

NINE OREGONIANS QUALIFY AT GOLF

Forest Watson, of Waverley, Heads Whole Field in Spokane Tourney.

DRAWINGS ARE ANNOUNCED

With Women's Event Now Down to Semi-Finals, Four of the Eight Players Left Are From Portland Club.

BY ROSCOE FAWCETT.

SPOKANE, Wash., June 27.—(Special.)—The first round of the women's championship and the final 18 holes of the men's qualifying round in the Pacific Northwest golf classics were played today and Portland may well feel proud of her emissaries.

Forest Watson, the brilliant young golfer of the Waverley Country Club, who was low qualifier in the recent Oregon state event, duplicated his sectional performance by turning in a 73 card today. His first day's round netted him a 75, so his total for the two days was 147—five points below his nearest rival.

O. W. Potter, of Seattle, finished second with 153 and Russell Smith, Oregon title-holder, was tied with E. J. Barker, of Butte, runner-up in the 1913 Northwest championships, for third position with 156 apiece. Russell Smith had tough luck on a couple of holes today and brought in an 81. Rudolph Wilhelm, of the Portland Golf Club, ranked next to Smith and Barker with a 78 and 80 for a total of 158.

Oregon Has Nine Qualified.

Including R. C. F. Astbury, who is registered from the Medford club, Oregon has nine men in the championship flight of the low 22 players. Seattle has six men in the running and Spokane eight, the other places being divided amongst several cities.

Not to be outdone by their teammates of the other gender, the Waverley Club women came through with flying colors in the first round of the women's championship eliminations. Four of the eight women left in the running are from Waverley. Mrs. W. D. Skinner was the only member of the team to lose and she found herself pitted against Mrs. J. A. Dougherty, another Waverley expert.

The sensational feature of the day was Mrs. C. H. Davis' victory over Miss Anita Thorne, of Tacoma. This match went to the 18th green. Mrs. Thorne came in with a brilliant score of 97 for the 18 holes to 98 for Miss Thorne. Mrs. George H. Mays, of Waverley, won from Mrs. William Figgott, of Seattle, 4 and 2, and Mrs. Victor Johnson's victim was Mrs. R. A. Hubert, another Seattle player, 5 and 4.

Mrs. Dougherty Meets Miss Ford.

Tomorrow Mrs. Dougherty meets Miss Agnes Ford, the Seattle champion, while Mrs. R. B. Curran, of Tacoma, Northwest champion, is scheduled to tackle Mrs. J. M. Wheeler, of Butte, former Eastern expert. Unfortunately, Mrs. Mays, of Waverley, drew her teammate, Mrs. Victor Johnson, so one of these will be eliminated before the semi-finals.

The drawings for the men's championship show Forest Watson and Rudolph Wilhelm in the upper bracket, along with Paul Ford, the Seattle champion, and C. H. Lewis, C. H. Davis, E. P. Tisdale and M. H. Hartwell, of Waverley. Portland's only representative in the other half of the flight are Russell Smith and Guy Standifer. The Waverley and Seattle four-men teams were the low qualifiers in the C. H. Davis cup competition, and these two quartets will play Friday for the magnificent silver tureen.

Qualifying Scores Given.

The men's champion qualifying scores were as follows:

Table with 3 columns: Name, To-Monday, Total. Lists scores for Forest Watson, W. Parker, Russell Smith, etc.

*Tied for thirty-second place.

Drawings Are Made.

Today's matches, first round men's championship: Forest Watson, versus C. H. Lewis. Paul Ford versus W. K. Glen. Rudolph Wilhelm versus A. M. Winston. E. P. Carr versus E. P. Tisdale. E. H. Hughes versus Jim Roberts. Jack Hallinger versus M. Bolcom. M. H. Hartwell versus N. D. Pratt. Guy Standifer versus H. D. Astbury. O. W. Potter versus Leroy Pratt. Guy Standifer versus E. C. Astbury. Jack Doran versus Frank Sweeney. J. B. Ingersoll versus George H. Tilden. C. M. Graves versus winner Merryweather-Taylor. John Parker versus E. A. Strout. Russell Smith versus C. M. Weatherwax.

Other Portland scores:

Roscoe Fawcett 179, C. K. Williams 188, Dr. T. Honeyman 188, Graham Glass 191, Dr. A. K. Morrison 185, Victor Johnson 201, Oscar Menefee 204, W. D. Skinner 224. Qualifying scores for interclub team match for C. H. Davis, Jr., cup: Waverley Country Club, Portland—Forest Watson 147, Russell Smith 156, Guy Standifer 154, C. H. Davis, Jr., 160, Total, 602. Seattle Golf Club—O. W. Potter 146, Paul Ford 163, J. H. Hallinger 167, George H. Tilden 174, Total, 650.

Women's Events Shown.

Women's championship results, first round: Miss Agnes Ford, Seattle, won from Mrs. William Jones, Tacoma, by default. Mrs. J. A. Dougherty, Waverley, won from Mrs. W. D. Skinner, Waverley, 2 up and 1. Mrs. George H. Mays, Waverley, won from Mrs. William Figgott, Seattle, 4 up and 2. Mrs. Victor Johnson, Waverley, won from Mrs. R. A. Hubert, Seattle, 5 up and 4. Mrs. T. H. Curran, Tacoma, won from Mrs. S. H. Bear, Tacoma, 8 up and 7. Mrs. J. M. Wheeler, Butte, won from Mrs. Hurley, Tacoma, 6 up and 2. Mrs. C. H. Davis, Jr., Waverley, won from Mrs. Anita Thorne, Tacoma, 1 up and 20 holes. Mrs. Robert A. Wilson, Seattle, won from Mrs. J. H. Edwards, Seattle, 2 up and 1.

Favorite Goes to Defeat

KANSAS CITY, June 27.—A favorite met defeat in the fourth round of the

Great Hains tennis tournament for women here today when Miss Althea Prendergast, of St. Louis, lost her match to Miss Irving Murphy, New Orleans, southern champion, 6-3, 6-2. Miss Davis and Miss Lyle Hayes, winner of this year's Central West tournament, won their first round doubles.

SANTELL AWARDED VICTORY

San Francisco Wrestler Has Best of Bout With Cutler.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—Ad Santell, of San Francisco, was awarded victory here tonight over Charley Cutler, of Chicago, at the termination of a wrestling bout, the winner of which was to be entitled to meet Strangler Lewis.

Neither wrestler gained a clean-cut fall, but after many minutes of sharp wrestling on both sides Santell threw Cutler out of the ring and fell upon him. Cutler was so severely injured that he was carried from the arena on a stretcher.

Molalla Wins From Silverton.

MOLALLA, Or., June 27.—(Special.)—Molalla defeated the fast Silverton, Or., nine here Sunday, score 5 to 2. The feature of the game was the pitching of the opposing twirlers, "Punk" Prescott for the home club allowed but three hits, as did his adversary, Greer.

SPORT CARD DELAYED

CARNIVAL SET JULY 4 POSTPONED FOR PRESENT.

Counter Attractions and Threatening Weather Given as Cause by Manager Merrill.

Threatening weather and counter attractions, such as the athletic programme on Multnomah Field, the picnic of the Loyal Order of Moose and other gatherings, have caused Fred T. Merrill, manager of the Rose City Speedway Association and the Rose City Athletic Club, to postpone the first annual carnival of sports scheduled for July 4.

Manager Merrill will feature Johnny Coulon, of Chicago, and Billy Mascott, of Portland, indoors at the Rose City Athletic Club next Monday night, July 3. Next in importance to this bout is a return engagement between Jack Sims and Al Sommer, which terminated in a much gruel for Sommer at the last Rose City Club show.

The free carnival of sports will be offered to the public at the Rose City Speedway track a week or two after next Monday night's show. Wrestling and boxing will be on this programme, which will be held in the first open-air boxing arena ever erected in the Northwest.

In a letter received by Manager Merrill last night from Charley Cutler, who wrestled Ad Santell in San Francisco last night, Cutler said that he would be pleased to take on Jack Taylor, the Spokane heavyweight, in a match which will be staged July 19 at the Rose City Speedway.

Johnny Coulon will arrive in Portland tomorrow afternoon and will at once place himself under the wing of Mike Butler, who will start preparing for his contest with Mascott immediately.

Manager Merrill, of the Rose City Athletic Club, is dickerer with Kid Williams, The East Side club's boss wants Williams to meet Mascott if the latter makes a good showing with Coulon.

Ad Santell, the heavyweight wrestler of San Francisco, has written the Rose City Club management saying that he would come to Portland if a match could be arranged.

Tex Vernon may meet Joe Gorman in one of the preliminaries to the Coulon-Mascott match to be held Monday night instead of Jockey Bennett. Manager Merrill fears that Bennett is too old to give the youthful Gorman a genuine contest.

Sally Salvadore has written Merrill asking to be placed on the card. Salvadore may meet Walter Knowlton in one of the other preliminaries or may be featured with some lightweight as a main event at a later out-of-doors show to be held at the Rose City Speedway.

The Sacramento lightweight has been booked regularly of late; in fact, he has had ten bouts since February 22. He is matched for three bouts between now and July 15, but if he had an opportunity of coming north would probably arrange his matches accordingly. Salvadore is at present at his home in Sacramento. He has met and defeated Willie Hoppe, Willie Robinson, "Sailor Ted" Meredith, "Sailor Frankie" Kirk and has lost a tough contest to Ralph Gruman. Salvadore has had over 100 contests and is now only 21 years old.

Joe Gorman and Manager Sol Cohen will leave for Raymond, Wash., this afternoon to hook up with Earl Conner, bantamweight of Tacoma, over the six-round route next Saturday night. Gorman received an offer from Ashland, Or., yesterday and he may box there July 4.

Kenton to Play The Dalles.

The Kenton Club's baseball team has arranged a three-game series with The Dalles squad at The Dalles, Or., July 2, 3 and 4. Lee Clegg and Tom O'Dell will handle the pitching end of the games, with Shea doing the receiving. Several other out-of-town teams are looking for contests with Portland aggregations as leading attractions for the annual Fourth of July celebrations.



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CLEVELAND, June 27.—William B. Davis, new California star, and Connie B. Doye, of the Columbia Country Club, Washington, D. C., were the winners of the big matches today in the National clay court championship on the courts of the Lakewood Tennis Club.

Miss Molla Bjurstedt, Norway, National women's champion, and Miss Martha Guthrie, of Pittsburg, captured the most attractive matches in the ladies' events.

Walter B. Knox, of Princeton, caused a surprise by defeating E. R. McCormick, of the University of Southern California. The weather was again ideal for tennis and the officials rushed the men's singles to the semi-final round. Results:

Men's singles—Willis E. Davis, San Francisco, beat E. J. Neely, Jr., Chicago, 6-1, 6-2.

Men's singles, third round—W. B. Knox, Princeton, beat E. R. McCormick, University of Southern California, 6-2, 6-2.

Fourth round—H. V. D. Johns, California, beat Albert Spaulding, Buffalo, 6-1, 6-4.

Fifth round—Connie B. Doye, Columbia Country Club, Washington, D. C., beat George M. Church, Tenafly, N. J., 6-2, 6-4.

Sixth round—W. B. Knox, Princeton, beat H. V. D. Johns, San Francisco, 6-4, 6-4.

Ladies' singles, first round—Miss Molla Bjurstedt, Norway, beat Miss L. Rudolph, Cleveland, 6-9, 6-6.

Second round—Miss Molla Bjurstedt, Norway, won by default from Helen Taft, Cincinnati.

Second round—Miss Molla Bjurstedt beat Miss Margaret Taylor, 6-1, 6-9.

Men's doubles, third round—Davis and Johnson, California, beat Cummings and Ebert, Wheeling, 6-9, 6-4.

Mobilization Halts Matches.

MOUNTAIN STATION, N. J., June 27. Mobilization of the National Guard has caused the postponement of the challenge round matches in the Middle States tennis championships here. The decision was caused by the fact that Earl Behr, holder of the singles title and also a doubles champion with Theodore R. Pell, has been called to join his New York cavalry regiment.

ALL HAVE FAVORITES

CHANCE LIKES PITCHER HORSTMAN AND CATCHER BASSLER.

Angels' Manager Declares That Both of These Youngsters Are Due to Go Higher Soon.

Nearly every baseball manager has one or two players on whom he dotes. Walter McCready likes Noyes, Rothorn and Gustin. Cliff Blankenship is strong for Bunny Brier and Pitcher Paul Flittery, and so it goes.

In his aggregation there are two youngsters whom Manager Frank Chance thinks are destined to go to the big show next spring. They are Pitcher Horstman and Catcher Johnny Bassler.

Oscar Horstman was picked up last year by Los Angeles. He is only 23 years old and this is but his second year playing the National pastime. He learned to play the game on the sandlots at Alma, Mo. This youngster weighs 179 pounds and is five feet-11 1/2 inches high.

The "show me" kid has won seven and lost five games for the Angelic horde since the 1915 season started and is rapidly controlling his wildness. Chance uses him for a reliever hurler quite frequently. The Missouri boy has been responsible for but 2.3 runs per game in his 12 starts.

Johnny Bassler is one of the real sensations of the Pacific Coast League this season. This youngster, who won't be able to vote for another year yet, has already had two years' experience in the American League. He came to the Angels last year from Cleveland.

In 1914 Bassler participated in 43 games with the Cleveland majors. He hit for an average of .352 and fielded .946. He's hitting near .300 at present. Bassler and Boler, the veteran, are doing the Angels' backstopping. Fred Garisch was with the Cleveland club during the 1914 season and he caught in a few more games than did Bassler and his hitting and fielding marks were better.

Eighteen Angels accompanied Manager Frank Chance, also Secretary "Toots" Weber and Trainer Alexander Finley, to Portland. All members of the club are in great condition except Johnny Butler, shortstop, who is out with a spiked knee. "Spike" Larson, the youthful semi-professional shortstop of Los Angeles, will work until Butler gets better or Nash arrives.

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