

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE SPORTS



KIWANIS TROPHY PRESENTED—E. Ron Rice, left, chairman of the Medford school board and secretary-treasurer of the Medford Kiwanis club, is shown presenting the Kiwanis trophy to Bob Newland, Medford high track coach, in recognition of the Black Tornado victory in the annual Rogue relays here Saturday. Medford scored 83 points to 78 by Klamath Falls, 40½ by Grants Pass and 18½ by Ashland. (Brainard photo.)

Beavers Divide Two Tilts With Hollywood

San Francisco, Apr. 17—(U.P.) It's too early to tell, of course, but Pacific Coast league baseball race seems to be turning out as anticipated.

Hollywood, San Diego, San Francisco and Oakland hold down the first four spots in the league—and that's the way the experts pick the season to end.

Bevs Split Two
In yesterday's games, Hollywood split with Portland, winning the first game 8 to 5 and dropping the second, 1 to 0, to keep a half-game hold on first place.

San Francisco won the first game from second-place San Diego, 7 to 6, but the Padres took the second, 8 to 4. The Seals are four games behind in third place.

Sacramento, in seventh spot, sneaked closer to sixth-rung Los Angeles, tripping the Angels twice Sunday at Wrigley field, 19 to 6, to the tune of Steve Souchock's three home runs, and 5 to 4 in the nightcap.

Only Oakland seems to be misplaced at this time. The A's are still behind fourth-place Portland, but Oakland and the Rainiers stayed in bed at Seattle and listened to the rain.

Souchock Equals Mark
First Baseman Steve Souchock got his home run triplet one each in the sixth, seventh and eighth innings. The outburst equaled a league record for consecutive homers set in 1923 by Pete Schneider of Vernon, also equaled in 1948 by Jack Graham of San Diego. Souchock was not particular. He snipped his round trippers at three pitchers, Bob Muncie, Fred Stablefield and Dutch McCall.

The Stars and Beavers at Portland had their second game called in the fifth inning because of rain. Portland won the game on an unearned run in the first inning.

Others finishing in the money, in order of their scores, were:
Singles—Ted Miller, Gresham, 628; J. Quant, Roseburg, 637; William Malone, Eugene, 627; Bert Schreckengost, Medford, and Vern Barnes, Woodburn, 626; John Drake, Ashland, and H. M. Shircliffe Jr., Roseburg, 623; Harold Vessey and Harold Littrell, Medford, and L. L. Spencer and Ernie Finckles, Roseburg, each 616; Ray Schuch, Crescent City, 613; Hi Lister, Grants Pass, 612.

Doubles—Lem Bitner and R. A. Jones, Roseburg, 1232; Tony Oreglia and Art Klatt, Medford (early leader), 1216; Harold Thorenson and Ken Knapp, Medford, 1215; Homer Aultman and C. V. Warren, Roseburg, 1206; L. L. Spencer and Milton Hammerly, Roseburg, 1203; Milo Deverell and Ed Barry, Medford, 1193; Walter Reimner and Ray Johnson, Crescent City, and Wilson White and Ralph Doty, Medford, 1191; C. H. Fiske and Fred Anderson, Medford, 1187; H. M. Shircliffe and Frank Chapin, Roseburg, 1180; Vern Barnes and Rex L. Myers, Woodburn, 1179.

Younce-Moe Charges
Score Grid Victory
Corvallis, Ore., Apr. 17—(U.P.) The blue-shirted charges of Coaches Len Younce and Hal Moe score an 18 to 13 victory over the white shirts coached by Pete and Bump Elliott in the Oregon State college football teams first regular game-conditioning scrimmage of spring practice Saturday.

Medford, California Bowlers Win

Medford and Crescent City, Cal., bowlers claimed top honors yesterday on completion of the men's division of the Southern Oregon Handicap Bowling tournament at Medford Bowling lanes.

Valley Music company, Medford, was first among the teams with 2928 and the Medford combine of Bert Schreckengost and Clarence Schipper took the doubles with 1270. Walter Schindhelm, Crescent City, accomplished a double sweep, winning the singles with 873 and all-events with 1850.

Men's rivalry was held on two week-ends with the first play on April 1 and 2. All victors beat out the scores of leaders two weeks ago.

Medford quints won the first five places in team battles. Morning Fresh bakery was second with 2893, Walker Real Estate third with 2882, E. H. Mann company fourth with 2864 and Saylor's Barber shop fifth with 2833.

In all-events Ray Johnson, Crescent City, was second with 1841, Al Sacchi, Medford, third with 1837 and L. L. Spencer, Roseburg, first week-end leader, fourth with 1829.

Dick Westerfield, Ashland, was second in singles with 652 and Pete Brunk, Crescent City, early leader, third with 640. In the doubles Medford went three deep. Al Sacchi and Harold Vessey were second with 1253 and Buzz Green and Jerry Burroughs third with 1235.

THE LINESCORES

First Games

San Diego	6	9	2
San Francisco	7	9	1
Savage, Rome, Weltscher and Moore; Lien, Duxton and Partee	19	16	2
Sacramento	5	9	0
Los Angeles	6	7	1
Green, Dohernic and Rainmond; Muncie, Atchley, Stablefield, McCall, Kraus and Novotny	13	13	0
Hollywood	8	12	0
Portland	3	12	0
Wade, Salverson and Sandick; Adams, Lien, Heiser and Gladd	6	7	1
Sacramento	5	9	0
Los Angeles	6	7	1
Lierman, Surkont and Steiner; Kush, Gables, Barrett and Burbrink (Called in 5th, rain)	0	4	1
Hollywood	8	12	0
Portland	1	4	0
Moulder and Dapper; Creel and Richey	6	6	1
San Diego	4	4	1
San Francisco	4	4	1
Marshall, Knezovich, Gorsica and Tomlinson; Feldman, Singleton and Eastwood	4	4	1

Second Games

Sacramento	5	9	0
Los Angeles	6	7	1
Lierman, Surkont and Steiner; Kush, Gables, Barrett and Burbrink (Called in 5th, rain)	0	4	1
Hollywood	8	12	0
Portland	1	4	0
Moulder and Dapper; Creel and Richey	6	6	1
San Diego	4	4	1
San Francisco	4	4	1
Marshall, Knezovich, Gorsica and Tomlinson; Feldman, Singleton and Eastwood	4	4	1

Stanley, Peirce Play in Finals

Dr. Bruce Stanley and Max Peirce will mix next Saturday and Sunday in 36-hole finals for the men's spring handicap golf crown of Rogue Valley Country club.

Stanley stopped Bayard Getchell 2 and 1 yesterday to get to the finals. On Saturday Peirce spilled Jack Lewis by the same score. Yesterday Stanley carded a 74 over the route.

Champs in two lower flights have been decided. Tod Porter defeated Bob Ryan 3 and 2 in the second bracket and George Grannis tumbled Lin Howard 4 and 3 in the third.

Wayne Johnson nicked G. T. Haupter and Ike Staples topped Dr. Lee Mellish, both by 2 and 1 counts, to reach the first flight finals. In an earlier match Staples dethroned George Stanley, who had decided to play the round rather than take a default victory.

Hugh Starkweather, club pro, has asked men to start signing up for the team match at Roseburg on April 30.

HOW THEY STAND

COAST LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct
Hollywood	13	5	.722
San Diego	14	7	.667
San Francisco	10	10	.500
Portland	9	10	.476
Oakland	8	9	.471
Los Angeles	9	12	.429
Sacramento	5	12	.294
Seattle	5	12	.294

Sunday Results

San Diego 6-8, San Francisco 7-4
Hollywood 8-0, Portland 5-1
Sacramento 19-0, Los Angeles 6-4
Oakland at Seattle postponed, rained out

Central Point Beats Rogue River, 2 to 0, In Semi-Pro Clash

Central Point, Apr. 17—Central Point's Studs bumped Rogue River 2 to 0 yesterday in a pre-season semi-pro baseball fracas.

Each nine cracked out only three hits but Rogue River pitchers issued 10 walks.

Clarence Mellbye and Cliff Piland saw mound duty for Central Point while Hal Adams was behind the plate. Matejka and Smith hurled for Rogue River and McGregory caught.

Topflight Trap Men Expected at Reno

Reno, Nev., Apr. 17—Six straight days of shooting and guaranteed added cash in the amount of \$4,500 is expected to bring 150 of the nation's top-flight flyer and trap shooters to Reno when the Flyer and Trap round-up commences here April 19.

The 175 flyer tournament commences on April 19 and continues through April 23 while the 800 target trap program is scheduled over the week-end, commencing April 21 and concluding Sunday, April 23.

REDDING DOWNS RENO
Redding, Cal., Apr. 17—(U.P.)—Redding defeated Reno Saturday night 7-2 in a Far West league exhibition baseball game.



CALIFORNIA TITLIST—John Law, above, flashy Oakland, Cal., boxer who holds the California lightweight championship, will clash with Killer Dick Adkins of Griffin Creek in one of the championship matches on the Southern Oregon Boxing club's card at the armory Wednesday night. They will mix it for the southern Oregon-northern California crown. All of the title matches have the sanction of the AAU. The first bout starts at 8 p.m. and tickets are on sale at Lamport's sporting goods store.

Belcastro - Atlas Set for Thursday

Mack Lillard scored with both barrels over the week-end when he signed the Great Atlas to meet Pete Belcastro and Leo Wallick to tangle with Lee Grable on the armory wrestling card Thursday night.

The Atlas telephoned Lillard from Portland yesterday saying, "What's all this publicity about me dodging a match with that Belcastro guy? I'm not dodging any bum if I can get my price. I don't consider Belcastro worthy as an opponent for me but if you want to pay my fee, I'll accommodate him."

Lillard didn't say what the Atlas asked in the way of remuneration but he did say that they had come to terms for the match.

Considerable bad blood developed last week when the Atlas jumped into the ring after Belcastro had taken a fall on Rod Fenton in a tag match. The Atlas got Belcastro in a full nelson and applied considerable pressure before Referee Earl Yoakley could break it up.

Another match which should stir up plenty of action is the Wallick-Grable tussle. Recently they tangled in Portland and drew the biggest crowd ever to see a wrestling match in that city. Wallick is the gladiator who about three months ago injured Grable's leg, forcing the Los Angeles grappler to take a six weeks rest from the ring. Grable has always believed the injury was uncalled for and wanted to crush the big fellow in retaliation.

Prospect Defeats Eagle Point, 6-5

Veterans Center, Apr. 17—Prospect nipped a ninth inning rally by Eagle Point that already had produced one run with two men out to defeat the Eagles' town baseball team 6 to 5 in a practice game here Sunday afternoon.

Both teams are members of the Rogue Valley Baseball league, Prospect being a new member this season.

Portland Swimmer Sets New National Record

Palm Beach, Fla., Apr. 17—(U.P.)—Representing the Multnomah Athletic club, Judy Cornell of Portland set a national record Sunday for the 100-yard breaststroke event at the women's national AAU swimming meet here.

Miss Cornell flashed across the course in 1:12.6 to top the old 1:13.6 record held by Jean Wilson of the Lake Shore Athletic club of Chicago.



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Corvallis Gunner Wins Pistol Meet

Wade Anderson, Corvallis, won the grand aggregate with a score of 970 in the second annual gallery pistol tournament held yesterday by the Medford Rifle club.

H. F. Beauchamp, Portland, took second also with 970. The winner was decided by the rapid fire score, difference of only three points.

Russell Niblock, Vancouver, Wash., winner in the February tournament held here, was third with 959.

Rogue River's team, Paul Shelton, Vernon Fowle, Joe Allison and Joe Dennis, won the national course match over teams from Portland, Corvallis, Grants Pass and Medford. They received the Bolton trophy in addition to individual medals.

Class aggregate winners: Expert first, L. DeGenuat, Grants Pass, 949; second, Allison, 927. Sharpshooter, first, Shelton 949; second, Karl Lett, Corvallis, 922. Marksman, first, Robert Williams, Sandy, 939; second, Norman Lucich, Medford, 893; Tyro, first, Ted Laufer, Yreka, Cal., 804; second, Robert N. Shaffer, Yreka, 769.

Results:
Match I (20 shots slow fire)—Winners, first Beauchamp, 183; second DeGenuat, 176; third Anderson, 174. Expert first C. Gassaway, Grants Pass, 166; second Lucich, 164. Sharpshooter first Roy Banta, Medford, 174; second R. Thompson, Crescent City, Cal., 166. Marksman first Dennis, 165; second Williams, 161.
Match II (20 shots timed fire)—Winners, first Niblock, 187; second Anderson, 186; third Williams, 176. Expert first Allison, 182; second James Melville, Portland, 181. Sharpshooter first Lett, 175; second Shelton, 182. Marksman first Fowle, 169; second William Cook, Grants Pass, 162.
Match III (20 shots rapid fire)—Winners, first Anderson, 181; second Williams, 178; third Clinton Charley, Medford, 177. Expert first Lucich, 173; second Niblock 173. Sharpshooter first Thompson, 176; second Shelton, 176. Marksman, first Roy Hewitt, Medford, 161; second Dennis, 153.
Match IV (20 shots slow fire)—Winners, first Beauchamp, 177; second Hewitt, 175; third Anderson, 172. Expert, first DeGenuat, 169; second Allison, 167. Sharpshooter, first Shelton, 171; second D. J. Bolton, Medford, 163. Marksman, first Cook, 165; second Joe Rinard, Medford, 164. Tyro, first Laufer, 150; second Shaffer, 138.
Match V (national course)—Winners, first Shelton, 275; second Niblock, 271; third E. Gloss, Portland, 267. Expert first Beauchamp, 254; second DeGenuat, 237. Sharpshooter, first Lett, 237; second Charley, 249. Marksman first Williams, 266; second Lucich, 255. Tyro, first Laufer, 233; second Shaffer, 213.
Thirty-six shooters participated.

Oregon Trackmen Crunch Vandals

Moscow, Ida., Apr. 17—(U.P.)—The University of Oregon took 12 out of 15 events to overwhelm Idaho, 88-43, here Saturday in both teams' 1950 dual track meet opener.

Oregon pole vaulter George Rasmussen tied the Idaho-Oregon meet record he set last year with a 14-foot vault.

Dave Henthorne, who won both sprints, and Bob Anderson, with firsts in the shot-put and discus throw, tied for scoring honors with 10 points each.

Idaho's only firsts were in the 440-yard dash won by Don Miller. The 120-yard high hurdles won by Keith Bean, and the mile relay.

The Dalles Man Wins Golf Meet

Eugene, Ore., Apr. 17—(U.P.)—Ron Clark of The Dalles, Ore., set the pace in the Oregon Golf association sweepstakes here Sunday by scoring a sizzling 69.

Over 80 golfers from all parts of Oregon entered the event. Lou Swanson of the host Eugene Country club turned in the best handicap card, 77-9-68.

Two Eugene golfers captured class "B" honors. Rex Hamaker fired a 92-22-70 and Claude Endicott, 82-12-70.

TO PLAY HILT
Eagle Point, Apr. 17—Eagle Point's baseball nine of the Valley league will tussle with Hilt, Cal., next Sunday at 2 p. m. at Camp White in a practice game, it was announced today.

High School Baseball Teams Schedule Games For Tuesday Afternoon

Three high school baseball engagements are on the bill in this area for Tuesday afternoon. Medford's nine is scheduled to entertain Ashland in a Southern Oregon conference game. Central Point will meet Eagle Point on the Camp White field in a J.D.J. loop and Southern Oregon conference game. Phoenix is to travel to Rogue River for a Jackson county "B" league fray at 3 p. m.

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