

STANFORD GOLFER LEADING FIELD IN QUALIFYING ROUND

Stampede for Place Among 32 to Continue Battle in Western Amateur Closely Bunched in First Round

By Paul Mickelson, (Associated Press Sports Writer). ROCKFORD, Ill., Aug. 23.—(AP)—A stampede was on today for qualifying berths in the Western amateur golf championship tournament.

Finding the range of the fairways and traps with almost unerring accuracy yesterday, the field was so close that it looked like a pair of 75's in the 36-hole test would be the highest limit to clinch a place among the 32 who will continue the battle for the crown now won by Don Moe of Portland, Ore. Moe was the only male man in the record field of 178 starters, automatically qualifying as champion.

Elcheberger Leads. Harry Elcheberger, Stanford university senior, was out in front of the closely bunched field in the medalist campaign. Banging magic pitch shots, he toured the championship Rockford Country club stretch in 86-84-79 to clip par by one shot.

Two Chicagoans of note, George Dawson and Johnny Lehman, pressed him with 71's, while six others, including shotmakers like Gus Moreland of Dallas, Texas, and Dick Martin, Chicago district champion, trailed with 72's. There were a flock of 74's and 75's, just to lose the entire struggle into a grab bag affair.

Evans Cards 75. Charles Seaver, another Stanford university star of golf and football fame, was among the 75 shooters with Charles "Chick" Evans, Jr., Chicago, eight times holder of the title along with almost every crown in his herday, wasn't so far away with a 75.

As the field lined up for the final 18-hole qualifying test today, a fearful eye was cast toward the 12th hole, a long uphill stretch blossoming into a long, narrow and dangerous green.

Many found their nerves on that hole yesterday, notably Dawson, who came to that spot three under par, got tangled up with the traps and wound up with a seven. Rodney Elias, Nebraska state champion, took an eight on the same hole.

The only semblance of an upset in the first day's round was the play of Keefer Carter, Oklahoma City, former champion of the event. Carter, playing with Elcheberger, took an 80 and followed through by taking a train for home.

RANCOCA'S STABLE GOING AT AUCTION

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., Aug. 23.—(AP)—One of the greatest racing establishments in history—Harry P. Sinclear's Ranococa stable—is being broken up through a dispersal sale. The first half of the Ranococa stock—19 yearlings and 21 brood mares—was auctioned off last night and brought \$41,135, an average of \$1,028. The other half will be sold tonight with the exception of the famous stallions Zev and Grey Lad, which Sinclear expects to keep.

Sinclear's stable won 698 races and earned \$2,105,481 in 10½ years, and a large crowd gathered in the auction paddock to see the stock sold.

DUCKS OPEN WEEK AGAINST SENATORS

(By the Associated Press) Pacific Coast league teams will play split series this week. Hollywood and the Missions will play Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoons in San Francisco, all other games being at night.

The seals are in Los Angeles for three games with the Angels, Oakland is at Portland, and Sacramento at Seattle.

The second half of the week the Seals will return home to play Hollywood, while the Missions go south to play the Angels. Oakland will jump to Seattle and Sacramento to Portland.

Rainbow Trout Transplanted

THE DALLES, Ore., Aug. 23.—(AP)—Thousands of rainbow trout, propagated at the Oak Springs hatchery of the Oregon game commission, near Madupin, are now being distributed in the Deschutes and other streams of this area. The fish are almost of legal size. Ten thousand of them were placed in the Deschutes river near rattlesnake grade.

German Is Bailed In Channel Swim

CAVE GRIS NEZ, France, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Fritz Fischer, a German, who attempted yesterday to swim across the English channel from France, returned here today aboard an escorting boat. He abandoned the swim after 19 hours in the water when he was two miles from Dover.

Grimm Remains As Cub Manager

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Charley Grimm, successor to Rogers Hornsby as manager of the Chicago Cubs, was signed today to lead the team in 1933. The contract was for one year.

Mascot Wins



Ellen Preis of Austria, winner of the Olympic games individual foil championship, carried her mascot, a toy duck, to the games. The mascot was given full credit for her victory, apparently, for it is wearing Miss Preis' championship medal. (Associated Press Photo)

TIPS on Contract

HIDDING OPPONENTS' SUITS. By Tom O'Neil.

Frank Nugent, of the marine and field club of Brooklyn, is one of the players who seldom, if ever, bid games. Some such players, whose average in social and tournament games runs fairly high, are usually content with certain rubber and game in preference to the risk of a set of a trick or two through and unfavorable and unforceable distribution.

If slams are to be bid, however, Nugent has become convinced that the most certain approach to it is an overall of a suit bid by an opponent, when such an overall shows no losses to the overcalling side in such a suit, that is either the ace and king alone or a void.

Nugent sat north when a vulnerable slam was contracted and made on the following cards:

NORTH KARL	
♠ 9 4	
♥ B 6 3	
♦ J 9 7 4 2	
♣ 6	
SOUTH	
♠ K 10 8 7 5	
♥ A 4 2	
♦ K 10 6	
♣ 9 5 3 2	

The dealer opened with one diamond. West passed and north offered two clubs. East made a sound overall of two hearts. The dealer then bid three hearts. Such a bid was a force upon north and a slam invitation. It demanded that he keep the bidding open.

North's natural bid, of course, since he had normal support, was to assist the diamonds, and he bid four. Had north rebid the clubs, which was risky, since he had no indication of how clubs would fit his partner's hand, south would have bid a slam in clubs.

East passed the four diamonds and south bid six diamonds, his deductions from the bidding being that only a spade opening could defeat him, if anything, and there was the mitigating possibility that strength warranting north's first bid might have been partly on an honor in spades.

South took all the tricks because of a club opening by west, the two spades in the south hand being discarded on dummy's clubs after trumps were drawn. West's opening was a hope that east might have been short in clubs.

A spade opening would have enabled east to make his ace of spades, but the slam could not have been defeated.

Lakeview Wool Pool Purchased

PORTLAND, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Purchase of the entire Lakeview wool pool of 1,600,000 pounds at an unrevealed price, was announced here Monday by E. J. Burke & Co., Portland wool merchants. They said it was the largest Pacific northwest deal since 1927 when the Robert Stanford holdings were bought by the Burke company.

YANK ESCUTCHEON FREE OF BLEMISH FROM WHITEWASH

(By the Associated Press)

It seems likely the Yankees, in addition to winning the American league flag in a center, will go right on and round out the campaign without having tasted a shutout defeat.

They have scored at least one run in each of their 119 engagements to date, and with the big guns of their attack, Ruth and Gehrig, going better every day, opposing pitchers apparently face a hopeless task in trying to blank Joe McCarthy's slugger.

No big league club ever has completed a season without at least one shutout. The Yanks have only 36 games to go to crack the record.

Irving (Bump) Hadley, journeyman righthander of the St. Louis Browns, came mighty near applying the brakes yesterday when he set the leaders down, 5 to 1, on four widely scattered hits.

Fred (Fluke) Marberry of the Washington Senators turned Cleveland back with one hit and beat the Indians, 4 to 0.

The Boston Red Sox gained a 5 to 3 triumph over Detroit.

The Chicago Cubs went three full lengths ahead of the field in the National league by trimming the Phillies, 8 to 4, while Brooklyn was idle and Pittsburgh was splitting a pair with the Giants.

Heine Meine pitched the Pirates to a 6 to 1 win over the Giants in the first tilt. The Giants took the nightcap, 4 to 3. Waite Hoyt went the route for the winners.

Boston and St. Louis likewise broke even, the Braves slugging for a 7 to 2 victory in the first and the Cardinals taking the second, 3 to 0.

Brooklyn and Cincinnati were idle.

TALENT TO PLAY AS AREA CHAMPS IN LOCAL SERIES

Another victory was added to Talent's already long list of wins Sunday at Klamath Falls in their return game with the Ewason Red Sox. With the score 15-2 the game was never close. Cook and Cinsater, the regular battery for Talent, held the Reds scoreless to the seventh inning, when they brought in one run with the other coming in the eighth.

This last win leaves Talent alone in the lead for the championship of southern Oregon, with Grants Pass the only other possible contender. Grants Pass was challenged by Talent for August 28, when both teams had that date open, but for some reason they have drawn their tentative acceptance and now do not wish to compete with Talent. Thus Grants Pass is naturally eliminated in the sectional contest with Portland's West Side Babes when that team comes to the Medford fair grounds for a three-game championship series with the winners of the south, September 4 and 5. As this Portland team has the championship of the northern territory, the game Sunday, the 4th, and the double header Labor day, are expected to draw large crowds of fans to the local field.

HOW THEY STAND

(By the Associated Press) American.

New York	82	37	589
Philadelphia	74	48	507
Cleveland	70	52	579
Washington	67	53	538
Detroit	62	58	525
St. Louis	54	64	458
Chicago	37	79	319
Boston	31	89	258

National.			
Chicago	66	51	564
Brooklyn	66	57	537
Pittsburgh	63	57	525
Philadelphia	61	62	496
St. Louis	59	61	492
Boston	61	63	492
New York	58	62	483
Cincinnati	52	73	416

NEGRO SENSATION FIGHTS BYRNE ON DEDICATION CARD

(By the Associated Press)

"Bearcat" Baker, Seattle's sensational colored heavyweight contender, through his manager, Biddy Bishop, veteran Seattle boxing promoter, came forward last night with an offer to fight Jimmy Byrne, the tough rock from Marshfield, on Mack Lillard's dedication fight card here September 1.

After Jack Dempsey himself refused to meet Byrne in the ring lesser lights of the cauliflower brigade have followed suit until Biddy Bishop heard of the local promoter's challenge to the world for an opponent for Byrne.

What's more, Baker is fighting Byrne on a 60-40 basis.

Bearcat Baker is the reigning sensation in Puget Sound rings. In his last three main events in Seattle he knocked out Frank Sawyer, the big Canadian, who fought Leo Lomaki a hard 10-rounder in Medford recently.

Baker's next victim was George Rickard, the Tacoma heavyweight, in one round. Rickard is remembered by his battle here with Gene O'Grady two years ago.

Incidentally, O'Grady, who has been hurling challenges for a fight here, turned down a chance to meet Byrne on the dedication day card.

Next in line was none other than the famous Aberdeen Assassin, Leo Lomaki. Bearcat won the newspaper decision in their six-round tilt at Seattle.

According to Baker's manager, they have been trying to get another crack at Lomaki, but deemed the "Assassin" is wary of the heavy-hitting colored boy.

Promoter Lillard was highly elated over the closing of the match between the two heavies and believes it will be the most savagely contested fight of the year.

Biddy Bishop claims the colored heavyweight championship of the Pacific coast for Baker.

Jimmy Byrne says: "I can lick any negro fighter that ever walked."

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Byrne is a southerner, being born and reared in Louisville, Ky. A northern negro scrapper and a southern white fighter spells action in anybody's ring. Medford is going to have a big fight as part of the new court house dedication program.

California Prune Pool Falls Short. SAN JOSE, Cal., Aug. 23.—(AP)—The California prune pool, sign-up for which closed Saturday midnight,

is 500 tons short of its 17,000-ton quota, officials announced today after an all-night session. Hugh Herzman, general chairman of the pool campaign, announced, however, his belief that the necessary contracts to make the pool effective were in the mail.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 23.—(AP)—George W. Allport, 56, manager of the hardwood department of the Long-Bell Lumber company, is dead here from a cerebral hemorrhage suffered Saturday. He succumbed yesterday at a hospital.

Annual August SALE OF WINTER COATS

We're not exaggerating when we say that the coat values offered in this August coat sale are the greatest in the history of this store—we urge you to select your coat during this sale as the prices quoted in this Advertisement cannot be duplicated on account of the sharp advance on woolsens and furs since these were bought. Remember the first fall coats are always the best.

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