

Fluhrer May Race Today in Emigrant Dam Speed Boat Regatta

FASTEST DRIVERS OF COAST TO VIE IN 14 CONTESTS

Fair Skies And Large Crowd Assured For Second Annual Event Of 20-30 Club.

Helms Fluhrer, local outboard motorboat racing enthusiast, may enter his own boat in the 20-30 club's second annual regatta on Emigrant lake today, action of which starts at 1:30 p. m.

That announcement was made last night by Phil Gilstrap, publicity director of the 20-30 club's regatta committee. Gilstrap said that Fluhrer had not definitely made up his mind, but that from all appearances the local driver was seriously considering entering. Last year, Fluhrer encountered difficulties when, in failing to negotiate a turn, his boat piled up on the bank. Fluhrer is one of the most popular drivers on the coast and all drivers entered are trying to persuade him to compete.

With sunny skies overhead, regatta officials are preparing to take care of 5000 or more spectators. There will be plenty of parking room for automobiles. It was stated, and also rest room facilities.

Competing against some of the most famous racers and boats in America will be several local drivers. They are Moose Mulhreed, Howdy Murray, Jim Dally and Les Gilman. In case Fluhrer decides to enter, Medford will have five men on the water.

Ward Angley of Stockton, Calif., leads the great army of talent that will send their boats of all classes into the competition. Angley last year won the national title, and is also holder of the world's record for C service runabouts with a speed of 48.75 m. p. h.

The regatta today will have the largest number of events to ever be run in Oregon, according to Smith. And will also be the first time that C service hydroplanes have appeared in the state. All events will be run off on a strict time schedule, with the first four races limited to 15 minutes and the others to 15 minutes. There will be 14 events all told.

Intense rivalry will take place between the Seattle drivers and those from California. Smith promised. Drivers from the southern states have slight regard for their northern brothers, and Seattle racers feel the same way toward Californians, Smith said. Leading the Seattle gang will be Jimmy Harland, driving his "Bald Eagle" the boat driven by Jerry Bryant last year. In prize money has been posted by the 20-30 club and the Oregon Outboard Racing association, the latter adding \$40 to that already subscribed by the local organization. To take care of a portion of the drivers' expenses, \$100 of that has been set aside and will be split among the entrants.

Several stunt performances are planned for the meet, one of them being a surboard ride behind a speeding boat by Aubrey Sander, general chairman of the 20-30 club regatta committee. Incoming drivers were welcomed and entertained at the Hotel Emigrant last night by the 20-30 club in an impromptu get-together. Regatta officials who will conduct the meet are Jim Smith, Portland, referee; Leonard Schadd, Portland, inspector; Lew Miles, 20-30, starter; Alton M. Anderson, Medford, 20-30, timer; H. H. Metcalf, Medford, clerk; Herb Brown, Medford, 20-30, pit manager; Phil McManamy, Medford, 20-30, assistant pit manager. Course observers will be Al Stevens, Charles Cook, Walter H. Leverette and Clay Witham.

BASEBALL

(By the United Press) National

New York	R. H. E.
Boston	2 6 1
Castelman, Smith and Danning; MacFayden and Lopez.	3 6 1

Philadelphia	R. H. E.
Brooklyn	4 7 2
Lamaster and Atwood; Frankhouse, Baker and Klumpp.	0 8 3

Cincinnati	R. H. E.
Pittsburgh	8 11 1
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Lucas and Todd; Hallahan, Moore and Lombardi.	

St. Louis	R. H. E.
Chicago	4 9 6
Johnson, Andrews, Ryda and Ogrodowski; Root, Bryant and O'Dea.	11 13 2

Boston	R. H. E.
New York	2 3 1
Walberg, Wilson and R. Perrell; Hadley, Malone and Dickey.	3 7 0

Washington	R. H. E.
Pittsburgh	1 3 0
Appleton and Hogan; Caster and Brucker.	2 5 1

Chicago	R. H. E.
Detroit	4 6 1
Clyde, C. Brown, Chelini and Sewell; Rens, Bridges and Cochrane.	11 12 0

Cleveland	R. H. E.
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ASHLAND RUNNER STEPS 100, 10 SEC. IN TRACK EVENT

Medford Wins Meet With 69 Points, Grants Pass Next With 46, Lithians Third.

Medford high school's track and field team tied up 69 points yesterday afternoon to win the invitational meet staged on the local field. Grants Pass was second with 46 points, Ashland took third with 12, Phoenix fourth with 11, Central Point fifth with 8, and Roseburg and Kerby tied for sixth with 3 each.

Winners and second and third place finishers in all events were presented medals, and winners in the 100 and 440-yard dash, the relay and the victorious team were awarded trophies. The Medford high school girls' drum corps performed before the large crowd after the running of the mile event.

Results follow: 100-Yard Dash—Won by Caton, Ashland; Grimes, Central Point, second; Childers, Medford, third; Estinger, Medford, fourth. Time—10 flat.

220-Yard Dash—Won by Grimes, Central Point; Crooby, Medford, second; Caton, Ashland, third; Tycer, Medford, fourth. Time—23.3. 440-Yard Dash—Won by Linnell, Medford; Duncan, Roseburg, second; Abbott, Medford, third; Dickey, Medford, fourth. Time—33.9.

Half-Mile—Won by Linnell, Medford; McCollum, Grants Pass, second; Werner, Medford, third; Hensler, Phoenix, fourth. Time—2:06. Mile—Won by McCollum, Grants Pass; Barker, Medford, second; Prentice, Kerby, third; Drake, Grants Pass, fourth. Time—4:44.

High Jump—Won by Norton, Grants Pass; Horner, Medford, second; Olson, Phoenix, third; Newlin, Medford, fourth. Height—5 feet 8 inches. Broad Jump—Won by Estinger, Medford; Olson, Phoenix, second; Kramer, Grants Pass, third; Norton, Grants Pass, fourth. Distance—20 feet 6 inches.

Discus—Won by Ingram, Grants Pass; Pritchett, Grants Pass, second; Howard, Medford, third; Hill, Medford, fourth. Distance—109 feet 4 inches. Shotput—Won by Prusse, Grants Pass; Pritchett, Grants Pass, second; Tycer, Medford, third; Ingram, Grants Pass, fourth. Distance—44 feet 1 1/2 inches.

EX-BEAVER STAR ALLOWS 3 BLOWS TO BEAT SOLONS

PHILADELPHIA, May 1.—(AP)—The Athletics defeated Washington, 2 to 1 today for the fourth straight time as George Caster, a 28-year-old rookie from Portland, Ore., beat Pete Appleton in a pitcher's battle. Caster yielded only three hits and Appleton five.

Caster, who also defeated Appleton April 23 at Washington in his first start, pitched six hitless innings before Joe Kuhel opened the seventh with an infield single. Score: R. H. E. Washington 1 3 0 Philadelphia 2 3 1 Appleton and Hogan; Caster and Brucker.

ST. LOUIS, May 1.—(AP)—Scoring two runs in the eighth inning, the St. Louis Browns defeated the Cleveland Indians today 3 to 2. Score: R. H. E. Cleveland 2 3 0 St. Louis 3 14 2 Galehouse and Pytkak; Hogsett, Knott and Hensley.

NEW YORK, May 1.—(AP)—Joe DiMaggio, minus his tonsils but with his batting eye still intact, played his first full game of the 1937 season today and collected three straight hits as the Yankees noosed out the Boston Red Sox 3 to 2 before a crowd of 34,381.

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DETROIT, May 1.—(AP)—Veteran Tommy Bridges, making a delayed 1937 debut because of injuries, weathered a three-inning attack to hurl the Detroit Tigers to an 11 to 4 victory over Chicago's White Sox. He scattered six Chicago hits.

CUBS MAUL CARDS FOR SECOND LOSS; GIANTS DEFEATED

CHICAGO, May 1.—(AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals' gas house gang blew up with a reverberating bang at Wrigley field today, taking an 11 to 4 licking from the Chicago Cubs. It was the Cardinals' second loss of the season.

The Bruins blasted four St. Louis batters for 13 hits and took full advantage of six St. Louis errors. Joe Marty, rookie outfielder, helped the Cub attack along with a double and two singles, while Frank Demaree and Ken O'Dea also had three hits each. Score: R. H. E. St. Louis 2 6 1 Chicago 11 13 2 Johnson, McGee, Andrews, Ryda and Ogrodowski; Root, Bryant and O'Dea.

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MEDFORD TO PLAY GRANTS PASS IN SEASON'S OPENER

It will be either Ray Tungate or Ray Erickson on the mound for the Medford baseball club today in Grants Pass in the Southern Oregon League opener. Manager Mike Balkovick announced last night. The opener is scheduled to start at 2:30 p. m. before the largest inauspicious crowd in years.

Manager Balkovick said that he wouldn't be certain until just before game time which of the two young right-handers would wheel them over for the locals. Both have been looking great in workouts all week, he stated, and it was practically a toss-up as to which would open fire. The remainder of the Medford lineup is fairly well established. Balkovick will wear the big mitt and mask. On first base will be either Virgil Swanson, a terrific right-handed hitter, or Hoffman, a sweet fielder.

Wally Rickert will hold down second base; Dick Lewis will be at the short patch, and Donovan, possessor of the remarkable arm, will cover the hot corner. That infield, according to experts, will rank with the finest in the circuit. In the outer garden, Malcolm Sine or Paul Sakraida will be in right, Dick Sakraida will patrol the middle position, and either Ray Lewis or George Gitzon will take care of left. Gitzon, Balkovick said, may also catch a few innings.

Starting hurler for Grants Pass is not known from among four youngsters, Hugh Hartman, transferred from first base, will do the catching. The Merchants, managed by Jud Pernell, will consist of young ball players in every position; but three, Hartman, Melvin McCarthy on first and Chuck Ostrum in center field are the lone holdovers from last year's club which finished third in the pennant race. Likewise, Medford will present a young team, probably the most youthful in the league. Balkovick, Rickert, Swanson, Donovan and Dick Lewis are the only experienced players on the roster, and all are still far from their prime.

Other league openers will see Ashland entertaining Crescent City and Roseburg traveling to Glendale. A large percentage of hogs consigned for sale at large central markets are shipped elsewhere for slaughter.

32 Auto Speeders Enter May 31 Race

INDIANAPOLIS, May 1.—(AP)—Entries for the annual 500 mile motor speedway race here May 31 reached 32 today with the lists due to close at midnight tonight. Speedway officials expect at least thirty more entries. Two former winners of the 500 mile race already are entered. They are Louis Meyer of Huntington Park, Calif., three-time winner, and Bill Cummings of Indianapolis, victor in 1934.

The largest single entry thus far has come from Joel Thrope, young New York sportsman. Thrope has entered seven cars and will drive one of them himself.

Insist On Delicious Lost River BUTTER

TOOTS ESTES OUT FOR REVENGE IN ALVIN BRITT GO

Revenge will burn deeply in the heart of the popular Toots Estes tomorrow night in the Medford Armory when he tangles with Alvin Britt, he of the devastating arm breaker. Last week in Klamath Falls, Estes felt the full fury of the hold that is barred in most states, but not in Oregon, and has vowed to all that he will retaliate for the beating.

One of the fastest grapplers to ever appear in Medford, Estes will have his work cut out for him. The consensus among the so-called grappling experts is that if he can stay clear of the arm breaker, and at the same time wear down the husky Britt, he stands a good chance of defeating the ex-junior heavyweight champion of the world. If not, the wise guys say, he will again prove just another victim for the arm-breaking Britt, who is not so well-liked since beginning use of the painful hold.

In the middle event, Pete Belcastro, who fell before the arm-breaker last Monday eve, will attempt to regain some of his lost prestige at the expense of Billy McEwen, a tough monkey in anybody's league. Belcastro will considerably outweigh the clean-grappling McEwen, but in turn will probably be out-speeded considerably. McEwen will have added incentive to win because of his pretty wife, who does much rooting from the sidelines and nursing between rounds.

Pat "Popeye" O'Brien and Duke Pettigrove will tangle in the opener, in a match that has all the earmarks of being one of those knock-down-and-drag-out affairs. Pettigrove is one of the dirtiest men in the game and O'Brien can act plenty tough-handed when the occasion demands.

Javelin—Won by Fowler, Ashland; Ingram, Grants Pass, second; Purry, Phoenix, third; Olson, Phoenix, fourth. Distance—164 feet 5 1/2 inches. Pole Vault—Won by Hill, Medford; Jackson, Grants Pass, second; Olson, Phoenix, third; Dixon, Grants Pass, fourth. Height—11 feet. Relay—Won by Medford (Crooby, Childers, Bowman and Hill); Grants Pass, second; Kerby, third. Time—1:38.5.

SAGS SLAUGHTER REDS, 18 TO FIVE

SAN FRANCISCO, May 1.—(AP)—The Sacramento Solons recorded their fifth consecutive triumph over the San Francisco Missions today, winning 18 to 5. Score: R. H. E. Sacramento 18 19 1 Missions 5 11 4 Schmidt and Cooper, Clark; Bolen, Nicholas, Fleming and Outen.

SAN DIEGO, Calif., May 1.—(AP)—Howard Craghead's six-hit pitching and batting featured the San Diego Padres' 8 to 1 win over Oakland here today. He walloped a double and a single to drive in most of the time. Score: R. H. E. Oakland 1 6 0 San Diego 8 11 1 Zreuer, Serventi and Raimondi; Baker, Craghead and Detore.

Freshmen horticulture students at Oklahoma A. and M. college get practical experience in gardening by raising gardens on college plots.

VAROFF STAR OF OREGON'S DEFEAT

SEATTLE, May 1.—(AP)—The Washington Huskies trounced the University of Oregon 88 to 44 in a dual track and field competition here today, with George Varoff, Oregon's former world pole vault record holder, accounting for the only new northwest dual meet mark.

Varoff cleared the bar easily at 13 feet 6 inches, but stopped there because of a troublesome leg muscle injured in last Monday's practice. Varoff's mark is 2 1/2 inches above the old record established by Bobbie Robinson of Oregon in 1931, and a foot higher than Childs (W) vaulted today to take second.

Washington swept the running events, with Marion Hay taking both sprints and Fred Stutfield both hurdles. Hay's 9.7 hundred was only 1-10 second short of the dual mark first posted by Dan Kelly (O) 31 years ago and equalled four times.

TALENT COPS ITS FIFTH STRAIGHT

Dick Skeeters pitched and batted Talent high school to its fifth straight Jackson county class B league baseball victory at Jacksonville Friday afternoon, 16-2. The young right-hander fanned 10 and allowed only three hits while his teammates pounded Johnson for 21 safeties. At the plate, Skeeters collected four nits in as many trips.

Bill Gielem, Talent second baseman, clouted a homer, and Maxson, shortstop, hit four singles in six trips. Childers and Klimek each socked three safeties. Score: R. H. E. Talent 16 21 1 Jacksonville 2 3 1 Batteries: Skeeters and Childers; Johnson and Pursell.

British Challengers American Cup, Sail GOSPORT, England, May 1.—(AP)—Great Britain's challengers for the America's cup—Endeavor I and Endeavor II—started across the Atlantic today to the echoing cheers of thousands of spectators. On their slim hulls ride the hopes of their sportsman-owner, T. O. M. Sopwith, of capturing the cup Sir Thomas Lipton sought so long in vain and which Endeavor I failed to take from Harold S. Vanderbilt's Rainbow in 1934.

The craft were towed from the harbor by a motor yacht and trawler which have been engaged to take them across the Atlantic.

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