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INDIANAPOLIS, May 29 (AP)—Thirty-three of the fastest automobiles in the world underwent their final overhauling today in preparation for the running tomorrow of the 17th annual 500-mile race.

The field was completed last night under dramatic circumstances, three drivers abandoning all caution to roar through the darkness in a final effort to gain a place.

The cars will line up for the start at 10 o'clock tomorrow with Cliff Goodhue, Chicago, in the pole position, and with Leon Duray, Los Angeles, beside him.

Trailing behind the leaders, three abreast, will be Babe Stapp, Los Angeles; Peter de Paeto, Los Angeles; Ray Keech, Philadelphia; Ernest Triplett, Los Angeles; Billy Arnold, Chicago; Lou Meyer, Highgate, Cal.; Deacon LEE, Dubois, Ind.; Fred Wynn, Philadelphia; Russell Snowberger, Philadelphia; Tony Gullotta, Kansas City; Bill Spence, Los Angeles; Lou Moore, Los Angeles; Fred Frame, Los Angeles; Philip Pardee, Los Angeles; Louis Chiron, Paris, France; Jules Moricau, Paris, France; Johnny Seymour, Sarasota, Mich.; Peter Krek, Knoxville, Tenn.; Phil (Red) Shafer, Flint, Mich.; and Dallas, Tex.; Bob McWhorter, San Francisco; Carl Marchese, Milwaukee; Frank Farmer, Philadelphia; Herman R. Church, Hollywood, Cal.; William (Speed) Gardner, East Liberty, Pa.; Frank Brisco, Milwaukee; Richard Becker, Staten Island; Albert Karnaiz, Detroit; Cliff Bergere, Los Angeles.

For his first time in several years a truly international aspect will be given the longest automobile race in the world. Louis Chiron, Frenchman, European driving champion in 1928, and Jules Moricau, a fellow countryman, will wear the foreign colors. Neither will grudge his car as fast as most of the American entries but they said they believed the endurance of their engines would prove superior in the long run.

ELFROUQUET AT KGO OAKLAND, Cal., May 29 (AP)—Aerobically touching a rectifier tube carrying an 18,000 volt current, Carl E. Scherer, Seattle electrician, was electrocuted last night in the operating room of the KGO broadcasting station here.

Scherer was leaning against a brass railing, watching the engineers at work, when he leaped over to view the rectifier tube in some manner he came in contact with the tube casing and the current passed through his body.

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Heavy Batting Continues Over Pacific Circuit

League Standings

Heavy batting throughout the coast league continued as the most decisive factor in yesterday's renewal of series play by the eight clubs.

The San Francisco Mission, playing the Sacramento Senators at Recreation field here, won their forty-second game of the season out of 49 with a score of 12 to 9. The two clubs have played eight games against each other this year, and the Reds have won all.

Clouting the offerings of Ray Chesterfield hard and often, San Francisco's Seals displayed a lot of offensive power in turning back the attacks at Portland. The score was 8 to 4. The Seals garnered 15 hits off Chesterfield and Ike Powers, who pitched the seventh and eighth innings. The Seals today were in third place in the league standings, having won 34 out of 63.

While Nick Dumovich puzled the Hollywood Stars with his southpaw slants, Oakland batsman hammered Throy Hollywood pitcher for a ten to three victory in the Southern city. Dumovich had the Stars at his mercy in every inning with the exception of the fourth. When he became careless and allowed the Stars to score two runs without a hit.

Two runs in the eleventh inning gave the second place Los Angeles Angels a 5 to 3 victory over Seattle in the Redbirds' playground. The Angels took an early lead of three runs, but the Indians tied the score with two in the sixth and one in the eighth. However, the runs only served to lengthen the game two innings.

Yesterday's Coast League Results AT PORTLAND: R. H. E. San Francisco 8 15 1; Portland 4 11 1; Batteries: Jacobs and Reast; Chesterfield, Powers, Beck and Woodall.

AT SEATTLE: R. H. E. Los Angeles 5 7 0; Seattle 3 10 2; Batteries: Walsh and Sandberg; Graham, Pippard and Steineke; Dorrans, (11 innings).

AT LOS ANGELES: R. H. E. Oakland 10 14 9; Hollywood 3 5 2; Batteries: Dumovich and Reast; Kinney, Marty, Coyne and Gassler; Sypher.

AT SAN FRANCISCO: R. H. E. Sacramento 10 13 0; Mission 12 24 0; Batteries: Vinz, Gaudin, Hagan and Sevier; Nelson, Hubbel and Hatvint.

Pirates in Tie for First Place

Pittsburg and Chicago Teams to Meet in Three-Game Series.

By WILLIAM J. CHIPMAN This mad dash of the Pirates has carried them past the last barrier, leaving the Buccaneros on even terms with the Cubs who now invade Pittsburg to fight for the lead in a three-game holiday series.

Young Ervin Brans led the Pirates to a 5 to 2 triumph over Clarence Mitchell and the Cardinals in St. Louis yesterday as the Cubs lay idle in a Cincinnati rainstorm.

The victory left the Buccaneros locked tight with the Hoins for the lead, one and one-half games ahead of the Cardinals, who have lost three games more than either of their current pennant rivals.

The Pirates, the Cardinals and the Cubs remain the only National league clubs above the .500 mark, despite the new lease on life taken by the Glans. The Stan McGraw out on another home run party at the polo grounds yesterday, defeating Brooklyn by 5 to 2.

The Phillies, took the Braves into camp, this time by 2 to 8. Mackmen Nosed Out The Red Sox rallied against Rube Walker and Bill Shors at Boston yesterday to shade the Marks, 5 to 4, ending the Macklin streak of eleven. The Yankees climbed four Washington pitchers for 16 hits to triumph by 12 to 7.

Unmindful of their more highly regarded rivals, the Browns accepted their opportunity to gain on the Athletics by shading the Tigers in Detroit, 4 to 2.

Danny Dugan made his first major league start at Comiskey park, but the bats of Cleveland's Indians were too much for him, and the White Sox were turned back 5 to 2.

University Trims O. S. C. Nine, 7 to 4 CORYVALLIS, Ore., May 28 (AP)—Scoring four runs on three hits and two state college errors in the ninth inning, the University of Oregon baseball team defeated Oregon State 7 to 4 here yesterday.

The Angels had led 4 to 3 up to the ninth. Bennell booted a sure double play and a moment later Crayton, on a fielder's choice, threw to first instead of home on a forced run with the bases loaded.

The final of the series will be played at Eugene today, ending the baseball season for both teams. Score: R. H. E. Oregon State 7 9 0; University of Oregon 4 9 2; Batteries: Baker and Holings; Woodley; Nighthale, Cloyes and Maple.

Junior League Team Defeats Cove High, 7-6

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Teutsch pitched the first eight innings for La Grande, holding Cove to five hits. He was relieved by Jones in the ninth, who allowed one hit and one run. On the other hand La Grande hit safely 11 times, at five in the eighth but in the ninth La Grande counted twice to Cove's once.

Saturday afternoon, at the high school grounds at 2:30 o'clock, the Junior leaguers will play the championship Inbler High school team. This is a return game, the Junior nine losing at Inbler last week in a short contest.

Batteries yesterday follow: Cove: Robertson, Anderson and Bloom; La Grande: Teutsch, Jones and Conley.

The La Grande lineup follows: Stillman, 2; Munsell, H.; Torrence, cf.; Hartman, 2; Conley, c; Smith, 3; Nelson, 1b; Courtney, rf; Teutsch, p. Roe replaced Stillman, Jones replaced Teutsch and Weimer replaced Courtney. Weimer and Smith are Cove boys who have won a place on the Junior league team.

and willingness to mix and soak the aggressive in the early rounds but after the fifth it was Lomski's fight all the way.

Tony Talarico, Spokane heavyweight and Earl Ritchie, Klamath Falls furnished the liveliest fight of the night. It was featured by numerous knockdowns. After being knocked down four times in the first three rounds Talarico came back to knock Ritchie out in the fourth.

PESER WINS TACOMA, May 29 (AP)—John Pesek, Brainerd, Neb., heavyweight wrestler threw Bob Kruse, Oswego, Ore., with such force with an air-punch spine here last night, Kruse was unable to continue the match. The one fall came in 31 minutes.

Fielding Yost To Retire From Football World ANN ARBOR, Mich., May 29 (AP)—Fielding H. Yost, director of athletics at the University of Michigan, who on several occasions has announced his retirement as football coach only to take up leadership with the coaching of the gridiron, has permanently retired, he said today.

"I will never coach again under any condition; I have permanently retired," he said. The statement was made after Yost had admitted that Elton E. (Tex) Wieman would not be a member of the football coaching staff next fall.

Asked who would coach the team Yost said: "Our coaching plans for football have not been completed; I expect to complete them soon." He volunteered no comment when the name of Dr. John W. White, retired football coach of Ohio State, was mentioned.

Strangler Lewis Pins Joe Stecher TULSA, Okla., May 29 (AP)—A wrestling feud between two former heavyweight champions of the world was settled here last night, for a time at least, when Ed "Strangler" Lewis, defeated Joe Stecher of Dodge City, Neb., for the third time in two years.

Stecher took the first fall with a body slingshot in 20 minutes. Lewis annexed his second "body" with a double arm lock in three minutes.

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Lomski Beats Yale Okun in 10-Round Tilt

PORTLAND, Ore., May 29 (AP)—Leo Lomski, Aberdeen, Wash., light heavyweight, won a ten-round decision here last night over Yale Okun, New York before a packed house at the auditorium. Lomski scored one knockdown in the fifth when he sank a left hook to Okun's stomach followed by a right to the jaw. After a count of five Okun got up and fought back vigorously. Lomski was said to have hurt his right hand in this round. Okun showed boxing skill.

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BEFORE MIDNIGHT

WEDNESDAY PROGRAMS The American Broadcasting company program for Wednesday night follows: 7: Golden Gate Gypsies; 7:30, humorous sketches; 8: "Overland and Sea," Salon orchestra; 8:30, Golden Gate Gypsies; 9:10, Ken's Opera; 9:30, Sleepy Time; 10: Golden Gate Gypsies.

The National Broadcasting company program for Wednesday night follows: 7: Charvelier orchestra; 7:30, Balalaika orchestra; 8: "Roads to Romance"; 8:30, Hill Billy Boys; 9 to 11, minstrete; 11 to 12, dance music, Trocaderoans.

Portland KGW (620) 7, NBC; 8:30, features; 9, concert orchestra; 11, dance band. KEX (1130) 7:30 to 9, silent; 9, Catholic Truth society; 9:15, AP.

Tacoma KVI (760) 7, songs; 7:15, silent; 7:45, songs, Harding sisters and baritone; 8, vocal trio; 8:30, ensemble; 9:30, Billy Landers, blues singer; 9:45, mixed quartet; 10 to 12, Melody boys.

Los Angeles KFI (640) 7, NBC; 7:30, symphony; 7:30, NBC; 8:30, concert orchestra; 10, NBC. KNX (1050) 7, features; 10 to 12, dance music.

Oakland KIX (850) educational hour; 9 to 10, songs and piano music. KGO (790) 7, NBC 8:30, Three Boys; 9, quintet; 10 to 12, NBC.

Salt Lake City KSL (1130) 7, NBC; 8:15, Hawaiian duo; 8:30, little symphony orchestra; 9, miniature concert; 10, NBC. KHQ (590) 7, NBC; 8, features; 9, Amos and Andy; 10:20 to 12, NBC. KGA (1470) 7 to 12, ABC program.

Spokane KGA (1470) 7 to 12, ABC program. KHQ (590) 6:30, NBC; 8:30, old-time band; 9:45, Amos and Andy; 10, brass band; 11, feature program.

Salt Lake City KSL (850) 7, tenor and group; 7:30, male quartet, instrumental trio; 8:30, tubercular organ and choir; 9, studio; 10, Amos and Andy; 10:15, dance music.

San Francisco KPO (680) 8, features; 9, violin recital; 9:30, studio; 10, NBC. KPIX (1050) 8, features; 9, concert orchestra and soloists; 10, Amos and Andy; 10:15 to 12:10, dance music.

Seattle KOMO (920) 7:30, NBC; 8:30, old-time band; 9:30, radio play; 8:45, news; 10, brass band; 11 to 12:30, music and song. KJR (970) 7 to 12, ABC program.

Los Angeles KFI (640) 7:30, NBC; 8:30, features; 9, violin; 9:30, concert orchestra; 10, NBC. KNX (1050) 7, features; 9, fatoviski trio; 10 to 12, dance music.

HELEN WILLS VICTORIOUS IN PARIS MATCH PARIS, May 29 (AP)—Miss Helen Wills, defending her women's singles title in the French tennis championships, reached the fourth round today by defeating Miss Ruth ("Philly") Tapscott, of South Africa, 6-1, 6-3.

Frau Friedebem, German tennis star, eliminated Mrs. May Sutton Bundy, California veteran in the second round of women's singles in the French championships today. The scores were 7-5, 6-1.

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