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PROFESSIONALS HOLD BIG LEAD OVER AMATEURS

(By the Associated Press)

The field in the national open golf championship at the Fresh Meadow club, Flushing, N. Y., June 23, 24 and 25, will consist of 140 professionals and only ten amateurs.

The makeup of the field of 150 was decided in yesterday's sectional qualifying rounds in 20 districts when 106 pros and 10 simon-pures gained the right to compete at Fresh Meadow.

Previously 24 players had been declared exempt from the qualifying test, these including the 31 low scorers in the last open; Tommy Armour, now defending his British open title; and two foreign stars, T. J. O'Connell of Japan and Jose Jurado, of Argentina. The only amateur in this group was T. Phillip Perkins and he since has announced he would turn professional.

Play followed form very closely in the various sectional tests yesterday although there was a num-

ber of prominent failures, notably among the amateurs.

Among those who failed to qualify were Don Moe, of Portland, Ore., former Walker Cup player; Chick Evans, former open and amateur champion; Cyril Tolley, George Voigt, Maurice McCarthy, Gene Homans, Jesse Gullford, Charley Hall, Emmett French and Gus Moreland.

Of the 10 amateurs who qualified, Johnny Lehman of Chicago and Johnny Goodman of Omaha were the most prominent. Goodman eliminated Bobby Jones in the first match play round of the amateur championship at Pebble Beach a few years back.

Among prominent professionals, Bobby Cruickshank, Long Jim Barnes, Paul Runyan, Clarence Clark, Willie MacFarlane, Jack Hutchinson, Joe Kirkwood, Fred Morrison and Abe Espinosa all made the grade.

The lowest 36-hole score of the sectional play was turned in by Francis Scheider at Dallas. He posted a pair of 68s for 136.

Leaders in the 20 districts included:

Franklin—Benny Coitlin, Oakland, 77-67-144.

Los Angeles—Fred Morrison, Pasadena, 70-77-147.

Minneapolis—Lester Madison, Phoenix, Ariz., 72-73-145.

Portland—Eldred Zimmerman, Portland, 73-75-148.



Sport Slants

BY ALAN GOULD

Minor leagues may be having their troubles, some may be folding up under the strain of the season, but the International League, hardest of the "AA" circuits, is finding more cause to cheer than to complain.

Attendance generally in the International has shown an increase over the same period for 1931. The acquisition of the two Jersey clubs by big league organizations, Newark by the Yankees and Jersey City by Brooklyn, has stimulated interest in these communities. Buffalo and Montreal have played before extraordinary crowds, and the southern half of the circuit, including Baltimore and Reading, has done well in spite of some poor weather.

As "Bill" Manley, the league's able secretary-treasurer points out, the \$1,000 award to go to the club showing the most hustling spirit this season has served to put the athletes on their toes.

Moreover, the appearance of a real flag battle, involving at least four or five teams, has helped enliven the situation. The four-time winner, Rochester, will be hard-pressed to repeat, even with the resources of the Cardinals farm system at the disposal of the Redwings.

BABE A MANAGER?

It may be that Colonel Jacob Ruppert will become very philanthropic and decide to let Babe Ruth go back to his old love, Boston, as manager of the Red Sox for 1933, but in these times so noble a gesture is unlikely.

Ruth has long had the ambition to become a big league pilot in the twilight of his baseball career. Some thought he would get the job of directing the Yankees when Miller Huggins died, but Col. Ruppert showed no disposition to weigh down his star batsman and gate attraction with the worrisome responsibilities of a manager.

Boston or Chicago would be the spot for the Babe, if he shifted jobs and scenery, but there will be plenty of time for consideration of a severe.

The big fellow has had a zesty spring slump, but he is far from being all through as a major league regular. Only about a dozen other clubs, if not the entire 15, would like to take on Ruth, on one leg, if he happened to be available at a reasonable price.

The Yankees paid about \$135,000 for the man who became a million-dollar asset to them.

There has never been any serious discussion of what the Babe would bring on the open market, for the simple reason he has not been on the market, but the Colonel might be excused for figuring Ruth's release would be worth at least a quarter of a million dollars, even in a period of shrinking values.

When it is figured that New York clubs within the past year valued the services of minor leaguers like Koenig and Crosetti at \$75,000 each, the suggested value of the home run king is conservative.

SOUTHPAW DUEL

It looks like a great race for southpaw honors this season in the American league between Grove and Gomez.

Grove, after a slightly shaky start, has recovered his 1931 form and control. Meanwhile Gomez has shown the most spectacular stuff of the Yankee staff. The slim Spaniard looked especially effective against the champion Athletics, but he has yet to hook up in a real duel with Grove.

With a little advance notice, Grove and Gomez would draw more to the Yankee Stadium right now than Ruth and Simmons.

Botanists Seeking New Seed Variety

Aurora—Mr. and Mrs. John Leach of Portland stopped in Aurora for a brief visit with Mrs. Atchinson and Mrs. W. W. Irwin recently before leaving for a botanizing trip which will take them into Curry county, where they will remain for several weeks. They will hunt for seeds of a new species of plant unknown to botanists until discovered by the Leachs. They were accompanied by their famous donkeys, "Pansy" and "Violet" who always go with them on these excursions. The donkeys make their winter quarters at the Irwin ranch.

NEW POLES BOUGHT

Parkerville—The Parkerville telephone association has purchased 300 new poles for the telephone line which will be installed in the near future. Early this spring a new line was put up from Gervais. This has greatly improved the telephone service.

VAN DAHL HOSTS

Mill City—Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Emmons and son, Russell, and daughter Helen and George Lloyd, all of Portland, were dinner guests at the Al Van Dahl home in Mill City Monday. Emmons and Lloyd are both located at the same fire station in Portland and Dahl is a nice of Lloyd.

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AMERICA'S BIG THREE QUALIFY IN BRITISH OPEN

Sandwich, England, June 7 (AP)—America's "big three" in the British open golf championship—Tommy Armour, defending champion, MacDonald Smith and Gene Sarazen—safely qualified today for the 72 holes of medal play proper, but British golfers furnished all the fireworks.

Smith and Armour had 36 hole totals of 146, Smith with 73-73 and Armour with 75-71, and Sarazen, one of the leaders yesterday with a 73 took 76 for a 36 hole total of 149.

Alfred Robert Bradbeer, young Somerset professional, held the lead, with only a few scores yet to be posted, with a fine total of 141, adding a 71 to his 70 of yesterday.

The main interest, however, was furnished by Eric McEwrie, young Scotch amateur and Walker cup player and Don Curtis, English professional, who scored 68s over Prince's par 74 stretch to break the course record of Jack Hutchinson and Arthur Havers by two strokes.

Two American amateurs among the early finishers also apparently had qualified, Robert Sweeney, American student at Oxford scored a 76 today and had 75-76-151; and Douglas Grant, American living in London scored a fine 72 over his home course for a 36 hole total of 152. Ross Thompson, of Uniontown, Pa., was on the border line with 80-78-158.

Among the better known British professionals well up in the field were Havers with 148, Archie Compston, 149, A. H. Pagham, 148, Tom Green, 148, George Duncan, 147, and R. A. Whitcombe, 146.

SAVOLDI DEFEATS ADOREE, MONTREAL

Tacoma, Wash., June 7 (AP)—Joe Savoldi, former Notre Dame full-back, won two out of three falls over Andre Adoree, Montreal, in the main event of the wrestling program here last night. Adoree won the first fall in 6:05 of the second round with a toe hold, while Savoldi won the second fall in 4:20 of the fifth with a straight arm and the deciding fall in 1:50 of the seventh with a body press after a series of flying tackles. Savoldi weighed 196 pounds and Adoree 205.

Rudy La Ditz, New York, 225 pounds, won the only fall over Ivan Vakturoff, 226 pound Russian, in the fourth round of the semi-final with a body press.

Pat Flannigan, 220 pounder from Los Angeles, and Nick Ellich, 196 pound Serbian, drew in the three-round opener, neither gaining a fall.

Calland Proposes Ban on Spring Work

Moscow, Idaho (AP)—Leo Calland, youthful grid coach at the University of Idaho, has a suggestion for intercollegiate football.

"Abolish spring football practice and start the fall work September 1," advises the former Southern California star. "If all teams in a given conference or a given section would start practice on that date and have four full weeks to get settled down before playing games, coaches could bring their teams along properly without trying to play games five or ten days after practice starts."

Ladies' Golf Day At Woodburn Club

Woodburn—The second "ladies' day" at the Woodburn golf course will be held Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. A. J. Beck is chairman of the hostess committee and will be assisted by Mrs. A. E. Austin, Mrs. H. M. Austin and Mrs. Eugene Courtney.

Play will begin at 1:30 o'clock and prizes will be given for the winning scores. Following the game light refreshments will be served. All women who play are invited to take part in this match. In case of rain the game will be postponed one week.

PARKERSVILLE WINS

Parkerville—Parkerville baseball team won the game Sunday with a team of Hazel Green and Clear Lake players at Keizer ball field by a score of 14 to 8. Batteries for Parkerville were R. Brown and J. Adelman. L. Van Cleave and R. Massey composed the battery for the opposition.

FALLS CITY BEATEN

Falls City—The town baseball team was badly defeated Sunday when they played Grand Ronde. The score was 20 to 1.

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Slugging Phils Promise World of Trouble When Western Clubs Show Up

By Associated Press

Should Burt Shotton's Phillies get even passable pitching the next two weeks, they are likely to make a world of trouble for their guests from the western end of the National league. Starting today against the Pittsburgh Pirates, the slugging Phils entertain Cincinnati, St. Louis and Chicago in that order, and they promise to be anything but a soft touch in their own Baker bowl with its inviting right field wall.

The club still is without a competent pitching staff, but it has probably the most effective "wrecking crew" in the National league, with Chuck Klein, Pinkey Whitney and Don Hurst the big guns.

In their last 15 games, of which they have won eight, the Phils have batted an average of 11 hits and scored better than seven runs to the contest.

Against Brooklyn yesterday—the only game played in either major league—the Klein-Hurst-Whitney combination worked overtime, contributing 10 of the team's 21 hits off three Dodger hurlers and otherwise playing a large part in the 15 to 7 victory.

Whitney pushed across four runs with a double and two singles, Hurst hit four singles in as many official trips and scored four times, and Klein hit his fourteenth homer of the year and a brace of singles. The assault generated by the trio netted 14 runs in the first five innings.

Hack Wilson led a futile Brooklyn rally in the late innings with his ninth and tenth home runs, eventually driving Phil Collins from the box. Lefty O'Doul and Glenn Wright also hit for the circuit.

Most of the 14 other clubs spent the day either in travel or in exhibitions.

SILVERTON GOLF CLUB WINS MATCH

Silverton—The match of the 16-man team of Silverton and Albany golfers Sunday morning resulted in the visitors being defeated 34½ to 13½ points. The match was played on the local links. Luncheon was served in the early afternoon at the Country clubhouse. Norman Eastman is captain of the Silverton team. Individual scores:

SILVERTON

J. Jones 0
B. Westbrook 3
G. Schwarz 0
A. Dallarure 2½
R. Cronise 0
D. Smith 0
R. Ames 0
F. Leslie 2
G. Fortmiller 0
E. McDowell 0
L. Gray 0
Leiminger 1½
W. Arbuckle 1
C. Bryant 0
H. Irish 1½
F. Alm 3

ALBANY

N. Eastman 3
C. Rue 0
L. C. Eastman 3
S. Cunningham 1½
J. Werle 3
C. Reynolds 3
A. W. Simmons 3
G. W. Hubbs 1
C. Jarvis 3
W. McGinnis 3
L. C. Currie 3
C. L. Bonney 1½
R. Bobet 2
H. C. Johnson 3
H. R. Irish 2½
M. C. Woodard 0

A return match is scheduled at the Albany links near Knox's Butte for June 19.

GERVAIS DEFEATS PIRATES, 4 TO 0

Gervais—The Gervais tow team made it five straight here Sunday afternoon by defeating the Salem Pirates 4 to 0 in a five inning game. The Pirates did not wish to call the game a contest, but as the necessary innings were played it will be entered as a Mid-Willamette Valley league game.

Next Sunday Gervais goes to Hubbard and because of the bitter rivalry between the two teams one of the best league games of the season is expected. The score:

Pirates 0 3 1
Gervais 4 8 1
Fabry and Carpenter; Oddie and Eder.

Pitcher Makes 27 Putouts One Game

Sylacauga, Ala. (AP)—Sylacauga baseball fans come forward to claim some sort of a record for their youthful star pitcher.

This boy, Punny Duke is his name fanned 19 men, threw out seven at first and tagged his 27th man coming home in the final game of his prep school career. Sylacaugas ponder this record and call for a boy to New York Waddell, once great New York Giants' southpaw, who used to tell his fielders to sit down and let him win the game.

During this season Duke fanned 76 men in 66 innings and has a batting average of .432.

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PORTLAND FACES SEATTLE INDIAN CLUB TUESDAY

By Associated Press

All teams of the Pacific Coast league will play in their own localities this week to save traveling expenses on long trips. Seattle plays at Portland and Hollywood at Los Angeles, while the other teams open split week bills today.

The Missions will entertain the Oaks in San Francisco on three afternoons, followed by Sacramento Friday, Saturday and two games Sunday afternoon. The Seals open a three-game series in Sacramento tonight, and will wind up the week in Oakland, playing Friday, Saturday and two games Sunday.

On the basis of recent activities the two northern clubs should stage the most interesting fight of the week. Winning 16 out of the last 18 games played, Portland climbed into a tie with Hollywood for league leadership. The Seattle Indians last week boosted themselves from seventh to sixth place by pushing the Senators down a notch, and after George Burns began, as manager, won six out of seven games.

First place in the standings may change hands often the next few days, with both Hollywood and Portland facing strong competition.

COLUMBIA GOLFER ELIMINATES MOE

Portland, June 7 (AP)—A youthful professional, Eldred Zimmerman of Columbia country club, defeated one of Oregon's ace amateurs, Donald K. Moe, yesterday for the honor of representing the Pacific northwest in the United States open championship at Flushing, N. Y. this month.

Moe, of Alderwood country club and the University of Oregon, was distinctly off the game, which brought him the western amateur title—for a second time—last year and once brought him fame as a member of the United States Walker cup team. He carded 152 for the double round. Zimmerman, northwest professional tidist, scored 148, four strokes over par.

Zimmerman was trailing by one stroke at the end of 18 holes, but played steady golf to take the lead in the second round as Moe's shaky shots found the rough and his usually accurate iron failed him.

SHANEMAN ELECTED WEBFOOT CAPTAIN

Eugene, June 7 (AP)—LeRoy "Duke" Shaneman, two year letterman catcher for the University of Oregon baseball nine, was elected captain for 1933 at a meeting last night. He is a leading hitter in the northwest division.

AMITY WINS

Dayton—The Dayton baseball team lost to the Amity team in a Cascade league game here Sunday. The score was 4 to 2.

California Quail Casts Lot With Flock of Chicks

Scio—A California quail is said recently to have taken up living quarters with a flock of motherless chickens at the Grace Perry farm near Scio. The little stranger has become semi-domesticated and is as tame as the chickens, it is stated. The quail also has become more or less familiar with the farm routine and promptly presents itself at the feed yards when "chow" is called for the chickens.

At night the plump little bird creeps into the coop along with the chickens and wedges itself firmly in the center of the flock for a night's lodging.

The little fowl conducts itself with good demeanor among the chickens with which it has cast its lot, but it is said to have developed a decided dislike for a certain guinea on the farm, with which it has frequent encounters and puts up a marvelous scrap for such a tiny bird. A year ago a messenger pigeon took refuge with baby chicks at the Fred Sommer farm near Scio, resting for ten days before proceeding on its mysterious mission.

SMERTZ ANXIOUS TO BEAT JONES

With two wins over the Utah strawberry farmer to his credit, Art Smertz, recent arrival from the Mormon state will endeavor to make it three in a row Tuesday night when he tackles Henry Jones on the armory mat. Jones, having cleaned up everything in this part of the country, believes Smertz will be just another opponent and consequently will have little difficulty in flopping him.

Smertz is said to be a trifle heavier and stronger than Jones while his youth is expected to offset the experience gained by Jones through his many campaigns.

Rex Axman of Walla Walla and Roughtneck Edwards will engage in a 45 minute preliminary with Vern Harrington of Portland referring both matches.

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