

Kretlow Swings Lusty Golf Club; Dark Holds Lead

Lake Worth, Fla.—(U.P.)—Lou Kretlow was a mere .061 hitter during the 1956 American league campaign, but he's more than a match for Mickey Mantle when it comes to slugging 'em off a golf tee.

The rangy Kansas City pitcher demonstrated that Tuesday in a special driving contest during the Cavalcade of Champions Golf tournament, Alvin Dark of the St. Louis Cardinals fired a 73 to take an eight-stroke lead in the tournament itself, but the big item as far as the players were concerned was the driving contest.

No Disappointment
A fair share of the gallery was pulling for the weak-hitting pitcher and Kretlow didn't

disappoint it. He wound up winning the contest with a drive of 278 yards—one yard better than was achieved by Mantle and pitcher Johnny Gray of Minneapolis. Early Wynn of the Cleveland Indians, another pitcher, followed with a drive of 270 yards.

Kretlow, who collected just two hits in 33 trips to the plate last year, also fired a 71 for the best score of Tuesday's second round. It gave Lou a two-round score of 152 but left him far behind Dark.

Dark, who shot a 71 in the opening round, finished the day with a total of 114 and virtually clinched his second straight tournament victory. Alvin won last week's annual ballplayers' golf tournament.

Merrill Scores 52 for Drain

Drain — (U.P.) — Virgil Merrill, 6-3 center for Drain high school, cored 52 points last night as his team defeated Pleasant Hill 70-39 here. It was an Oregon prep high for the season.

Kentucky's governors serve for four years and thereafter are not eligible for reelection to that office.

MEDFORD TRIBUNE SPORTS

PCC Announces Gridiron Schedules for 1957 Season

San Francisco — (U.P.)—The Pacific Coast conference has announced its 1957 football schedule — and it's a busy one.

All teams except Idaho play 10 games and the Vandals get in nine.

There are only two open dates between Sept. 21 and Nov. 23. Southern California will be idle Oct. 12 — but plays Notre Dame at South Bend on Nov. 30. Idaho will be idle Nov. 23.

The schedule:

Sept. 21: Southern Methodist at California; San Jose State at Stanford; Southern Cal vs. Oregon St. at Portland; Florida at UCLA Friday night; Colorado at Washington; Washington State at Nebraska; Oregon at Idaho.

Sept. 28: California at Washington State; Northwestern at Stanford; Michigan at Southern Cal; Illinois at UCLA Friday night; Washington at Minnesota; Idaho at Arizona State; Pittsburgh vs. Oregon at Portland; Oregon State at Kansas.

Oct. 5: Michigan State at California; Stanford at Rice; Pittsburgh at Southern California Friday night; UCLA vs. Oregon at Portland; Ohio State at Washington; Washington State at Iowa; Idaho vs. Utah at Boise; Oregon State at Northwestern.

Oct. 12: Navy at California; Washington State at Stanford; Washington at UCLA; Idaho at Oregon State; San Jose State at Oregon.

Oct. 19: Southern Cal at California; Stanford at Washington; Oregon State at UCLA; Oregon at Washington State; Idaho at College of Pacific.

Oct. 26: California at Oregon; UCLA at Stanford; Washington St. at Southern Cal; Oregon State at Washington; Fresno State at Idaho.

Nov. 2: California at UCLA; Oregon at Stanford; Southern Cal at Washington; Washington State at Oregon; Montana University at Idaho.

Nov. 9: Oregon State at California; Stanford at Southern Cal; UCLA at Washington State; Washington vs. Oregon at Portland; Idaho at Utah State.

Nov. 16: Washington at California; Stanford at Oregon State; Oregon at Southern Cal; UCLA at College of Pacific; Idaho at Washington State.

Nov. 23: California at Stanford; Southern California at Washington; Oregon State at Oregon.

Nov. 30: Notre Dame at Southern Cal.

The safety match came into use about the middle of the 19th century.



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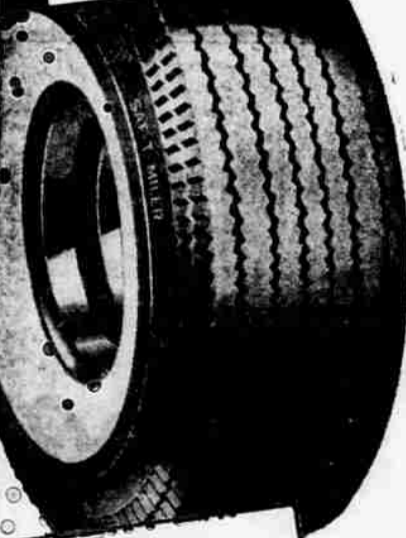
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G. Wallace Best Bet in Scoring Race

By FRED DOWN
United Press Sports Writer

Every day in every way South Carolina's Grady Wallace looks more like the fellow who's going to win that spectacular five-man battle for the national college basketball scoring title.

The reason is simple: The 6-foot-4 shotmaker seems less inclined to encounter the "off games" that have hurt the chances of such gifted rivals as Wilt Chamberlain and Chet Forte.

Wallace ran into a clinging two-man defense against Furman Tuesday night, but still managed to approximate his season average by pouring in 27 points to lead the Gamecocks to an 85-77 victory. That total dropped Wallace's season average to 30.41 points a game—86 ahead of Columbia's Forte who plays tonight against Yale.

Forte Needs 46

But actually Wallace's position is stronger than it looks at first glance. To pass Grady, for example, Forte must score 46 points tonight and even then he would just shade Wallace with a 30.42 average.

With Forte the only one of the "big five" seeing action tonight, here's how the race shapes up:

	pts. avg. g.
Wallace, S. Car.	669 30.41 4
Forte, Columbia	532 29.55 6
Gibbon, Miss.	529 29.38 3
Baylor, Seattle	641 29.13 2
Chamberlain, Kan.	522 29.00 5

No. 21 For Tar Heels

North Carolina, the nation's No. 1 team and the next one that will try to stop Wallace on Friday night, rolled to its 21st victory without defeat and clinched the regular season Atlantic Coast Conference championship with an 86-37 rout of North Carolina State.

The Tar Heels, connecting on 50 per cent of their shots from the field gave Coach Frank McGuire one of his most satisfying victories in his rivalry with State Coach Everett Case. North Carolina rolled to a 38-23 half-time margin and led, 61-32, midway in the second half. Lennie Rosenbluth tallied 28 points to lead the winners.

Eden Belittles Reports on Illness

Auckland, N. Z.—(U.P.)—Former Prime Minister Sir Anthony Eden today belittled reports he is seriously ill aboard his New Zealand-bound ship.

The 59-year-old Eden sent a radio message on his condition to New Zealand Prime Minister Sidney Holland. He said he was recovering well from two attacks of fever which struck him aboard the liner Rangitata on his way here for a prolonged rest.

Eden's message said he was well enough to hold a news conference when the ship arrives here Thursday. The 18,000-ton liner had speeded up on the last 500 miles of its voyage from Panama to get Eden to Auckland for emergency treatment if necessary.

The two attacks of fever were a recurrence of the abdominal ailment which forced Eden to resign as British premier last month.

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