

Sports figures to testify on anti-trust legislation

WASHINGTON (UPI) — A Senate subcommittee today announced that major sports figures will testify this week and next on legislation to give all major professional team sports equal status under the anti-trust laws.

The bill, sponsored by Chairman Philip A. Hart, D-Mich., of the Senate antitrust subcommittee, would preserve baseball's exemption from some phases of the antitrust laws.

Juan Chi Chi Rodriguez wins \$7,500 'Lucky'

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — Golf has a new king of the hill today — pint-sized Juan (Chi Chi) Rodriguez.

Rodriguez won \$7,500 Monday — exactly what he needs to build a home for his family in Puerto Rico — and collected the Lucky International golf championship in a head-on playoff with the veteran Don January.

Chi Chi fired a one-under-par 70 and January lost the third playoff of his career when he came in with an even par 71.

"I came from a very poor family," Rodriguez said after his playoff victory, "and I have been saving money for 20 years to build a home for my family. I needed exactly \$7,500 to build it and that's exactly what I'm going to do."

Supports Family

Rodriguez is a 28-year-old bachelor whose father and mother are dead. But he helps support two sisters and two brothers in Puerto Rico.

Chi Chi not only edged January in the overtime duel but while shooting a 12-under-par 272 over the regulation 72-hole round he beat Arnold Palmer, Jack Nicklaus, Julius Boros and almost every top-ranked pro golfer in the world.

The playoff—worth \$4,000 to the loser—was from start to finish all Rodriguez. He went one up on the fourth when January hit a hooked tee shot, gained another on the next hole when the Texan again was in trouble and with a ninth hole birdie, boosted his margin to three up.

Played It Safe

From there on in Chi Chi admitted he played it safe.

"I don't like that," he said. "That's not my game."

Down two strokes going into the final hole, January made a belated bid for a tie by holding a 24-foot putt for a birdie. But Rodriguez, only 12 feet away from the cup, calmly two-putted his par four and his biggest jackpot since he started on the pro tour in 1960.

Rodriguez, who heretofore has played in few winter tournaments on the PGA swing because he dislikes cold weather, intends to stay on the circuit indefinitely.

Enoch Walker leading in saddle bronc riding

FORT WORTH (UPI)—Enoch Walker of Bend, Ore., held an early lead today in the saddle bronc riding event at the stock show rodeo.

Walker scored 58 points out of a possible 100 Monday night on the bucking back of a horse called Torpedo Joe. He finished 1963 in seventh place in national standings for the event, winning \$10,284 during the year.

The rodeo, billed as the world's original indoor rodeo, has 440 contestants competing for a total purse of almost \$90,000, including \$12,600 for a special television performance Sunday night.

In other action, Bob Edison of Oakland, Calif., scored a 61-point ride on a bareback bronc named Little Cat to tie Jack Wright of Dayton, Ore., for first in that contest. Wright won the first go-round in saddle bronc competition.

Tenpin Alley

Monday Nite Owl League		
	W	L
Coca-Cola	13	3
Stacy's Cafe	10	6
Jim's Electric	8	8
Murray & Holt	8	8
Brandis Drug	7	9
Slate & Harris	7	9
Rock 'n Wood	7	9
Pilot Butte Inn	4	12
Team leaders: Coca-Cola, 767 game and 2186 series.		
High scorers: Florence Kinade, 186 game; Leona Davis, 517 series.		
Starlighter League		
	W	L
Thunderbird Club	13	3
Denning's Richfield	9	7
Gordon Randall	9	7
Erickson Market	8	8
Mahoney Office	8	8
Wahee Motel	7	9
Trailways No. 1	7	9
AWE Hephre Dairy	3	13
Team leaders: Thunderbird Club, 900 game and 2491 series.		
High scorers: Dot Brannon, 209 game and 529 series.		
City League		
	W	L
San Dip	13	3

Musicmen get by Gilchrist 5 in City League

Teen League Standings		
	W	L
Rats	5	0
Dukes	4	1
Tads	2	3
Apes	1	3
Jokers	1	3
Rebs	1	4

In Monday night Industrial League action, the Central Oregon Welders gained a basketball victory from Brandis Drug via forfeit.

Redmond's musicmen followed with a 48-43 City League win over the Mohawk Cafe five from Gilchrist.

Meanwhile in Teen League action, the Rebs picked up their first win of the season by annihilating the Apes 70-24. Cartmill, Jackson and Koho led the scoring with 20, 16 and 10 points, respectively.

In other action, the Tads dumped the Jokers, 32-28.

Box scores:
Redmond (48) (43) Gilchrist
Nordman 17 5 Spokor
Lewis 8 6 Pencil
Robinet 3 2 Clark
Title 7 12 Hanna
Goddard 6 14 Bennett
Scoring subs: Redmond — Durfee 5, Pierce 2. Gilchrist — Cumby 4.

(24) Apes
Cartmill 20 4 Panner
Jackson 16 1 Olsen
Koho 10 6 Nicholson
Shepard 6 13 Rixie
Raymond 4 0 Laidlaw
Scoring subs: Rebs — Dietz 2, Alexander 5, Slimkosky 7. Apes — none.

(38) Jokers
Tads (32)
Tadevic 11 3 Chopp
Cristello 1 4 Ruble
McKinney 3 8 Lewis
McKinney 3 2 DeGree
Seems 6 1 Gasbar

Scoring subs: Tads — Mullen 2, Jokers — Cook 6, Hutchinson 3, Reed 1.

Totem has tally title wrapped up

By United Press International

Guyle Fielder of Seattle pretty well has the Western Hockey League scoring title in his pocket this season, but the battle for the most goals scored is a lulu.

Latest WHL statistics show Fielder with 15 goals and a bulging 59 assists for 74 points and an 11-point lead over the field.

But Lou Jankowski, second to Fielder with 63 points, is tied with Seattle's Bob Barlow and Art Jones of Portland with 29 goals apiece. The battle should continue down to the wire.

Fielder's assist total is 36 short of the league mark of 95 assists, which he himself set in the 1958-59 season.

Denver's Al Miller got back in the groove last week and still has a big lead in the goal keeping department. His 2.85 average is well below the mark of second place Claude DuFour of Seattle, now at 3.15.

Ducks points to Washington tiff

SEATTLE (UPI)—University of Oregon's basketball team seeks revenge for an early-season defeat at the hands of Washington tonight.

Coach Steve Belko's Ducks lost to Washington by a 69-63 count when the two teams met in Eugene last month.

Belko said he would open with Steve Jones, Jim Johnson, Jim Barnett and Elliott Gleason, with the fifth starting position expected to go to either Larry Cooley or Bill Jennings.

The Oregon team arrived here Monday.

S. Eugene again first in poll

PORTLAND (UPI)—South Eugene again held down first place today in the weekly Journal poll among Oregon class A-1 high school basketball teams.

South Eugene was followed by Medford in second place and Grant in third.

Coquille led the A-2 poll, followed by Elmira, North Catholic, Illinois Valley, Vale, Nestucca, Serra, Heppner, Central and Sherman.

Finley's folly—trying to move A's out of K-City

OAKLAND, Calif. (UPI)—The latest act in what some American League brass call the "Finley Follies" opened today with the storm-tossed owner of the Kansas City Athletics trying to bring his team to this West Coast city.

After declaring, "nobody's going to take away my franchise—nobody!" dapper Charles O. Finley headed for Chicago Monday in his campaign to have the league reconvene and vote on his latest proposed transfer.

He was doing so just 12 days after the owners, by a 9-1 margin, had smashed his bid to shunt the A's from Kansas City to Louisville then warned him to settle his squabble over a ballpark lease in KC by Feb. 1 or be thrown out of the circuit.

The reaction to Finley's Oakland plan drew a frigid reception from Arthur C. Allyn, president of the Chicago White Sox, who received a wire from him Monday asking help in calling a league session.

"We settled this thing about the 16th of January in New York," Allyn said in Tampa, Fla. "It's not a matter of the club going to Louisville or Oakland. It is a question of whether the franchise is going to stay in Kansas City and is Kansas City going to have major league baseball. We decided 9-1 that Kansas City was going to have major league baseball."

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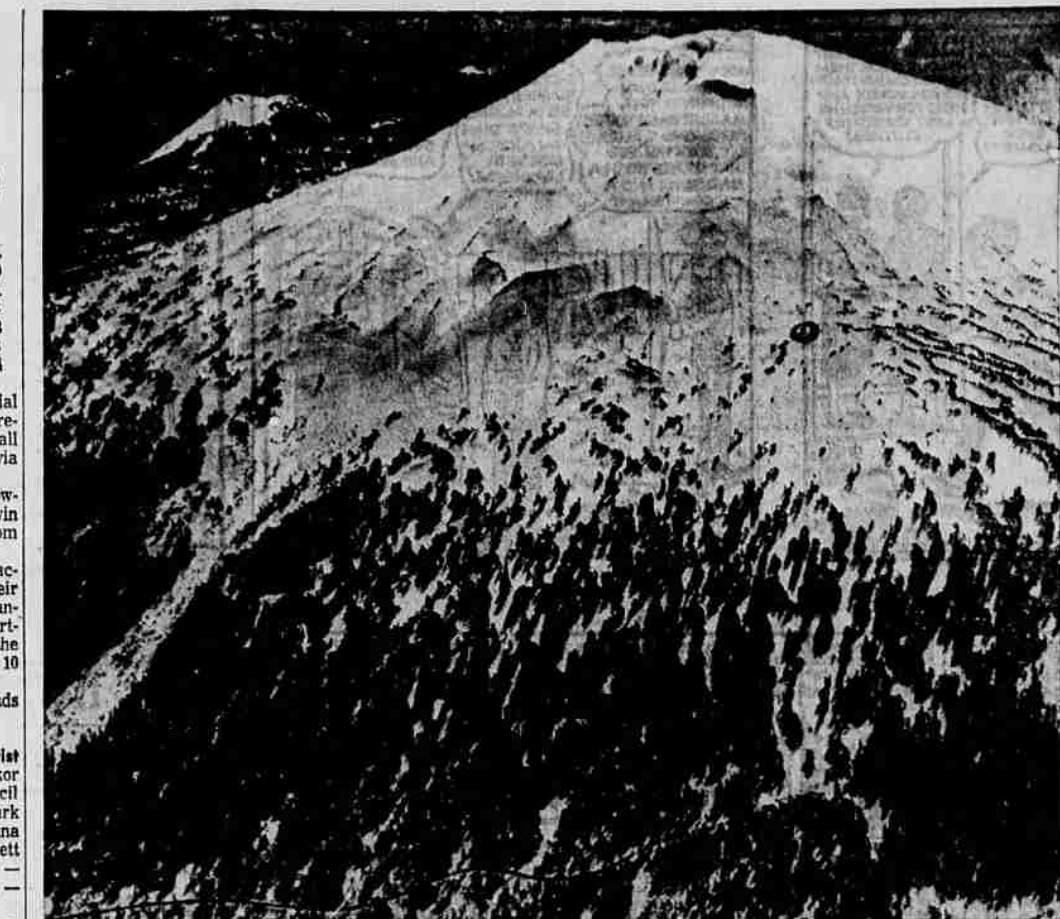
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BACHELOR BUTTE — Bend's ski facility on Bachelor Butte, which is becoming well known all over the nation, will host the Skyliners' Nordic cross-country and ski jump contest Feb. 8-9 as well as the annual Portland State Winter Carnival.

Junior experts take setbacks at Bogus Basin

Bend Skyliners' junior experts trekked to Boise's Bogus Basin last weekend to enter the first PNSA qualifying meet, but came home with not too much to holler about.

Coach Frank Cammack offered that Saturday's slalom event was run in near-blizzard conditions. Times thus were poor, and finishers crossed the finish line "in a blanket."

It wasn't a good weekend for the Bend junior experts, but the Skyliner crew has three more meets in which to qualify skiers for the junior nationals.

It was, however, a tremendous weekend for one Bend girl. Sherri Blann skied the best slalom of her career. She finished a strong second behind Cathy Nagel of Crystal Mountain Athletic Club, Seattle.

Miss Blann Leads

Miss Blann led Nagel through the first round, but lost out in the second go-around. Bend skiers Kikki Cutter finished sixth and Julie Meissner placed 10th in a field of the 28 best slalom junior racers in the Pacific Northwest.

Sherri Blann then came right back and captured fourth in the giant slalom. Here again, Cathy Nagel of Crystal Mountain won the event, her sister Judy Nagel took third.

Behind Miss Blann, Kikki Cutter captured eighth and Julie Meissner finished 11th.

Finishes in the men's events were even closer. Bend's Skyliners, however, didn't do so well in the slalom. Tom Cutter was the only local to even make a showing. He placed 23rd.

Giant Slalom Better

Things went somewhat better for the boys in giant slalom. Steve Foley captured 13th, Mike Metke 14th, and Jerry Blann 18th.

Coach Cammack isn't discouraged by the Skyliners' performances. He said, "We could have finished in the first five had we skied the course one second faster. That's how close it was. I feel we did a creditable job, considering the conditions."

Though it was in non-qualifying competition, Bend junior intermediates made a good showing. Mike Lafferty placed second in the slalom behind winner Steve Copsey of Spokane.

Fred Duberow was sixth and Randy Snider, tenth. In the intermediate giant slalom run, Lafferty captured seventh, Snider 17th, and Duberow 18th.

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CECIL SIGNS

ST. LOUIS (UPI) — Former Linfield pitcher Ed Cecil signed a contract with the National League St. Louis Cardinals Monday.

The tie-game controversy came into prominence during the past season when the Pittsburgh Steelers almost won the Eastern Division championship with a poor win-loss record because of a number of ties.

They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo



Basketball — college scores

Monday's College Basketball By United Press International

Providence 80 Creighton 77

Tennessee 83 Georgia Tech 63
Georgia 112 So. Carolina 90
Elon 73 Belmont Abbey 66
Miss. St. 113 Southeast La. 73
Florida 86 Alabama 60

Midwest
Michigan St. 102 Ohio St. 99
DePaul 85 Indiana 78
Loyola (Ill.) 70 Dayton 56

O'BRIEN ENTERS MEET

NEW YORK (UPI)—Former Olympic shot put champion Parry O'Brien entered the Millrose Games Monday and will compete against NYU's Gary Gubner and Texas A&M's Randy Matson Thursday at Madison Square Garden.

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