

Henry Cotton Wins 'World Championship' In Golf

HIGH CLIMBER

LOOK 'EM OVER
BY DICK STRIFE

Del Bjork for tackle!
It's about time we start campaigning to send Oregon's 1936 football captain and rated one of the finest tackles in the nation back to Chicago, September 1, to play with the collegiate all-stars against the Green Bay Packers, world professional champs. Willamette has started its campaign for Johnny Oravec, Washington is backing Chuck Mucha, and Oregon State tilts its poke of dust on the bar for Tommy Swanson.

Former Tennis Queen In Reno; Is Divorce?

RENO, Nev., July 12.—(AP)—Mrs. Helen Willis Moody, former tennis queen, was established at a Nevada resort today but was non-committal about reports she planned to divorce wealthy Frederick S. Moody Jr., of San Francisco.

Attorney Robert M. Price of Reno, whom she visited yesterday after her arrival, said:

"Mrs. Moody is living in Nevada and expects to be here for some time. All that I can say now is that she was at my office and consulted with me and she may later on seek a divorce."

Mrs. Moody's sister-in-law, Mrs. Corbett Moody, said in San Francisco, that a divorce was contemplated.

"Yes, it's true," the sister-in-law declared. "Helen has gone to Nevada to get a divorce."

Moody, socially prominent husband of the tennis player and fashion designer, was on a holiday somewhere in northern California.

The former Helen Willis and her husband were married in Berkeley, Cal., Dec. 23, 1929. Their romance began on the French Riviera in 1926, when the tennis player was in temporary retirement from court competition because of illness.

Last year Mrs. Moody announced she would play in no more major tournaments. Recently she discussed film work with Hollywood studio executives.

MALLORY LEADING EUGENE SLUGGER

Although the Eugene Drakes played brilliant ball Sunday to defeat Reedport, 3 to 1, at Swimmers' Delight, Manager Bill Greene will open a week of hard practice Tuesday night on the practice field in preparation for next Sunday's State League game.

The Drakes travel to Bend where they will meet the Bend Elks, co-leaders of the first-half schedule and defending champions.

Elmer Mallory, with two hits in as many official times at bat Sunday, replaced Bart Goldbar as the leading hitter of the local club. The sensational short stop now boasts a .583 average, which is expected to give him the lead in the state circuit. Goldbar, hitting one for four, dropped to a meager .536 percentage.

Harry McCall, former state league batting champion and rated the best first baseman in the northwest, was the only other Drake to boost his average. He collected two for three in his second and third hits this season in league competition, to move into the .436 class.

Complete batting records for Drakes in league games follow:

Player	AB	H	Pct.
Mallory	24	14	.583
Goldbar	28	15	.536
Wright	17	7	.412
Mattison	28	11	.393
Austin	7	2	.286
VanVleet	9	2	.222
Wiltshire	13	2	.154
McIntyre	28	4	.143
McCall	22	3	.136
G. Greene	12	1	.083
Barker	13	1	.077
Welton	14	1	.071

FRANK DEMAREE, above, gives a good demonstration of the winning spirit of the Chicago Cubs, as he hits the dirt to beat the St. Louis Cardinals. Brusie Ogdowski is making a frenzied attempt to tag the Bruins' spark, George Barr is the umpire. The picture is of the recent all-star classic.

BRITISH CHAMPION BEATS DENNY SHUTE BY 6-AND-5 COUNT

WALTON HEATH, Eng., July 12.—(AP)—Henry Cotton, British Open golf champion, today defeated Denny Shute, United States P.G.A. titleholder, 6 and 5, in their 72-hole match for a purse of \$2,500 and "the unofficial world championship."

After making the last putt with a four-hole advantage, Cotton went down to sink 15-foot putts for birdies on the 65th and 69th holes. They halved the last hole with par fours.

The victory, following his sensational triumph in the British Open last week, gave Cotton \$2,000 of the purse. The other \$500 went to Shute, who never was in front after the half-way mark. They entered the final 36 holes today with Cotton leading by two holes.

On the 64th Shute hit a woman and then holled a stymie to gain a half and furnish the only laugh of the match.

The American hit a wild low hook from the tee which struck Mrs. B. A. Griffin of London. The ball didn't injure her but just rolled in her skirt and stayed there until Shute arrived.

"Guess, I'll have to use a hand maul on that one," said Denny, laughing.

He then proceeded to hit the ball on the green and finally hopped a stymie to tie the hole with a five. They started the second day with Cotton two up on the Winchester, Mass., pro at the end of 36 holes and favored three to two to win.

Cotton ran his lead to five holes on the 72nd where Shute looked up on an approach shot and took a bogey five. They tied the 53rd in orthodox pars and Cotton maintained his lead on the 54th by chipping back from the rough and sinking a five-footer for a four.

7,000 in Gallery
There seems to be little doubt but that silent Cotton is about the most popular golf champion—with the galleries—that England has had in a long time.

Henry doesn't mix much with his fellow pros, but the 7,000 fans who wandered over the Walton Heath course in the rain yesterday to see him play gave ample proof that he is a real drawing card.

The spectators saw the usual fine exhibition of golf and one of the famous Cotton tantrums.

Cotton became perturbed on the 21st where he drove into the rough and needed three shots to get out. After No. 4 finally had flitted to the edge of the green, he gave a nearby fence a sound thumping with his club.

Records of the Western league show that Dick Bishop was sixth leading player in the batting percentage of the circuit with an average of .346 before he drew his unconditional release. Dick is supposedly heading for Eugene and may do the catching for the Eugene Drakes in the state league instead of Des Moines in the Western circuit.

Manning and Bevans, former Willamette ace, and Bobby Barr, ex-University freshman, are all among those mentioned in the statistics of the Arizona-Texas league. All are with El Paso. Manning is hitting .333 and Barr .301. Bevans has won nine and lost five games on the mound.

The 10th annual Oregon State junior golf tournament now in progress in Portland is conspicuous by the absence of Eugene youngsters. Although there is one youngster playing by the name of Leonard Helme who is listed from Eugene. The lad qualified for the junior event with an 83. A check of local clubs reveals that he is not a member of the Country club, Laurelhurst or Oakway. Eugene usually has a spot in that event. I believe Bob and Dick Neze finished well up in the event when they were youngsters.

One Near and Bill Russon have also played in the tournament.

Sports through a knot-hole! With three blows in four tries, "Dicks" Medwick of the Cardinals, boosted his major league batting lead to 411 over Paul "Pony" Wagner of the Bucks with .309 Monday. After his five-hit splash last week, Joe

CHICAGO, July 12.—(AP)—The Chicago Bears, lineup contained another great fullback today—Sam Francis, former University of Nebraska star.

Francis is practically unanimous choice for all-American honors in 1938, signed with the National Professional Football league club yesterday for one season. He joins a group of stars which includes two of the best fullbacks in pro ranks, Bronko Nagurski and Jack Manders, former Minnesota stars.

Francis will report to the Bears in August and will pass up a trip to Japan as a shoptour on an American track team.

Dickinson is no longer listed among the "Big Six." A WPA project survey in Portland uncovered facts showing that a Portland baseball team, owned by Schwan, lost 25 in a game played in the late 1900's. The Cooney's Stadium, Portland, disclosed a mention for an injunction restraining Truett Fayer from meeting Joe Lewis for the world title (1937) in New York next month in its London season. It is eleven-year-old Nancy Morris, winner of the Oswego marathon swim and the 220-yard freestyle in Portland last week, is being honored at a coming national championship. All.



SÁNDOR SZABO, left, pulling the whiskers of Big Ben Morgan during a recent Los Angeles wrestling match. But it might be any of Herb Owen's middleweights grasping the brush of Sandy McDonald's recently acquired chin whiskers.

Henry McLemore Rates Wrestling As Easiest Sport To Master; Nagurski Winning World Championship Example

NEW YORK, July 12.—(AP)—A group of us intellectuals were sitting around a campfire the other night, toasting marshmallows and playing parcheesi, when someone up and asked the question: "Of all the sports, which is the easiest to master?"

After courteously allowing my friends to name their choices, and argue heatedly in their behalf, I quietly laid down my toasting fork and ended the debate by saying that wrestling was the one and correct answer.

I submitted Bronko Nagurski, and his amazingly quick climb to world championship of the world as proof. Bronko made the switch from football fullback to world's champion wrestler so swiftly that he still was calling signals when he lifted his hand in triumph. I don't have the exact information at hand, but I believe that Bronko became champion a month after he abandoned the gridiron for mat.

Now Bronko is a mighty fine boy, with a brilliant pair of biceps, a lovely matching set of triceps and a lovely, and a Hart-Schaffner-and-Marx torso. But until he took up wrestling he never had proved that he was an out and out genius. What I mean is, he wasn't a child prodigy who wrote sonnets at the age of two, beat Titanic Thompson at poker at three, and took to wearing glasses and an ear phone at five. Yet, the moment Bronko turned to wrestling he started getting results with a speed that pales the efforts of Nathalia Crane, Yehudi Menuhin, the late Thomas Edison, and a nephew of Einstein's name Pete or Horace or something Germanic like that.

To me this is positive proof that wrestling is as simple as a baby's word. You don't hear of any man learning to play championship golf, tennis, polo, baseball, handball, or croquet that quickly. All the other sports require years of diligent practice.

O'Mahoney Moves Fast
Nagurski isn't the only world's champion wrestler to break full bloom almost overnight. Dan O'Mahoney, the fearsome Irishman with the destructive "Irish whip" was another. Dan, as I get it, was marching down the streets of Dublin with his regiment when an American wrestling promoter tapped him for the championship of the world. And he achieved the title almost before he had time to get his belongings off. One day a soldier, without any experience in the exact science of grunt and grunt, the next a magnificent performer, with every grime, every bit of pantomime, down pat.

I plan to watch Nagurski in action the first chance I have because I am interested to see what new fangled method of attack he has developed being a football player. I assume he will employ something with a touch of Pop Warner. Bernie Bierman, Wallace Wade, or Lyon Waldorf in it. A tackle smash to his foe's weak side or perhaps a double spinner.

Alice Marble Starts Tennis Title Defense
NEW YORK, July 12.—(AP)—Disappointed with her showing at Wimbledon but eager to go back for another try next year, Alice Marble returned from England on the liner Aquitania today for a series of tennis tournaments which will be clinaxed by defense of her national singles title September 2-11 at Forest Hills. "I was disappointed at Wimbledon," said the San Francisco girl, "but not so much that I won't try there again next year."

Rondeo Also said she is going to start practice immediately at Forest Hills for the Seaship tournament which begins July 26.

Dutton Scores Net 57 in Oakway Meet
Hap Wofford, Jozee Dutton and Dick Dellage won top honors in Oakway's "booger" golf tournament Sunday.

Wofford won the low gross prize with a sub-par 71. Dutton captured the low net award with the help of a 23 handicap for a net 57. Dellage's gross 102 was good for the high gross prize.

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PORTLAND, July 12.—(AP)—Sailor Moran and Scotty MacDonald produced a joint victory last night in a four-way wrestling main event. They defeated Otis Clingman and Marshall Carter.

An injury forced Carter to retire early in the match, leaving Clingman to face Moran and MacDonald alone. He stood them off for eight minutes and then went down under a flurry of punching and kicking.

TRIANGLE, RUBES IN SOFTBALL TIE; BATTLE WEDNESDAY

Triangle Lake's Tree Troopers made it possible to bill Wednesday night's game against Rubenstein's Soda Sitters as a "championship" game Monday night by noosing out a hard-fighting Pengra-Lewis nine, 10 to 6, in the opening game of the nightly doubleheader at Emerald field, Riggs' Fire Chiefs registered an upset by topping Hendershot's heavy-stickers, 10 to 2.

Although two games are scheduled to be played Tuesday evening—Elks vs. Oiler and Penn's vs. Barlow's, the Triangle-Rubenstein game Wednesday is taking the spotlight of the week's play. The Rubes, defending champions, and Triangle C.C.C. twilight league titlists, have each won four straight titles. The winner of the game will virtually represent Eugene at the Salem tournament next month—bearing upsets.

Poor fielding by Hendershot's proved costly as Riggs' scored four runs in the second on three errors and McNeese's single. The barrage off the deliveries of Ned Hale resumed in the next two innings that brought six runs on five blows.

The Rubes put their game on ice in the first two when five runs were scored on four hits off Weidler. The Logger pitcher warmed to his task in the final five innings, allowing three hits, but too late. Regan led the winners' attack with a double and a single in four trips. Younger of Pengra accomplishing the same for the losers.

Stuebelok allowed the Pengra-Lewis batters but four hits and struck out eight.

Scores: R H E Triangle.....120 112 1-10 7 6 Pengra-Lewis.....101 149 0-6 4 5 Stuebelok and Klemaszewski; Weidler and Morris; Palanik.

GIANTS GET TRIPLE BUT LOSE TO PHILS

NEW YORK, July 12.—(AP)—The New York Giants executed a triple play, but lost a chance to gain on the league-leading Chicago Cubs yesterday at Philadelphia. The Phillies won, 6-3, getting all their runs in the seventh.

The triple play came in the first inning. The Phils had loaded the bases. Aronovich smacked a low liner to Ott in right. Ott's quick leave cracked Martin off second and Norris off third.

Manager Bill Terry, for the first time in his career, was banished for fouling with Empire Bill Klein.

The umpires had a big day in Pittsburgh where the fourth-place Cardinals posted out the third place Pirates, 6-5. The Gas House Gang got too tough for Umpires Moran and Parker, and Dorschner and Mize drew walks to the showers.

Other National league games were scrubbed out, and the American League's only scheduled battle—between Cleveland and Chicago—also called off for the same reason.

Omaha Cornhusker to Meet Black Panther

Andy Tremann, Omaha cornhusker, will make his initial appearance in the northwest Thursday night when he meets the Black Panther in the semi-final event of Herb Owen's professional wrestling show at the arena here.

Little is known of Tremann except that mid-west promoters rate him one of the leading contenders for the world middle-weight belt. It will also mark the first appearance of the new star grappler in several weeks.

The headline attraction, a match involving the coast belt between Champion Sailor Moran and Challenger Marshall Carter, is attracting more pre-match discussion than any match since the Clingman Reynolds match several years ago.

Match announced Tuesday he planned another surprise match for the opener of his "all-star" show.

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Mrs. R. C. Romig Threat In Club Golf Tournament

Mrs. David B. Evans continued to pace the field in the 90-hole handicap golf tournament for the "Spreekers" trophy at the completion of 54 holes Monday afternoon at the Eugene Country club.

Mrs. R. C. Romig, leader after the first 18-hole test, however, knifed one stroke off the lead Mrs. Evans held last week with the best score of the meet—a net 77. Mrs. Romig moved from a third-place tie after the second round to second place, four strokes behind the leader. Mrs. Evans' total is 253 and Mrs. Romig has an aggregate 243.

At least 10 of the remaining 15 golfers have a chance for the handsome award to be presented following the 90-hole marathon Friday afternoon. The next 18-hole rounds will be played Wednesday.

The results, giving all 18-hole scores and the aggregate counts, follow:

Mrs. David B. Evans.....80 80 79-239
Mrs. R. C. Romig.....79 87 77-243
Mrs. S. A. Sessumth.....82 83 81-246
Mrs. S. B. Fineman.....82 85 83-250
Mrs. Gene Shields.....80 88 84-252
Mrs. Newton Smith.....81 85 85-255
Mrs. W. D. Abel.....81 85 91-257
Mrs. Joe Koke.....91 78 90-259
Mrs. Belden Babl.....80 90 91-261
Mrs. Earl Thompson.....87 87 87-261
Mrs. Lynn McCreedy.....87 85 96-268
Mrs. S. C. Endicott.....95 100 83-298
Mrs. Weir McDonald.....88 105 90-283
Mrs. Dick Strite.....91 93 90-283
Mrs. H. Chandler.....93 91 98-282

Mrs. Shelby McCool and Mrs. Carl Field scratched.

BEAVERS AND SEALS OPEN VITAL SERIES

Portland's Beavers, hottest club right now in the Pacific Coast league, moved into San Francisco Tuesday to battle the second-place Seals in a series which probably will cause some shak-ups in the first division lineup.

The Portlanders, 1933 champions, have a winning streak of six straight and are only one game out of fourth place as they take on the Seals.

Los Angeles, fourth-place occupant, invades Sacramento to play the current pace-setters.

San Diego, holding third place a game behind the Seals, also went to battle the Missions, the tallest club from whom they took four out of seven last week. In the fourth series, Seattle comes to Oakland.

Although he lost four points, Tommy Thompson of San Diego continued to set the league individual hitting pace with a .371 mark. Others in the first five were Art Garbarik, Sacramento, .362; Mary Gault, Los Angeles, .358; Mrs. West, Missions, .347; Mike Hunt, Seattle, set the pace in home runs with 23 and in runs batted in with 84.

Sam Gibson led the pitchers with 15 wins and two defeats.

CORVALLIS PREPPER PACES BOY GOLFERS

PORTLAND, July 12.—(AP)—El Rates of Corvallis took the medal trophy in the boys' division in the qualifying round of the tenth annual state junior golf tournament which opened on the Riverside Golf and Country club course yesterday when he cracked out a 79 to top 55 starters.

Bates went out in 42 but steadied on the second nine to come through with a 37.

Walter Bennett, another Corvallis threat, and Ray Farmer of Salem tied for second place with cards of 80. Jimmie Shaw, Columbia-Edgewater, led the parade of Portland youngsters with an 81.

In the junior division for boys 16 to 18 years Raymond Carlson, Columbia-Edgewater, paced the field with a two over par round of 76.

Ruth Pease of Waverly, led the small but select field of girl golfers with an 85.

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EUGENE GETS UCLGA IDAHO GRID GAMES ON 1938 SCHEDULE

PORTLAND, Ore., July 12.—(AP)—Montana was named one of the 1938 Pacific Coast conference football schedule entries in Eugene when the schedule was obtained today.

Idaho will play only the four-year members of the conference.

The schedule was completed at a June meeting of the conference, was not released for publication until after the start of the season.

Stanford, U. S. C. and Washington have scheduled inter-conference games, meeting Durand, Dume, Minnesota and Pacific, respectively.

The schedule:

September 12—Washington State, at Monmouth; Idaho State, at Corvallis; Oregon State, at Pullman.

October 1—California State, at Pullman; Oregon State, at Eugene; Oregon State, at Los Angeles; Washington State, at Seattle.

October 8—Washington State, at Palo Alto; Washington State, at Los Angeles; Southern California State, at Columbia.

October 15—UCLA-California Berkeley; Oregon State, at Alto; Washington State, at Los Angeles; Washington State, at Seattle.

October 22—California State, at Seattle; Southern California State, at Palo Alto; Washington State, at Portland; Oregon State, at Corvallis.

October 29—Oregon State, at Los Angeles; Southern California State, at Portland.

November 5—California State, at Los Angeles; Southern California State, at Los Angeles.

November 12—Oregon State, at Berkeley; Washington State, at Berkeley; Washington State, at Los Angeles.

November 19—Stanford-California Berkeley; Washington State, at Berkeley; Washington State, at Los Angeles.

November 24—Washington State, at Berkeley; Washington State, at Los Angeles.

November 31—Dartmouth State, at Palo Alto; Washington State, at Seattle; Oregon State, at Corvallis; Idaho State, at Portland.

December 3—Notre Dame State, at Los Angeles.

December 10—Oregon State, at Los Angeles.

The German Zeppelin Company owners of the ill-fated Hindenburg will continue its demonstration of its safety during 1937 with letters and 20 round trips planned.

Wasps and bees live under a male republic form of government.

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