

Stagehand, Kentucky Derby Favorite, Scratched Account of Illness

COLT SUFFERING FROM HIGH FEVER IS ANNOUNCEMENT

Trainer Sande Says Hope Not Entirely Given Up As Horse May Recover in Time for Saturday Race

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 3.—(AP)—Stagehand was declared out of the Kentucky derby today by Maxwell Howard, Dayton, Ohio, owner of the winter book favorite, Howard said the colt developed a high temperature last night and showed no improvement this morning.

Earl Sande, former premier jockey who has trained Stagehand and the Chief for Howard, said he had not entirely given up hope of winning the derby as the Chief is regarded as a formidable runner. Sande added there was still an outside chance that Stagehand might come around in time to run Saturday but that if he didn't run in the derby he would not be able to compete in the Preakness May 14 either.

Howard issued this statement: "As a protection to the public, whose affection for Stagehand, the favorite for the Kentucky derby, has been most unusual, owing to his recent California racing triumphs, I think it only right and fair that the public should have this information at once."

Sande added that with Stagehand out, Jack Westrope who had been chosen to ride him in the derby would be on the Chief.

FOSTER IS GIVEN NOD OVER MIDNIGHT BELL

OAKLAND, Calif., May 3.—(AP)—Dick Foster, youthful Berkeley, Calif. middleweight, pounded out a ten-round decision over Midnight Bell, Portland negro, here last night in a fight that was a slugfest match from start to finish.

Bell, substituting for Dale Sparr of Olathe, Colo., injured in training, floored Foster for a two-count in the seventh with a right to the chin but the Berkeley fighter came back strong and earned a draw for the round.

Foster had the negro wobbly in the final count.

Foster weighed 157 and Bell 154.

FORMER 'BLACK SOX' TO PLAY WITH YREKA

Echoes of the infamous 1919 World Series baseball scandal involving players of the Chicago "Black Sox" will be heard in the Southern Oregon league this season.

Suede Risberg, one of the members of the Chicago club found guilty of selling out his team to gamblers in the World Series against Cincinnati, will play ball for Yreka, Calif. It was revealed today in the roster received from Yreka by Austin Frazier, secretary of the S. O. L.

Barred from organized baseball for life, Risberg has, since the scandal, played independent baseball in various sections of the country. Several years ago he was employed and played ball in Klamath Falls.

Escobar Receives Ten-Round Lesson

NEW YORK, May 3.—(AP)—Sixto Escobar, the little Puerto Rican who holds the bantamweight championship, will think twice before he invades the featherweight ranks again. He ran into Nat Littin, Bronx feather at the Hippodrome last night, and Littin gave him a thorough licking in 10 rounds. Each weighed 122.

Littin left-jabbed the champion off balance most of the way and held a narrow margin at the finish. Sixto's face was puffed at the end of the bout and his left eye partly closed. The Puerto Rican could score only when his opponent elected to slug with him and that wasn't often.

Beavers Win 7-4 On Idaho Errors

CORVALLIS, May 3.—(AP)—Oregon State college chalked up its fourth northern division baseball victory yesterday by defeating the University of Idaho, 7 to 4.

Idaho tapped out 11 hits but errors on the slippery field and lousy Beaver hitting gave Oregon State a 4 to 1 advantage at the end of the fourth inning.

Score: R. H. E.
Idaho 4 11 5
Oregon State 7 13 3
Stoddard and Price; Tukami and Orell.

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Stagehand, shown above with jockey Jack Westrope up, one of the favorites for the Kentucky Derby at historic Churchill Downs, was scratched today, owing to development of a fever. The bay colt, heavy money winner at Santa Anita this year, is owned by Maxwell Howard and has been trained by Earl Sande.

Sport Graphs

Billy Hulen says:

Ashland Dedicates Field Lights With Grid Tilt Tuesday

It was a long, hard pull, with plenty of humps in the road to surmount, but Ashland high is at last on an equal footing with other southern Oregon institutions in the matter of football field facilities.

Next Tuesday night, the Grizzlies will dedicate their newly lighted gridiron with a gigantic struggle between the next season's varsity squad and the graduating seniors. The encounter will climax several weeks of spring practice for Coach Skeet O'Connell's 1938 aggregation, and will give a pretty clear insight of what to expect from the Grizzlies come next fall.

Ashland's action in moving its football out under the stars and glimmers makes it unanimous in the Southern Oregon conference; the boys will do all their blocking and tackling at night next season. Grants Pass and Klamath Falls went for the lamps in 1936, and Medford followed suit last year. When those three schools shattered attendance records with their night games and the money started to pile up in the box office, Ashland saw the light. As a result, there will be little daytime football displayed next autumn, which is OK with all concerned.

Just one more step remains to be taken, and Ashland will have a football field to compare with that of Medford's, the finest in the state, and that is turfing. Coach O'Connell said grass would almost certainly be planted for the 1939 season. Klamath Falls will play on turf next season, and probably by 1939 Grants Pass will lay down a carpet of lawn. When, and if, such occurs, what a football setup there will be here in southern Oregon—lights and turf on all four gridirons. Really big time stuff.

About this football game Tuesday night, O'Connell assures us it will be the real McCoy, and something of a grudge battle. It seems the graduating seniors have been popping off around town to the tune of a win by 18 tallies, and that the varsity doesn't like it much. O'Connell says his outfit is honestly in great condition following plenty of tough spring practice scrimmage sessions, and that fans will witness an honest-to-goodness pigskin clash. The game

will consist of regulation quarters of 12 minutes each, and be conducted like any official encounter. Jean Eberhart of Southern Oregon Normal and Clyde Young will do the officiating.

Skeet said Ashland would have a pretty fair team next season. Five lettermen will return, all of whom will participate in the brawl Tuesday, and several newcomers are developing nicely, he explained. Charlie Warren at quarter, Harris at full, and Bob Gregory are the returning backs, and Joe Jessel, end, and Brady, guard, will be on hand in the forward wall. The mentor is especially pleased with the spring practice performance of Noeler and Lindsay, tackles. The varsity team will be completed with Ardie Warren, halfback; Silver, end; Williams, center; and E. Schilling, guard.

Leonard Warren, SONS footballer last year and former Grizzly star, has been coaching the graduating aggregation, and will come up with a lineup studied with stars. It includes Stewart and Jones, ends; Schilling and Ring, tackles; Bell and Forsythe, guard; Schelderean, center; Weaver, quarter; McLean, fullback; Caton is the half-pint sprint star who last Friday night whizzed over a slow and wet track here in 10.1 in the 100-yard dash. There is also a possibility that Steve Fowler, now a Webfoot at Eugene, but formerly Grizzly fullback, will journey down for the game.

Appropriate ceremonies will take place as Ashland gets its first glimpse of night football lights, and also its first spring gridiron clash. Mayor T. S. Wiley will make a speech, and Dr. R. L. Buehler, member of the school board, will push a button to turn on the lights. There will also be a hand music gala, and it will be a rather nice occasion in all respects.

Although one of the wealthiest towns in the major leagues, Detroit has not followed the style of extensive minor league holdings, like the St. Louis Cardinals and New York Yankees, and conducts its search for development of young players in a far different manner.

The Tigers, owned by Millionaire Walter O. Briggs, Sr., has only one minor league farm—Birmingham of the Class A-1 Texas league—and Justin Fitzgerald, Santa Clara baseball coach and Detroit scout, told us that the Tigers were not overly interested in any youngster that didn't display positive promise of developing into a major leaguer.

"St. Louis, New York and other big league clubs who own many minor league farm teams, will pick up almost any kid that looks good," Fitzgerald said. "They have to be it to keep their farm clubs supplied with players. Detroit doesn't work like that. Unless a youngster shows rare promise, we don't fool with him."

Weather.
Northern California: Fair tonight and Friday; warmer in interior Friday; fresh northerly wind off the coast.
Oregon: Fair east and generally cloudy west portion tonight and Friday; local frosts or freezing temperatures east portion Friday morning; moderate west to northwest wind off the coast.

Catfish Derby Management Invites All Candidates to Attend and Make Speeches

As an added feature of unusual entertainment value, all candidates for public office will be invited to speak at the second annual national catfish derby at Emigrant lake near Ashland, Sunday, May 15. It was announced today by Frank Peri, derby association president.

"This will be a wonderful opportunity for both the candidates and the spectators," Mr. Peri emphasized. "It will be only five days before the primary election and the big sports event will afford the candidates one of their final chances to address an audience. And at the catfish derby they will probably have the largest audience of the campaign."

Each candidate who speaks will pay a privilege fee of two bits to help defray derby expenses, Mr. Peri said. The talks will be limited to three minutes unless the candidates want to pay four bits, in which case they may talk for five minutes, he related.

"The important part, however, is that the candidates must tell a 'fish yarn,'" Mr. Peri stated. "There will be no hokey about what they are going to do for the people if they are elected. The whole catfish derby celebration must be kept on a non-partisan basis."

Fish Stories Wanted
"The candidate who tells the best fish story, as judged by spectator applause, will be charged an additional fee of four bits," Mr. Peri emphasized. "This additional charge ought to produce some excellent yarns."

Hearing of the new derby feature, sportsmen were of the opinion that Candidate Frank Rector ought to come off with story-telling nonpareils. Mr. Rector, it was said, has the edge of the other candidates because he is what Gov. Charles H. Martin calls a "fishing nut." Nothing pleases Mr. Rector more than to be the fisherman out for the season as the various streams and lakes are opened to angling. And when it comes to telling about his angling process, well, Mr. Rector is in a class by himself.

Greenbeater Renowned
It is figured that when it comes to fish story telling Mr. Rector could be beaten, and beaten badly, by Deputy Sheriff Bill Greenbeater, but Bill is not a candidate for office and so is disqualified to enter the story-telling contest.

Candidates Bill Coleman and Jerry Jerome are considered good story tellers too, but their yarns run along different lines. It is believed, however, that they can rise to the occasion and change the subject of their tales to bring in the fishing angle.

A loud speaker system will be used at the lake site so that all can hear the talks and everything else that goes on at the derby.

TIGER ATHLETES TO GRANTS PASS FRIDAY
About 25 varsity track and field athletes of Medford high school move to Grants Pass Friday afternoon for a dual meet with the Cavemen, starting at 2 o'clock.

The meet will be the last for the Tigers before the Southern Oregon conference affair here May 14, at which time qualifiers for the state meet will be determined.

NEW PHILADELPHIA, O. (UP)—A large hog collided with William Carpenter of Hummel Valley and Carpenter suffered a fractured leg as a result of the collision.

PROVIDENCE, R. I. (UP)—A jilted boy friend attempted to discount his romance by deducting \$160 under the "bad debts" column on his income tax return. He said he spent the money on a hope chest and diamond ring for his girl last year. But Uncle Sam's deputy collector ruled "No."

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WASHINGTON, May 3.—(AP)—The United States army has one of the most famous collections of race horses in the world.

The fact came to light today after filing of a suit in federal district court by Mrs. Agnes Allen of New York, seeking the return to her of the race horse Vanderpool, purchased five years ago by the war department.

Scattered at army posts and used for breeding purposes are thoroughbreds which once crashed the headlines of the nation's newspapers. Some made fortunes for their owners. Now they serve to raise the standard of the army's cavalry horses.

The famous Aga Khan is in Texas. He won the Lawrence realization stake in 1924.

Pillory is in Nebraska, musing on the great days when he won, in 1922 both the Preakness and the Belmont in Oklahoma is Coventry, who won the Preakness in 1923.

Captain Alcock, now in Colorado, won the Havre de Grace handicap in 1921 and the Suburban handicap in 1922.

Chilhowee is grazing at Front Royal, Va., after a fine record of victories. In 1924 he won the Latonia championship, the Latonia derby, and the Breeders' Futurity.

HOW THEY STAND

Coast	W.	L.	Pct.
Hollywood	19	13	594
Portland	18	14	563
Los Angeles	18	14	563
San Diego	17	15	531
Sacramento	17	15	531
San Francisco	15	17	469
Seattle	14	19	424
Oakland	11	22	333

National	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	13	2	867
Chicago	10	6	625
Pittsburgh	9	6	600
Boston	5	6	455
Cincinnati	6	8	429
Brooklyn	6	9	400
St. Louis	6	10	375
Philadelphia	3	11	214

American	W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland	11	4	733
New York	10	7	588
Washington	9	7	563
Boston	6	7	463
Chicago	6	7	463
Philadelphia	5	9	357
St. Louis	5	10	333

KENASTON MEETS SECRET MONDAY

Next Monday night's wrestling program in the Medford armory was announced today by Promoter Mack Lillard as follows: Sgt. Bob Kenaston versus the Black Secret in the main event. Red Lyons versus Bobby Chick in the middle engagement, and Tony Garibaldi versus Fritz Hansen in the opener.

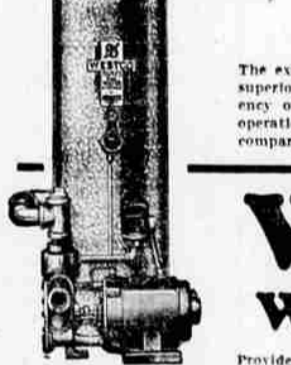
Garibaldi, a newcomer to southern Oregon, is reportedly a clean and

REGISTERED SHOOT AT TRAP GROUNDS SUNDAY
Another registered trapshoot will be staged by the Medford Gun club at its grounds near the airport next Sunday, with attractive prizes to be awarded winners in the several events.

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MORGAN AND HUGHES IN ALL-STAR LINEUP

EUGENE, May 3.—(AP)—A University of Oregon football team composed of veteran and sophomore material will play an out-of-season exhibition contest Saturday against a group of all-stars.

The Stars' lineup will include such former Webfoot grid heroes as Del Bjork, Stan Rlordan, Tony Amato, Butch Morse, Ross Carter, Bill Morgan and Bernie Hughes.

The contest will provide Tex Oliver, new Oregon coach, with the first inspection of his next season's varsity under the stress of competition.

CENTRAL PT. ATHLETES WIN TRIANGULAR MEET

Central Point high grabbed seven first places and scored 58 points to win a triangular track and field meet at Jacksonville Tuesday afternoon. Phoenix was second with 36 1/2 points and Jacksonville third with 31 1/2 tallies.

Blue O'Connor, Pointer weight star, took four firsts, winning the shot-put, discus, javelin and high jump.

Closing time for Too Late to Classify Ads is 1:30 p. m.

RAINIER THIRD SACKER SHINES AT BAT AFTER SUFFERING BEAN BALL

By the Associated Press
Evidently all that the Seattle baseball team, in seventh place in the Pacific coast league, needs is to beat Third Baseman Dick Gyselman batted at regular intervals.

Tuesday night a ball was banded off Gyselman's noggin so hard he was forced to retire from the game and San Francisco's Seals won.

Braced by a good night's sleep and a couple of aspirin tablets Gyselman yesterday single-handedly defeated the Seals, 9 to 2. All he did was hit a single, double, three bagger, a home run with one on base, score four runs himself, but in three more and steal three bases.

Johnny Babich pitched the Hollywood Stars into first place when he won his fifth consecutive game by limiting the Peninsula Beavers to four scattered hits. The score was 4 to 0.

With the bases loaded and two out in the ninth inning, Max Marshall, Sacramento outfielder, dropped a fly ball to let Los Angeles score three runs and win the game, 5 to 4.

San Diego made it two in a row over the Oakland Aacorns by a 4 to 0 score. It was the fifth straight win for the San Diego outfit.

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