

SPORTS

League Leaders

(By United Press)

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Player & Club	G.	A.R.	R.	H.	Pct.
Aaron, Milwaukee	145	374	103	188	.328
Virgil, Pittsburgh	146	347	73	175	.300
Moore, St. Louis	139	362	85	158	.315
Clinton, Philadelphia	138	354	63	127	.312
Ashburn, Philadelphia	144	394	93	184	.310

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Player & Club	G.	A.R.	R.	H.	Pct.
Williams, Boston	127	308	65	131	.336
Mantle, New York	147	317	128	181	.330
Kuenn, Detroit	136	350	87	181	.329
Maas, Detroit	131	338	63	159	.328
Nieman, Baltimore	121	409	58	139	.318

Home Runs—Mantle, Yankees 38; Springer, Dodgers 30; Robinson, Redlegs 28; Aaron, Braves 27; Mathews, Braves 26

Runs Batted In—Mantle, Yankees 123; Kaline, Tigers 118; Mantle, Cards 104; Kuzewski, Redlegs 102; Simpson, Athletics 101

Hits—Mantle, Yankees 128; Robinson, Redlegs 118; Aaron, Braves 105; Springer, Dodgers 104; Fox, White Sox 111; Hilt, Aeron, Braves 100; Ashburn, Phila. 104; Fox, White Sox 181; Kuenn, Tigers 181; Mantle, Yankees 181

Pitching—Newcombe, Dodgers 24-0; Ford, Yankees 19-5; Maglie, Dodgers 11-4; Freeman, Redlegs 13-5; Pierce, White Sox 20-4

Lightburn, Lane Collide Tonight

Miami, Fla.—(U.P.)—Ludwig Lightburn of British Honduras and Kenny Lane, two of the better lightweights in boxing, sweat it out tonight at Miami's new Biscayne Arena in a 10-round televised bout.

The classy Lightburn was a surprising 8-5 favorite over Lane, who is ranked sixth among the lightweights. Lightburn, who recently scrapped Orlando Zulueta in a rematch, is currently ranked ninth.

Champ Advances In OWGA Meet

Portland, Ore.—(U.P.)—Mrs. R. L. Borst, medalist, was defeated yesterday in the opening round of the Oregon Women's Golf Association championships by Mrs. Frank Fisk, 1953 champion, 4 and 3.

Defending champion Frances Rowell took a 7 and 6 victory over Mrs. Les Darby of Portland.

NBC To Telecast Series Tussles

New York.—(U.P.)—The 1956 World Series will be televised coast-to-coast by the National Broadcasting company beginning daily at 12:45 p.m. local time. The series is scheduled to start in the park of the National league pennant winner on Oct. 3 barring a tie for first place.

WORLD RECORD

Delaware, Ohio.—(U.P.)—Rhonda Hanover trotted to a world record performance of 2:05 Tuesday in winning the \$9,065 Breeder's Fillies Stake at the Delaware Grand Circuit. She lowered the standard of 2:05 3/5 for 2-year-old fillies set last year by Gratis Hanover.

EX-BOXER SENTENCED

Spokane.—(U.P.)—Boxer Bobby Woods, Spokane, received a suspended six-month jail sentence yesterday in connection with two street fights he was involved in last Sunday. Woods was an outstanding lightweight until he was forced to quit the ring at the age of 21 after a partial loss of eyesight.

Ohio state's capitol at Columbus took 22 years to build.

Interruptible Power In Northwest To Be Curtailed by Oct. 1

Portland.—(U.P.)—A 100 per cent cut in interruptible power supplies by Oct. 1 today threatened to curtail production at 17 plants operated by 13 electro-process industries in the Pacific Northwest.

The Bonneville Power Administration issued the warning today and blamed the imminent cut on approaching critically low levels of Columbia river headwaters. BPA said June-August precipitation was subnormal and flows at McNary and Bonneville dams are expected to fall below median by Oct. 1.

Neuberger Hits at 'Free-Wheeling' in Granting Oil Leases

Milwaukee, Ore.—The "free-wheeling" wildlife refuge leasing policies of Secretary Douglas McKay forced a committee of Congress to "take the unprecedented step of requiring prior Congressional clearance of oil-drilling permits on lands under jurisdiction of the Fish and Wildlife Service." Senator Richard L. Neuberger told a meeting of the Milwaukee Rod and Gun club this week.

He said the action was taken by the House Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries, which has jurisdiction over refuge lands, after the 17 Democratic and 12 Republican members had "unanimously condemned McKay's leasing program which permitted issuance of permits for oil and gas exploration even while a so-called 'stop-order' supposedly was in effect."

Stepped In

"The Committee stepped in to prevent wholesale invasion of lands dedicated to protection and propagation of birds and wildlife after it had been shown that the Interior department, under McKay, had granted five times as many refuge leases in three years as in all the previous history of the Mineral Leasing Act of 1920," he added.

Neuberger said the report of the Committee emphasized that "such increased activity in the issuance of leases by the Secretary of the Interior, or by those under his immediate supervision, can only result in serious damage to the wildlife refuge system in this country."

Quotes Committee

"Those are not my words, but the words of Democratic and Republican committee members who reviewed the sorry record of McKay's stewardship of the refuges," he added.

Senator Neuberger said he was "pleased that McKay has now admitted that the Department of Justice is investigating the Al Sarena timber-mining case on the basis of material supplied by a committee which held hearings on the special Interior Department procedures that allowed the Al Sarena patents in the Rogue River National forest."

Plan for Assessment Of Sewer Is Accepted By Medford Council

The Medford city council last night accepted a plan to pay for the Verde Hills sanitary sewer project based on a combination of a connection fee and a per square foot assessment as recommended by the finance committee.

The method was accepted following a public hearing. No protests were voiced by residents of the area. An ordinance adopting the method of assessment will be submitted to the council after the project is complete.

Address Council

Several residents addressed the council concerning the assessments later in the meeting. Attorney Carl M. Brophy, of Medford, representing property owners in the area, said he thought the method of assessment is a "good compromise," but added some property owners may still consider there are inequities in the method.

Sam Zier, 2217 Delwood ave., and George Handy, 2145 Crestbrook rd., also addressed the council concerning the assessment. Neither of them protested the council's action.

An ordinance was passed after another public hearing, adopting a method of assessing property owners for the installation of an eight inch water main north on Murphy rd. to Walden Place.

The council passed an ordinance authorizing the Medford water commission to impose a connection charge before granting applications for water service connection to a city water main for water service. Water Superintendent Robert Lee explained to the council that due to recent annexations to the city, a problem has arisen whereby certain properties have been benefited by the installation of water mains but have never been assessed for them.

has materially increased over the past 10 years due to higher pay for election boards, increased cost of supplies and higher rent on polling places.

State Election Costs Figured at \$325,000

Salem.—(U.P.)—The November 6 general election will cost Oregon approximately \$325,000, according to State Elections Chief David O'Hara.

O'Hara said that the state would contribute \$125,000 of the amount and the counties \$200,000.

County costs will include printing of ballots, rental of voting places, payment of election board officials and supplies.

Most of the state cost is in election forms, O'Hara said. He added that the cost of elections

An ordinance was adopted directing City Manager Robert Duff to prepare plans and specifications for paving Murray st. from the end of the existing pavement to Columbus ave. The council will hold a public hearing on the improvement Oct. 2.

Another ordinance was passed adopting plans and specifications for paving Sandy Terrace, Cerro st. and Lindero ave. in the Country club manor subdivision.

The council passed ordinances accepting sanitary sewer projects in the Capital Hill area and on Valley View dr. by Coast Construction company of Junction City.

Amend Building Code

An ordinance was passed amending the building code to permit narrower corridors in hospitals. According to the ordinance where a corridor serving any area housing a bedridden patient has the door opening four feet or more in width, the width of corridors may be reduced from eight feet to seven feet and six inches. The amendment was the result of a review of the plans of Rogue Valley hospital, which disclosed that corridors there were seven feet and six inches in width.

The council also accepted a recommendation by the traffic engineer to prohibit parking for 100 feet south of 10th st. on the west side of Central ave. Purpose of the prohibited parking is to relieve a hazardous condition which exists when trucks attempting to turn from 10th st. into Central ave. swing wide and occupy two lanes.

Widening Street

Authorization was given to Vern Thorpe, public works director, to contact the Oregon State Highway commission on widening Central ave. and to report back to the council on the matter the next meeting.

A communication submitted to the council by the First Methodist church, 1266 South Peach st., requesting sewer connection to the city system, was referred to the city manager.

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Seven Cases Listed For Federal Court Session in Medford

Seven cases are listed on the pre-trial calendar for the federal court term to begin in Medford Oct. 2.

Gus K. Solomon, Portland, U. S. district court judge, will preside over the sessions to be held in the federal courtroom in the post office building.

Cases listed on the calendar include the following:

John D. Williams, administrator in the estate of Thomas Stach vs. Frank Milan Stach et al, declaratory judgment; West Coast Life Insurance company vs. Floyd Merrill et al, interpleader; George F. Valerio and George Pinneo vs. Lewis J. Fullerton, contract; Marie Proehl vs. Al Smith, damages (personal injuries); Norma Louise Proehl vs. Al Smith, damages (personal injuries); Joseph C. Ayoutt vs. Medford Corp., personal injuries; and George F. Keough vs. Ronald Poole and Steve Molatori, injury (auto).

Pre-trials will begin at 10 a.m. Trials are scheduled for 11 a.m. in the cases of Marie Proehl vs. Al Smith and Norma Louise Proehl vs. Al Smith.

On Oct. 4, the case of Joseph C. Ayoutt vs. Medford Corp. is scheduled for trial at 10 a.m., and on Oct. 8 at 10 a.m. trials are scheduled for John D. Williams vs. Frank Milan Stach et al; West Coast Life Insurance company vs. Floyd Merrill et al; George F. Valerio and George Pinneo vs. Lewis J. Fullerton; and George F. Keough vs. Ronald Poole and Steve Molatori.

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