory against five losses.

Dave Melton, a .304 hitter last season, accepted contract terms Tuesday and said he would leave immediately for the Beavers' camp in Brawley, Calif. That left Portland with only one holdout, catcher Rafael Noble.

The Beavers dropped three rookies from their roster Tuesday.

First baseman Norman Shill and outfielder Jimmy Pyles were sent to the Kansas City Athletics' Pensacola, Fla., minor league camp for assignment to lower classification clubs.

Outfielder Bob Delgado was sent to Panama City.

Nats Attempt To Overcome Celt Hoodoo

BOSTON (AP) — The stubborn Syracuse Nationals attempt to snap Boston's home-court hex and eliminate the Celtics tonight in a Garden showdown for the right to represent the Eastern division for the National Basketball Assn. championship.

All even after six games in their best-of-seven struggle, the Nationals face a monumental struggle to sweep past the Celtics and into the NBA finals against the Minneapolis Lakers, Western division conquerors of mighty St. Louis.

In the three previous games in Boston, the Celtics have clobbered the upset-minded Syracuse team by margins of 22, 22 and 21 points, respectively.

Key members of both teams nursed minor ailments, but all hands are expected to be ready for the vital engagement.

The Syracuse-Boston winner will open the best-of-seven finals at home against the Lakers Saturday afternoon, with the second game on Sunday. The third and fourth contests will be in Minneapolis-St. Paul on the nights of April 7 and 9.

TABLE TENNIS CHAMPS

DORTMUND, Germany—Japan won both the Swaythling Cup for men and the Corbillon Cup for women in the team competition of the world table tennis championships.

ON TO YAKIMA



WINNING THE SOUTHERN OREGON district YMCA Church League basketball championship, the Roseburg aggregation will compete in Yakima, Wash., this week. The Roseburg team is entered in the Northwest YMCA tourney, having swept the district meet at Eugene. Left to right, back row: Coach E. H. (Bud) McGhehey, Ted Kolberg, George Spees, Bob Richmond, and Jim Aten. Bottom row: Jim McGhehey, David Montgomery, Mike Stone, Don McGhehey and Bill Sherwood. Five of the players are from the St. Paul's team, which won the local championship. (Paul Jenkins)

Sam'l Jackson Snead 5-1 Pick Over Pro Field

AUGUSTA, Ga. (AP) — Sam Snead, budding star of television, was made the 5-1 betting favorite today to snare his fourth Masters golf championship.

Mainly on the strength of his phenomenal 13 - match unbeaten streak in the nationally televised series, the West Virginia slugger drew top advance billing over Ken Venturi of San Francisco, 6-1, and a trio of past winners, defender Arnold Palmer, Cary Middlecott and Ben Hogan, bracketed at 8-1.

Although open betting in this Dixie fairway extravaganza is strictly verboten, a bookmaker has printed a "line" which is flagrantly distributed in the hotel lobbies and around the course.

The 72-hole tournament — the 23rd edition of Bobby Jones' brainchild—opens Thursday on the lush Augusta National course where President Eisenhower's quick hook is no stranger. There's a round a day through Sunday.

Burke Tough

The advance odds may undergo some quick revision overnight in view of the red-hot practice performances of 1935 champion Jack Burke Jr. of Houston, Tex., who has had successive rounds of 66 and 64.

Although it's strictly shadow boxing, as Burke admits, these were two of the finest back-to-back rounds ever played over the monstrous 6,980-yard, par 72 course—for keeps or for fun.

In two days Jackie, who is listed as a 12-1 shot, has had 14 birdies, 22 pars and not a single bogey.

228,000 from TV

Snead, winner here in 1949, 1952 and 1954, is still riding the crest of his television winnings, which have amounted to \$28,000.

Playing on tough courses, he met the game's top players and beat them all over a period of several months, ending last November. He averaged 67.2 strokes for 13 rounds, never went over 70 and had one 65—a record at Sea Island, Ga.

"Snead is playing better golf than he did 15 years ago," said Ray O'Brien, former PGA tournament director and now technical director for the TV series.

Snead's odds are 5-1 to win, 2-1 to place and even money to finish third. Venturi, the pick of the newsmen, is 6-1, 3-1 and 3-2.

Ninety golfers, including an array of past champions, are expected to tee off. In the list is a formidable foreign contingent including British Open champion Peter Thomson of Australia, Gary Player of South Africa, David Thomas of Wales and Angel Miguel of Spain.

Rainier Hurler Bought By Bevos

PORTLAND (AP) — The Portland Beavers have purchased pitcher Marty Kutyna, who hurled last year for the Seattle Rainiers.

The Beavers announced Tuesday they purchased Kutyna from the Cincinnati Reds. The price was not disclosed.

Kutyna, a right-hander who had an 8-10 record last year with Seattle, will report to the Beavers at once at their Brawley, Calif., spring training camp.

Dave Melton also said Tuesday that he will join the Beavers.

Melton was a holdout for a time, but said that he now has accepted a Portland contract. The outfielder hit .304 last season.

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Indian Hoop Banquet Set

Members of Roseburg High School's varsity basketball squad will be honored next Monday when the Roseburg Junior Chamber of Commerce stages its annual hoop banquet.

Guest speaker at the banquet will be Phil McHugh, freshmen basketball coach at the University of Oregon. A rundown, of 1958-59 performers and performances will be given by Bill Harper, Tribune columnist.

The public is invited to the affair, slated to begin at 6:30 p.m. in the Veterans of Foreign Wars Hall on NW Garden Valley Blvd. Co-chairmen of the event are Jim Golden and Don Hagedorn.

Brundage Says U.S. Youth Soft

PORTLAND (AP) — America's youth grows soft while the communist nations raise children with muscle, Avery Brundage, chairman of the International Olympic Committee, said Tuesday.

"The kids in this country think they have to ride a bus to school if they live more than two blocks away," Brundage said in an interview.

Brundage added: "They spend their leisure time watching the television set. They rarely participate in a sport. They would rather watch others play."

In contrast, Russia and the rest of the communist nations are developing kids with some muscle.

Brundage was asked how the physical condition of America's youth could be improved.

Eldon Fix Quits Pioneer Position

PORTLAND (AP) — Lewis and Clark College basketball coach Eldon Fix stepped down Tuesday and turned the job over to his assistant, Jim Goddard.

Goddard, besides assisting at basketball, has coached golf and directed intramural activities at Lewis and Clark. He served as swimming coach at Oregon State College for a time.

Fix will continue as athletic director and head track coach. He said the change was being made to even up coaching duties.

CUT 'N' SHOOTER FIGHTS

DALLAS (AP) — Roy Harris has his third fight since his failure against world's heavyweight champion Floyd Patterson when he meets light heavyweight Donnie Fleeman tonight.

The speedy young man from Cut and Shoot rated seventh, hopes to win decisively and show he's still one of the top boxers of the major class. He thinks this will help him in getting another title match if Patterson gets rid of two boxers he'll meet soon — Brian London and Ingemar Johansson.

Williams Spends Uneasy Evening

BOSTON (AP) — Hospital bulletin No. 2 was awaited today on the condition of Boston Red Sox slugger Ted Williams, unwilling owner of baseball's celebrated pain in the neck.

The 40-year-old outfielder was protected from outsiders while doctors attempted to determine the cause of his ailment at New England Baptist Hospital.

A 46-word bulletin in mid-day Tuesday gave out little information except that Williams had "a rather uncomfortable night" because of pains in the neck and right shoulder.

Orthopedic specialists conferred, but there was no further announcement. The arrival of Dr. James L. Poppen back from vacation reportedly was awaited by other doctors.

X-rays at the hospital confirmed that Ted apparently has no broken or dislocated bones and evidently is not suffering from arthritis.

Ring Record

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Bonus Babies Of Few Years Ago Swapped For Loser Gene Conley

By JIM KENSIL

Associated Press Sports Writer

In 1951, the Philadelphia Phillies gave Ted Kazanski \$80,000 to sign a bonus contract.

Two years later Pittsburgh gave Johnny O'Brien a "five-figure" sum to join the Pirates.

Tuesday the Milwaukee Braves gave the Phils virtually nothing but a longshot for both infielders, plus power-hitting catcher Stan Lopata.

The longshot is long 6-foot-8 Gene Conley, the basketball-playing pitcher who had 0-6 record for the National League champions last season. His earned run average was 4.88 in 26 innings. Since 1954, when he won 14 games as a rookie, the 28-year-old right-hander has been going downhill.

Going to Philadelphia with him were infielder - outfielder Harry Hanebrink and infielder Joe Koppe neither of whom is a proven major leaguer.

BRADENTON, Fla. (AP) — The Milwaukee Braves, seeking a second baseman to hold together their pennant winner, today looked to Johnny O'Brien to fill the gap left by ailing Red Schoendienst.

O'Brien was acquired by the Braves Tuesday night in a 3-for-3 swap with the Philadelphia Phillies, who apparently feel that their own second base problem is solved.

leaguer. Hanebrink, 31, hit only 188 in 63 games with the Braves last season, and Koppe, 27, appeared in only 16 games, going 4-for-9 in his infrequent batting chances.

Good Field, No Hit

Both O'Brien and Kazanski, although weak hitters, have proven they can play a major league season at second base, where the Braves need help the most.

Kazanski is 25, O'Brien 28, and the latter, a right-hander, can pitch a few innings in a pinch. Lopata, 34, hit 116 home runs in 11 years with the Phils and he is a strong replacement for Braves' No. 1 catch Del Crandall.

The trade followed a full day of exhibition games in which Philadelphia and Milwaukee both lost.

Jim O'Toole, Cincinnati's \$50,000 bonus left-hander, tossed no-hit ball for four innings as the Reds stopped the Phils 5-0 on three hits.

The Los Angeles Dodgers, who

continue to pace the NL with an 11-7 exhibition mark, whipped the Braves 9-2. The Dodgers broke a four-game losing streak as Gene Snyder and Billy Harris allowed the Braves only seven hits.

Yanks Topped Again

Kansas City beat the New York Yankees for the third straight day, 4-2. The A's got to rookie John Gabler in the ninth.

Baltimore, atop the major league spring standings with a 12-6 mark, had to go 11 innings against Washington before winning 9-8 on a two-run single by Bob Vician.

The Chicago Cubs lashed Boston 11-6 after Red Sox starter Tom Brewer blew a four-run first inning lead fashioned by Bill Ren-na's grand slam homer. The Cubs banged out 16 hits, including homers by John Goryl and Earl Averill.

Bob Friend gave up 15 hits but went the route for Pittsburgh as the Pirates' defeated Detroit 6-5.

Don Hoak homered in the eighth to break a 4-4 tie.

Billy Pierce and Bob Shaw combined on a six-hitter for the Chicago White Sox in a 5-1 victory over St. Louis.

San Francisco, getting homers from Bob Schmidt and Orlando Cepeda, defeated Cleveland 7-5.

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