

St. Mary's Winner Over Prospect HS

JACKSON COUNTY B LEAGUE STANDINGS

Talent	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Mary's	2	0	1.000
Prospect	1	2	.333
Jacksonville	1	2	.333
Rogue River	0	2	.000
Butte Falls	0	2	.000

St. Mary's of Medford kept its Jackson County B League baseball record unmarred and pushed Prospect high from the unbeaten ranks in the cold, rain and snow at Prospect yesterday. The Crusaders won 13 to 1 in the make up of a postponed fracas. It was St. Mary's second loop decision, giving them a share with Talent of front position in the circuit.

All clubs in the loop are scheduled to vie on Friday and the results could put St. Mary's and defending champion Talent into a battle for lone leadership when the mix in a make-up encounter on Monday.

Games tomorrow are Jacksonville against St. Mary's at the fairgrounds here, Rogue River at Talent and Butte Falls and Prospect either at Butte Falls or Prospect.

Rogue River and Butte Falls failed to get in a make-up fray yesterday and tentatively plan to play next week.

Jones Heaves One-Hitter
Yesterday St. Mary's got its runs in bunches, four in the first inning and three each in the fourth, sixth and seventh. Crusader Pitcher Jim Jones allowed only one hit and it did not figure in the Prospect scoring. A walk, stolen base and error brought the lone Cougar run in the last frame.

St. Mary's was never seriously threatened in the conflict. Five Prospect misplays helped in the Crusader first-inning spurge. Gerald Darland cracked a homer in the sixth inning with the bases empty. Dick Paup hit two for four and Tim Dugan and Ron Pruitt each two for five. Both of Pruitt's wallopers were doubles and drove in three runs.

Jones struckout 12 batters and only two balls reportedly were hit out of the infield. Sacred Heart high beat St. Mary's 9 to 7 last Saturday in a hassle at Klamath Falls.

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Jones and Darland; Peterson, Fetter (7) and Fred.

Pitt Makes Bid In Penn Tussle

By RUSS GREEN
Philadelphia (U.P.) — Pitt makes a mighty bid to regain the track glory of the days of long John Woodruff at the Penn Relays this weekend, and the burden falls on the shoulders of young Arnie Sowell, a slim speedster whose smooth strides can make carnival history.

Sowell easily is the glamor boy of the 61st annual carnival which has 3,100 entries for the 91 events spaced from Friday afternoon through Saturday. Eight major relay titles will be decided, and 13 individual championships will be run with seven titleholders defending.

True to the truckhorse tradition of putting a winner to work, Sowell is entered in five events, with three of them major relay championships piled into the final hours of Saturday afternoon.

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MEDFORD (OREGON) MAIL TRIBUNE—ELEVEN

SPORTS

Veterans Provide Punch As Seals Nick Oaks 11-10

By PETER HAYES

United Press Sports Writer
Chuck Stevens and Sal Taormina, two San Francisco veterans who weren't expected to do much this year, unloaded the big punch in the Seals' 11-10 victory over Oakland in 11 innings last night.

Stevens, 37, crashed a three-run homer in the top of the 11th to provide the winning margin. He previously had singled for a total of four RBIs. Taormina went four for five, including a two-run homer in the fourth.

Stevens is supposed to be the Seals' coach but he has been filling in at first base while San Francisco awaits a player owned by the Philadelphia Phillies. And Taormina had been warming the bench until last Sunday when he replaced the slumping Clarence Maddern in the clean-up spot. Since then he has banged out 10 hits in 16 trips.

Bill Bradford (1-0), third Seal pitcher, nearly blew the Emeryville thriller in the bottom of the 11th when the Oaks came back for two runs. But Lennie Neal fouled out to third baseman Joe Kiriene with the bases loaded to end the threat.

Johnny Jorgensen, Billy Conso and Jim Marshall homered for Oakland, the latter two in the ninth to send the game into extra innings.

Elsewhere in the PCL, San Diego's Jim Melton stopped league-leading Seattle's six-game win streak, 6-3, and Los Angeles edged Hollywood, 3-2, in the ninth on Gene Mauch's bases-loaded single.

Sacramento and Portland were idle, having played a double-header Tuesday.

Full Sports Schedule For High Schools

A heavy week end of athletics for high schools in this area opens, weather permitting, with two baseball contests today.

Medford was to have played the Ashland diamonders here this afternoon, while Phoenix goes to Eagle Point for Rogue League contention.

Friday baseball action calls for one Rogue loop scrape, three games in the Jackson County B League and a Medford trip to Eugene. The Rogue clash takes Crater to Illinois Valley. In the B circuit Rogue River is to vie at Talent, Jacksonville against St. Mary's at Medford and Butte Falls at Prospect. Medford meets the University of Oregon Frosh.

In the Rogue League on Saturday it will be Illinois Valley against Crater at Central Point and Eagle Point at Phoenix. Medford has two games with Eugene high at Eugene.

There is activity slated also in other sports. The Medford tennis team will play at Ashland on Friday. Ashland and Medford will have track tussles, ninth graders meeting on Friday at Ashland and senior high varsities competing here on Saturday.

Medford golfers have a Saturday date at Klamath Falls.

Thinclads Arrive For Drake Relays

Des Moines (U.P.) — The bulk of the university and college teams entered in the 46th Drake Relays arrived today for limbering up on drills on the Drake track before running for keeps Friday.

The highlight of the two-day event will be Saturday when Wes Santee, the cocky Kansan, and six others try for a four-minute mile.

The event will be nationally televised by the Columbia Broadcasting System.

Tom Deckard, Drake Relays director, said athletes from 28 universities, 44 colleges and 85 Iowa high schools are entered in the meet. The contestants total more than 2,000.

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Durocher Feels Cold No Excuse For Gomez

New York (U.P.) — Manager Leo Durocher of the New York Giants was angered today over Ruben Gomez' insistence that his early-season pitching failures are caused by cold weather.

"That excuse is not good enough," Durocher barked after Gomez was knocked out in the second inning of Wednesday's 9-6 loss to the Milwaukee Braves.

Durocher indicated he might skip Gomez' next turn but added: "It won't be because I don't think he can pitch in cold weather, either."

Seattle (U.P.) — Seattle University topped Western Washington College 9-3 and 16-2 in a collegiate baseball twin bill here yesterday.

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Walker Cup Captain Sees Tough Time

By BOB MC KOWEN

Huntington, W. Va. (U.P.) — The captain of the United States Walker Cup golf team believes the historic old course at St. Andrews, Scotland, may turn out to be a nightmare to the Americans this year.

Big Bill Campbell of Huntington, W. Va., says the American team will need every day of practice it can get on the St. Andrews course before the Walker Cup matches begin May 19.

"We plan one day's practice at London and then we'll go to St. Andrews for five more days of practice, all of which I guarantee you we'll need," he said.

victorious 1951 and 1953 U. S. Walker Cup teams, said the British are "very optimistic." Campbell pointed out that the British will not find many familiar faces on the United States team and that "They're not in the habit of giving a great deal of respect to golfers they haven't seen play."

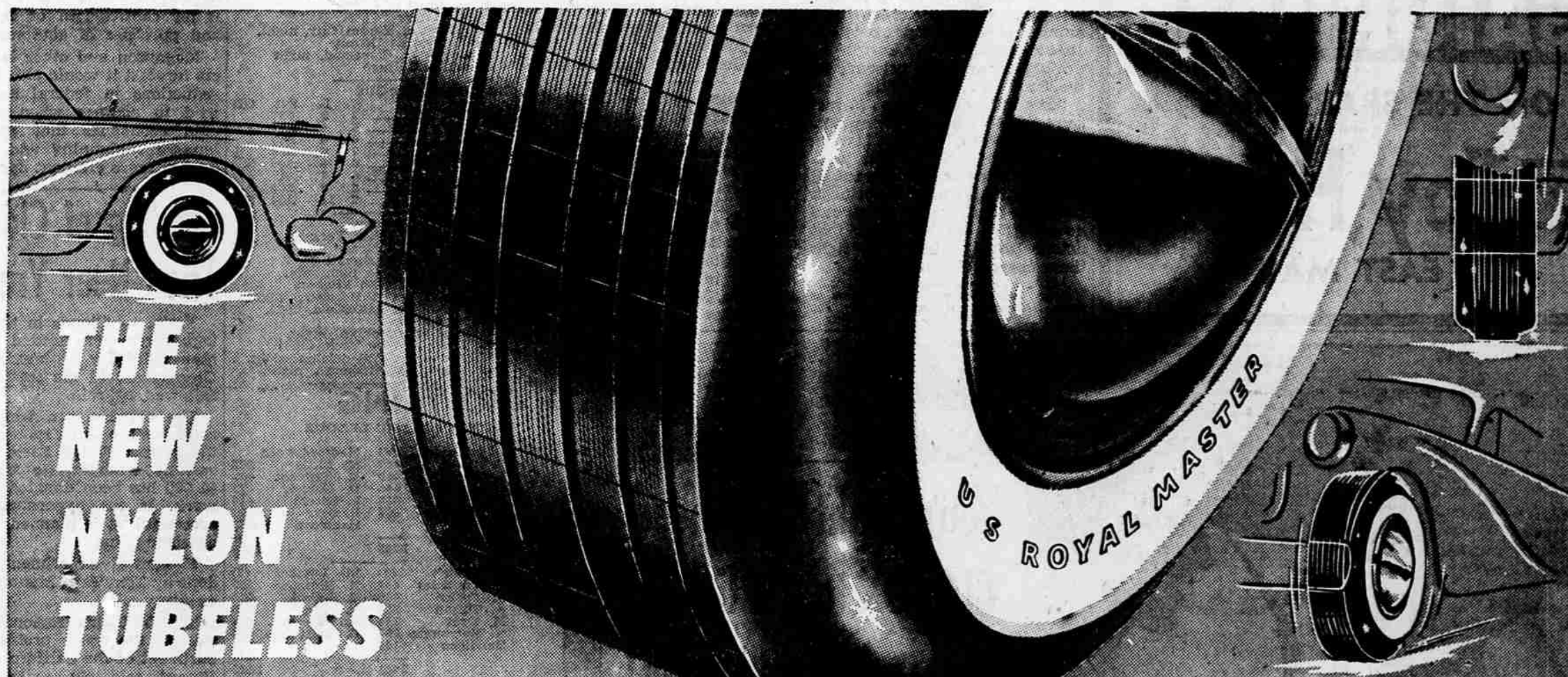
The other eight players, in addition to Campbell, are Harvie Ward of San Francisco, Billy Jo Patton of Morganton, N. C.; Bruce Cudd and Dick Yost, both of Portland, Ore.; Dale Morey of Indianapolis; Jimmy Jackson of St. Louis; Joe Conrad of San Antonio, Tex.; and Don Cherry of Wichita Falls, Tex.

Knapp Brothers Now Hold Second In ABC Doubles

Fort Wayne, Ind. (U.P.) — The Knapp brothers of Newark, N. J., rested comfortably today on the second highest rung of the American Bowling Congress.

Ed and Richard Knapp rolled a 1314 score, the second doubles over 1300 in the tourney, to move into the second spot yesterday. The Harry Zoeller-George Pacropis team of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., still leads with 1365.

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