

SPORTS

Jim Kelly To Chuck Against McCloud Nine

Lefthander Jim Kelly, who twirled a seven-hitter last week against a California team and fanned 21 batters, gets another opportunity against a Bear state crew tonight. He's been named starting pitcher for the Medford Cheney Studs when they face the McCloud Loggers at the fairgrounds park here.

Game time is 8 p.m. It is a non-league fray.

Business Manager Bill Askwith reported that Marv Scherpf likely will get the call should Kelly require relief.

McCloud is one of the front runners in the Northern California loop and may give the Studs a harder time of it than previous NCL contingents have provided. Reports of last week's NCL activity have not been received here but McCloud was tied with Tulelake for the lead going into the holiday affairs and one of the two scuffles scheduled was against Tulelake.

McCloud has yet to fall to a Northern California foe this season. The Studs have beaten Yreka three times and Mt. Shasta and Scott Valley each once. That has the Studs tonight aiming for its sixth straight success against clubs from south of the border. It was against Scott Valley that Kelly got his last week's victory.

The McCloud pitcher may be picked from among Don Nichols, Torsoren and Kersten.

Askwith will be field manager for the Studs tonight since the regular skipper, Clarence Melby, is spending a few days with relatives at Silverton.

Picking up the pieces of last week end's Southern Oregon

Hillman Robbins Picked To Keep Colonial Title

Memphis, Tenn. — (U.P.) — A field which reads like a "who's who" in Southern golf opened a five-day battle today to block Hillman Robbins' bid for his fifth straight Colonial Invitation golf tournament championship.

The slender Memphis swinger has won the Colonial four times running since 1951, an almost unheard of feat for a tournament of this caliber.

Some 130 golfers teed off this morning to open two days of medal qualifying for 30 championship berths. Robbins and Walker Cupper Dale Morey of Martinsville, Ind., were automatically qualified for the championship flight, Robbins because he is defending champ and Morey because of his record and the fact he was unable to get here until Thursday.

Robbins, the national intercollegiate champ, is favored to retain his crown.

But he faces stiff competition from players like Morey and Don F. Bisplinghoff of Orlando, Fla., North-South amateur champ and a semi-finalist in the British Amateur.

league action—the circuit standings are fairly tightly packed from third place on down with Medford now in the cellar. Coquille and Drain still head the race, Coquille beating Medford 11 to 2 and 7 to 1 and Drain taking 13 to 11 and 9 to 8 verdicts from Bend. In the other loop series Roseburg beat Bandon 15 to 8 on Saturday and Bandon came back with a 6 to 2 win on Sunday.

Medford has played two more games than four of the clubs and has more than two others. It has a bye this week end and entertains the Washington Cheney Studs.

Southern Oregon League Standings

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Coquille	8	2	.800
Drain	7	3	.700
Grants Pass	6	4	.600
Roseburg	4	6	.400
Bend	3	7	.300
Bandon	2	5	.286
Medford	4	8	.333

Club Mantle Links Action In 2nd Round

Rogue Valley Country club golfers this week are contesting in the second round of the club championship tournament.

First round action was completed over the holiday and one second round hassle has been played with Wendy Wissler downing Dick Lugnet. Second round scuffles must be finished by this Sunday night.

All entries, whether they won or lost in the first matches, have competition this week in the second round. First round beaten players drop into lower flights to continue play.

Medalist George Harrington advanced by defeating Jack Sanborn 2 and 1.

A number of the championship flight rivals got by comfortable margins but Nelson Gallant had to go three extra holes to subdue Roy Gilbertson. Al Atherton won by 1 up over George Stacey.

Two entries advanced by default, Ivan Harrington who was to have played Eddie Simmons and Bob Rector, who was to have met Brad Broyles.

First Round Results: Championship Flight—George Harrington def. Jack Sanborn 2 and 1; Bob Phillips def. Paul Lacanette 4 and 2; Wendell Wissler def. Willie Pruitt; Dick Lugnet def. Dr. Lee Mellish; Harry Millette def. Bill Caley 6 and 5; Dick House def. Norm Hillier 2 and 1; Larry Butler def. Don Wood 2 and 1; Dr. William Miller def. John Moffat.

Ivan Harrington won by default from Eddie Simmons; W. W. Deakins Sr. def. Russ Heynell 3 and 2; Harvey Woods Jr. def. Carl Schmidt 4 and 2; Clayton Lewis def. Duke Anderson 8 and 6; Nelson Gallant def. Roy Gilbertson 1 up (21 holes); Bob Rector won from Brad Broyles by default; Bob Rasmussen def. Dick Knight 4 and 3; Al Atherton def. George Stacey 1 up.

Second Flight—Hank Herman def. Bob Weber 5 and 4; Deane Lambert def. Bud Hauper 4 and 2; Bob Woody 1 up (20 holes); Bob Lockwood def. Ray Wise 3 and 2; Miles Doran def. Tom MacLeod 1 up; Justin Smith Sr. def. Bill Thorndike 2 and 1; Warren Deakins Jr. def. Lee Flank 2 and 1; Norton Smith won from Everett McGraw by default.

Fourth Flight—Al Servold def. Al Henke 1 up (19 holes); Fred Sears def. Harry Watson 1 up (21 holes); Dutch Oakes def. George Stonier 1 up (19 holes); George Schuler def. Alton Anderson 3 and 2; Bob Corbin def. Roy Smith 3 and 2; Ed Hall def. Fred Conrad 1 up; Bob Voegtly def. Charles McIntyre 4 and 3; Ken Teeter vs. Vincent Bevis 2 up.

Sixth Flight—Jim Dunne def. Ray Mencke 5 and 4; Cain Robinson def. C. F. Clark 2 and 1; George Rasmussen def. E. W. Peterson 1 up; Ward Samuelson def. Bob Wells 1 up (19 holes); Bill Marshall def. Lowell Chamberlin 1 up (19 holes); Bud Judy def. Dr. J. S. Heatherington 5 and 4; Walter Tomlin def. Dr. Bob Bayuk by default; Bill Kalibak def. Morris Leonard 1 up.

Eighth Flight—Bunny Barrell won from Darrell Miller by default; Frank Allen def. George Choate 2 and 1; Bill Blackledge won from E. K. Ricker by default; Dick Henselman bye; A. C. Broyles won from Al Hart by default; Bob Morris bye; Vern Larson bye; Fred Moran bye.



TAKES A SWIM—At Crystal Beach, Ontario, 18-year-old Greta Patterson receives trophy and flowers from her trainer after she became first person to swim Lake Erie. She made the 15-mile crossing in 13 hours 3 minutes.

CP-Meds Vie at Ashland Sunday

The crucial American Legion junior baseball doubleheader between Central Point-Medford and Ashland nines has been shifted to Sunday. It will be held at the Southern Oregon college field at Ashland.

Originally, the series has been set up for this afternoon. The change was made because neither team has make-up games that would have to be played by next week end.

The two teams are deadlocked for the loop lead. Ashland got two forfeit wins from Lakeview last Sunday while CP-Medford was losing twice to Klamath Falls.

Morning Star, Pamona Battle For Yacht Lead

San Pedro, Calif. — (U.P.) — Commodore Richard S. Rheem's flagship Morning Star and William A. Pomeroy's 109-foot schooner Ramona battled for the lead today in the Transpacific Yacht Race to Honolulu.

Rheem's 96-foot ketch, representing the Los Angeles Yacht Club, was last reported 186 miles out of this port after about 24 hours of sailing and approximately three miles ahead of the Ramona.

The Morning Star holds the elapsed time record for the race. The Ramona, out of San Francisco, is the largest craft in the race.

Two Boats Quit The fleet of sailing craft was reduced to 51 boats yesterday with the withdrawal of the sloop Gullmar of San Diego, Calif., and the 63-foot cutter Orient of San Francisco.

The Gullmar, skippered by J. G. Johanson, was about 100 miles at sea when she messaged she was returning to her home port but needed no assistance. Johanson did not say why he was dropping out of the race.

The Orient was dismasted off the west end of Santa Catalina Island and was forced to withdraw but reported no one was hurt and no assistance was needed. The Orient unsealed its auxiliary engine for the return trip.

Skippers Engage In Fist Fight; Unprecedented

Cincinnati — (U.P.) — National League President Warren Giles said today a fist fight between managers Birdie Tebbetts of the Cincinnati Redlegs and Harry (The Hat) Walker of the St. Louis Cardinals was "unprecedented."

Giles, a witness to the free-for-all last night at Crosley Field, said he will be in no hurry to take any action against any of those involved in the scrap.

"I never before heard of two major league managers starting a fight between their teams by being the first to exchange blows," Giles said. "To the best of my knowledge, their fight was unprecedented."

HARTACK LENGTHENS LEAD Salem, N.H. — (U.P.) — Willie Hartack rode three winners Tuesday at Arlington park to lengthen his lead over Willie Shoemaker in the national jockey standings. Hartack now has 201, five more than Shoemaker, who was inactive.

Washington Studs Sport 14-3 Record

Washington Cheney Studs, the Northwest American Baseball congress champs who play the Medford Cheney Studs here Saturday and Sunday, currently are carrying a 14 win 3 loss record. They were to play one game this week before coming to Medford for the two-game series.

Latest victories for the young but potent Washington Cheney club were 7 to 2 over Troy, Mont. last Saturday and 3 to 2 over the Granum White Sox at Lacombe, Alta., Canada on Monday. Troy was met at Bonners Ferry, Ida.

Winning pitcher for the Studs against Troy was Monte Geiger, outstanding player last year at the Northwest regional tourney. Ron Geogor tossed the last seven innings of the Monday game, fanning 15 and getting credit for the win. Dick Naish, the old man of the club, hit a two run homer in the eighth inning Monday to sew up the fracas.

Of the Washington club's three setbacks, two were at the hands of the Yakima Bears of the Northwest league and only one was inflicted by a semi-pro crew.

Ben Cheney of the Cheney Lumber company, sponsor of both the Washington and Medford teams, is a firm believer in development of young players and most of the squad which will come here will be made up of diamonds of prep and college age from the Seattle and Tacoma area.

Just out of high school, for instance, are Luther Carr, hard hitting outfielder and all-around athlete, and Bob Jacobs, shortstop, most valuable player in the recent Seattle-State all-star series. Carr, star football halfback and track man, is the most publicized man on the team.

WINS HANDICAP Portland — (U.P.) — Tuzado handily won the \$1500 Independence day handicap Monday at the concluding day of the 1955 horse racing season at Portland Meadows. A holiday crowd of 6400, third largest of the meeting, turned out for the 10-race finale.

Furgol Has Big Gallery In Scotland

St. Andrews, Scotland — (U.P.) — Ed Furgol was almost a "forgotten man" when he made his recent successful defense of the U.S. Open golf championship, but he was the darling of the gallery as championship play began today in the British Open tournament.

Furgol, from Clayton, Mo., was one of five Americans who survived the two days of qualifying play to find a spot in the championship flight of 94.

The others were British Amateur champion Joe Conard of San Antonio, former U.S. Open Byron Nelson of Roanoke, Tex., Jimmy McHale of Wynnewood, Pa., and Johnny Bulla of Pittsburgh.

Medalist honors in the qualifying rounds went to Frank Jowle, an unheralded English "weekend golfer" who fired a total of 135 for the 72 holes. That was a total second in the 95-year history of this tournament only to the 134 recorded by America's immortal Bobby Jones in the qualifying play for the 1926 tournament at Sandwich, England.

Three Linksmen Depart For Public Links Meet

Portland — (U.P.) — Three golfers left here yesterday for the National Public Links championship to be held July 11-16 in Indianapolis.

They are Roy Atkins, Gene Maidment and Bob Parry, who led Oregon's sectional qualifying round last month.

DIMAG, BAKER PICKED

New York — (U.P.) — Joe DiMaggio and Frank (Home Run) Baker, who were voted into baseball's Hall of Fame this year, will manage all-star teams at the New York Yankees' annual old timers' day, July 30, at Yankee stadium, it was announced today.

handicap of a lame arm to become one of the game's brightest stars, was the player who fured the gallery. He stamped himself as the biggest drawing cards in the tournament as more than 1,000 fans dogged his heels around the course in Tuesday's round.

Furgol started with a double-bogey six on the first hole of Tuesday's round on the historic old course when his drive plumped into a deep creek. Calling the mishap a "sneak punch," Furgol grinned and rallied to shoot a one-under-par 71 for his 142 total.

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