

Fanfare

By DICK JEWETT
Mail Tribune Sports Editor

A typographical error in Sunday's paper resulted in incorrect listing of the time for Mike Russell's sizzling quarter-mile for Medford high in Saturday's triangular track meet. The time was .50.5. The sophomore was just a second off the state mark of .49.5 set by Medford's Ray Johnson as a junior in 1940. Mike is aiming at .50 flat this season. No one will be surprised if he accomplishes that objective. Russell's fastest time previously in competition was .51.1.

LUCK SHUNS OMAHA FOX
An article in the *Thoroughbred Record*, a racing journal, by Larry Evans, indicates that Omaha Fox, horse owned by Pete Logan, Medford, will not be among the entries in the Kentucky Derby. Says Evans: "Misfortune set in shortly after the cold arrived at Keeneland to begin his Derby preparations. His trainer, Joe Nunnally, according to Logan, seemed awed when he found himself among nationally known owners and trainers. . . Nunnally appeared before the commission for his license and apparently 'froze up' when questioned. He was turned down. . . Meanwhile, Omaha Fox took sick and was without a trainer. . . Luckily, Jimmy Jones. . . who is returning to the tracks this year with a public stable, agreed to take over Omaha Fox."

"When Jimmy was asked what he thought of the horse, he replied cautiously, 'Well can't tell much just yet, got to get rid of this running nose and whatever other infection he has. . . but this let up in his training will mean that he will have to pass up the Derby. . . We'll keep him here until Louisville closes and depending on his condition—may go to Chicago—or, may go to New York—for the Belmont Stakes.'"

TENNIS STOP ONE OF 10
Medford is among 10 west coast cities listed on the itinerary for the Jack Kramer tennis tour, which will make only one other Oregon stop. The tour, featuring Rex Hartwig, Pancho Gonzales, Panch Segura and Tony Trabert, starts its west coast tour at Spokane on May 23. Other appearances, in order, are at Vancouver, B.C., Victoria, B.C., Portland, Medford, Carmel, Calif., Sacramento, Palo Alto, Newport Beach and La Jolla. The Medford stop is dated for Monday, May 28.

COURSE SHAPE GREAT
Rogue Valley Country club links should be in fine condition for the Thursday clinic and exhibition featuring Julius Boros. World Championship golf tourney winner of 1955. Last week's rains, the normal irrigation, fertilization and mowing are the reasons. Club manager George Harrington reported that the grasses, planted two years ago are in "real good" shape. Harrington said that the greens have been verticuted, an operation which removes the grass which is laying down. It is this grass which disturbs a ball when it rolls on a green, the manager pointed out. Clayton Lewis, who'll team with Boros, and Harrington and Al Williams, who'll provide the opposition for the star pro and the club president, are expected to get in some practice play on Wednesday. Harrington said he planned to go nine holes today and nine tomorrow.

MORE HOMERS POSSIBLE
Considerable work is being done at the Fairgrounds ball park in preparation for the forthcoming semi-pro baseball season. Bill Askwith, Business Manager for the Medford Cheney Studs and Cheney Colts, has reported. One innovation may result in

a larger number of homers in the park. A fence inside the old outfield outer wall has been completed. It is 18 to 20 feet inside the old fence and lower. New distances to the fence with the old distances in parentheses are right field 314 (332), center field 367 (387) and left field 327 (347). Fans who like to see the round-tripper hit have had to go a bit hungry in recent seasons. The new fence could change that situation.

Being constructed under the grandstand behind home plate are facilities which will serve either as dressing room space or as living quarters for ball players. The concessions stand is being redecorated with a red background and white trim.

Lighting should be brighter and more efficient at the ball park this season. Askwith said that California-Oregon Power company, at no cost to the Studs, has installed some new wiring, a new transformer and a new light switch.

The ball club management will operate the concessions business this year, according to Askwith. He said that the Miner Boshears will be park manager and that Wicky Wicklein will be groundskeeper.

NOVEL SET
Operation of the Colts by the Studs, sponsoring of a farm club by a semi-pro team, to us is something novel. It is unique for this section of the state. We hope it produces the desired results—development of ball players of the valley. Askwith said that it is planned to make the Colts a "valley" team although its home park will be the fairgrounds. This writer is happy to see the formation of the Colts. It means more work for this department but this writer has advocated a second club operating out of this community ever since the Rogue Valley League was formed. There's a place for both the SOL and RVL brands of ball in the community and having an RVL club playing out of the fairgrounds could well serve to liven up interest in that circuit.

MYSTERY SOLVED
Since the appearance at Rogue Valley Country club some years ago of the golfing sisters, Marlene and Alice Bauer, the links play of the two young women has been followed with some interest. Alice married and her name was listed as Alice Bauer Hage in the news of golf tourneys. It was somewhat strange then recently to see reports of the play of Marlene Bauer Hage. The mystery was cleared up by a chance reading of Golf Digest. The magazine mentions that Marlene is married to her sister's former husband.

A play-off among the top four teams in the regular season standings is planned as a conclusion for the Rogue Valley Baseball league this year.

League Leaders

Player & Club	G.	AB	R.	H.	Pct.
Boyer, St. L.	9	34	9	16	.471
Long, Pitts.	11	43	9	18	.419
Moon, St. Louis	9	33	7	15	.394
Sarni, St. Louis	8	31	4	12	.387
Dark, New York	11	44	5	16	.364

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Wertz, Cleve.	11	38	9	17	.447
Mantle, N.Y.	11	41	10	17	.415
Skowron, N.Y.	11	44	7	15	.408
Olsen, Wash.	13	47	10	19	.404
Piersall, Bsn.	9	30	7	12	.400

Home Runs—Post, Redlegs 7; Long, Pirates 5; Wertz, Indians 5; Jablonski, Redlegs 5; Thomas, Pirates, Berra, Yankees and Mantle, Yankees all 4.

Runs—Yost, Senators 13; Gilliam, Dodgers 11; Bauer, Yankees 11; Olson, Senators 10; Mantle, Yankees 10.

Hits—Olson, Senators 19; Long, Pirates 18; Skowron, Yankees 18; Wertz, Indians 17; Mantle, Yankees 17.

Pitching—Roberts, Phillies 3-0; Pierce, White Sox 3-0. (9 tied with 2-0).

STANDINGS

By UNITED PRESS
National League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
St. Louis	8	3	.667	1
Brooklyn	7	4	.636	1 1/2
Milwaukee	4	3	.571	1 1/2
Cincinnati	5	5	.500	2
New York	5	5	.500	2
Philadelphia	5	6	.455	2 1/2
Pittsburgh	5	6	.455	2 1/2
Chicago	3	7	.309	3 1/2

Tuesday's Probable Pitchers
Brooklyn at Cincinnati (night)—Ersine (1-0) vs. Klippstein (1-1).
New York at Chicago—Heata (0-1) vs. Hacker (1-0).
Philadelphia at Milwaukee (night)—Dillon (0-2) vs. Bull (1-0).
Pittsburgh at St. Louis (night)—Litterfield (0-0) vs. Mizell (2-0).

Wednesday's Games

Brooklyn at Cincinnati (night)	New York at Chicago	Pittsburgh at St. Louis (night)
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AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Chicago	5	1	.833	
New York	8	3	.727	
Cleveland	5	5	.500	2
Washington	7	6	.538	2 1/2
Boston	4	5	.444	3 1/2
Detroit	6	6	.500	3 1/2
Kansas City	3	6	.333	4 1/2
Baltimore	4	9	.308	5

Monday's Results
No games scheduled.

Tuesday's Results
Detroit at New York—Gronke (1-1) vs. Ford (2-0).
Kansas City at Boston—Kretlow (0-1) vs. Porterfield (1-1).
Chicago at Baltimore (night)—Harshman (1-0) vs. Palica (0-3).
Cleveland at Washington (night)—Wynn (2-0) vs. Ramos (1-0).

Wednesday's Games

Cleveland at Washington (night)	Chicago at Baltimore	Detroit at New York	Kansas City at Boston
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PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Seattle	14	6	.700	
Los Angeles	13	6	.684	1 1/2
Hollywood	12	6	.667	2
San Francisco	10	9	.526	3 1/2
San Diego	10	11	.476	4 1/2
Hollywood	6	12	.333	7
Vancouver	6	13	.316	7 1/2
Portland	6	14	.300	8

Monday's Results
San Diego 14, Vancouver 5 (Only game scheduled).

Today's Probable Pitchers
Sacramento (Gene Bearden 0-1) at Seattle (Don Fracchia 3-0).
San Francisco (Russ Kemmerer 2-1) at Hollywood (Curt Raydon 2-0).
Los Angeles (Harry Perkowski 2-0) at Portland (Bill Werle 2-2).
San Diego (Lloyd Dickie 0-0) at Vancouver (Charlie Locke 0-3).

Busso Wins Over Cuban

New York — (U.P.) — Young light-weight Johnny Busso was assured today that he could take his "rat-tat-tat" right hand punch on to bigger assignments after a pounding that made loser Orlando Zulueta feel as if he had been in a bout with a pneumatic drill.

Promoter Teddy Brenner of the St. Nicholas Arena promised Busso, a New York kid, a June 4 bout with Ralph Dupas of New Orleans as a reward for the showing he made in upsetting the veteran left jab specialist from Cuba on the nation's TV screens Monday night.

Busso was so elated that he announced he was getting married, though not until later in June when his bout with title contender Dupas is out of the way.

Veteran ringsiders, watching the powerful pounding Busso drilled out with his right fist, observed that Zulueta probably took more starboard side leather than in any one of his previous 92 professional bouts.

Even so, Busso gained only a split decision in his major upset. Two of the judges voted for him, 6-4, and 6-3-1 but the third gave it to Zulueta, 6-4. The United Press judged Busso the winner, 6-4.

Busso, at 138 1/2 pounds, gained his 26th victory in 30 bouts. It was Zulueta's 27th defeat.

Mark Beliveau Wins Hockey League Trophy

Montreal — (U.P.) — Big Jean Marc Beliveau, the Montreal Canadiens' brilliant center who really came into his own this year, today was named winner of the Hart trophy—the National Hockey league's "most valuable player" award.

It's the second award gained by "Le Gros Bill" for the past season, joining on Beliveau's mantle the Art Ross trophy as the league's champion scorer.

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SPORTS

Ellis Kinder Hurls Cards Into Lead

By FRED DOWN
United Press Sports Writer
Just six little putouts — but enough to put the St. Louis Cardinals in first place today for the first time in exactly five years.

That's the story so far this season for 41-year-old Ellis 'Old Grand Dad' Kinder, who's been on hand for the last putout in New York at Chicago, Philadelphia at Milwaukee and Pittsburgh at St. Louis. In the American league, West goes East, with Detroit at New York, Kansas City at Boston, Chicago at Baltimore and Cleveland at Washington.

So far, neither the world champion Dodgers nor the A.L. champion Yankees have been able to get away from the field — as it was feared they might do early — and there is hope now that both races may be close.

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Poholsky, Collum 9 Kinder 9 and Sarni, Spahn, Sleater 9, Burdette 9 and Crandall. Winning pitcher — Poholsky, (1-0). Losing pitcher — Spahn (0-1).

Team Suspended For Competing Against Santee

Williamsburg, Va. — (U.P.) — The "guilt by association" policy of the Amateur Athletic union put the William and Mary college track team on the indefinitely suspended list today because it competed in a meet on April 14 against the banned Marine Miller, Wes Santee.

Hy Cohen Leads PCL Pitching

San Francisco — (U.P.) — Los Angeles hurler Hy Cohen led the Pacific Coast league's pitching parade with a spotless record today—four wins and no losses in four starts.

Don Fracchie of Seattle was second with three wins and no losses. Eight other PCL hurlers sported perfect 2-0 records at the end of three weeks of play and 13 moundmen showed 1-0 records.

Pete Mesa of San Diego was the league's workinest pitcher with 36 innings of duty behind him. Dick Drott of Los Angeles was tops in the important strike-out division with 24 men fanned. Bob Harrison of Vancouver had the most bases on balls—25.

Albany Diamond Coach Resigns

Albany — (U.P.) — Charles (Chuck) Kerr resigned all coaching activities at Albany High school yesterday because of ill health.

He was baseball coach and assistant football coach since 1950. In 1952 his Albany baseball team won the state championship. He graduated from Oregon State college in 1948.

Tommy Holman, varsity basketball coach, will take over baseball coaching for the rest of the year. Bud Gibbs, varsity football coach, will coach Jayvee baseball.

Yesterday's Scores

By UNITED PRESS

College Baseball

WSU 7, Oregon State 5	Idaho 9, Washington 8
Portland 5, Oregon College 3	Pacific 15, Lewis and Clark 4 (first game)
Lewis and Clark 13, Pacific 5 (second game)	Linfield 8, Whitman 4 (first game)
Whitman 5, Linfield 3 (second game)	Willamette 8, College of Idaho 4 (first game)
Willamette 22, College of Idaho 1 (second game)	

Salem Lefty Recovers To Nip Spokane

By RAY ANDREWS
United Press Sports Writer
Jerry Cade, rookie Salem lefty, got a rather rude introduction to professional baseball last night but caught on pretty fast once the formalities were over.

Cade was rocked for five runs in the first two innings but then settled down to blank Spokane the rest of the way while his mates came from behind for a 7-5 victory.

The win left Salem undefeated in Northwest League play with a 4-0 mark.

John Bellone and Jim Sampson of Spokane homered in the first inning off Cade and Eddie Murphy singled home a run in the second but from that point on the Drain, Ore., freshman had things in hand.

A walk, a sacrifice and singles by Mel Krause and Frank Szeleka produced Salem's eventual winning runs.

A veteran making his first start of the season had less luck than Cade. Vern Kinsfader of Tri-City allowed but five hits but went down 1-0 before Yaki-ma and Dick Young.

Young scattered six hits and fanned six. The Bears pushed across the game's lone run in the eighth on two walks, an error and a sacrifice fly by first sacker Roy Nixon.

Eugene unloaded a 14-hit attack on two Wenatchee hurlers to top the Chiefs 6-1. Russ Pemsold went the route for the Emeralds striking out four and walking but one.

Manny Lacosta weighed in with some heavy stickwork for Eugene with three hits in four trips including a double and four runs batted in.

Gene Marinacci and Carl Hutzler each had three for four in the Eugene attack.

Promoter To Take Stand

New York — (U.P.) — Promoter Jim Norris was slated to return to the stand today in the government's anti-monopoly suit against his International Boxing club.

Big Jim was testifying at adjournment Monday.

Guided by chief defense attorney Whitey North Seymour, the promoter's testimony appeared aimed at establishing himself as an expert in the fight game and at disproving charges of conspiracy to monopolize.

Norris, head of the IBC and president of the Madison Square Garden Corp., outlined Monday some of the difficulties and financial hazards that confront a fight-promoter in these television days.

Norris said weekly television on Wednesday and Friday nights yielded the IBC about \$1,200,000 during the past fiscal year. However, Arthur M. Wirtz of Chicago—Norris' partner in the IBC and many other enterprises—testified the Chicago branch of the IBC lost \$325,000 last year. Madison Square Garden's profit as about \$311,000.

Julius Boros Exhibition At RVCC This Thursday; Tour Record 61 Under Par

World champion Julius Boros will make his 36th stop on the 1955-1956 George S. May company guaranteed tour Thursday, May 3, when he appears for a clinic and 18-hole exhibition golf match at Rogue Valley Country club here.

Boros will arrive here by United Air lines on Wednesday evening. He is currently at Reno, Nev.

Word from Art Witzleben who is traveling with Boros has it that the 1955 winner of the World Championship tourney at Tam O'Shanter, Chicago, will be in sharp fettle for his Medford appearance. He is 61 under par for the tour and has broken two course records.

At Rogue Valley Boros will team with Clayton Lewis, president of the local club. They will play George Harrington, manager, and Al Williams, professional of RVCC. A clinic will be conducted by the touring pro at 1 p.m. The match will follow.

Top Money Man
Boros is on tour as the result of his victory in the big Tam tourney. His triumph had him golf's top money winner in 1955 and a further part of the champ's prize was a contract for a minimum of 55 exhibitions at \$1,000 each from the May company, tourney sponsor.

After a day-long s-t-y here Boros will leave Friday for Yakima, Wash. From there he will go to Germany for several appearances. Jackson County Chamber of Commerce arranged for the stop here, applying for one of the exhibitions about the time of last year's world titular event.

Boros, who won the Tam crown also in 1952 when he was U.S. Open champ, leading money winner and golfer of the year, is the only big professional star scheduled to appear on the Medford links this year. He is the second world tourney winner to make an exhibition appearance here. Ben Hogan played here prior to victories in the event.

Pro Since 1949
The standout linksman, who will be here this week, has been a pro since 1949 and has been consistently in the money since 1950. He picked up cash in 21 tourneys last year. His club affiliation is Mid-Pines Country club, North Carolina. Boros is a native of Fairfield, Conn., is 36 years of age, stands almost six feet tall and weighs around 200 pounds.

Lowest competitive score for Boros was his 65 in the 1951 Long Beach Open. His best 72-hole count was 268 in the 1952 Texas Open.

Before making his mark in golf competition, Boros was a standout in both basketball and baseball in his Connecticut high school and college days. A caddy prood, he played his first tournament at the age of 15.

He entered the Medical Corps in 1942. When released by Uncle Sam he returned to play four years of top flight amateur golf, climaxed when he reached quarter finals in the national amateur in 1949.

PRESIDENT NAMED
New York — (U.P.) — Martin Tanabum, a graduate of Fordham University and Brooklyn Law school and a prominent figure in various charity organizations, was named today to succeed William H. Cane as president of Yonkers Raceway.

Corvallis — (U.P.) — Oregon State whitewashed Willamette 7-0 in a tennis match yesterday for its 9th win in 10 starts.

WRESTLING CARD
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Wednesday Night, May 2
EXTRA SPECIAL ATTRACTION
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AND OTTO BOWMAN, 96
vs.
TINY ROE, 90
AND PEE WEE JAMES, 95
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Best 2/3 Falls or 45 Minutes:
LEAPIN' LARRY CHENE, 200
Detroit vs.
DIRTY DOUG DONOVAN, 210
Montana
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vs.
AL WARSAWSKI, 205, Detroit

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