

Count Fleet Still at It— Wins Withers Mile Easily Gallops Home Six Lengths Ahead 'Rule'

Boosts Earnings to Total of \$214,960

By SID FEDER
NEW YORK, May 22—(AP)—Ho-hum—Count Fleet did it again Saturday.

Making it look easier each time he puts on his running shoes, Mrs. John D. Hertz's high-stepping filly knocked off two other hopeful challengers this time in the Withers Mile at Belmont.

He couldn't even get a crowd of 22,356 excited in this 68th running of one of the oldest races in the book for three-year-olds as he jogged to the pay-off window six lengths in front of W. E. Boeing's Slide Rule and ten more in front of William Woodward's Tip Toe, who brought up the rear of this smallest field in Withers' history.

It was strictly a benefit for the Count, for the victory netted him \$12,700 and boosted his bankroll to \$214,960 for two years of racing. The time was 1:56.

Three scratches left the \$750 fourth-money purse to go begging. But as far as the crowd was concerned, there was only the Count, since \$112,322 of the \$135,731 bet on the race was right on his classy beak.

Huskies Edge OSC Golfers

SEATTLE, May 22—(AP)—The University of Washington golf team nosed out Oregon State college by a four-stroke margin Saturday in winning the northern division golf championships over the university course.

Ernie Jacobs of the Husky squad won individual honors, a 74 for the morning round and a 71 in the afternoon for a 145 total for the day's play.

Medal scores for the four teams competing were: Washington—E. Jacobs, 145; C. Straubal, 155; K. Willard, 156; B. Robinson, 175. Oregon State—K. Roberts, 155; R. Wood, 158; G. Wieman, 159; S. McGarvey, 164.

Tigs 4, Bosox 0

DETROIT, May 22—(AP)—Paul "Dizzy" Trout and Jimmy Bloodworth combined Saturday to give the Detroit Tigers their second straight victory over the Boston Red Sox, 4 to 0, with Trout pitching a two-hitter for his fourth successive triumph and Bloodworth driving in all four runs.

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H. Newsome and Peacock; Trout and Parsons.

Jefferson Students Receive Diplomas, Achievement Awards

JEFFERSON—A large crowd of people of Jefferson and surrounding communities attended the commencement program held in the school gymnasium Thursday night. Streamers of blue and gold decorated the archway; and baskets of flowers on the platform, made a beautiful setting for the occasion. Charles A. Sprague, ex-governor, now publisher of the Salem Statesman, addressed the classes.

During the program, M. H. Beal, superintendent of the school presented the awards. Stanley Miller, valedictorian, was given the award for the most outstanding work; and Royal Hart, who was next highest, received an award. Hazel Iungen received a certificate for the best attendance of the seniors, for a period of four years. Other certificates awarded for scholastic ability went to Theima Sheffield, Mickie Thurston, and Hazel Iungen, to Ruth Terhune for taking part in all activities; in baseball, awards went to Gary Barna, Gordon Turnidge, and Jim Henderson. The betting trophy went to Gary Barna; the cross-country trophy was presented to Alden Sheffield. Two members of the class Mickie Thurston and Stanley Miller, who were outstanding in scholarship, loyalty and achievement, will have their names placed on a plaque which is kept at the school.

Mr. Beal presented the awards for Mrs. Loren Luper, director of music, to the following students, who were outstanding in music: Royal Hart, Jack Knight and Mickie Thurston.

The Dean Forth foundation book, "I Dare You," which is given in recognition for qualities of leadership was presented to the highest boy Stanley Miller, and girl, Mickie Thurston.

Chairman of board of directors presented the diplomas to the class. Miss Evelyn Ickes, seventh and eighth grade teacher, presented awards to students who did studying outside of school hours. Receiving awards were Ruth Terhune, Gene Mary Redmond, Shirley Gilmour, Mickie Thurston, Patsy Parrish, Connie Martin and

Sports

Phurious Phillies Notch 6th Straight

Schoolboy Rowe Hurls 4-Hitter, Mates Pound Pittsburgh 10 to 0

PHILADELPHIA, May 22—(AP)—With Schoolboy Rowe hurling a four-hit shutout, the Philadelphia Phillies, the current surprise of the National league, swamped the Pittsburgh Pirates 10 to 0 before 11,692 fans Saturday night for their sixth straight victory.

The Phillies, not "Phutti" any more evidently, jumped on Bob Klinger for two runs in the first inning, drove him to cover with four more in the fifth and finished up on Nate Shuman by scoring three in the sixth and one in the eighth.

In all the Phillies pounded out 15 hits and played errorless ball behind Rowe.

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Klinger, Shuman (5) and Lopez; Rowe and Livingston.

Stalin Hears FR's Letter Translated

MOSCOW, May 22—(AP)—Premier Joseph Stalin listened inscrutably to a translator's reading of President Roosevelt's letter to him and then sat down for a talk of more than two hours with former Ambassador Joseph E. Davies who delivered the letter Thursday night to Stalin in the Kremlin.

Stalin was described as a smiling host "who doesn't look like a man who worried."

This picture of the Kremlin scene when the confidential letter finally was presented to Stalin after an air journey from Washington to Moscow was given Friday by Davies in a press interview.

With him in the Kremlin was the American ambassador, Admiral William H. Standley.

Davies said he expected to see Stalin again — and probably more than once — before he completed his short stay.

Lydia Ann Bowers Funeral Set Today

WOODBURN — Last rites will be held Sunday at the Ringo chapel for Lydia Ann Bowers, 92, who passed away Friday at a Salem hospital.

She was born in Osage county, Mo., November 17, 1850, and has made her home with her daughter, Grace Rhodes of Woodburn for the last five years.

Surviving in addition to her daughter are sons, John in Missouri and Huston at Cheshire, Ore.; daughters, Alice Miller in Missouri, Hattie Grimes of Nampa, Idaho; 30 grandchildren, 23 great grandchildren and two great great grandchildren.

Interment will be in the Retsel cemetery near Port Orchard, Wn., beside her husband, Merrick T. Bowers, who died in 1938.

Ex-Governor Has Birthday

PORTLAND, May 22—(AP)—Oswald West, Oregon's 14th governor, observed his 70th birthday anniversary Friday with the remark:

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Golfing's Powder Puff Duffers Have Many Now in Service

NEW YORK, May 22—(AP) Patty Berg, freckle-faced miss who wouldn't concede a thing to the men on a golf course, agrees that war contributions of the male club swingers may be a bit more spectacular but insists that the efforts of the powder puff brigade is every bit as great. Here on a combined business and pleasure trip from her Minneapolis home, Patty rattled off names of three WAVES, one SPAR, one ferry pilot, one ambulance driver, one nurse and

at least two defense workers as former links queens.

And, taking Patty's word for it, there are thousands of her golfing sisters who have temporarily forsaken the links for Victory gardens and the Red Cross work. Beth Mackomer of Peoria, Ill., Margaret Barry of Minneapolis and Deborah Ver-

ry of Worcester, Mass., are the WAVES and Phyllis Buchanan of Denver, the SPAR on the Berg honor roll. Helen Detweiler of Washington, D.C., soon expects to be ferrying planes to the fighting forces and Dorothy Traugott of California already is busy driving a Red Cross ambulance. Mrs. Opal S. Hill of Kansas City has resumed her work as a registered nurse and Mrs. Lucille Manna of Omaha and Mrs. Beatrice Ottmeyer of Minneapolis are de-

fense workers.

Pam Barton, British golfer and winner of the US women's national in 1936, probably was the first holder of an American war. Although her death never title to be killed in the present has been officially verified, she was reported killed while serving as a nurse with British forces at Dunkirk. Knud Wilson, another British golfer, widely known in the United States, lost an eye during a German air raid over England.

Odman Steals ND Net Show

CORVALLIS, Ore., May 22—(AP) Bob Odman emerged top man Saturday in an all-Washington finale of the annual northern division coast conference tennis tournament.

Odman, No. 1 man on the Huskies' team, defeated Teammate Don Pech, 6-2, 6-2. For the singles crown, then paired with Pech to defeat Hugo Oswald and Herb Steiner, also of Washington, for the doubles title, 8-6, 6-3.



The winners and runners-up in the City Major bowling league, which wound up on Perfection alleys last week, are pictured here. Above photo, the champions—Ramage's 7-Up team, winners of second half play who copped the title in the playoff series by 29 pins. They are, left to right, Joe Coe, George Scales, Ernie Kay and Bert Welch. Below is the Army and Navy store team, winners of first half play and defeated in the playoffs. They are, left to right, El Haman, Ernie Garbarino, Floyd McCarroll and Hugh Wilkerson. (Statesman photos.)

'Chris' Stars In A's Win

ST. LOUIS, May 22—(AP)—Russ Christopher of the Athletics did about everything that could be expected of a pitcher Saturday in earning a 3 to 1 victory over the St. Louis Browns, moving Philadelphia into fifth place in the American league.

He covered the diamond like a fifth infielder and handled 11 chances—seven assists and four putouts—only two less than the major league record. In addition, he batted in one of his team's runs to back up his own pitching efforts.

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St. Louis . . . 000 000 001—1 6 2
Christopher and Swift; Hollingsworth, Muncieff (9) and Hayes.

Davis Dashes :9.5 Hundred

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California, scored an impressive victory in the open 100 yard dash.

The blond bullet, fastest college sprinter in the country, finished five yards ahead of Owen Jorgens of the University of Missouri in the fast time of 9.5 seconds. Jack Trout of Southern California was third and Jim Keating of San Francisco State college, fourth.

Lieut. Payton Jordan of the St. Mary's college navy pre-flight school, who defeated Davis three weeks ago to inflict the first loss on the Californian in 23 starts, did not enter Saturday night, as scheduled.

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