

Semis Near In Handicap; 2-Ball Next

Al Athlens will oppose Bill Rank and Dick Travis will oppose the winner of the Bill Blackledge-Parker Woods match next week in championship semi-finals of the men's spring handicap golf tournament at Rogue Valley Country club.

In quarter-final matches completed in the champ bracket Al Athlens downed Norm Hillier 5 and 4, Flink squeezed by Bob Voegtly on the extra 19th hole and Travis won from Lloyd Pope 4 and 2.

The Blackledge-Woods match is among those in four flights to be completed by next Sunday night. Blackledge was pressed to win his fourth round mix, needing 20 holes to get by Harry Millette. He also had gone 20 greens to oust Dr. Robert Buck.

The two-ball partnership tournament is the next competition which will occupy the attention of men at Rogue Valley. Men will draw for partners on Friday, May 3, and match play will open the following day with the first round to be finished by May 12.

High Pair with Low
Tourney participation is limited to the first 128 men who sign up but linksmen are advised not to enter if they cannot play on Saturday or Sunday and cannot complete the tournament.

High handicappers will draw for a low handicap partner at the 7 to 8:30 p.m. buffet supper on May 3. There will be no substitution of partners. All entries must have established handicaps and in the tourney one-half of combined handicap and full difference in strokes will be used. Extra hole matches will be played sudden death at scratch.

All teams will start out in the championship flight. Those beaten in the first round will form the first flight.

Partners will hit alternate tee shots.
Prizes will go to all semi-finalists, quarter-finalists as well as to winners and runners-up in championship and first flights.

FOURTH ROUND RESULTS:

Championship flight:
Norm Hillier def. Jack Sanborn 1 up; Al Athlens def. Jerry Wilson 5 and 4; Ed Flink def. George Schulz 4 and 3; Bob Voegtly def. Clayton Lewis; Bill Blackledge def. Harry Millette 1 up; Doug Pickell won by default from Tom Harnberger; Millard Payton def. Fred Conrad 7 and 5; Miles Doran def. Dick Knapp 2 and 1.

First flight:
Dr. William Miller won from Jack Lewis by default; Bill Kalibak won from Wendell Winstler by default; Jack Dougherty def. Stan Stark 1 up; Dr. D. C. Boals def. Forrest Casey 2 and 1; Roy Smith def. Dr. Robert Buck 1 up; Alan Holmes def. Al McGinnis 3 and 2; Jim Sheldon def. Ed Radzewitz 2 up; Harold Holmes won from Don Jackson by default.

Second flight:
Harry Barker def. Ed Nichols 5 and 4; Jim Dunneley def. Harry Watson 3 and 2; Ed Hall def. Bayard Getchell 6 and 5; Walter Tomlin def. Del Berg 3 and 2; Virgil Swanson def. Fred Johnson 2 up; Doug Pickell won by default from Tom Harnberger; Millard Payton def. Fred Conrad 7 and 5; Miles Doran def. Dick Knapp 2 and 1.

Third flight:
Bud Haupt def. Darrell Miller 1 up; Jerry Olson def. Fred Sears 3 and 2; Frank Allen def. Nelson Gallant 1 up; H. E. Nulton won from Bob Hart by default; Paul Mitchell def. Bob Little 2 and 1; Austin Layman def. Bob Van Duker 1 up; R. M. Anderson def. John Moffat 1 up; Jack Walker def. Bill Ruffner 3 and 2.

QUARTER-FINAL PAIRINGS:
First flight—W. Miller vs. Kalibak; Dougherty vs. Boals; R. Smith vs. A. Holmes; Sheldon vs. H. Holmes.
Second flight—H. Barker vs. Dunneley; Hall vs. Tomlin; Swanson vs. Pickell; Payton vs. Doran.
Third flight—Haupt vs. Olson; Allen vs. Nulton; Mitchell vs. Layman; R. Anderson vs. J. Walker.

Gene Fullmer, Sugar Ray Train

Chicago—(U.P.)—Manager Marvin Jensen said middleweight champion Gene Fullmer would run his total rounds boxed in training for his fight with Sugar Ray Robinson to 50 today with three sparring sessions.

Roadwork also was included in Fullmer's conditioning for the May 1 title fight at Chicago Stadium.

Chicago—(U.P.)—Ray Robinson planned sparring sessions today and Wednesday at his training camp at Joe Louis Gymnasium in conditioning for his May 1 title fight with middleweight champion Gene Fullmer.

Robinson boxed four rounds Monday, flooring sparring partner Lee Williams with a right chop in the second round.

HOCKEY

Montreal—(U.P.)—The Detroit Red Wings, who won the regular season National Hockey league title and then were ousted in the playoff semi-finals, gained four berths today on the 1956-57 league All-Star team against only two for the Stanley Cup champion Montreal Canadiens.

Right wing Gordie Howe, who won his fifth scoring title, and left wing Ted Lindsay of Detroit, were picked with Canadiens' center Jean Beliveau on the forward line. Perennial All-Stars Red Kelly of Detroit and Doug Harvey of Montreal were on defense.

Goalie Glenn Hall of the Red Wings rounded out the six-man "dream team" named by sports writers and radio and TV broadcasters in the six NHL cities.
A place on the first All-Star team is worth \$1,000.



BREAKS COURSE RECORD—Don January blasts out of sand trap and also blasted the 18-hole record for the Desert Inn Country Club in Las Vegas when he came in with a 65 making a total of 143 to lead the field ending the second day of the \$35,000 Tournament of Champions. Arnold Palmer, Billy Casper and Jimmy Demaret are tied for second with 145 each.

Robbins After 2nd Amateur Title

Pinehurst, N.C.—(U.P.)—Lanky Hillman Robbins Jr., who celebrated his 25th birthday by winning the medal, set out in match play today in quest of his second straight North and South Amateur golf title.

The young Air Force lieutenant from Memphis, Tenn., trounced three strokes off par 72 over the long, tricky No. 2 championship course here to win medalist honors in a field of 141.

He was the only golfer to whack off more than one stroke and only one other, Keely Grice Jr., of Charlotte, N.C., managed even to beat par. Robbins had 69, Grice a 71.

The 7,007-yard layout took its toll of the rest, fraying the field into ragged scores and forcing 16 with horrendous 79s to go into a "sudden death" playoff for the nine remaining spots in the championship flight of 64.

So, counting the playoff, a bad stroke could mean "out" today for 39 golfers. The field will be cut to 32, then to eight with two 18-hole rounds Wednesday.

Lilya Dogs Takes Stakes

Rogue Valley Retriever club dogs and handlers did well last week end in the Shasta Cascade club's licensed trial on the Lower Klamath Law refuge.

Lady Margaret of Crater Lake, owned and handled by Otto Lilya, Shady Cove, won the qualifying stake, and Tussy's Black Imp, owned by L. C. Lilya, Shady Cove, and handled by Otto Lilya, took the derby.

Third in the derby was Long Tom's Muffin, owned and handled by E. V. Meyerling, Medford. In the amateur all-age event Kip of Geneva, owned and handled by Kenneth G. Denman, Medford, was fourth, and in the qualifying stake fourth spot went to Gene's Ebony Rip, owned and handled by Eugene Hunt, Medford.

All of the forementioned dogs are labradors.

Pro Tennis Tour Not Coming Here

Jack Kramer will not bring his professional tennis tour to Medford this spring, it was learned yesterday.

Harry Chipman, promoter who brought Kramer here last year under sponsorship of the Medford Lions club, said he had been advised by the tennis troupe that they will not travel through the northwest this year.

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SPORTS

Hardtoppers Eye Opening Of Season

Rogue Valley Racing association has announced that the first hardtop auto program of the season at Valley View track near Ashland is set for Saturday night, May 11.

Track manager Phil Bryant has made improvements for the comfort of race fans and the drivers are reported going all out in their preparations to win for the prizes and make 1957 an interesting track season.

Bryant has boarded up the back of the grandstand to keep the wind out and has installed heating units with fans under the stands.

A good number of drivers will start this season with completely new cars. Mike Ober has spared nothing in tuning his auto and feels that Crock Hunter will drive for top honors.

Race fanatics are also taking a second look at Lou Kurz machine, figuring it definitely a top contender.

Bob Jenkins feels his new car has what it takes to gain No. 1 racing laurels and Bob Wilcox has just finished a vehicle that spells go anyway you look at it.

Bob had won last year which kept him out of the money. His latest buggy sounds smooth and he has high hopes for the top money.

Johnny Jones is owner of another sharp new car which is felt to be one of the fastest that will circle the oval this summer. Bob Rose has put a new look to the front end of his Cubby special and has gone all out in getting the motor in tune. He made a good showing last year and aims for an even better 1957 season.

Wayne Lemley also is giving his auto a new look. He has a Chrysler six with dual carburetors which are allowed this year. Lemley was second high man in 1956 racing and is again considered a strong contender.

There'll be a number of new drivers around for the opening date.

Tops Linfield Twice

Caldwell, Idaho—(U.P.)—College of Idaho defeated Linfield twice in a Northwest Conference baseball twin bill Monday, each time by a 7-6 margin.

The double defeat dropped Linfield into fourth place with a 2-4 record, just half a game ahead of fifth-place Whitman. College of Idaho is now 4-1, half a game back of Willamette which is 4-0.

Sport Parade

By OSCAR FRALEY Sports Writer United Press

New York—(U.P.)—Barney Ross still was fighting today "for the kids who think I'm a hero."

He was always a battler, this round-faced little man from the Chicago ghetto. He proved it often by conquering the poverty which was his birthright, boxing his way to two world championships, earning the Silver Star as a Marine sergeant in the Pacific and then, in the most bitter fight of his life, conquering the dope habit.

Now he is fighting to save from censorship several shock scenes in a motion picture of his life "because they may keep some kid from getting the monkey on his back."

That, incidentally—"Monkey on My Back"—is the name of the film soon to be released. It is jargon for one with the habit. Barney had it, bad.

"There is one real grating scene which will give you the horrors," he said. "But that's the way it should be. Because, if it does, it just might keep some kid from ever trying the stuff. And if we help just one kid it will be worth all the trouble we're having."

Barney knows it can be tough enough for some kids without that added handicap because he, too, came up the hard way. Born Bernard Rasofsky, his was a childhood of poverty. It became worse when, with Barney only 14, his father was shot to death in a holdup.

Nine years later, as he progressed from street fights to the amateurs and on to the pros, Barney won the lightweight championship by defeating tough Tony Canzoneri. A year later he took the welterweight title from Jimmy McLarnin. His career ended under the hammering fists of Henry Armstrong in 1938.

Stayed With Wounded
Three years later Barney was in the Marines and then came in the night in a shellhole on Guadalcanal which changed the course of his life. Barney refused to leave three wounded comrades when orders came to withdraw. When they got them out the next day, the shellhole was riddled with enemy dead, but Barney had numerous shrapnel wounds of the hands and arms as well as a bad case of malaria.

But the trouble started when a well-meaning medic gave Barney too much morphine.

"After that, if I didn't get it, I'd start aching all over," he recalls somberly. "So I started stealing it from the medics."

By 1946, he knew he had to do something. The craving had wrecked his home and his life. So Barney turned himself in at a government hospital for drug addicts.

"A lot of kids think I'm a hero," he said simply. "I can't let them down."

His real world at the moment is in movie-land's cutting room. Because Barney Ross wants to help fight the monkey which once perched on his back.

Team	Won	Lost
Hammer's Sporting Goods	27 1/2	8 1/2
Daugherty Lumber Co.	22	14
Walker Real Estate	22	14
E. H. Mann Co.	21	15
Sam's Sporting Goods	20	16
Chapman	19	17
Sewing Machine Center	18	18
Lampson's Sporting Goods	18	22
Oak Knoll Golf Club	13	23
Hight Real Estate	12 1/2	23 1/2
Trail Creek Lumber Co.	11	25

Team	Won	Lost
Daugherty Lbr. 3 Sewing Center	1	482
V. Allen	474	H. Fry
Morse Motors	597	G. McDowell
H. Allen	504	Absentee
B. Dyer	623	A. Klatt
J. Morgan	481	R. Morgan
	2631	2428

Team	Won	Lost
Hammer's Spt.	4	2642
H. Holzer	597	H. Fry
C. Hammer	425	J. Farrar
V. Sprinkle	384	S. Kurth
C. Dawson	568	L. Schneider
N. Gix	554	H. Vessey
	2713	2642

Team	Won	Lost
Morse Motors	4	2642
E. Lenz	534	W. Atkins
E. Leaming	533	E. Kessler
C. Chapman	572	G. Green
H. Speer	501	D. Wilson
R. Driscoll	501	J. Knapp
	2641	2433

Team	Won	Lost
Sam's Spt. Gds.	3	2581
H. Schroeder	339	R. Wise
J. Gardner	374	H. Sullivan
Absentee	465	C. Shinn
W. White	470	D. Lubbers
C. Proctor	336	C. Sullivan
	2584	2581

Team	Won	Lost
Tabu Dinner	0	2677
E. Peterson	567	F. Knox
B. Blunt	567	F. Knox
M. Ramaby	513	Absentee
F. Liddell	434	N. Hillier
D. Ross	434	N. Hillier
	2523	2619

Team	Won	Lost
E. H. Mann Co.	4	2540
G. Spunhorst	596	H. Goode
B. Stevens	534	G. Piazza
K. Christenson	474	T. Wright
S. Schulz	486	D. Harmon
F. Anderson	482	T. Jantzer
	2677	2540

Team	Won	Lost
BANTAM LEAGUE		
Standings:		
Veterans of Foreign Wars	48 1/2	25 1/2
S and W	41	31
Ginn's	32	39
Women of the Moose	30	42
Gilman's	28	44
Wilson's	21	51

Team	Won	Lost
S.W.W.		
R. Johnson	212	D. Bohannon
L. Johnson	156	R. Lenz
D. Olson	173	T. Wright
C. Ravenor	179	R. Bamman
Handicap	270	Handicap
	1001	1007

Team	Won	Lost
S.W.W.		
B. Christ'n'n	203	C. Booth
D. Caltrane	173	D. Wright
H. Harris	136	R. Nissen
B. Rickman	101	S. Krieger
J. Kellogg	168	M. Florey
Handicap	236	Handicap
	934	1007

Team	Won	Lost
Ginn's		
F. Ginn	253	C. Roberts
H. Ginn	251	W. Wintrout
M. Harris	100	K. Haas
B. Rickman	101	S. Krieger
Handicap	348	Handicap
	1053	920

Team	Won	Lost
Hudson's		
J. Little	221	D. Christ'n'n
J. Johnson	188	M. Wright
E. Sherman	134	D. Culbertson
B. Edwards	232	M. O'Neil
Handicap	264	Handicap
	1059	992

IBC May Be Reduced, Noted as Monopoly

New York—(U.P.)—The International Boxing club, which has dominated the promotion of big-time boxing for more than eight years, would either be wiped out or sharply reduced under proposals now being considered by Federal Judge Sylvester J. Ryan.

Ryan, who ruled on Feb. 6 that the IBC is guilty of monopolizing championship fights, received the proposals Monday both from the government and from the IBC.

They were in the form of suggested "final judgments" to be meted out by Ryan to the IBC.

Kid Bassey, Berrios Vie Friday Night

New York—(U.P.)—Miguel Berrios of Puerto Rico and Hogan (Kid) Bassey of Nigeria meet in a 12-round featherweight elimination bout Friday night in Washington, D. C., with the winner to meet Cherif Hamia of France in May for Sandy Saddler's vacant crown.

The bout, which will be telecast and broadcast nationally, pits a durable puncher, Berrios, against a clever boxer, Bassey.

American Debut
Hamia, rated the leading contender for Saddler's vacant title has met Berrios before, beating him on a split decision. Bassey, who will be making his American debut against Berrios, is rated second in the division, which Berrios is rated third.

On Wednesday night New England feather champ Harold Gomez of Providence hooks up with Bobby Rogers of Chicago in the regular Wednesday TV bout at the Rhode Island auditorium in Providence. Gomez, a hard puncher, has won his last 10 starts, while Rogers is a relative newcomer to the pro ranks. He has impressed in winning 10 of his 14 bouts.

The week's schedule:
Tuesday: Beaumont, Tex.—Paul Jorgensen vs. Charley Debow; Richmond, Calif.—Bobby Scanlon vs. Jorge Macias; Stockton—Alex Majaj vs. Johnny Ortega; Boston—Dom McCray vs. Pat Walsh.

Wednesday: Providence—Harold Gomez vs. Bobby Rogers; St. Paul—Del. Flanagan vs. Kid Gavilan; Portland, Ore.—Julio Mederos vs. Benny Thomas.

Thursday: Los Angeles—Eck Chestnut vs. Lauro Salas; Flint, Mich.—Ralph Tiger Jones vs. Joe Gray; Revere, Mass.—Bobby McHugh vs. Jimmy Scalero.

Friday: Washington—Miguel Berrios vs. Hogan Kid Bassey; Saturday: Hollywood—Alvaro Tuerter vs. Ramon Tiscareno; Dortmund—Heinz Neuhaus vs. Hans Friedrich.

Promoter Warns IBC Action May Hurt Boxing

Portland—(U.P.)—Promoter Tommy Moyer said today that the proposed dissolution of the International Boxing Club would seriously hurt boxing in Portland.

Moyer said the IBC was instrumental in helping arrange big-time bouts, such as last fall's Eddie Machen-Johnny Holman televised fight. He said that without the IBC it would be harder to arrange fights between big-name boxers.

The government Monday suggested the dissolution of the IBC.

Hammer's Quint Will Vie in ABC Tourney

Cave Junction—To compete in the American Bowling Congress tourney at Fort Worth, Tex., on April 27 are members of Hammer's Sporting Goods team of Grants Pass and the Illinois Valley.

Carl Hammer, who also owns the Model grocery in Cave Junction, sponsors his team's trip to the tourney each year. To play this year on the last day of the event are Carl Hammer, Karl Preston of O'Brien, Charles Dawson, Lon Holtzinger and V. A. Sprinkle, all of Grants Pass.

The Supreme Court cleared the way for the present action against the IBC when it ruled that boxing, unlike baseball, is subject to the federal anti-trust laws.

Defendants in the case are the International Boxing club of New York, Inc., the International Boxing Club of Illinois, Madison Square Garden Corp., Norris and Wirtz.

The next step in the court procedure will come on May 20 when Judge Ryan will hear oral arguments from both sides in support of their proposals. Then, some undetermined time later, Ryan will hand down his decision as to how the IBC should be punished.

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