

Three Upsets Registered as Eight Golfers Reach Quarter-Finals

HAMMOND AMONG THOSE FALLING IN MATCH PLAY

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one-handicap man from the Eugene Country club. They, with Dick Hansen, shot 71's Friday to deadlock for the medal prize. A nine-hole playoff among the trio will be held this afternoon or Monday to determine which one receives the medal award.

Perhaps the most surprising result of Saturday's play was the defeat of Hammond by Medford's Bayard M. Getchell, who hadn't picked up a golf club before the qualifying round since last year's Southern Oregon-Northern California tournament, and whose game was usually in the 80's. Getchell defeated the two-time tourney winner, 3 and 1.

Almost as amazing to observers of the classic was the 2 and 1 setback suffered by Johnson at the hands of Gene Green of Roseburg, another player whose year-around cards run in the 80's, while Johnson is a consistent middle and low 70 performer.

The third form reversal occurred when Vern J. Robinson, Medford insurance man with an 11 handicap, eliminated George Parsons of Seattle, 1 up on the 18th green by virtue of sinking a spectacular 25-foot putt. Robinson fired a 76 medal score to defeat his four-handicap opponent.

Upsetters Ousted
However, after overturning favored foes in the first round in the morning, Getchell, Green and Robinson were themselves shoved out of the running in the afternoon second rounds.

All other favorites registered twin victories as they marched into the quarter-finals. Hansen, who brought the highest price in the Calcutta pool bidding, \$26, hurdled C. Morelock of Cottage Grove, 5 and 4 in the first round thanks to eight pars and two birdies, and husky Marvin Clark of Grants Pass, 5 and 3, in the second round.

Cy Donaldson, the young San Franciscan many are predicting will make a stiff fight for the crown, ousted E. R. Lemley of Cottage Grove, 4 and 3; then measured Portland's Lucian Clement, 8 and 7, with a blistering 35, one under par, on the first nine. Clement was last year's medalist with a 69; Seattle's Forest Watson, 49-year-old former northwest amateur champion, brushed past H. Johnson of Grants Pass, 3 and 2, and moved into the quarter-finals with a 2 and 1 conquest of Roseburg's Gene Green.

Simmons Advances
Eddie Simmons, only four time winner of the tournament, had two fairly easy matches. In the morning he conquered C. Woods of Klamath Falls, 7 and 6 by firing a one-over-par 37 on the first nine, and in the afternoon he defeated William Zimmerly of Cottage Grove, 4 and 3.

Jack Creager, also of Medford, reached the round-of-eight with a 6 and 5 victory over Gus Malmquist of San Francisco, and a 5 and 4 win over Bayard Getchell.

A former caddy at the Rogue Valley club, Roseburg's Alva Merritt displayed excellent golf in trimming Earl Voorhies of Grants Pass, 2 and 1, and Jack F. Heath of Longview, Wash., 6 and 5. Merritt was especially torrid in the afternoon match, being one under par when the duel ended.

Completing the quarter-final bracket were Leland (Pete) Clark of Medford, finalist two years ago and medalist for three straight years, who eliminated Medford's Ken Patton, 8 and 6 with a par-36 on the first nine and two pars and a birdie on the back nine, and Hobard Price of Medford, 4 and 3, and Medford's Ike Staples, who defeated M. Hodge of Grants Pass by default and Vern Robinson of Medford, 5 and 3.

Clark Liked
Close observers of the tour-

nament were inclined to believe that Clark, one of those "always a bridesmaid and never a bride" players because for years he has come so close to winning, yet never could quite go over the top, would probably reach the finals in the lower bracket of the title flight, while the upper bracket of four was termed nothing less than a "dog fight."

Most of the interest in this morning's matches was centered on the Hansen-Donaldson clash, a goodly number of the prognosticators naming the winner of this duel the ultimate champion, although Watson, Simmons, Merritt, Clark and the others all had their supporters.

The field of 96, while boasting probably more high-class players than any other tourney, was rather disappointing as to size to club officials. There were 50 out-of-town golfers entered and only 46 localities.

Finals Monday
Quarter-final and semi-final matches in all flights will be played today, with the finals in all flights staged Monday. The championship match will be of 36 holes, the morning 18 starting at 9:35 and the final 18 at 1:30. Other flight finals will be over the 18-hole route and will be played Monday morning.

ANGELS BAT OUT WIN OVER OAKS

Los Angeles, Aug. 30.—(AP)—The batting ability of Johnny Moore and Frankie Totaro's trusty left arm combined to snap Los Angeles' five-game losing streak today as the Angels slaughtered Oakland 11 to 1.

R. H. E.
Oakland 1 7 0
Los Angeles 11 17 0
Pippen, Mulligan and Conroy; Totaro and Campbell.

San Francisco, Aug. 30.—(AP)—Hollywood nosed out the San Francisco Seals 3 to 2 today as Johnny Bittner held the Seals to six hits while the Stars bunched nine off Ed Stutz.

R. H. E.
Hollywood 3 9 1
San Francisco 2 6 2
Bittner and Dapper; Stutz and Sprinz.

BEN HOGAN LEADS OPEN GOLF PLAY

Hershey, Pa., Aug. 30.—(AP)—Ben Hogan, riding the crest of a great par-busting streak, shot a smart 69 in the third round of the \$3,000 Hershey open golf championship today for a total of 205 and a three stroke lead over Lloyd Mangrum, of Montevideo, Cal.

Fourteen under par for the distance, Hogan needs only a 74, one over, tomorrow to break Henry Picard's record of 780 for this tournament, established in 1937.

SPECIAL FEE FOR GAME AREA HUNT
Corvallis, Aug. 30.—(AP)—Some pheasant hunters, for a \$2 special fee, will be almost certain to get game and at the same time aid the state's game management program.

The Soap Creek experimental game area north of Corvallis will be open to hunters, on payment of the fee, and an observer will accompany each group to record data for later use.

Since the experimental area is on the proposed army cantonment site, it will be discontinued when the army takes over.

WARD OVERCOMES OMAHA HOSTILITY; WINS GOLF TITLE

Unruly Gallery Lectured After Unfair Tactics Favoring Abbott.

By Bill Boni

Omaha, Aug. 30.—(AP)—A true champion was crowned at the Omaha Field club today—a self-assured, 28-year-old westerner who had to overcome what undoubtedly was the toughest combination of obstacles in the 47-year history of the U. S. Golf association's amateur championship.

The champion is Marvin Harvey Ward of Spokane, Wash., whose friends call him "Bud" but who discovered today that apparently he doesn't have a friend in Omaha.

The obstacles, in the order in which they stood between him and his second amateur title, were Pat Abbott, handsome young Los Angeles player who was matched with him in the 36-hole final; the Field club course, with its tight fairways, and hidden, slick greens, and a boisterous, unruly gallery of 3,000 that had come out to see Abbott win and didn't care who knew it.

That, at least, was the most charitable interpretation that could be put on their actions notably on the 24th hole in the afternoon. It was there that six people got in front of Abbott's ball when it was on its way over the green, after having been warned to be alert so they could move out of the way if necessary, and thus stopped the ball on the fringe of the green and in none too serious trouble.

Perhaps this was accidental. Harold W. Pierce of Boston, the U.S.G.A. president, said he thought so. Yet after a marshal, in the ensuing scramble for places around the green, had kicked Abbott's ball onto the green, this time genuinely by accident, Pierce himself felt it was necessary to step to the center of the green and deliver a lecture on proper gallery conduct which opened with the statement that "we all know what is happening here today."

Again, perhaps it was accidental. Then it must have been coincidence that on the 31st hole, with Ward's approach shot rolling fast toward the back of the green, someone shouted "Let her go through," and the crowd standing on the fringe moved fast enough so that there wasn't anyone in the way of the ball when it came on over and down the back edge.

Joseph C. Day, Jr., of New York, the U.S.G.A.'s executive secretary, said he never had seen such demonstrations and Pierce admitted he never had seen such animosity in a gallery. Back of it all, apparently, was a wide-spread story that Ward on his first day had labeled the course a "cow pasture"—a remark he denies ever having made, though he admits quite frankly it was in none too good condition.

The finish of the match, on the 33rd hole with Ward the winner by 4 and 3, was entirely typical. No sooner had Abbott, who had taken five to reach the green on this par-4 hole, made the gesture which conceded the hole and the match to Ward than two huskies rushed forward and hoisted the loser on their shoulders while the new champion was left alone until someone shouted: "How about Ward."

Despite all this turmoil, the match itself was by no means secondary.

It was a good match, but one in which only one stage did

there appear even a shade of doubt that Ward would be the winner.

YANKS ELIMINATE TIGERS AND BEAT WASHINGTON 8 TO 1

Washington, Aug. 30.—(AP)—The New York Yankees turned loose an 11-hit bombardment on three pitchers today and whipped the Washington Senators 8 to 1 in a game that mathematically eliminated last year's American league champions, the Detroit Tigers, from the present pennant race.

Although the Tigers won today, they have been beaten 68 times while New York could lose only 67 if they didn't win another game this year.

Marvin Breuer pitched steady six-hit ball against the Senators and missed a shutout only through an error in the sixth.

R. H. E.
New York 3 11 1
Washington 1 6 4
Breuer and Dickey; Hudson, Masterson, Anderson and Early.

Cleveland, Aug. 30.—(AP)—Buck Newsom limited the punchless Cleveland Indians to seven hits today to give Detroit a 7 to 3 triumph in the series opener.

The only potent Cleveland blow was Ray Hack's fifth-inning homer which also scored Jeff Heath, who had doubled.

R. H. E.
Detroit 7 14 1
Cleveland 3 7 0
Newsom and Tebbetts; Smith, Brown, Eisenstat, Kraskauskas and DeSautels, Hemsley.

Boston, Aug. 30.—(AP)—Ted Williams, striving to keep his batting average over the .400 mark, got two hits, one a homer, in three trips to the plate today as the Boston Red Sox took an easy 12-3 victory over the Philadelphia Athletics.

R. H. E.
Philadelphia 3 8 2
Boston 12 12 1
McCrabb, Naeley and Hayes; C. Wagner and Peacock.

St. Louis, Aug. 30.—(AP)—With little respect for Johnny Humphries' no-run pitching, the Browns knocked him out of the box today and decisively walloped the second-place Chicago White Sox, 10 to 1.

Humphries made it 35 scoreless innings in a row by blanking the Browns their first time at bat, but Chet Laabs broke his string with a home run in the second inning.

R. H. E.
Chicago 1 3 1
St. Louis 10 18 0
Humphries, Hallett and Tresh, Turner; Caster and Ferrell.

INSURE COTTAGE GROVE ATHLETES

Cottage Grove, Aug. 30.—(AP)—All Cottage Grove high school athletes will be protected by insurance, Booster club officials said today.

Medical fees and hospitalization will be provided for football players and the protection will be transferred after the season to those in succeeding sports.

Closing time for Classified Ads 9 a. m.—Too Late to Classify 12:30 p. m.

CRATERS BATTLE SILVERTON 2:30 PM IN TITLE BATTLE

McIrvin To Oppose Lieber On Mound—No Game Monday If Locals Lose.

The Oregon State league's two finest ball clubs, the Medford Craters and the Silverton Red Sox, go to the post at the fairgrounds park at 2:30 sharp this afternoon to battle it out for the second-half championship, and in case the Craters, with Big Dutch Lieber on the rubber, manage to belt the Sox on the button the same two clubs will come right back at each other at 2:30 Monday afternoon, Labor Day, in a game that will determine the 1941 loop pennant.

Silverton, behind the steady hurling of Righthander Earl Toolson, trimmed the Albany Alco-Oaks, 7 to 4, Friday night in their playoff game for the first-half title. Medford and Silverton deadlocked for the second-half crown and will stage their playoff today. If Silverton wins this afternoon, they will automatically become the 1941 champs, but if the Craters turn the trick to cop the second-half flag they'll get that pennant shot at the upstaters Monday.

Announcing a change in previous plans, directors of the Medford Athletic association said there would not be a Monday game in case the Craters were defeated this afternoon, thus winding up the pennant race. They explained that an exhibition tilt Monday would be useless and didn't figure to draw well due to the finals of the Southern Oregon-Northern California golf tournament being staged the same afternoon. However, they emphasized, if the Craters win today the pennant playoff game would definitely be played Monday afternoon.

Lieber, winner of seven out of nine league contests this season, will take the mound for the Craters today, and in case he pitches the locals into the title game Monday the Craters will bring Carl Monzo from Oakland, Cal., to fling the Labor Day affair, Manager Lou Sauer announced.

Cal McIrvin, the sensational 17-year-old high school southpaw, is slated to work for the Red Sox this afternoon. McIrvin, in his last start against the locals, set them down with three singles for an 11 to 0 conquest. If the two clubs are forced to play a Monday game to determine the pennant winner, Southpaw Jack Richards will probably do the Silverton twirling.

Today's game will climax the Craters' roaring second-half drive that saw them capture six out of seven games to tie Silverton for the second-half title. The locals will be at full strength, with Roelandt catching, Fleishman on first, McLean on second, Schroer on short, Churchill on third, Wray in left, the manager in center and Kohler in right.

The Red Sox, who won the state semi-pro tournament and placed five men on the all-star team, will take the field with Robertson catching, Manning on first, Granato on second, Kretchmar on short, Shinn on third, Carney in left, Whitman in center and Richards in right.

Since Caesar's days, there have been more than a thousand systems of shorthand.

Tourney Scores

Championship Flight (2nd Round)
Dick Hansen, Marshfield, beat Marvin Clark, Grants Pass, 5 and 3; Cy Donaldson, San Francisco, beat Lucian Clement, Portland, 8 and 7; Forest Watson, Seattle, beat G. Green, Roseburg, 2 and 1; Ed Simmons, Medford, beat William Zimmerly, Cottage Grove, 4 and 3; Jack Creager, Medford, beat Bayard Getchell, Medford, 5 and 4; Alva Merritt, Roseburg, beat J. F. Heath, Longview, Wash., 6 and 5; Leland Clark, Medford, beat Hobard Price, Medford, 4 and 3; Ike Staples, Medford, beat Vern Robinson, Medford, 5 and 3.

Championship Flight (1st Round)
Dick Hansen, Marshfield, beat C. Morelock, Cottage Grove, 5 and 4; Marvin Clark, Grants Pass, beat L. Malmquist, San Francisco, 4 and 3; Cy Donaldson, San Francisco, beat E. R. Lemley, Cottage Grove, 4 and 3; Lucian Clement, Portland, beat Sid Reaney, Medford, 3 and 2; G. Green, Roseburg, beat Jim Johnson, Eugene, 2 and 1; Forest Watson, Seattle, beat Ed Simmons, Medford, 3 and 2; Ed Simmons, Medford, beat C. Woods, Klamath Falls, 7 and 6; William Zimmerly, Cottage Grove, beat Howard Scroggins, K. Falls, 4 and 3; Bayard Getchell, Medford, beat Bob Hammond, Medford, 3 and 1; Jack Creager, Medford, beat G. Malmquist, San Francisco, 6 and 5; Alva Merritt, Roseburg, beat E. Voorhies, Grants Pass, 2 and 1; J. F. Heath, Longview, Wash., beat Ray Babb, Corvallis, 1 up; Hobard Price, Medford, beat Leland Clark, Medford, beat Ken Patton, Medford, 3 and 2; Vern Robinson, Medford, beat George Parsons, Seattle, 1 up; Ike Staples, Medford, beat M. Hodge, default.

First Flight
C. Morelock, Cottage Grove, beat L. Malmquist, San Francisco, 3 and 1; Sid Reaney, Medford, beat E. R. Lemley, Cottage Grove, 2 up; Jim Johnson, Eugene, beat H. Johnson, Grants Pass, 7 and 6; Howard Scroggins, K. Falls, beat C. Woods, Klamath Falls, 2 up; E. Voorhies, Grants Pass, beat Ray Babb, Corvallis, 2 up; Ed Simmons, Medford, beat G. Malmquist, San Francisco, 7 and 6; Alva Merritt, Medford, beat Ken Patton, Medford, 1 up; George Parsons, Seattle, beat M. Hodge, Grants Pass, default.

Second Flight
A. Green, Trail, beat F. Brady, San Francisco, 1 up; Bill Caty, Medford, beat Hawley Moore, Medford, 1 up on 30th; N. D. Locker, Yreka, beat O. Schenck, Medford, 4 and 2.

Third Flight
Bob Sherwood, Medford, beat Ben Trowbridge, Medford, 4 and 3; Lee Watson, Medford, beat B. Burnham, Medford, 4 and 2; L. C. Irwin, Ashland, beat Dr. H. A. Woods, Ashland, 2 up; J. Stallings, Klamath Falls, beat Charles Clay, Medford, default; A. D. Johnson, Klamath Falls, beat S. Wells, Medford, 1 up.

Fourth Flight
Bert Orr, Medford, beat Bud Provoost, Jr., Ashland, default; Allan Reibel, Grants Pass, beat J. Smith, Medford, 3 and 1; R. E. Kelly, Roseburg, beat Reg Parsons, Seattle, 4 and 3; H. B. Brainerd, Grants Pass, beat Ted Denison, Cottage Grove, 3 up; Bill Davidson, Medford, beat Dom Provoost, Ashland, 5 and 4; P. Langston, Cottage Grove, beat S. Appolo, Medford, 3 and 2; Bernie Williams, Medford, beat Ed Nichols, Medford, 2 up; Bill McAllister, Medford, beat Bob Clark, Medford, 2 up.

Fifth Flight
E. C. Kelly, Portland, beat D. Smith, Jr., Medford, 5 and 4; J. Littrell, Marshfield, beat Ted Medford, K. Falls, default; M. Peirce, Medford, beat M. Burton, Redding, 4 and 3; John Cupp, Medford, beat Gene Thorndike, Medford, 3 and 2; J. Wood, Medford, beat Red Littrell, Marshfield, 7 and 6; Dick Matther, Portland, beat George Roberts, Medford, 1 up; Al Littrell, Medford, beat Baum, Redding, 2 up; George Robertson, Medford, beat F. Sneed, Redding, 2 and 1.

Sixth Flight
W. Deas, Ashland, beat G. Rasmussen, Los Angeles, 4 and 3; Jerry Jensen, Medford, beat J. Smith, Medford, 4 up; Ray Donaldson, Medford, beat D. Field, Medford, 5 and 3; Ed Drysdale, Medford, beat Dom Provoost, Jr., Ashland, 2 up; C. M. Kidd, Medford, beat Emil Mohr, Medford, 8 and 6; Bob Marsh, Medford, beat R. Royer, Medford, 3 and 2; Eino Hemmilla, Medford, beat H. Frye, Jr., Medford, 3 and 2; Joe Hoser, Marshfield, beat M. Van Pelt, Medford, 6 and 5.

WARNEKE PITCHES NO HIT GAME TO PUT CARDS AHEAD

Red Fans Pull For Arkansan—Giants Down Brooklyn Twice.

Cincinnati, Aug. 30.—(AP)—Lean Lon Warneke threw "a little of everything" today in hurling a masterful no-hitter against the Cincinnati Reds and pitching the St. Louis Cardinals into first place in the torrid National league pennant race.

Only three Reds reached first base as the 31-year-old right-hander, veteran of 11 major league campaigns, blanked the world champs 2-0. The Cards victory shoved them into first place with a .640 percentage to .637 for Brooklyn, which lost to New York, 4-3, and 5-1.

It was the first no-hitter in either major league this season. Only 28 men faced the six-foot Arkansan "Humming Bird," who received a rousing ovation when he got Third Baseman Billy Werber to pop to Johnny Mize near first for the final out. It was Warneke's 15th victory against seven losses for the year.

The Cards themselves were having no bed of roses. Young Elmer Riddle mowed them down almost with the same ease as did Warneke. He allowed five hits, two of them scratches, and the game might still be going on if Harry Carter had been able to hold Don Padgett's whistling liner in the seventh.

The crowd of nearly 10,000 was pulling for Warneke from the sixth inning on, when it appeared he might make it.

St. Louis 2 5 2

Cincinnati 0 0 2
Warneke and W. Cooper; E. Riddle and Lombardi.

New York, Aug. 30.—(AP)—While 50,370 fans screamed and shouted at the carnage, the New York Giants joined the Brooklyn Dodgers out of the National league lead today with a surprising double triumph, 4 to 3 and 5 to 1.

Brooklyn had held the lead since August 20 and turned back the Giants yesterday 5 to 4.

But today the Terrymen opened the flood gates on all the pent-up animosity surrounding the cross-town rivalry and bagged both games with a great show of authority.

They made a dozen hits off four Brooklyn hurlers in the first game and 14 against two unlucky Dodger chuckers in the nightcap.

Old Gabby Hartnett hit his fourth home run for the Giants in the sixth, on the nightcap. Johnny Rucker produced a triple, a double and a single and Dick Bartell hit a triple and two singles in the wide-spread New York attack. The Giants tallied once in the first, again in the fourth, twice in the sixth and another in the seventh.

National first game:
Brooklyn 3 8 2
New York 4 12 1
Kimball, French and Owen; Lohrman, Bowman and Danning.

Second game:
Brooklyn 1 8 0
New York 5 14 1
Casey, Hamlin and Owen; Franks; McGee, Bowman and Hartnett.

Chicago, Aug. 30.—(AP)—Paul Erickson, 23-year-old rookie recently graduated to starting assignments, pitched six-hit ball today as the Chicago Cubs defeated the Pittsburgh Pirates, 4 to 1, in the series opener.
Pittsburgh 1 6 3
Chicago 4 11 0
Sewell, Klinger and Lopez; Erickson and McCullough.



Those who wield nibbles and mashies will take part in the 13th annual southern Oregon, northern California amateur golf tournament on the Rogue River Valley course today and Monday. Golfers from far and wide will be on hand and it will become a real show—one that should appeal to all interested in sports. Why not stop on these new sport tips from this store and join the gallery for this tournament... It's a date—remember, August 31 and September 1st.

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