

Brick Laws Considering Sale of Club

Oakland, Calif. — (U.P.) — President C. L. Brick Laws of the Vancouver Mounties has disclosed that he is considering selling the Pacific Coast team to wealthy Canadian sportsman Coley Hall for "considerably more than \$60,000."

Laws is part owner of the franchise which was shifted from Oakland to the British Columbia city last winter, ending a 54 year stand in the East Bay. His plans for selling the club were revealed yesterday when a legal action was filed in Alameda superior court to halt the move.

Wes Santee Makes Bid

Quantico, Va. — (U.P.) — Wes Santee, in one of the rare competitive chances left open to him, bid today for the "metric mile" championship in the ninth annual Marine corps track and field championships.

Santee, under ban from amateur track by the National Amateur Athletic Union on charges of accepting about \$1,500 in excess expense money, is able to compete here because the meet is a military service affair.

The former Kansas star, now a Marine lieutenant stationed here, won the 800-meter run in Tuesday's opening-day program in the excellent time of 1:49.57.

Blister Hobbles Ted Williams; Went 7 Innings

Baltimore — (U.P.) — Ted Williams was hobbled by a new ailment today 24 hours after he returned to the Boston Red Sox lineup for the first time since April 18.

The 36-year-old slugger's availability was still on a "day to day" basis because of a blister the size of half-dollar in diameter and a quarter-inch deep in his right heel.

Williams returned to the Red Sox regular lineup for the first time since the second game of the season Tuesday. He notified Manager Mike Hargan a few minutes before game-time that he'd like "to give it a try."

Williams went hitless in four trips to the plate and caught a routine fly in left field before retiring in favor of Gene Stephens in the seventh.

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UCLA Athletic Director Requests Reconsideration of PCC Penalties Against Bruin Football Players

Los Angeles — (U.P.) — Wilbur Johns, athletic director of UCLA has expressed hope that the Pacific Coast conference would reconsider penalties against the school's football players "in the light of existing conditions and practices at other schools."

Johns in a prepared statement Tuesday said he believed any athletes who did not receive aid beyond conference limits would be cleared and called for an early meeting of the Council of Presidents as recommended by Dr. Gordon Sproul, president of the University of California.

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Bob Gauthier Slaps Homer With 3 On

By RAY ANDREWS United Press Sports Writer Picking a hero in last night's Northwest league play is a lead pipe cinch.

It would have to be Bob Gauthier of Eugene who sat out six innings before he got in the ball game.

Then in the seventh, Ad Satalich, Salem pitcher, walked two men. Gene Marinacci's scratch single filled the sacks and Gauthier came in to hit for pitcher Bill Griffin.

He belted one of Satalich's pitches clear over the scoreboard for one of the longest homers ever hit at the Salem park. The four runs crossed to go with one Eugene tallied in the third for a 5-3 Eugene victory.

Donahue Goat On the other side of the ledger, there was Mike Donahue, Lewiston catcher. Donahue dropped a third strike on Bob Roberts of Wenatchee that would have ended the ball game.

Instead Roberts scampered to first safely and Phil Marvier scored from second with the tying run when Donahue dropped the return throw from first.

That made the score Wenatchee 3, Lewiston 3 at the end of the ninth. Wenatchee took advantage of the break with a run in the 10th when Don Lundberg's single plated Frank Mataya from second for a 4-3 Wenatchee decision.

Tri-City and Yakima broke even in a twin bill at Kennewick. A 13-hit attack produced a 12-5 Tri-City victory in the opener. Yakima took the second game 4-3 with Eny Wilcox sending in the eventual winning run in the seventh with a single.

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Joe Conrad Advances In British Amateur

By HENRY THORNBERRY Savannah, Ga., Frank Strafaci of Garden City, N. Y., and "Dynamite" Billy Goodloe of Valdosta, Ga., all in the second round, and Edwin C. Vane and Clarke Hardwicke of Los Angeles, both in the third round.

Two rounds were scheduled to be played today and by night-fall there would be only eight survivors for Thursday's 36-hole quarter-finals. Seventeen Scots and seven Englishmen were among the 32 who started play today in cool, overcast weather.

Conrad, shooting only two-over-par golf for the 13 holes his match lasted, grabbed a 3 up lead at the turn and then swept three of the first four holes on the incoming nine to win handily. The American needed to play only fair golf as Mill bogeyed eight of the last 10 holes in the match.

Andrews scored the most impressive triumph of the four Americans when he shot a two-under-par 69 on the ancient Troon course to eliminate Phil Scruton of England. Grant defeated Michael Burgess of England.

Today's fourth round results were in marked contrast to yesterday's "Black Tuesday," during which 13 Yanks were eliminated. The four Americans who reached the fourth round represented the smallest contingent of U. S. survivors in years for this stage of the tournament.

Among the "name" Americans ousted were Hobart Manley of CARPENTER SIGNS

Cleveland, (U.P.) — Preston Carpenter, a University of Arkansas halfback and the Cleveland Browns' number one draft choice, has signed his 1956 contract with the National League champions. Carpenter, 22, is the brother of the Detroit Lions' Lou Carpenter.

League Leaders

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Ducks Talk To Hickey

St. Louis, Mo. — (U.P.) — Eddie Hickey, basketball coach at St. Louis university and athletic director at the school, said here yesterday that he had been contacted regarding the coaching vacancy at the University of Oregon but added he didn't know if he were being considered for the job.

Hickey said that he was happy with conditions at St. Louis, and had no plans to leave. He added, however, "if an offer of a tremendous salary increase would come along, I'd listen to it."

The St. Louis coach confirmed that Oregon Athletic Director Leo Harris had talked to him about the Webfoot vacancy but indicated their conversations had been chiefly in regard to other possible candidates.

Milwaukee — (U.P.) — A scheduled 10-round bout between Ernie Durando of Bayonne, N.J., and Frank Szuzina of Germany for Thursday has been postponed because of an ear injury suffered by Durando in training. The bout will be rescheduled as soon as the injury heals.

Nashua Expected To Draw Throng

By JOE SARGIS United Press Sports Writer Nashua, thoroughbred racing's Mr. Millions, was expected to lure 50,000 fans to old Belmont park in New York today for the 63rd running of the Metropolitan handicap—the top race on an interesting holiday program across the nation.

The well-built son of Nasrullah, who passed Citation's all-time money-making record by capturing the Camden handicap at Garden State Park 11 days ago, will be trying to match the feats of the last three winners of the Metropolitan—Tom Fool, Native Dancer and High Gun—by carrying 130 pounds over the mile course.

With \$1,100,365 already in the bank, Nashua was shooting for the top prize of \$38,200.

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