

Guldahl Holds Lead in Asheville Meet

Leading Hogan By one Stroke

Mangrum Also is Up Even With Winner of Last two Tournaments

By BILL BONI
ASHEVILLE, N.C., March 30.—(AP)—Ralph Guldahl, happier over his golf game than he's been in months, shot into the lead today at the halfway mark of the \$5000 "Land of the Sky" open tournament. The two-time US open champion combined his own fine play with a 68 to add to the 67 he posted yesterday, when Guldahl, Dick Metz and Mangrum had 64's. Mangrum got his 135 total out of a second-round 71, one under regulation figures and remarkable because of a 6 he took on the 16th hole.

Metz went up eight strokes to a 72 for 136 at which figure he was bracketed with Lawson Little. The former US and British amateur titleholder went out and back in 34, just as he had in the first round. Henry Picard, the PGA champion, and Frank Walsh of Rumson, N.J., both went from 65 to 73 and 138.

At 139 Sam Sneed was tied with Leo Walper of Washington, D.C., but Sneed, who had the day's finest round, a 67, called the tournament committee's attention to the fact his score yesterday should have been posted as 73 rather than 72. Because he also had a touch of tonsillitis, the big hitter withdrew from the competition.

Hogan Under Par

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Indiana Captures NCAA Hoop Title

KANSAS CITY, March 30.—(AP)—By McCreary, a gum chewing blond midget in a forest of physical giants, poured in 13 points tonight as Indiana university defeated the University of Kansas, 60 to 42, for the basketball title of the National Collegiate Athletic association.

The Hoosiers, only second in the Big Ten conference but winners of the recent eastern NCAA playoffs, replace the University of Oregon at the top of the collegiate cage heap. Kansas, representing the area west of the Mississippi, shared the Big Six conference championship with Missouri and Oklahoma.

Wildcat Bounty Fund Exhausted

Funds provided by law for the payment of bounties on wildcats have been exhausted for the present calendar year according to announcement made by the Oregon state game commission.

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Million Notices Sent Employers

More than four miles of wage reporting forms have rolled through the addressing and tabulating machinery of the state unemployment commission offices here the past few days in sending out a million quarterly notices to more than 10,000 employers of more than four, officials reported Saturday.

Reese Reinjured As Season Nears

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Vehicle Department Here Is Best in West Declare Visitors From Washington

Oregon has one of the most modern motor vehicle departments in the west, J. D. McDougall, in charge of the motor vehicle department at Olympia, Wash., and B. H. German, Seattle representative of the National

Joe Louis Brain Trust Must Look Backward for Opponents in Future; Untried Campaigners Will not Draw

By SID FEDER

NEW YORK, March 30.—(AP)—Out of the pathetic picture that was Johnny Paycheck—the man who admittedly "died" walking the last mile from his dressing room—came the conviction today that Joe Louis' brain trust now must look backward for future action for the time since he became heavyweight champion.

The traffic definitely will no longer bear any such punching-bag exhibitions as was put on last night in Madison Square Garden, with the cash customers going for large prices to see opposition (who said that?) furnished by an untried campaigner, probably in badly his knees and teeth rattled like the maracas in a conga band.

No one realizes this more clearly than Promoter Mike Jacobs, whose ear is always glued to the ground on the likes of the promoters of the cash customers. As a result, you can write it down in your little black book right now—one of three proven possibilities who will try, anyway, will be in there when the bomber returns late June or July. This trio consists of Two-Ton Tony Galento, the guy who's afraid of nothing except a shortage of beer; Arturo Godoy, who made Louis look pretty terrible for 15 rounds last month; and Bob Armstrong, probably in a fight out of it in his second round last September.

"Uncle Mike" Jacobs paid Louis \$19,908 for last night's flop-flop, gave Paycheck \$9954 and handed \$5197 to the Finnish fellow. Then he shouted that he would rather have lost \$15,000 on a "real" fight than to take his somewhat disappointing profit from any such "hot dog fight."

Cop's Son Hurts Well for Tigers

LAKELAND, Fla., March 30.—(AP)—The six foot son of a Los Angeles policeman, playing his first professional baseball, in the pitching sensation of the Detroit Tigers training camp this spring. Richard Conger has pitched consecutive scoreless innings for Detroit in the "Grapefruit League" against Brooklyn, Boston, Cincinnati, and St. Louis of the National League and Washington of the American League.

Until the Reds scored two runs against him Friday only five batters had hit safely and only two had managed to reach third base. Some baseball observers in these parts believe Conger may be the first athlete to step from a campus into a regular job with the Tigers since Pitcher Owen Carroll came from Holy Cross in the early twenties.

Conger last year was a 19-year-old member of the freshman team at the University of California at Los Angeles, when scout Marty Krug of the Tigers reported he had "a good fast ball, an excellent curve, a good change of pace and fine control."

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Bounty on Infant Cougars Refused

The state is not obligated to pay bounty on predatory animals killed before such time as their eyes are naturally opened.

Roseburg Constable Is 91; Oldest in Nation

ROSEBURG, March 30.—(AP)—Finis W. Dillard, who claims to be the nation's oldest active law enforcement officer, celebrated his 91st birthday Friday.

Polly and Her Pals

Many delegates from Marion county will be attending the annual convention of the State Tuberculosis association which will be held in Bend, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

TB Association Meeting in Bend

Speakers for the convention will include Ernest Williams, of the National Tuberculosis association, New York; Dr. Allen Hunt, Idaho Tuberculosis association; Dr. R. W. Homingway, Bend; Dr. Ralph Matson, Portland; O. I. Paulson and C. F. Feike of the state board of rehabilitation, Salem, and Miss Ethel Mealey of the state board of health, Portland.

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Real Estate Test Results Revealed

Results of the recent real estate brokers and real estate salesmen's examinations held in Portland, LaGrande and Salem recently were announced here Friday by Claude Murphy, state real estate commissioner.

Brokers successful in the Salem examinations March 28: Floyd Ellis, George D. Alderin, H. E. Weir, all of Salem; Rex F. Deeter, Oceanlake; D. L. Free and Mert E. Ward, Eugene; William Hofflich, Irvine L. Hood and E. T. Rice, Albany; Cassius A. Jones, Oakridge; G. B. McCluskey, Toledo; Otto M. Mennen, Springfield; A. Y. Meyers, Marshfield; W. Guy Parker, Lebanon; John M. Root, Newberg; John Seal, Seal Rock and Jesse H. Brown, McMinnville.

Salesmen who passed the Salem tests: Ralph Badger, Salem; George Bereman, Eugene; Leo McCutcheon, Albany; Hess M. Mitchell, Eugene; and Paul H. Steg, Oceanlake.

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