

Reigh Count Leads Field at Kentucky Derby

O. S. C. JUNIOR CREW BEATS SOPHOMORES

CORVALLIS, May 19.—(AP)—The season of water sports opened here today with victory of the powerful junior eight over the sophomore crew. The junior shell swept over the 1 1/2 mile course in 7:34.2 to establish a course record and take the championship for inter-class crews.

Thousands lined the banks of the Willamette while speed boat races, canoe contests and other events added attraction to the crew regatta. In the consolation race the senior eight nosed out the freshman crew in 7:54 flat after the rooks had spurred close to victory.

Races were a feature of the campus week-end events. Early in the day the rooks won the annual tug of war across the mill race from the sophomores. In the only third victory ever registered by first year men.

KLAMATH GUN CLUB WINS ANNUAL SHOOT

PORTLAND, May 19.—(AP)—Klamath gun club won the 1928 shoot-off of the Oregonian's third annual Oregon state telegraphic trapshoot tournament today at the Portland gun club traps when its five man squad topped a field of nine entries by three targets. The Klamath five man team marked up a fine total of 481 birds just three more than the Heppner Rod and Gun club and Lane County Sportsmen's association of Eugene which finished in a tie for second place with totals of 478.

Klamath, which receives the Oregonian trophy along with the championship title, faced the traps with a well balanced squad. R. E. Dewese was high man on the team with 98 out of 100. E. Harckenbrook and W. R. Boyd turned in counts of 97; J. H. Martin finished with 95 and W. E. Lamn, president of the club, broke with 94.

Two of the shooters competing in the tea race broke 99. They were Ray Glass, Eugene, and Carl Bahrburg, Salem.

The Washington County Rod and Gun club finished in third place with 473. Salem was fourth with 465; Coquille fifth 459; Roseburg sixth 454; Echo seventh 444; Yamhill eighth 441.

Roy Stein of Eugene, shooting from 18 yards, won the division handicap title with 98 broken targets.

Frank Troeh with 94 was high on the doubles event for Pacific coast zone shooters. Mark Arlie had the high gun in this event with 96.

SENATORS DROP TILT TO INDIANS

WASHINGTON, May 19.—(AP)—Continuing their assault on Washington pitchers, the Cleveland Indians took today's rain delayed game 9 to 7.

Score: R H E Cleveland 9 10 1 Washington 7 12 3 Shaute, Harder and L. Sewell; Gaston, Braxton, Marberry and Ruel.

Athletics Win 2-0 PHILADELPHIA, May 19.—(AP)—The combination of Robert Moses, Grove and Tristram Spoker alone was sufficient to subdue the Chicago White Sox this afternoon as the Athletics won by 2 to 0 and gained half a game on the flying Yankees.

Score: R H E Chicago 0 2 0 Philadelphia 2 3 1 Faber and Berg, Crouse; Grove and Cochrane.

Sports Calendar

- May 20
 - Baseball—Salem Senators vs. Cottage Grove at Cottage Grove
 - Baseball, Knights of Columbus vs. State penitentiary at the prison diamond
 - Golf, Women's tournament at Hilahee golf club
 - Golf, Men's Button tourney at Hilahee country club
 - Baseball—Salem Sherman & Clay nine vs. Portland Sherman & Clay team at Playmore Park, 10:30 o'clock
- May 21
 - Baseball—Legion vs. Knights of Columbus at Oxford park, 6:00 o'clock
- May 22
 - Baseball—Hansen & Liljequist vs. Portland Electric Power Co. at Oxford park

KINGS' YACHT OPENS FINAL SEASON



The Britannia has been for 30 years the racing yacht of King George of Great Britain and of his father, King Edward, before him. It takes the water May 27 for its valedictory year, with many a famous victory to its credit.

Oregon Freshmen Take Intercollegiate Meet

PORTLAND, May 19.—(AP)—The University of Oregon freshman track team by winning seven first places and a score or more lower positions took the first big meet this season on the stadium oval today. The frosh scored sixty points, the Oregon State rooks fifty, Multnomah forty, Willamette 14 and Chemawa 1. The Pacific university team withdrew at the last moment.

Hill, Oregon freshman miler furnished one of the thrills of the day in defeating Barrett, Oregon State college stellar distance man, in the mile. Garrett led for most of the distance but on the final stretch Hill lengthened out his stride and broke the tape a good 15 feet ahead. Both had battled with other strong runners for the entire distance.

The pole vault was another thriller for the 1,000 spectators. Rosenberg, former Oregon athlete, representing Multnomah club took the event at 12 feet 1 inch. Eiden Jenne, former Olympic games vaulter and Mulky, Oregon, freshman, tied for second place after a lengthy duel.

Lowrey, Oregon freshman sprinter, was the high point man of the meet with 13 counters made by first in the century and the broad jump and second in the furlong. Rosenberg, Multnomah club and Siegmund, Oregon freshman tied for second honors with 11 points.

Summary: 120-yard high hurdles (first heat)—Davis, rooks, first; Otis, rooks, second; Lillie, Multnomah club, third; Wood, Multnomah club, fourth. Time, \$:17.4.

120-yard high hurdles (second heat)—Siegmund, frosh, first; Duff, frosh, second; Brunner, Chemawa, third. Time, \$:17.4.

100-yard dash (first heat)—Elle, rooks, first; Hill, frosh, second; Lowrey, frosh, third. Time, \$:10.4.

100-yard dash (second heat)—Duttich, frosh, first; Pratt, Chemawa, second; Brunner, Multnomah club, third. Time \$:10.6.

Mile—Hill, frosh, first; Garrett, rooks, second; Van Dyke, Willamette, third; McKormick, Willamette, fourth. Time \$:37.8.

440-yard dash—Myers, Multnomah club, first; Anderson, frosh second; Vinake, rooks, third; Runyon, frosh, fourth. Time, \$:54.4.

BEAVERS GO UNDER BY 8 TO 0 SCORE

SACRAMENTO, May 19.—(AP)—Sacramento took undisputed leadership of the Pacific coast baseball league today by winning its third straight game and series from Portland, 8 to 0. Sheely and Severoid hit homers.

Score: R H E Portland 0 4 1 Sacramento 8 14 1 Tomlin and Alsmith; Keating and Severoid.

Oaks Whip Seattle OAKLAND, May 19.—(AP)—The Oaks took the lead in their series with the Seattle Indians by scoring a four to one victory here today. George Boehler was in rare form for the Oaks.

Score: R H E Seattle 1 9 1 Oakland 4 6 1 Graham and Borreani; Boehler and Read.

Missions, Angels Tie LOS ANGELES, May 19.—(AP)—The Missions and Los Angeles battled 13 innings to a 7 to 7 tie today, the game being called on account of darkness. The Angels twice came from behind to prolong the contest.

Score: R H E Missions 7 14 1 Los Angeles 7 13 0 (Called end 13th, darkness.) Hughes, Nelson, Pillete and Baldwin; Wright, Peters, Weatherby, Cunningham and Sandberg Hannah.

Seals Beat Stars SAN FRANCISCO, May 19.—(AP)—The Seals blanked the Hollywood Stars here today and collected three scattered runs along the way, two of them on circuits by Welch and Jolley.

Score: R H E Hollywood 0 8 1 San Francisco 3 7 1 Fullerton, Bonelli and Agnew; Mails and Sprin.

Spencer, Multnomah, third; McKallup, rooks, fourth. Distance, 170 feet 9 inches.

Broad jump—Lowrey, frosh, first; Rosenberg, Multnomah club, second; McKallup, rooks, third; O'Connell, Multnomah club, and Siegmund, frosh, tied for fourth. Distance, 31 feet 3 1/2 inches.

880-yard relay—Wyn by Willamette (Tweedie, Gull, French Rogers); Frosh, second; Rooks third; Multnomah club, fourth. Time, 3:44 2-5.

Baseball Standings

PACIFIC COAST							
W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.		
Sac'lo	30	17	.638	Portland	20	27	.426
Hollyd	29	18	.617	Oakland	20	27	.426
Sac' F.	28	19	.596	Missions	19	26	.422
Los A.	25	21	.543	Seattle	15	31	.326

NATIONAL							
W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.		
Chicago	22	12	.647	Brookl'n	16	14	.532
N. Y.	15	11	.577	Pittsb'g	14	14	.500
Cleveland	19	14	.576	Boston	9	20	.310
St. L.	18	14	.563	Philad.	6	21	.222

AMERICAN							
W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.		
N. Y.	22	5	.815	Boston	13	15	.464
Philad.	17	8	.680	Wash.	11	17	.392
Cleveland	20	13	.606	Chicago	11	21	.344
St. L.	18	17	.469	Detroit	12	23	.343

COAST SCORES YESTERDAY At Los Angeles: Los Angeles 7; Missions 7. (Called end 13th inning, darkness.) At Sacramento: Sacramento 5; Portland 0. At Oakland: Oakland 1; Seattle 1. At San Francisco: San Francisco 3; Hollywood 0.

NATIONAL SCORES YESTERDAY At Chicago: Chicago 3; Boston 2. At St. Louis: New York 4; St. Louis 3. At Cincinnati: Brooklyn 2; Cincinnati 0. Pittsburgh-Philadelphia game postponed, rain.

CHICAGO CUBS WIN 13TH GAME IN ROW

CHICAGO, May 19.—(AP)—With Charlie Root on the mound and Hack Wilson hitting his sixth home run of the season, the Cubs won their thirteenth consecutive game, defeating Boston, 3 to 2, today.

Score: R H E Boston 2 5 1 Chicago 3 7 3 Robertson and Taylor; Root and Gonzales.

Giants Nose Out Win ST. LOUIS, May 19.—(AP)—The Giants routed Phil Rhem here today in the second game of the series 4 to 3. Dutch Henry pitched for the visitors.

Score: R H E New York 4 12 1 St. Louis 3 6 1 Henry and Hogan; O'Farrell; Rhem, Reinhart and Wilson.

Robins Blank Reds CINCINNATI, May 19.—(AP)—The Brooklyn Robins closed their western invasion with a 2 to 0 victory over the Reds here today. McWeeny was invincible in the box for Brooklyn.

Score: R H E Brooklyn 2 5 0 Cincinnati 0 5 1 McWeeny and Henline; Luque, May and Picnich.

Cost of living in Roumania is higher than in any other country, and the worst of that is that it is worth less.—Charleston Post.

HIGHBROW GENE BACK TO NATURE



Who said Shakespeare? Touse-headed Gene Tunney training in his beloved backwoods for defense of his title doesn't look much like the polished Mr. Tunney who addressed a Shakespeare class at Yale. Bill Osborne's inn, run by the champion's war time buddy, is shown above with views of the nearby lake and forest.

Early this morning several automobile loads of Salem Senators will depart for Cottage Grove, where "Frisco" Edwards' men will tackle the squad directed by Earl Hill in a determined effort to maintain their unbroken string of victories in Willamette Valley league games.

On paper this should not prove a difficult task, for Cottage Grove has ranked along with Wendling so far, and the Senators set Wendling down decisively last Sunday, 14 to 0. Cottage Grove meanwhile lost to Bend 23 to 4.

But Hill's men showed considerable strength at bat in that game on the other side of the Cascades, getting 12 hits against the pitching of the formidable Lyle Bigbee. Cottage Grove has a good team, that is evident from its personnel which includes such well known ball players as Harry Ellinger and Keith Emmons. Its pitchers ought to be better on the home diamond, and if they perform adequately, they will make it a ball game.

Following is the batting order for today's game: Cottage Grove Keber, 2b; Emmons, 2b; Gill, rf; Flurry, cf; Sullivan, 1b; Heenan, 3b; Ridings, ss; Shackman, lf; Edwards, c; Beck, p.

Umpires will be Huntington and Smith. A considerable number of Salem fans will follow the Senators to Cottage Grove, despite the distance.

The center of league interest today, however, will be Albany, where the Alcos will do their best to avenge the defeat they suffered at the hands of Bend over a month ago.

This will be Bend's first trip across the mountains, and the fans are wondering whether the fast Eagles team will function as effectively in the lower altitude as it has at home. The Albany team and fans are confident that they can win, and there is some justification for their claims.

When Albany played at Bend, Ralph Coleman was not in the box, and the team was almost entirely without practice, due to the heavy rains on this side of the divide, while Bend had been playing ball for a month and had already played a couple of games. Albany has since then put in enough time with the horsehide to be approaching midseason form, and has also strengthened its line up. Its showing in beating Eugene 4 to 3 in 15 innings last Sunday demonstrates that Red Rupert's Alco outfit is ready to play real ball from now on.

When the Alcos went to Bend, they drove all the way around by Portland, and the automobile trip and lack of sleep did not contribute to their effectiveness. On the other hand, Bend will have to do the traveling today, and although the trip will be made by train instead of by auto, it will have its effect.

The other game finds Eugene playing at Wendling. Billy Reinhart's outfit is expected to win by a safe margin, although Wendling signed up three new players in the last week and is evidently determined to put out the brand of ball which the league requires.

KANSAS RELAY MEN SET MARK

LINCOLN, Neb., May 19.—(AP)—The University of Kansas 880 yard relay team set a new Missouri valley conference record when it covered the half mile in one minute 27.7 seconds at the 21st annual conference track and field meet today. The record was held by Nebraska at one minute, 28 seconds, established in 1926. Drake was second and Iowa third.

JOHN SALO CUTS DOWN RACE LEAD

BATH, N. Y., May 19.—(AP)—Leading home the field on the 52.5 mile lap from Wellville, N. Y., to Bath, the Pascale, N. J., Finn, John Salo, whittled more than an hour from Andrew Payne's transcendent national derby lead today. Pushing his way doggedly through a downpour of rain, Salo covered the lap in 7 hours 56 minutes 26 seconds, bringing his total elapsed time for the 3097.4 miles from Los Angeles to 531:10:54, some 18 hours more than Payne has required.

BIG COLT LIVES UP TO ADVANCE DOPE

By CHARLES W. DUNKLEY Associated Press Sports Writer LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 19.—(AP)—Rain or shine, mud or slop—it was all Reigh Count.

The big red colt, owned by Mrs. John D. Hertz of Chicago, wife of the taxicab magnet, splashed to victory in the fifty-fourth Kentucky derby today, racing through a drizzling rain and mud ankle deep in one of the most spectacular races in the history of the blue ribbon event of the American turf.

Reigh Count, son of Sun Reigh-Contessina, heavily played favorites, won just as his supporter said he would, finishing three lengths ahead of Misstep. Toro, which lost such a heartbreaking race to Victorian in the Preakness a week ago, was two lengths and a half back of Misstep, and trailing in fourth place came Jack Higgins, winner of the Louisiana derby.

Record Field Defeated Reigh Count defeated the largest field that ever went to the post in the Kentucky derby, running the punishing mile and a quarter route in 2:10 2-5. Twenty-two three year olds faced the barrier exceeding the previous largest field in 1923 when twenty-one started in the race won by Zevy.

The winner rewarded Mrs. Hertz with \$55,375, as first money with \$6,000 going to Misstep and \$3,000 to Edward B. McLean, the Washington publisher and owner of Toro. In addition to the \$55,275 Mrs. Hertz received gold plate valued at \$7500 and all the glory that money could not buy.

Reigh Count paid better than two for one in the mutuels, rewarding his backers with \$6.12 for every two dollars invested on his chances. His place price was \$5.78 and \$3.98 to show. Misstep paid \$8.28 to place and \$5.90 to show, while the show price on Toro was \$3.76.

Crowd About 80,000 Upwards of 80,000 witnessed the race, all of them damped by a soaking rain but too excited to be daunted by the terrific downpour that broke over Churchill Downs an hour before the horses were led out of the paddock. For forty minutes the rain came down in a torrent but just before the call of the bugle it settled to a steady drizzle and it was drizzling when the race was run.

After the race the sun came out apologetically. The rain turned the colorful scene into a wet muddy spectacle. Fashionably dressed women were turned from butterflies to wet bedraggled creatures, soaked to the skin, unable to seek shelter because of the tremendous jam. The women stood out there in the rain taking their punishment because they could not avoid it.

Rider Highly Praised The race was as much of a triumph for Chick Lang, one of America's riding aces, as it was for Reigh Count, his mount, champion two year old of 1927. Lang rode a mastery race. He allowed Blackwood, Misstep and Marty Flynn to set the early pace and then, coming from behind, caught Misstep in the stretch after racing shoulder to shoulder, nose to nose, as if the two horses were locked together.

Mud splattered from the heels of the thoroughbreds onto those behind them and onto frantic spectators hugging the inside rails as the horses came near to the finish Lang on Reigh Count, and Garner on Misstep began applying the whip. In the stretch Misstep was on the inside with Reigh Count on the outside. Misstep hung on for a second, as they raced shoulder to shoulder, and then Reigh Count moved into the lead under Lang's urgings. Toro on like a streak, making a gallant finish with Jack Higgins running fourth.

Crowd Becomes Breathless The last hush of the crowd was sudden as the horses made the drive for the wire. Reigh Count, carrying the bulk of the public's money, was making his final, determined bid for victory. The thrilled spectators held their breath in fearful wonder as Reigh Count began to make good his reputation as champion two year old of 1927.

Lang, applying the whip, began to increase his lead with firm strides. Then the sighs of the crowd gave way to a deepening roar as Reigh Count, his flanks bespattered with mud, crossed the line winner of the derby.

LOUGHRAN WHIPS DAYTON FIGHTER LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 18.—(AP)—Tommy Loughran, light heavyweight champion, battered out a newspaper decision over Joe Sekyra, Dayton, Ohio, in the ten round derby eve feature here tonight.

THE OLD HOME TOWN



THE ANIMATED POSTER REPORTED STOLEN TWO YEARS AGO WAS FOUND TODAY, WHEN ABE CLEANED OUT HIS DESK.