

SPORTS

Nine Records Fall In Willamette Relay

Salem — (U.P.) Some 2500 fans watched today as college track and field men broke nine meet records and a crowd of 1700 prep athletes set four new standards at the fifth annual Willamette Relays here.

Top Discus Heave
A star performance was turned in by Fortune Gordien of Sandy,

Ore., Olympic discus champ. Gordien heaved the platter 180 feet 11 inches for the Multnomah Athletic club.

Willamette university's hurdler Dean Bryson brought the crowd to its feet with a time of 14.6 over the high hurdles.

Washington State won three events including the mile relay with a time of 3:26.8. Cougar Burl Gunlis put the shot 51-feet, 9-inches in the novice class.

Oregon's sprint medly team toured the course in 2:33.3, a new meet record.

Two New Marks
Lewis and Clark, last year's conference champions set two new targets in the 440-yard relay and the section B mile relay.

In the prep class, Duane Marshall of St. Helens set the only individual prep record by heaving the shot 54-feet, 6-inches.

Two Portland high schools came up with a record apiece. A Grant team ran the sprint medly in 2:46.9 and a Roosevelt 880-yard relay team covered the distance in 1:35.1.

Ninth Salem high established the other record in the 440-yard sprint relay with 45.2 time.

Two Golfers Invited To Colonial Tourney
Fort Worth, Tex. — (U.P.) — The field for the invitation — only 10th annual Colonial National Invitation Golf Tournament has been increased to 38 with addition of Eric Monti of Los Angeles and Gardner Dickinson Jr., of St. Andrews, Ill.

The field for the \$25,000 Colonial is limited to 48 golfers. The tournament offers the richest guaranteed purses among regulation PGA tournaments which charge no players entry fees. This year's tourney will be May 4-8.

Jockey Gloomy; Wishes It'd Been April 1 Joke
Albany, Calif. — (U.P.) — Jockey Taylor Powell wished gloomily it had all been a big April Fool's joke.

While driving to work at Golden Gate fields Friday, his 1953 Cadillac smashed into the rear of a garbage truck and he got a ticket for careless driving.

When Powell finally arrived at the track, stewards told him he had been suspended for five days for improper riding Thursday.

Valuable Senior Award Goes To Jim Loscutt
Portland — (U.P.) — Jim Loscutt, Oregon smiling basketball star, Friday night was awarded the Bill Baker trophy for being named the most valuable senior on the University of Oregon basketball team last season. The award was made at a Duck club banquet here.

Stu Holcomb Selected East Shrine Mentor
San Francisco — (U.P.) — Stuart (Stu) Holcomb, head coach of Purdue University since 1947, today was named to the coaching staff of the East for the next Shrine East-West all-star classic. Holcomb joins Woody Hayes of Ohio State as a mentor, with one other coach still to be named.

Wilmington, N.C. — (U.P.) — Billy Maxwell, the chunky, former National amateur champion from Odessa, Tex., bogied the last three holes today but managed to retain his one stroke lead in the third round of the \$12,500 Azalea open golf tournament.

They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo



April Sky Review

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The gorgeous planet Venus, which since the first of the year has been such a splendid sight glowing in the dawn sky, can still be seen near the southeastern horizon shortly before sunrise. However, it has lost some of its lustre and is no longer seen in the dark sky. Mercury is also in the morning sky but too near the sun for observation. The little "messenger of the gods" will pass almost behind old Sol on April 22.

For evening star and planet study, let us observe at about 8:0 p.m. standard time. Mars is still in the evening sky as a reddish object near the Pleiades, not very far above the horizon.

Spurrer Misses New Record Try
Fresno, Calif. — (U.P.) — Long Lon Spurrer, former University of California trackster who broke the world record for the half-mile a week ago, was hampered by gusty winds Saturday as he failed in his attempt to crack the recognized mark for the second time in as many Saturdays.

Spurrer, who shattered the existing mark by more than a second at Berkeley last Saturday, was clocked in 1:50.5 this afternoon — an even three seconds off his record of 1:47.5.

Bud Held and Cy Young, both of the Olympic club battled it out in the javelin and despite the wind Held threw 250 feet 7 inches, almost a foot better than his Olympic mark. Young's throw was good for 242 feet 4 inches, and a new stadium record.

Little Hope Held After Knockout
Trenton, N. J. — (U.P.) — Boxer Bryan Thompson clung tenuously to life Saturday, two days after a neurology surgeon had held out "little hope" for his recovery.

Officials at St. Francis Hospital, where the 23-year-old middleweight was taken after a knockout in his first professional bout last Tuesday, said there was "no change" in his condition, described as "very critical."

State Boxing Commissioner Joseph H. Walker, keeping close tab on Thompson's condition, said he intends to hold a full hearing if the fighter dies. Jerry Luedde of New Haven, Conn., the opponent who floored Thompson, has been notified to prepare himself for further questioning if the injury proves fatal.

State Fair Board Gives Approval to Circus Pact
Salem — (U.P.) — The Oregon State Fair Board Saturday approved a contract with the Bailey Brothers-Christian circus for the eight-day State Fair starting here Sept. 3.

Dr. E. B. Stewart of Roseburg was re-elected chairman of the fair commission, and Henry Ahrens of Turner was re-elected secretary.

Other members are Russell Brown and Kenneth Hall of Portland and Harold Barnett of Pendleton.

TROTTERS TRIUMPH
Philadelphia — (U.P.) — The Harlem Gobetrotters trailed only once Friday night in defeating the college All-Americans, 67-60, before 12,452 fans, which set a new Convention Hall basketball attendance record.

MOYERS SLATES WOODS
Portland — (U.P.) — Promoter Tommy Moyer said lightweight Bobby Woods of Spokane would fight in his first fight card here May 3. Moyer said he hoped to get Sonny Amoroso of California to oppose Woods.

GETS NEWBERG JOB
Estacada — (U.P.) — Keith Moore, football, track and wrestling coach at Estacada high school, said today he had resigned to coach at Newberg high next fall. No successor has been announced here.

It is getting so distant that it is hardly brighter than the Big Dipper stars. Very high — a little southwest of the zenith — Jupiter is brilliant. (Saturn will rise in the east-southeast about 10 p.m. It is a yellow, non-twinkling object of considerable brightness.)

All Real Stars
Aside from the moon — now approaching the full phase — all the other luminaries in the heavens are real stars, intensely hot, blazing suns, many far larger than our sun but appearing small only because of their inconceivably enormous distances from us earth dwellers.

Low in the southwest the finest of all stellar lights, Sirius, the Dog star, glitters vividly. This is the principal star in the Big Dog, the follower of Orion, the Hunter. Dimmer stars in this locality complete the group. Sirius is often pictured as the jewel hanging from the dog's collar.

Higher and toward the zenith we find Procyon, of lesser brightness, which marks the location of Orion's Little Dog.

Orion himself now hangs low above the sky line in the west-southwest. Note a short horizontal line of three stars of equal brightness. This is the hunter's belt. A large four-sided figure with prominent stars in each corner surrounds the belt and outlines Orion's body and legs.

The reddish star in the upper left is Betelgeuse; the white flasher in the lower right, Rigel. **Twins Seen**

A little southwest of the zenith in the direction of Orion note the Twins standing side by side, orange Pullux and yellow Castor. Much lower and almost due west, orange Aldebaran tops one arm of the small V (mostly dim stars) of the Hyades. To the right of the Hyades the tiny, charming dipper of the Pleiades catches the observer's eyes. Considerably above the Pleiades, yellow Capella is splendid.

Low in the southeast, white Spica scintillates. Well up and about due east orange Arcturus is prominent. Tracing to the left of Arcturus one can outline a kite lying on its side. Almost south of the zenith blue-white Regulus marks the end of the handle of the celestial Sickle.

The Dalles Radio Man Re-elected Head of OBA

Eugene — (U.P.) — Paul Walden of radio station KODL, The Dalles, Friday was re-elected president of the Oregon Broadcasters' association.

Elections were held here Friday at the opening day of a two-day association meeting.

Other officers re-elected include R. D. Holmes, KAST, Astoria, vice-president; Iris Rice Helliwell, KRXL, Roseburg, secretary-treasurer, and C. Howard Lane, KOIN-TV, director.

New director elected is Gordon Capps, KSRV, Ontario.

Dissenting Groups Organize Against Pay-As-You-Go TV

New York — (U.P.) — The dissenters are swinging into organized action as the deadline nears for submission of reports to the Federal Communications Commission bearing on petitions that it approve a system of pay-to-see television.

Two organizations have been set up to fight any of the several proposed plans whereby sets could be hooked into special circuits that would carry special TV entertainment solely for subscribers. The latter would drop a coin in a slot, punch a card or otherwise register payment for each program they wanted to see.

The dissenting organizations are the committee against pay-as-you see TV and the organization for free-TV. They are correlating their activities and this week they announced the joint retention of Hogan and Hogan Laboratories, Inc., as engineering counsel.

"We are confident that this firm will develop information that will be most useful to the commission," said a statement of the committee against pay-TV. The FCC has set May 9 as the deadline for submission of reports from all parties interested in the matter.

An economic study of the matter in behalf of the committee against pay-TV is being prepared by Dr. Dallas Smyth of the University of Illinois.

The "anti" organizations express the fear that subscription television will work an economic hardship on viewers who, both in radio and TV, have never had to pay for the entertainment out of the air.

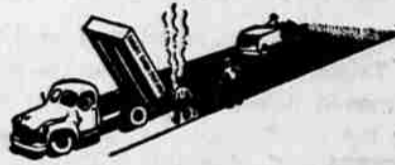
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PEPPERDINE WINS

Los Angeles — (U.P.) — Relief pitcher Jerry Burgess was outstanding at bat as well as on the mound Saturday to lead Pepperdine College to a narrow 11-10 baseball win over Brigham Young University.

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Ski Conditions

Skiing conditions were "good to excellent" at Crater Lake yesterday, according to the ranger's office. Nine inches of powder snow had fallen in the previous 24 hours, bringing the total on the ground to 108 inches, compared to 134 inches at the same time last year.

Maximum temperature Friday was 28; minimum Saturday was 12, and it was 15 at 2 a.m. Saturday.

Highway 62 was open and was slippery in spots. The road to the rim was open, but chains or snowtread tires may be required Sunday. The warming hut will be open, weather permitting.

By UNITED PRESS
Southern Cascades: Partly cloudy Sunday; freezing level 3500-4000 feet Sunday; winds at 7000 feet 10-20 MPH Sunday.

San Francisco, UCLA Accept NCAA Invitation

New York — (U.P.) — San Francisco's newly-crowned NCAA basketball champions and UCLA today accepted "guest invitations" to play in the fourth annual holiday festival tournament at Madison Square Garden next December 26, 28 and 30.

The tournament is sponsored by the Eastern College Athletic conference. Asa S. Bushnell, ECAC commissioner, said six conference members soon will be chosen to fill the rest of the eight berths in the holiday competition.

San Francisco was voted the nation's No. 1 team this year by the United Press Board of Coaches.

Charles Comiskey Made Director of Cardinals

Chicago — (U.P.) — The Chicago Cardinals professional football team reached over into baseball territory Saturday and made Vice-President Charles A. Comiskey II, of the Chicago White Sox, Cardinals' director.

Walter Wolfner, managing director of the Cardinals, made the announcement and the Cards who play their football games at Comiskey Park on Chicago's South Side said the new appointment meant the Sox facilities, ticket outlets, public address and other working arrangements will be available to them.

Ned Garver to Open Season for Tigers

Atlanta — (U.P.) — Manager Bucky Harris said Saturday that Ned Garver will open the American League season for the Detroit Tigers against the Athletics at Kansas City April 12 and that Steve Gromek will start the next day.

Harris named southpaw Billy Hoelt for the Tigers' home debut against the Cleveland Indians April 14, with bonus baby Bob Miller, another left-hander, to follow. Harris said he expects these two veterans and two youngsters to be Detroit's front-line pitchers this season.

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