



MEDFORD TRIBUNE

SPORTS

Lind Florists Edge Dairy Maids 2-0; Vie Again Tonight

NORTHWEST WOMEN'S SOFTBALL STANDINGS

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Lind Florists	6	0	1.000
Vancouver, B.C.	6	2	.750
American Linen	8	4	.667
Seattle	4	4	.500
Rogue Valley	4	7	.364
Salem	1	7	.125
Eugene	0	8	.000

Portland - (UPI) - American Linen scored three first-inning runs at Normandale park here Sunday and held on for a 3-2 victory over the South Hill Queens of Vancouver, B.C., in Northwest Women's Major Softball league action.

American Linen also dropped the Vancouver team Saturday night, 5-4.

Salem - (UPI) - The Seattle Ramblers toppled the Salem Shamrocks 7-4 here Sunday in Northwest Women's Major Softball action, making it two in a row over their hosts.

Seattle defeated the Shamrocks Saturday night here 10-1.

Memorial Stadium, Camp White - Portland's Erv Lind Florists had one-hit pitching from Pearl Pinion and profited from single, a sacrifice and four Dairy Maid errors here last night to remain at the top of the Northwest Women's Major Softball league standings with their ninth straight victory. The Florists tripped the Rogue Valley in the circuit 2 to 0.

Last night's fracas was the first of a two-game series. Rogue Valley, last year's Oregon state tourney winners, entertained the defending northwest champs here again this evening. Play ball time will be 8 p.m.

Sunday victory was the third this season by close score for the Florists over the Maids and Rogue Valley faces a considerable task in attempting to snap the string this evening. For the Erv Lind club will send Louise Mazucca to the pitching slab. The 19-year-old Miss Mazucca, one of the top twirlers in the country, had not yielded a hit in the 27 innings she has pitched in the league this season.

She has four league victories. However, the pitching star had to go eight innings against the Dairy Maids a week ago before her teammates came up with a run for a 1 to 0 nod over the Southern Oregon team.

A combination of three overthrow errors in the second inning produced the first Florist run last night. With two out Carolyn Spady hit a bouncer. Pitcher Ellen Callaghan made a fine stop on a tough chance but over-threw first base. The runner went to second. Then third baseman Diane Wall heaved wide and high over first on a swat by Pinion. Firse baseman Doris Hickson's throw to try to catch Spady at third was wide of the base and the runner tallied.

Montie Wallis led off the third inning with the first of the scant three safe socks the Florists managed off Callaghan. Carolyn Fitzwater sacrificed, advancing Wallis to second. Then the runner raced in effort to steal third. Catcher Jean Main's throw was to the base but shortstop Bernice Bigham was not there in time to take it. Wallis headed on for home.

Deloris Price and Fitzwater slapped the other Florist hits and Main blasted the clean safety for Rogue Valley. All the hits were singles. Pinion whiffed four batters, walked two and hit one while Callaghan registered one strike out and gave up three bases on balls.

The Dairy Maids got runners on base in four innings but only one of them got to second base.

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Pinion and Wallis; Callaghan and Main.

Beverly Hanson Sets Golf Pace
Minneapolis, Minn. - (UPI) - Determined Beverly Hanson of Fargo, N.D., carried a two-stroke lead over veteran Louise Suggs into the final round of the second annual American Women's Open golf tournament at the Brookview Country club today.

Mrs. Hanson fashioned a three-under-par 73, for a 54-holes total of 223-five under par-Sunday to break a deadlock with Miss Suggs, the Atlanta, Ga., pro who "slipped" to a 75 on Sunday's rain-soaked third round.

Still in contention and the hottest player on the course, was Mickey Wright, of San Diego, who posted a four-under-par 72, for a 54-hole 226.



MAIDS' INFIELDER - Diane Wall, above, will be in action for the Rogue Valley Dairy Maids when they play the Lind Florist softball nine at 8 o'clock tonight at Camp White. She plays third base and was an all-stater in 1958.

Big 8 Schools Gain 161 Points

Lincoln, Neb. - (UPI) - The Big Eight conference today boasted of 161 points and its first team title in the National Collegiate Athletic association track and field championships.

The team trophy went to Kansas, whose sprinters and hurdlers gathered 73 points in the NCAA meet that ended Saturday night in Nebraska's Memorial Stadium.

The old Pacific Coast conference and the Big Ten long had dominated the NCAA competition. The University of Southern California had won 20 team championships since the meet was inaugurated in 1921. Illinois, with five titles, was ranked second.

In taking the unofficial inter-conference title at the Lincoln meet, Kansas' winning points were added to 31 for Oklahoma, 22 for Oklahoma State, 19 for Missouri, eight for Colorado, five for Kansas State and three for Nebraska to put the Big Eight on top.

Members of the now-disbanded PCC event with USC and UCLA out-scored a total of 56.7 points. Big Ten teams totaled 54.8.

The top independent, and second place team in the meet, was San Jose State, with 48.1.

The 21st verse of the seventh chapter of Ezra in the Bible contains every letter of the alphabet.

Billy Casper Triumphant by One Stroke in U. S. Open Golf Scrap

By LEO H. PETERSEN
UPI Sports Editor
Mamaroneck, N.Y. - (UPI) - There are two things U.S. Open champion Billy Casper likes to do-eat and play golf. He did both of them mightily well Sunday.

Rotund Billy, a 29-year-old pro playing out of Apple Valley, Calif., ate a hearty lunch at the Winged Foot Golf club and three hours later teed off with Lionel Hebert, leading the Open field by three strokes.

He wound up winning it by only one. Bob Rosburg, who uses a baseball grip, and burly Mike Souchak, the former football great at Duke, both made a run at Billy. Both came close but not close enough.

Rosburg, who wears glasses "because it helps to see that little white pill" (a golf ball), and Souchak needed birdies on the par four 18th 424-yard hole to tie Casper.

Billy was sweating it out in the club house. He was having a sandwich-he had eaten a full course that most people would call a dinner five hours before. A lot of golf writers were grouped around him at that breakfast and the good-looking carefree Casper commented:

"I hope I'll be seeing all of you guys five hours from now." He did-as the new U.S. Open champion.

But in those five hours there was not only his game-a four over par 36-38-74

which gave him a total of 282-but Rosburg and Souchak as well standing between him and victory.

First it was Souchak who had a chance to tie him. But burly Mike, needing a birdie, pushed his drive on the last hole off into the rough behind a tree, played a miracle shot to hit the green and then watched disgustedly as the ball rolled into the back fringe. From 50 feet he chipped weakly and the ball was 10 feet short. He even missed that putt.

Then it was Rosburg, also needing a birdie on that 18th to tie. His tee shot was

straight, but his approach iron was weak. It hit 60 feet short of the pin on the lower sloping level of the green and died there.

"That's when I knew I had it," said Casper, watching the play on television.

Casper's victory put \$12,000 in his pocket. Rosburg, who got down in two for a par four on that 18th, wound up second, winning \$6,600.

Souchak earned \$3,600 for tying with home pro Claude Harmon for third place at 284. Former Masters champions Doug Ford and Arnold Palmer, along with Ernie Vossler, were next in line at 286.

Then came the two greatest names in golf-Ben Hogan and Sammy Snead, both at 287.

Hogan was three strokes behind Casper going into the fourth round Sunday-but blew to a 37-39-76, six over par. Bantam Ben was seeking his fifth Open title and now at 46, it looks like he won't make it.

As for Snead-this is the only big one in golf he short of won-and he was four strokes behind Casper going into Sunday's windy round.

After Hogan shot that 76, the 47-year-old Snead wound up with a 37-38-75. He lost his chance with a double bogey on the third hole.

Medford Legionaire Nine Beats GP 9-5

Medford American Legion junior baseball aggregation chalked up five runs in the fifth inning to overcome Grants Pass Mock Ford 9 to 5 in an Area 4 southern division game yesterday afternoon at Camp White.

The Medfordites reached GP pitcher Bill Cole for nine hits, took advantage of his wildness and capitalized on miscues by other Mock players in gaining the victory.

Next contention for Medford will be a non-leaguer against Myrtle Creek at Camp White on Tuesday evening.

Medford goes to Klamath Falls on Wednesday for a southern division mix.

Grants Pass picked up four of its runs in the second stanza when Medford throwers Jerry Anderson was plagued by wildness. But, he settled down and permitted Mock only two hits for the afternoon.

Singles by Sam Oettinger, Ken Durkee and Ken Jensen, three errors, two bases on balls and a wild pitch were put together in Medford's heavy scoring fifth.

Janssen Triples
The four markers for GP in the second were on a hit by Larry Holmes, five bases on balls and a hit batter. Medford cut the score to 4 to 3 in the bottom of the second.

Yost Champion At Royal Oaks
Vancouver, Wash. - (UPI) - Dick Yost, Bob Bronson and Mary Leptich, all of Portland, won the championship, junior-senior and senior titles, respectively, here Sunday in the final round of the Royal Oaks Invitational Golf tournament.

All three won the same titles two years ago.

Yost, ex-walker cup veteran, carded a 71 Sunday to go with his 69-70 and ended with 210, four strokes ahead of the field.

Bronson shot 73-69-74-218 for junior senior honors and Leptich fired a 72-76-83-231 to win.

RV Tennis Meet Set June 27-28

First annual Rogue Valley Invitational Tennis tournament is scheduled for June 27 and 28.

The event will be contested on the Medford Senior High school courts under the sponsorship of Rogue Valley Tennis club.

The tourney could be the biggest of its kind held in the valley. It will be one of a circuit of meets. Players are expected from Redding and Eureka, Calif., and from Klamath Falls.

All amateurs interested may compete in the tournament. Local players particularly are invited. Trophies will be awarded in men's singles and doubles, junior men's singles, women's singles and mixed doubles.

Rogue Valley club players plan to enter the tourneys in Eureka, Redding and Klamath Falls.

Eddie Arcaro Recuperating
New York - (UPI) - Eddie Arcaro, racing's No. 1 jockey who suffered a near fatal spill Saturday, was back on his feet again today, looking hopefully to an early hospital discharge-probably within a few days.

The 43-year-old Arcaro, thrown from his mount, Black Hills, in the Belmont Stakes, was allowed to take a few steps today in his room at Physicians hospital, and he told friends that he expected to continue riding.

However, he was a bit wobbly and dizzy from the after effects of a mild concussion suffered in his spectacular spill, and his personal physician, Dr. Alexander Kaye, said that he would not discharge Arcaro until he was sure the famed jockey was over his dizziness.

A crowd of 38,105 and a national television audience thought Arcaro was killed when Black Hills broke his right shin bone while battling for the lead in the Triple Crown classic at Belmont park won by the Brookmeade stable's Sword Dancer.

MAIL TRIBUNE
Monday, June 15, 1959

BROOKS VICTOR
Timberline Lodge, Ore. - (UPI) Don Brooks of Portland triumphed in the men's division and Washington Athletic club's Beverly Anderson swept to victory in the women's in the 19th running of the Golden Rose downhill ski race on Mt. Hood Sunday.

SOFTBALL PRACTICE
Women's softball practice will open at 10 a.m. Tuesday at the Medford YMCA. Teams are planned for girls 10 years of age and over and girls of junior and senior high school age.

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Riddle Grabs Lone RV Lead; Medford, Camp Whitters Win

ROGUE VALLEY LEAGUE STANDINGS

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Riddle	3	0	1.000
Ashland	2	1	.667
Camp White	2	1	.667
Grants Pass	1	1	.500
Medford	1	1	.500
Glendale	0	2	.000
Butte Falls	0	2	.000

Riddle defeated Ashland 3 to 2 yesterday to take over lone unbeaten leadership in the Rogue Valley Baseball league.

Camp White hopped Glendale 14 to 7 to pull into a second place tie with Ashland. Medford broke into the semi-pro loop's win column with a 9 to 4 verdict over Grants Pass.

No details were available this morning concerning Riddle's third league victory.

Women's Bowling lanes ran open runs in the fifth inning to lick the Grants Pass pitchers, Dennis Barr pitched six-hit ball, fanning 13 batters and walked four.

Anderson Triples
The seven run spurge was on Ray Anderson's triple, two hits by John Hansen, singles by Tony Evans and Larry Perkins, three walks, a passed ball and an error. Singles by Perkins and Bob Serak, Perkins two stolen bases and an error got the other two runs.

Pancho Gonzales Masters Victor
Los Angeles - (UPI) - Pancho Gonzales won the fourth annual Masters round robin tennis tournament Sunday, with a display of devastating power.

Winner of the Jack Kramer pro tour for the past five years, Gonzales wrapped up the title by whipping Frank Sedgman, 6 to 3, 6 to 4, before 2,431 spectators at the Los Angeles Tennis Club.

Gonzales had a 5 to 1 record in the nine-day round robin.

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