

Southern Oregon Golf Tourney Goes Into Full Swing Wednesday

Tabulation Shows 340 Entrants

Rogue Valley Country club's Labor day holiday classic, the Southern Oregon championships, get into full swing on Wednesday with current indications of a field larger by 60 to 70 players than last year's previous record total.

Retabulation of registrations yesterday showed 218 in the men's division, 76 women and 45 in the new senior tourney for men 50-years of age or over. That adds up to 340 players. Last year 272 were entered.

Rogue Valley residents finished up qualifying today and with them were a number of seniors. Out-of-town men and women are to qualify Wednesday. However, several of the visitors had their rounds yesterday to help ease congestion on the links.

Hot Scores Fired

Match play opens Thursday and continues through Monday. Sixty-four low qualifying men's division entrants and 16 players each in the women's and senior groups will be in championship flights. So large is the field that the men's ninth, 10th and 11th flights will have to play matches Thursday and Friday at Ashland's Oak Knoll course.

Practice activity has been going along with the local qualifying and tourney committees are hopeful that some hot rounds will be indicative of tourney scores. Ed Kovacovich, Eureka, Calif., and Larry Butler, Medford, had three-under-par 69s yesterday. Lynn Creason, Harrisburg, Pa., the 1956 runner-up, was in Butler's foursome and had a 73. George Harrington, Phoenix, Ariz., former RVCC manager, had an even par 72 in Sunday play.

Harrington, Eddie Simmons, Medford, and Bob Atkinson and Dom Provost Jr., Portland, are past champs in the tourney. In the women's tournament, Sue DeVoe and Mrs. Helen Davies, both Medford, are former titleholders entered. Carole Jo Kabbler, Sutherlin, 1955 and 1956 winger, has said that she will not defend but tournament committee feel that she may change her mind.

WEDNESDAY PAIRINGS FOR QUALIFYING

7 a.m. Betty Martin, Longview, Wash.; Mrs. A. S. Peters, Bayview, Eureka, Calif.; Mrs. Robert Gardner, Bayview; Elaine Porritt, Eugene; Charles Sparks, Eugene; James Abbott, Portland; Frank Peterson, Portland; Robert Gardner, Bayview; 7:14—Robert Temple, Seattle; Robert Larson, Portland; Larry Crandall, Eugene; L. G. Zant, Medford; Eugene; Phil Small, Corvallis; LeRoy Sargent, Coos Bay; Robert M. Pearson, Post; 7:35—Don Johnson, Corvallis; Bob Ingalls, Corvallis; L. J. Howard, Klamath Falls; Trip, Eugene; Oweko; John Holmes, Astoria; Jim Wells, Redding; K. L. Morrow, Redding; 7:48—Mrs. George C. Moore, Medford; Mrs. L. E. E. Trapp, Oweko; Mrs. Glennis Kovacovich, Bayview; Mrs. Jack Ivey, Bayview; Mrs. Claudine Williams, Oweko; Mrs. Claudine Bunker, Tureka; Mrs. James Abbott, Portland; Mrs. Frank Peterson, Post; 8:11—Woodly Ball, Portland; Gordy Marlett, Eugene; Joe Graves, Astoria; DeRoss Kincaid, Cottage Grove; 8:18—Dale Johnson, Portland; Iver Isaacson, Arcata, Calif.; Mike Redding, Redding; D. M. Davis, Redding; 8:23—Mrs. Paul Ferris, Klamath Falls; Marjorie Bowen, Portland; George C. Moore, Eugene; Mrs. Helen Cavill, King City, Calif.; 8:32—Mrs. Donna Sprout, Klamath Falls; Mrs. Donna Redding; Mrs. A. L. Forward, Redding; 8:38—Mrs. E. F. Freetag, King City; 8:39—Mrs. E. F. Freetag, King City; June Robinson, Tillamook; Carole Jo Kabbler, Sutherlin; Marjorie Falls, Salt Lake City, Colo.; 8:53—Mrs. Joe Lester, Seattle; Mrs. Gene Hadley, Cleveland; Virginia Howard, Klamath Falls; Nancy Parsons, Seattle; 9 a.m.—Mrs. D. M. Davis, Redding, Calif.; Mrs. DeVry, Eugene; Mrs. K. M. Moore, Redding; Mrs. Rosegrove, Coos Bay; 9:07—Shirley Siegmund, Eugene; Susan Small, Susan Rafferty, Astoria; Mrs. J. Wells, Redding; 9:21—L. L. Chenoweth, Eugene; Ralph Lomas, Portland; William Pucke, Redding; Bob Temple, Seattle; 9:28—George Abrahamson, Astoria; Warren Brown, Portland; Sam Balch, Kingdon, Fresno, Calif.; Ralph Bowen, Portland; 9:32—Jim Buccolo, Sacramento; William Hartman, Portland; Vern Hallin, Eureka; Gordon Janney, Portland; 9:42—Robert Black, Eugene; Harry Clark, Portland; William Caine, Oweko; William Cavill, King City; 9:49—Ken Gustafson, Oakland; B. Feuerwerker, Arcata; Fred Freetag, King City; L. A. Forward, Redding; 10:03—Art Sabine, Redding; F. W. Rafferty, Astoria; L. Gubrud, Eugene; Jim Johnson, Corvallis; Hugh Roberts, Cottage Grove; 10:10—William Richie, Crescent City; Keith Gubrud, Eugene; Jim Johnson, Corvallis; Hugh Roberts, Cottage Grove; 10:17—Jack Floyd, Redding; Wayne Sabine, Redding; Frank Shelton, Coos Bay; Roter Williams, Corvallis; 10:24—W. W. Spear, Crescent City; George Parsons, Seattle; Todd Ivey, Arcata; Stue DeVry, Eugene; 10:31—George Barnett, Seattle; Dean Williams, Oweko; Henry Richman, Chico; William Pucke, Redding; 10:45—Dick Bailey, Redding; Tom Bourne, Coos Bay; Bob Atkinson, Portland; William Wittenberg, Portland; 10:52—Bill Kaliback, Portland; A. L. Forward, Redding; C. B. Graves, Redding; Robert Horning, Portland; 10:59—George Harrington, Phoenix, Ariz.; Jim Hoag, Portland; George Clorich, Portland; Lynn Creason, Harrisburg, Pa.; 11:06—Bob Prall, Salem; Bob Nordquist, Portland; Roy Moran, Seattle; Bob McKeivitt, Ocean Lake; 11:13—Ken McEwen, Monterey, Calif.; Neil McLean, Coos Bay; Bill Lovett, Portland; D. Liarrabee, Redding; 11:27—Jack Lovett, Portland; Tom Milosevic, Portland; A. S. McCurdy, Eureka; Melvin Peck, Redding; 11:34—Ray Griffith, Eugene; Gary Harrington, Phoenix; L. Isaac Eureka; D. Johnson, Seattle; 11:41—Vern Perry, Portland; Don Provost Jr., Portland; Jack Radford, Seattle; Alvin Uhle, Portland; 11:48—Ray Lidstrom, Prineville; Herb 11:48—Ed LeBart, Seattle; 12:05—Milo Marliatt, Eugene; William Mason, San Francisco; Frank Falony, San Francisco; Frank Roll, Crescent City; 12:19—Herb Peterson, Eureka; Paul Brattain, Paisley; Jack Schultz, Redding; Jim Thayer, Corvallis; 12:26—LeVern Smith, Davis, Calif.; Ray Scott, Portland; Jim Snider, Portland; Walt Swanson, Eugene; 12:33—H. D. Shop, Mobile, Ala.; Bob Sherwood, Portland; Red Trimble, Dunsmuir, Calif.; Gene Teel, Portland; 12:40—Clyde Prall, Salem, Frank

Water Ski Team Picked

Medford's Lon Skinner, only Oregon representative in the national Water Ski Championships held in San Diego last week, and placed fifth in the slalom event.

In addition, Skinner was elected to a three year term on the board of directors of the American Water Ski association. The 11 directors selected winners listed below to compete in the world tournament at Cypress Gardens, Fla.

Skinner said today that next year, the Western Regional ski championships will be held on Gardiner lake, a few miles east of Medford. At this meet, best skiers from 11 western states compete for berths in the national tournament. Gardiner lake this year was the scene of the first annual Oregon state water ski championships.

San Diego, Calif. — A United States team to compete in the world water ski championships Sept. 13-15 at Cypress Gardens, Winter Haven, Fla., was named Monday night by the American Water Ski association on basis of performances in the national championships which ended here Monday.

The men's team was composed of Nicky Ambsry, Orange, Calif.; Chuck Stearns, Bellflower, Calif.; Joe Cash, Winter Haven, Fla., and Joe Mueller, McQueeney, Tex. Alternates were Mike Osborn, Winter Haven, and Bill Stevenson, Greenville, S.C.

The women's team was composed of Nancie Riedout, Winter Haven; Mrs. Leah Marie Atkins, Birmingham, Ala., and Alternate Vicki Van Hook, Long Beach, Calif.

Cash and Miss Rideout topped performances in the national championships with Cash tying the world's record for men of 126 feet and Miss Rideout jumping to a new women's world record of 76 feet.

Golfers Seek Berths

New York — With the odds stacked high against them, 1,561 golfers in 32 cities battle it out today for the 169 available berths in the U.S. Amateur championship.

A field of 200 will compete in championship flight at Brookline, Mass., Sept. 9-14. However, 31 players qualified automatically, including former champions and members of the U.S. and British Walker Cup teams.

The odds against qualifying in the 36-hole sectional rounds were estimated at about 9-1.

Among the former champions who entered this year's tournament were Dick Chapman of Pinehurst, N.C., 1940; Willie Turnesa of Elmford, N.Y., 1938-1948; Jesse Guilford of Boston, 1921; and Chick Evans of Chicago, 1916-1920.

A new champion will be crowned this year inasmuch as defending titleholder Harvie Ward is serving a one-year suspension for violation of the amateur rule on expense money.

Gibson, Hard In Finals

Chestnut Hill, Mass. — Althea Gibson and Darlene Hard were confident of winning their ninth straight women's tennis title today in the twice-postponed finals of the National Doubles championships at the Longwood Cricket club.

The second-seeded Wimbledon champs, who have never been beaten as a team, were scheduled to meet defenders Louise Brough of Beverly Hills, Calif., and Mrs. Margaret Osborne Du Pont of Wilmington, Del., in the first match.

Following their test, top-seeded Budge Patty of Paris and Los Angeles, and Gardner Mulloy of Miami, also Wimbledon champs, faced second-seeded Australians Ashley Cooper and Neale Fraser for the men's title.

HONORS FROM NIXON

New York — Vice President Richard M. Nixon will present trophies to the winners in the national tennis championships on the final day of tournament play at Forest Hills, Sept. 8.

Peters, Coos Bay; Buff Teggarden, Crescent City, Calif.; L. F. Woody, San Francisco; 12:34—William Wilcox, Astoria; Ward, Salem; Jess Thomson, San Francisco; Walt Stanley, Arcata; 1:03—George Swedman, Redding; Jim Vranizan, Portland; E. E. Slayton, Redding; Ed Wheelock, Portland; 1:10—Dom Giannini, Eureka; Grant Lovgren, Cottage Grove; Wayne Stump, Eugene; Matt Vranizan, Portland; Gil Moty, Bend; 1:17—Mrs. Ed Wheelock, Portland; Shirley Welch, Crescent City; Tiny McKeivitt, Ocean Lake; Mrs. Owen Sullivan, Portland; 1:24—Yvonne Spear, Crescent City; Ruth Balcom, Coos Bay; Mrs. C. H. Braker, Grants Pass; Esque Vocke, Kansas City, Mo.; 1:38—E. E. Slayton, Redding; Mrs. L. A. Forward, Redding; Russ Horning, Portland; Mrs. Jack Lovett, Portland; 1:45—Ella Parrnell, Redding; Mrs. C. B. Graves, Redding; Rae Giannini, Eureka, Calif.; Mrs. Frank Ward, Salem.

SPORTS

Clint Hartung Reflects, Likes Slow Road to Fame

By BILL CLARK
United Press Sports Writer

Wichita, Kan. — Clint Hartung, one guy who should know believes today's youthful baseball aspirants would do well to keep their eyes and ears open and serve patiently through minor league training stints.

The "Hondo Hurricane," who came as near being a household by-word prior to donning a major league uniform as any man who ever lived, is perhaps "the" classic study of moving too far, too fast.

Signed to a pro contract with the New York Giants in the early '40s, Hartung played nine minor league games before entering service. Then, based at Hickam Field at Hawaii, the lanky, flop-eared Texan became a legend.

Hartung concedes that the fanfare and its resulting pressure whipped him. "Things may have worked out better for me if I hadn't gone up so quickly and with so much buildup." Really, he says he thinks he could still be around the majors had things been different.

At 35, Hartung still plays baseball, but far from his old National league haunts. The one-time "cinch" for immortality is employed as a roustabout for the Sinton, Tex. Plymouth Oil Co. He plays left field for the firm's crack semipro club now vying in the National Baseball Congress tournament here.

The Oilers, their roster dotted with former professionals, won their first two tournament starts with Hartung supplying a homer, two doubles and a single in six trips.

Hartung, possessor of the same loose-jointed, crowd-pleasing swing, isn't too disappointed with his lot. Despite his major league failings, he did all right in the money department and he's not unhappy with the Oilers. But he concedes, "it's different."

Card, Ram Pro Hassle

Professional football, which has captured the affection of thousands of Oregon sports fans, will parade two of its most talented teams into Multnomah stadium Saturday night in its only stop here this year.

The Los Angeles Rams and Chicago Cardinals, bitter rivals who inaugurated local pre-season games back in 1952, will clash for the first time in three years. Kickoff will be at 8:30 p.m.

A crowd of 25,000 or more is expected by Oregon Sports Attractions. President Harry Gilman said that plenty of good reserved seats are still available and will be on sale through Friday at the box office at J. K. Gil's, S.W. 5th and Stark and general admission tickets will go on sale at the stadium ticket wagon at 9 a.m., Saturday.

Glamorous Names

Some of football's most glamorous names will be seen in this fourth local meeting between the two teams. The Rams led in the series with two victories to one.

Ollie Matson, pro football's greatest all-around performer heads the glittering cast in what will be the first chance local fans will have to watch him perform. In the starting line-up for Chicago will be two former Oregon State stars, Guard Woody Hogland and End Dave Mann, with Woodley Lewis of Oregon also slated for action.

The Rams will lead off with Oregon's Norm Van Brocklin at quarterback. He is starting his ninth year in the National Football league.

The Rams will also have their latest rookie sensation, Jon Arnett of USC.

Quarter Midget Mark Recorded

A new track record was set during the quarter midget races held Sunday at Jackson Hot Springs. Gayle Anne Richmond broke the previous mark by qualifying with a fast 9.89.

Other two fast timers were Dana Carder and Janice Lemley. These three competed in the trophy dash with Carder taking the trophy.

The first heat race of the day was taken by Jack Keith, a novice driver. Second heat won by Mike Myers, third by Gayle Ann Richmond and final by Jimmy Allen.

The semi-main race trophy was taken by Dana Carder and the main event's trophy went to Janice Lemley.

Trophies were sponsored by the Medford paint and wallpaper store.

Quarter midget races are held each Sunday afternoon at Jackson Hot Springs with race time 4 p.m.

Second Round In Pony League

Washington — Donora, Pa., meets Waltham, Mass., and Miami plays Lufkin, Tex., in the winners' flight of the second round in the Pony League World Series double-elimination play today.

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Miami rallied in the last of the seventh inning to beat Fort Wayne, 7-6; Waltham took Paducah, 3-1, and Lufkin scored five ninth-inning runs to beat Maywood, 10-9.

Jerry Cunardi Takes Lead in Junior Golf

Portland — Jerry Cunardi of the Portland Golf club shot a one-over-par 72 at the Tualatin country club Monday to win the medal in the Pacific Northwest Golf association junior tournament.

Cunardi, who carded a sizzling three-under-par 32 on the back nine, finished two strokes ahead of Tacoma's Bob Johnson of the Fircrest Country club.

Kermis Zarley took third place with a 75 among the field of 130.

Jackson County B Schools Issue Calls for Football

Two Jackson county B high schools plan initial football practices on Monday, Sept. 2, while the other one will have its first workout on Sept. 3.

Opening drills on Labor Day are St. Mary's of Medford and Talent. Jacksonville gridirers will go to it on Tuesday.

Since the number of B football participants in the county drops to three this fall, Jackson and Klamath schools will play a full District 5 slate. In the past county champs have played off for the mantle.

Decision of Prospect not to field an 11-man team and Rogue River's rise to A-2 status, cuts the number of Jackson B grid participants. Prospect bowed out after starting last season. A manpower shortage was the reason.

Klamath county clubs in the district will be Merrill, Malin, Chiloquin and Bonanza.

Equipment issue and physical exams for Talent athletes will be on Thursday, Aug. 29, from 7 to 9 p.m. First drill is planned for 6:30 p.m. Monday. Dick Thorpe again is Bulldog mentor.

Jacksonville gridirers are to report to new Coach Bill Seymour on Friday evening at the school. Equipment is to be handed out Tuesday. Seymour hopes to have both morning and afternoon practices prior to the first game against Glendale at Jacksonville on the afternoon of Sept. 13.

The Redskins have a turfed field for the first time. Planted last fall, it is reported in good

Crater Plans Grid Drill On Monday

Central Point—Crater high school's first 1957 football drills will be on Monday, Sept. 2, Coach Leonard Warren has reported.

Physical exams probably will be taken on Tuesday.

Equipment already has been issued to lettermen. Others out for football last fall here will draw their gear on Wednesday, Aug. 28, at 7 p.m. Grid aspirants new to Crater or out for the sport for the first time here will be equipped on Thursday evening, Aug. 29.

Warren plans twice-per-day workouts at 7 a.m. and 9 p.m. First game is with Yreka, Calif., on Friday, Sept. 13, at Central Point.

Candidates for positions include six lettermen. They are Wayne Allen, Lee Gossett and Allen Branes, backs, and Jerry Kime, Randy Campbell and Jim Goldenpenny, linemen.

Myrtle Point Gets New Coach

Myrtle Point — Gene Owens has been named new head football coach at Myrtle Point Union high school. Hubert Armstrong, school superintendent, said today.

Owens, moving up from the post of Myrtle Point Junior high school coach, succeeds Tony Ashenbrenner, who has been appointed head football coach at Washington high school in Portland. Owens is a 1956 graduate of Oregon College of Education at Monmouth, where he was an all-conference quarterback for two years.

Owens will also coach the junior varsity basketball squad and assist in either baseball or track. He will teach English.

Armstrong Meets Sugar Hart Next

New York — Gene Armstrong, unbeaten middleweight of Elizabeth, N.J., gets a TV fight with Sugar Hart of Philadelphia at St. Nicholas arena, Sept. 16, for scoring his 10th straight victory Monday night at St. Nick's.

Promoter Teddy Brenner announced the match today.

Armstrong, an underdog at 7-5, won a unanimous decision over Rudy Sawyer of New York in their TV 10-rounder before 1,484. Gene outboxed and outfought the favorite, who suffered his first defeat in 11 professional bouts.

The winner weighed 151 pounds, Sawyer, 148.

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Ems Gain Half Game

By UNITED PRESS

It appears nothing short of Asiatic flu will keep Wenatchee from the second-half Northwest league title. The idle Chieftains Monday conceded a half game to straining Eugene, 5-4 victors over Salem. But Wenatchee still roostered five and a half games up with nine games left—all at home—on its schedule.

In the other game, tenacious Tri-City came from behind four times to nip Lewiston, 9-8. Yakima was idle.

Ollie Brantley became the second 20-game winner in the league this season behind Salem's Chuck Lybeck. Brantley came on in fifth-inning relief to toss a three-hit shutout at the Senators for his 20-14 mark. He also had a hand at the plate, doubling in Bob Gauthier and then scoring on John Keller's sacrifice fly in the seventh inning.

Tri-City came to life for the tie-breaker and winning run in the bottom of the ninth as Ellis Burton singled to center to drive in Dan Carr. A walk loaded the bases, and Don Ray scampered home on an infield out.

Tony Santino had a three-run homer for the Broncs in the fifth. Carr picked up a solo homer for the winners in the sixth.

Casa Grande Hottest Team

Wichita, Kan. — The Casa Grande, Ariz., Cotton Kings were the hottest team in the National Baseball Congress tournament today with their talented young pitchers.

Casa Grande moved into the fourth round of the tournament Monday night with a seven-hitter by Dave Baldwin, 19, a University of Arizona sophomore, who beat the former three-time champion Wichita, Kan., Boeing Bombers, 3-1.

It was Baldwin's second victory and second complete game in the tournament. His teammate from the University of Arizona, Burdette Marago, owns the Cotton Kings' other victory at the tournament.

Only five teams remained unbeaten today.

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