Two Seaters to Roar in 500-Mile Memorial Day Track Classic

EIGHTY PILOTS TO SEEK PURSE WORTH $40,000

Riding Mechanics Will Have Place in Event—Carburetors Limited to Two Per Auto.

By Claude Wolff
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

INDIANAPOLIS— (AP) —Greater hazard, color, and glamor will mark the 500-mile auto race May 30 at Indianapolis speedway.

Where 33 men dared death on the gray-bricked, treacherous turns the last seven years, 80 will take that chance this year in pursuit of the $110,000 prize money.

Victory will be worth $40,000 this year. This includes the first place money, and side prizes. The other prizes scale downward. Two thousand dollars, at $100 per lap, will be distributed.

The riding mechanic, dramatic figure of by-gone races who was outlawed seven years ago, is back. The number of cars that may start has been raised from 33 to 40 and motors may be four times as large as they were in the last Memorial day race.

Limit Carburetors

Only two carburetors will be permitted on a car, whether it has four, six, eight, twelve or sixteen cylinders. The blow that new rule dealt may be understood when it is explained that many of the cars used last year had from four to eight carburetors on eight cylinder cars.

Another factor demanding perfect carburetion is the outlawing of the super-charger, which drove the gas into cylinder chambers.

Louie Meyer, winner in 1928 and for the last two years America's driving champion, will gamble his chances on a brand new 16-cylinder V-type racer. He ran second last year. Riding with him as the mechanic will be Alden Sampson, his financial backer, who will be going in for his first taste of major automobile racing.

De Paolo Returning

Pete De Paolo, the only other Indianapolis winner now active in racing, will return from retirement for this one race. He has invited Ralph De Palma, his uncle, to drive the other racer of his two-car stable.

Baconi Borzacchini, Italian who set an European record of 152.85 miles an hour for 10 kilometers, will drive his 16-cylinder speedster.

Lou Moore, Louie Schneider, Deacon Litz, Pete Kreis, Bob McDonogh, Billy Arnold, Babe Stapp, Russell Snowberger, the veteran Leon Duray, Cliff Bergere, Tony Gulotta, and others of the younger group will compete. Ray Keech, who won by some fine driving a year ago, will be missed. He was killed at Altoona a month after his victory here.

Tiny Motors Gone From Indianapolis

The Memorial Day race at Indianapolis speedway (above) this year will feature two-passenger machines. Louis Meyer will carry his financial backer, Alden Sampson, as mechanic. A view over the cowling of the new type machine is shown (lower left) with Louie Schneider at the wheel. Peter de Paolo (lower right) is a former winner.

BOY SCOUTS WILL HAVE FIELD MEET FAIR GROUND SAT.

The annual field meet of the Boy Scouts of the Jackson county troops will be held next Saturday at the fairgrounds, beginning at 1:30. All scouts have been advised to be on the grounds ready for inspection at 1 o'clock.

Entries have been made by 10 troops, each of which is confident they will carry off the silver cup awarded the winning troop. The cup was won last year by troop three of Medford and has been in their possession for the past year.

Entries have been sent in by troops 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 8, 9 and 10 of Medford, 23 of Talent, 14 of Beagle, and troop 28 of Kerby. There are 16 events in the cup competition which include fire by friction, sprints and dashes, dressing race, wall scaling, pony express, 440-yard relay, tug of war, pacing and signalling. Special exhibitions have been arranged in archery and a contest in bugling, in addition to the competitive events of the field meet program.

Some records established at last year's meet are apt to be broken if the rumors of unofficial records attained during practice of the various troops actually materialize in Saturday's performance. There is no admission charge for the meet and the public and parents and friends of scouting are invited by the committee to attend the meet.

BABE CLOUTS 3 OUT OF LOT IN DOUBLE HEADER

Bambino and Lou Gehrig Hit Swat Stride As Shawkey Club Drubs Athletics 10-1 and 20-13.

By Hugh S. Fullerton, Jr.,
Associated Press Sports Writer.

Since early season, Babe Ruth's has been going better and better, and the Yankees have been improving steadily. But not until yesterday did the Babe and his slugging partner, Lou Gehrig, hit their best form together to give a demonstration of the possibilities of Bob Shawkey's club.

Ruth opened up with his big guns on Wednesday when he hit three home-runs in one game. Yesterday he performed a slightly lesser feat, hitting two homers in one game of a doubleheader and one in the second, while his mates followed his example in hitting hard and frequently to trounce the Philadelphia Athletics by the decisive scores of 10 to 1 and 20 to 13.

In the two games, the Yankees made 39 hits, of which nine were homers, while the Athletics made five four-baggers in the second contest.

Gehrig Also Hits.

Gehrig emulated Ruth's great feat by hitting three in this game. The big three of the Yankees—Ruth, Lazzeri and Gehrig—made 17 of the hits, with some outside assistance from Lyn Lary, while even Dusty Cooke, the hitless youngster of the club, made three blows in the second game.

The double defeat checked the Philadelphia prospects of overtaking Washington's league leaders, as the Senators took two games from the Boston Red Sox.

Collins and Holshauser of the Browns gave Cleveland seven hits while St. Louis bunched five of its blows off Clint Brown in one inning for a 3 to 2 victory. George Uhle of Detroit gave Chicago but six hits for a 6 to 1 triumph.

Cards in Lead.

First place in the National league passed into the hands of the St. Louis Cardinals as they gave the Cincinnati Reds their seventh straight defeat, 4 to 2, while the Boston Braves were beating out Brooklyn, 6 to 5.

Brooklyn found old Socks Seibold a bit too much as he pitched his eight complete game of the season and drove in the winning run himself with a single in the ninth inning. It was Seibold's sixth victory.

Chuck Klein, leading home-run hitter of the National league last season, found the range in the Polo grounds in the 12th inning to decide a struggle between the Phillies and the New York Giants in which homers were almost as big a feature as they were in the American league Philadelphia-New York game. Klein's homer, with one on base, gave the Phillies a 10 to 8 victory.

The Chicago Cubs likewise did some range finding to make 17 hits good for a 12 to 5 victory over the Pittsburgh Pirates.

TYPOS CAT SQUAD TROUNCE TRADERS TO LEAD LEAGUE

Mail Tribune cat-ballers defeated Medford Exchange, 24 to 4, last night in a one-sided contest. The traders were no match for the typo squad. Johnnie Sprague, type third bagger distinguished himself with his heavy hitting, knocking one ball to the top of the grandstand. Scheffel and Clay maintained their quarantine station to perfection at center and left field. Second Baseman Chuck Thomas proved a deep well for several short flies.

Last night's victory was the fourth consecutive for the typos since the beginning of the second round of city league kitten ball, and places them at the top of the list.

Lamport's jinx refused to desert them last night, and they lost a fast game to Gold Seal, 4 to 2.

Tonight's games: Jennings Tire Co. vs. Post Office; Sperry Flour vs. Associated Oil.

Standings.	W.	L.	Pct.
Mail Tribune	4	0	1.000
Associated Oil	3	0	1.000
Jennings Tire	3	0	1.000
Post Office	2	1	.667
Your Office Boys	2	2	.500
Gates Auto	2	2	.500
Gold Seal	2	2	.500
Sperry Flour	0	3	.000
Medford Exchange	0	4	.000
Lamports	0	4	.000

WILDCAT MASTERS INDIAN WRESTLER

Maintaining his prestige in the middleweight wrestling division, Wildcat Pete of Eugene, who appears here Monday night in a finish match against Teddy Waters, defeated Yaqui Joe in a recent match at Eugene. Yaqui Joe displayed his ability here in defeating Gob Watkins two straight falls, and local fans though he did it better than Pete, who met him here a short time before.

Pete attempted to obtain several airplane spins on the Indian, but he is expected to be more successful in his match with Waters, whose failing in past matches has been the dangerous spin. Waters is coming direct from Columbus, O., for a series of matches in the west, the first of which will be in Medford. Pete has a large following in Medford and fans are expected to be present from all parts of the county, in view of the ability of the wrestlers, both of whom are exholders of the world's middleweight championship.

Ray Frisbie, Medford wrestler, will appear in the special event.

LOCAL PLAYERS RECEIVE OFFERS

The Timber league has been cutting up on the Southern Oregon league players. Already they have partially disrupted the Bend team by securing three of their players and special inducements have been made to several members of the Medford team to join the Aberdeen club, says Business Manager Hall. Hall has retaliated by grabbing O'Brien and Bowerman from the Kelso club.

Cliff Best has received several flattering offers to leave the Medford club but so far has turned a deaf ear to all proposals.

LOCAL FISHERMEN CIRCULATING PLEA IN DALLES TODAY

THE DALLES, Ore., May 23.—(AP)—P. C. Bingham and Roger Bennett, representatives of the Jackson County Game Protective association and the Grants Pass Izaak Walton league, were here today in the interest of the Rogue river fishing constitutional amendment, which it is proposed to place on the November ballot.

They have arranged to have petitions for the measure circulated here.

While the southern Oregon sportsmen reported to The Dalles-Wasco Rod and Gun club that it would be possible to obtain sufficient signatures in the southern Oregon counties, but they proposed to circulate petitions throughout the state.

BEAVER ROWERS AT SEATTLE TOMORROW

SEATTLE, May 23.—(AP)—Oregon State college will break into crew racing tomorrow afternoon when the Beaver eight meets the first and second freshman boats of the University of Washington over a two mile course on Lake Washington here. The O. S. C. combination was expected to take two workouts today to get the "feel" of a Washington boat and oars. The Beavers did not bring their shell with them.

CARLSON FOULS FOE IN BAKER RING BOUT

BAKER, Ore., May 23.—(AP)—After pummeling his opponent around the ring for two rounds with vicious lefts and rights to the face and body, Johnny Carlson, Portland, hit Brownie Buskirk, Pendleton while the latter was on his knees and Referee Ming McKim awarded the bout to Buskirk on a foul in the sixth round of a scheduled 10 round bout here last night.

AMERICAN HORSE RAISES HOPES OF EPSOM DERBY WIN

LONDON, May 23.—(AP)—The success of the American bred horse, The Scout II., in the Newmarket stakes yesterday, has raised the possibility of an American winning the historic derby at Epsom this year and at the same time giving William Woodward of New York a chance to win both the American and British derbies.

Woodward's Gallant Fox, a half-brother of The Scout II., won the Kentucky derby last Saturday.

The Scout II. had shown consistent improvement recently and yesterday defeated several other derby candidates at Newmarket.

The Scout's success yesterday has shortened the betting odds against him for the derby to 16 to 1, when previously he had been quoted at 33 to 1. Diolite is the favorite at 5 to 1.

GUINEA FOWL TO FURNISH GUNNING

Just in the last year or two the state game commission has been planting a new game bird in the fields of Oregon, the half-domesticated guinea fowl. Sportsmen of the Rogue river valley are particularly interested in the progress of the experiment and many believe the guinea will thrive in the open and furnish great sport for future generations. The farmers are glad to welcome the harsh-voiced bird to the valley, as its raucous alarm-cry frightens hawks and other predatory birds and animals and gives the domestic flocks timely warning of approaching danger.

Pioneers on the Rogue say that guinea fowl were very plentiful in the days before intensive cultivation and irrigation and provided much game for the table. But guinea disappeared, along with the grouse and native pheasant, which are now well-nigh extinct.—Oregonian.

STREET PARADE OF FAST BOATS SATURDAY EVE

Legion Drum Corps to Head Procession of Regatta Craft and Daring Drivers at 8 P. M.

A week of intensive preparation to make the American Legion's second outboard motorboat regatta Sunday afternoon one of the most colorful sport events ever staged in southern Oregon will culminate Saturday night with a big parade through Medford's business district.

The parade will form at 8 p. m. at the Chamber of Commerce building and will be led through the streets by the American Legion Post No. 15 Drum Corps, Harry G. Moore, chairman of the regatta committee, announced today.

All the speedy craft and pilots will participate in the parade and the outboard enthusiasts will have an opportunity to "get a line" on some of the favorites before the boats skim into action Sunday at 1:30 p. m.

Committee to Meet.

In order to clean up a few details such as various rules under which the races will be governed and classification of the score or more boats expected to be entered in the meet, a meeting of the Legion regatta committee and the pilots will be held at the chamber of commerce building at 7:00 p. m., Saturday, Moore announced.

Drawings for pole and other positions in the four classes of races probably will be held at Emigrant dam shortly before Starter C. T. Baker's flag sends the entries on their way in the opening five-mile sprint.

Speed Up Boats.

Most of the activities of the past two days have centered at the lake, where some of the entrants have been putting their boats through speed tests in expectation of shattering a few records Sunday. There has been some very mysterious and secretive mechanical work and testing going on the last few days some of the drivers seeming very reluctant for any one to come near their outfits.

Judging from some of the performances turned in yesterday by Henry Fluhrer, Bunny Thompson, Al Stevens, "Dutch" Welch, Sid Smith, Herb Strang and several others who will line up alongside each other in the Class B and C and free-for-all events, the competition will be exceptionally keen.

Erecting of new gates at the entrance to the lake and remodeling of water facilities will be completed by tonight and installation of an outdoor broadcast system along the shore was started today.

Many New Boats.

One notable feature of the races is the fact that most of the entrants will have new boats powered with brand new Johnson Seahorse engines. Al Stevens' "Miss Medford," powered with a new Seahorse racing type engine is almost a duplicate of Fluhrer's prize winning craft, "Black Friday."

George Hurley and John Flerstein, two well known Albany pilots, who will be here again for the races, sent word that their boats have been remodeled and are now capable of attaining a speed several miles an hour in excess of past performances.

Hurley's boat, "The Golden Slipper," ranked next to Fluhrer's boat in speed at the first meet and if these two pilots have to battle it out again, it will be one of the highlights of the regatta. However Al Stevens' and Dutch Welch's boats are not exactly scows and will give a good account of themselves. With several "dark horses" in the offing it's a certain guess that none of the races will be decided at the starting line.

EGANS ADMIRERS WOULD LEND AID TOWARD TROPHY

In keeping with the recent announcement that this year's state golf tournament will include medal competition for the H. Chandler Egan Friendship trophy, the Rogue Valley Golf club received a letter recently from the state association.

The letter sets forth that since the trophy was suggested for competition, there have been several enthusiastic golfers and admirers of Mr. Egan who have volunteered to make contributions toward the purchase of the trophy. It is felt, however, that the trophy would be more representative if the donors were many in number and represented all clubs in the state.

It is suggested rather than to have the club appropriate the money, members could participate in the purchase of the trophy by making contributions not to exceed one dollar each. Contributions may be mailed to George P. Hitchcock, chairman of the tournament committee, box 401, Eugene.

Deer and Bear Interesting Animals Seen in Crater Lake National Park

The larger animals that are to be seen in Crater Lake national park are varied and interesting, says James H. McCool in his Oregonian feature, Wild Life Lines. The bear, of course, comes to the mind of those who have visited the park. For many years no bears inhabited the park, or if they did, they kept out of sight. The animals were rendered timid by illegal hunters who carried on their activities with comparative freedom because of the lack of a sufficient number of forest rangers properly to patrol the park.

Bruin has come back, however, and, according to estimates of park officials, there are now more than a hundred of the animals there. A score of these are semi-domesticated and will feed right out of the tourist's hand (no pun intended).

There are few deer in Crater Lake park, although some of the other national parks boast of large numbers. E. C. Solinsky, superintendent of Crater, was formerly stationed at Yosemite national park in California. He says deer, fully protected from poachers, have increased rapidly down there and can be seen in and around the park day and night.

"Conditions are quite different in Crater national park. The deer of Yosemite feed on the same range the year around. But because of the heavy snows in winter the deer of Crater park have to migrate to feeding grounds on lower slopes. After these deer have spent a season of petting and pampering in the park, where they are fed and admired by tourists, they become easy prey to illegal hunters when they go into the unprotected region adjacent to the park.

"The elk of Crater park offer a problem, too. There is a small herd of these animals in the park, to which they come from the winter range on the east slope of the Cascade mountains. They need protected range north and east of the park."

BOWMAN REMAINS ON LOCAL LINEUP FOLLOWING FIGHT

A stiff fight was put up yesterday between the Pelicans of Klamath Falls and the Medford Merchants, for the ownership of Jack Bowman, a hard-hitting third baseman of the Timber league. After several hours wrangle, it was decided that Medford had a prior right on the services of Bowman.

The evidence presented by Manager Court Hall was that he had had correspondence with Bowman in regard to playing on the Medford team; that on May 17th satisfactory arrangements were made with Bowman to join the Medford team, and that on May 18th Hall sent Bowman to Klamath Falls, on certain business, with the understanding that Bowman was to return to Medford; but upon arrival at Klamath Falls Bowman was immediately furnished with a uniform and claimed by the management of that town.

Although Klamath Falls put up a hard fight for Bowman, they finally graciously conceded Medford's prior rights by sending Bowman back with Hall.

JACKSONVILLE PLAYS BROWNSBORO SUNDAY

APPLEGATE, Ore., May 23.—(Special.) The baseball game last Sunday at Provolt between Jacksonville and Provolt was very interesting, Jacksonville winning, 27 to 17.

Roland Smith of Ruch plays on the Jacksonville team and they will go to Brownsboro next Sunday May 25 to play the Brownsboro team.

Sport Slants

by Alan J. Gould

It may not mean so much to the public at large, picking its hazardous way through traffic at Broadway and Forty-second street, but it is highly significant to the automobile racing world that the rear of two-seated machines, instead of the wasplsh buzz of single seaters, now can be distinctly heard around the brick speedway at Indianapolis. We have it on the word of Steve Hannegan, the Indianapolis kid himself, that the restoration of two-seating racing machines to the famous 500-mile sweepstakes this May means a Renaissance in the automobile speed world.

"Where were the future drivers trained in the old days?" Demanded Mr. Hannegan. "Why right beside the speed kings of their time—in the mechanic's seat. In the past seven years of single-seated racers, the result has been to reduce the number of first class drivers. The boys either had to go out and drive, with the chance of being bumped off then lack of experience, or remain 'on the ground.'

"Pete de Paolo learned the racing game as a mechanic for his uncle, Ralph de Palma. Pete became national champion in 1925, when he set the Indianapolis record of 101 miles per hour, and repeated in 1927. Now he has two cars entered for the 1930 race, one of which he plans to offer to Uncle Ralph.

"Some of the drivers, like Bob McDonough, don't want to be bothered by mechanics. They prefer to play lone hands . . . Then there's Leon Duray, the 225-pound veteran, whose principle difficulty is in finding a mechanic small enough so his machine won't be over-weighted.

No other classic of the auto racing world can equal the drama of the famous 500-mile Memorial day whirl at Indianapolis. Annually, it draws the biggest crowd of any sports spectacle in America, if not in the world, for close to 150,000 or more can pack up a lunch, crank up the old petrol wagon and find a place to anchor somewhere in proximity to the five-mile race track. . . .

Many of the old favorites are gone now, some dead, others retired, but the names of Ray Harroun, Louis and Gaston Chevrolet, Ralph Mulford, Tommy Milton, Dario Resta, Frank Lockhart, Joe Boyer and Ray Keeck remain linked with the most exciting moments of the roaring road. Still in the spotlight are McDonough, de Paolo, Duray and Lou Meyer, the 25-year-old national champion for the past two years, winner of the 1928 race, runner-up last year to Keech.

The 1928 Indianapolis race was a thriller. Meyer came from nowhere to win it and beat a flock of great drivers. Meyer had never driven a big race, but he was part-owner of a garage, a good mechanic and bitten by the racing bug. Just before the race, he got a chance to buy a car from Red Shafer, who had two himself and wanted to part with one of them. Meyer sold his interest in the garage by long distance telephone, bought the car and won the race.

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BIG PINES LUMBER CO.

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Legion Speedboat Races

Emigrant Lake SUNDAY

LEAGUE LEADS ARE DEFEATED; ALSO BEAVERS

Sacs and Acorns Enter Losses in Standing—Missions Crowded for Lead in Second Division.

(By the Associated Press)

The league leading Sacs and Oaks, victors Wednesday, turned about yesterday and entered losses in their standings, at the hands of Los Angeles and San Francisco, respectively.

The Seals and Oaks got four hits each, but San Francisco made better use of its chances, and scored five runs to Oakland's three. Three of the Seals' tallies were on home runs by Jerry Donovan and Red Wingo.

In the last Thursday game to be played by the Sacs at Stockton, due to the shift to night ball when the team is next at home, the league leaders were downed by the Angels, 8 to 4.

Seattle had to keep plugging into the tenth inning to squeeze out the first win in their series with the Missions, but finally succeeded, by an 8-to-6 score.

Emil Yde, ex-big timer now with Hollywood, got the credit for pitching a victory by throwing just one ball, as the Stars pushed Portland farther into the cellar with a double victory, 7 to 6 and 2 to 1. Yde relieved Johns in the last half of the ninth with two out already, and the first ball he pitched ended the first game. In the second contest Portland got seven hits, and their pitcher, Ortman, held the Stars to three, but the winners bunched theirs to make two runs on them, just enough to win.

The day's encounters closened the race in the first division, and left the Missions with only a slim hold on first place in the second division.

Yesterday's Coast League Results

By the Associated Press.

First game:	R.	H.	E.
Portland	6	11	0
Hollywood	7	10	2
Mays and Palmisano; Johns and Severeid.			
Second game:	R.	H.	E.
Portland	1	7	8
Hollywood	2	3	1
(Seven innings.)			
Ortman and Woodall; Wetzel and Basster.			
At Stockton:	R.	H.	E.
Los Angeles	8	10	0
Sacramento	4	9	2
Walsh, Peters and Hannah; Flynn, Vinci, Thomas and Koehler.			
At San Francisco:	R.	H.	E.
Seattle	8	13	1
Missions	6	11	0
(Ten innings)			
Kunz and Cox; H. Pillette, Castor and Hoffman.			
At Oakland:	R.	H.	E.
San Francisco	5	4	4
Oakland	3	4	0
Jacobs and Gaston; Craghead Edwards and Lombardi.			

Baseball Standings

By the Associated Press.

Coast

	W.	L.	Pct.
Sacramento	26	18	.591
Oakland	26	19	.578
Los Angeles	24	19	.558
San Francisco	24	21	.533
Missions	21	22	.488
Hollywood	21	23	.477
Seattle	28	24	.455
Portland	14	30	.318

National

	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	19	13	.594
Brooklyn	18	13	.581
Pittsburgh	16	13	.552
New York	16	14	.533
Chicago	18	16	.529
Boston	14	16	.467
Cincinnati	12	18	.400
Philadelphia	9	19	.321

American

	W.	L.	Pct.
Washington	24	10	.706
Philadelphia	28	12	.625
Cleveland	17	14	.548
New York	16	14	.533
St. Louis	13	18	.419
Chicago	12	17	.414
Detroit	13	21	.382
Boston	12	21	.364

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