



He Walked Away! A midjet racing car driven by Rudy Tarditi of Stockton, Calif., flips on a turn during a race at Walnut Creek, Calif., but Tarditi walked away from the wreckage with only bruises. The accident happened on a curve. The car wound up bottom side up with Tarditi pinned in the driver's cockpit. Picture made by Russ Reed, Oakland Tribune photographer. (AP Wirephoto)

Top-Rated Pitchers Take Pounding in Training Tilts

By United Press
A dozen start pitchers, counted on to win 15 to 20 games each, have been battered like Class D recruits in Grapefruit League games this spring and would expect to find "pink alips" in their pay checks any day if they were rookies fighting for jobs.

The list includes Allie Reynolds and Vic Raschi, the world champion Yankees' key right-handers; 20-game winner Bob Lemon and Early Wynn of the Indians; Bobby Shantz, the American League's most valuable player in 1952, and 15-game winner Harry Byrd of the A's; Jim Hearn and Larry Jansen of the Giants; 15-game winner Warren Hacker of the Cubs; Warren Spahn, the Braves' stellar southpaw; right-handed ace Saul Rogovin of the White Sox and Ken Raffensberger, who won 17 games for the Reds in 1952.

Each has been tagged for an average of at least five runs per nine innings in spring exhibition games. Lemon has the poorest average, 15 runs per nine innings in six innings, while Spahn's average is 11.8 and Reynolds, Raschi and Raffensberger each has a 9.0 average. Hearn's average is 8.2, Byrd's 7.2, Wynn's 6.0, Shantz' 5.8, and Jansen and Hacker each has a 5.0 average.

Hacker, late-season sensation of the National League in 1952, has pitched 18 innings in which the opposition has scored 10 runs and Raffensberger has been scored on 13 times in 13 innings. The Dodgers, scoring their 13th victory in 18 games, beat the Phillies, 8-7.

Other scores: Red Sox 4, Senators 3; Braves 10, Reds 8; Indians 8, White Sox 4; Browns 6, Giants 5; and Pittsburgh "A" 13, Pittsburgh "B" 6.

North Marion Athletes Get Letter Awards
North Marion Union High School, Hubbard — At a meeting of the North Marion student body, basketball and wrestling awards were presented to Husky athletes.

Pointer, Setter Win at Spokane
Spokane (AP)—A pointer and a setter finished one-two in the all-age stakes event of the Spokane Field Trials Sunday.

Alva Bradley, Former Indian Owner, Dies

Del Ray Beach, Fla. (AP)—The body of Alva Bradley, former owner of the Cleveland Indians, will be started on its way back to Cleveland today for funeral services.

Bradley, 69, died at his vacation home here yesterday after suffering a heart attack. Though he had been suffering from a heart condition for the last year, he had appeared to be in good health during a four-week vacation here with his wife and his death was unexpected.

The former Indians' owner, who sold his interests in the club to a syndicate headed by Bill Veeck in 1948, resided in Cleveland Heights, O., and was the head of a Cleveland real estate firm.

Bradley owned the Indians for 19 years, during which period the Indians never won the American league pennant although they finished in the first division 11 times.

The closest the Indians came to a pennant under his ownership was a second place in 1940 behind the Detroit Tiger.

Bradley is credited with helping to start the American Foundation for High Blood Pressure. He became interested in heart disease when his brother died of a heart condition in 1943.

Neyland May Have to Give Up Coaching
Knoxville, Tenn. (AP)—Gen. Bob Neyland's long and brilliant career as an active football coach may be at an end, a doctor's report hinted today.

STOCKS

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes Admiral Corporation, Allied Chemical, Allegheny, American Airlines, etc.

Strike Closes 4 Steel Plants

Pittsburgh (AP)—An unauthorised railroaders strike forced its four big steel plants in the Pittsburgh area Tuesday.

More than 30,000 production workers will be idled by the time the last iron and steel making furnace is cooled and sealed late in the day.

About 4,500 employees of the subsidiary Union Railroad company struck, bringing further orders to all big steel workers in plants served by the railroad.

An official of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen said the walkout, called over the suspension of two conductors, was unauthorized. There have been no disclosed plans for a conference between railroad and strikers aimed at ending the strike.

The closed mills have an annual capacity of nine million tons a year, compared to the national total of 117,500,000 tons.

The Rio Grande is the third longest U. S. river. Chicago Online Chicago 420—Market moderate, demand fair, market about steady on railroads on track but weak on street.

COMPROMISE

Red China Premier Chou En-lai (above) has proposed that both sides in the Korean conflict return those prisoners of war who insist on going home and hand over the others to a neutral state.

Wage Dispute Not Settled

Portland (AP)—CIO Woodworkers reported Monday that contract negotiations with the Weyerhaeuser Timber company had been suspended after each side had rejected the other's offer.

The meetings will be resumed at the request of the union or operator. The union requested pay increases of 2 1/2 cents an hour, a six-hour day and other contract changes.

The union also reported that it had scheduled meetings Thursday with the Tri-County Loggers' association and the Timber Operators' association. These negotiations were suspended earlier this month after several meetings failed to develop an agreement.

Portland Grain Portland (AP)—No scores grain quoted. Wheat (red) to arrive market, basis 2.45; soft white (hard) 2.45; soft white (soft) 2.45; soft white (medium) 2.45; soft white (large) 2.45.

Portland Hides Portland (AP)—Hides sold for \$2.75 a 10-lb. box and \$1.50 a 10-lb. box today on the Portland Hides & Fur market.

Chicago Grain Chicago (AP)—Grains weathered several selling attacks on the board of trade Tuesday, rallying toward the close after having been down a couple of cents at one time.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Table with columns for market quotations including Portland Produce List, Portland Dairy Market, Portland Hides, Portland Grain, Portland Hides, Portland Grain, Portland Hides, Portland Grain.

WINNER

Vance Cooney, Sacred Heart Academy student, adjudged winner of the VFW Auxiliary essay contest.

Winners of the contest were announced by Mrs. Dale Munn, Americanism chairman for Marion post. In the second place spot and winner of \$15 was Joy Schorenberg of Mt. Angel Academy.

Topic on which the essays were written was "Democracy is What We Make It." Judges were Mrs. Dorothy Daugherty, principal of the Englewood school; J. Eugene Rex Hartley, Marion County judge; and Prof. John Rademaker, professor at Willamette university.

Presentation of the prizes will be made in the near future with the date to be announced later. The prize winning essay is to now be entered in the state contest, the winner of which is presented at \$25 defense bond.

Americanism chairman for the state VFW department is Mrs. George Mason of Rickreall, a member of the auxiliary to Marion post, 651, Salem. Winners of that contest will be announced at the department encampment in June and the top state essay will be entered in the national contest in which the winner is presented \$1000.

Cotton is the principal money crop in South Carolina. NOTICE TO CREDITORS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I, Noel Hinton Myers, late of Marion County, Oregon, deceased, have been ordered by the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Marion County, appointed administrator of the Estate of Mary M. Hinton, deceased. Any persons having claims against said estate are requested to present them with proper vouchers, to said administrator at 216 Pioneer Trust Building, Salem, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Wilson, Krsnich, Up From Seattle, Shine for ChiSox

By GAYLE TALBOT
Phoenix, Ariz. (AP)—The Chicago White Sox are a very hot looking ball club and are being driven with a grim tenacity by their manager, Paul Richards, in the waning days of the Western exhibition season.

Give them a little pitching and they are going to be hard to head off this time. They are in terrific condition from their preliminary training in the hot Imperial Valley. The veteran Vern Stephens, for example, says he is a dozen pounds lighter than he had been for years and claims he will "play all of 'em" at third base.

Somehow, Richards has infused his club with a terrific winning spirit. It shows up in their horse play and banter around the batting cage, in their hustle on every play, and in their slashing base running. This team believes it can beat both the New York Yankees and the Cleveland Indians to the wire.

The big excitement at the moment centers around a rookie catcher, Bob (Red) Wilson, the same who was voted the most valuable football player in the Western Conference in 1950, when he was center and linebacker for Wisconsin.

Two weeks ago Richards didn't mention Wilson in discussing his team. Since then the big fellow, who was at Seattle last year, has gone wild with the bat and has more or less astonished Richards with his work behind the plate. Now Richards says guardedly that he has "high hopes" for him, and several of the experts following the club are convinced.

AT EASE, SAILOR!

A surprised sailor at the Naval Air Station, Miami, Fla., gets hit with a bucket of water, all part of Navy tradition which says a man promoted to petty officer gets dunked one way or another.

Gene Roig of Miami, a naval reservist, had just been told by his commanding officer (behind Roig) that he had been promoted. The officer, who knew what was coming, ordered Roig to about face. You can see what happened when he did. The surprised sailor's hands are still stiffly held at his sides in the position of attention he was holding when the water came at him.

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