

Mounties Edge Irrigated Indians; Bragan Booted For Beef in Wild Panel

By DON BECKER
United Press International
Battling Bobby Bragan, the former Pittsburgh and Cleveland pilot who has his hopes for a new shot at a big league managership, has lost none of his zest for scrapping with umpires.

Bobby didn't use a water pistol, lay down on the field, bring soda pop to the umpires or send up five pinchhitters in a row without having any take a swing, but he still got booted out of last night's Spokane-Vancouver game.

Bragan took the umpires to task in the seventh inning. Going into that frame, Spokane held a 5-2 lead, Indian pitcher Chuck Churn got the first batter out, but then pinch hitter Wayne Causey singled. When the fourth ball was called on the next batter, Barry Shetrowe, Bragan and Churn moved in for a discussion.

28 Minutes Later
Well, it was 28 minutes before that half inning was completed. Part of the time was devoted to giving Bragan the boot and then it took awhile for the roof to crash in on the Indians.

Churn took over for Bragan in the heckling department after Bobby was tossed and he himself shortly got the boot. After the dust had cleared, Vancouver had five runs and the wherewithal for a 7-5 win.

In other games, Sacramento nipped San Diego 4-3 in 11 innings; Phoenix crushed Salt Lake, 12-6 and Portland defeated Seattle 3-1.

After Churn was ejected, Ben Wade came to pitch and he hit Ray Barker to fill the bases after retiring one batsman, Joe Durham singled to right to drive in two runs.

Goodwill Loses Main Topmast In Yacht Run

Los Angeles—(UPI)—The 161-foot schooner Goodwill, setting a record pace in the Transpacific Yacht Race from here to Honolulu, has lost its main topmast in winds.

The accident probably will cut down the large craft's speed as much as 50 per cent, according to a spokesman for the 21st biennial event. Goodwill was more than half way to Honolulu at the time of the accident.

The Ralph Larabee yacht out of Newport Harbor, Calif., Thursday was reported 60 miles east and 100 miles north of the position reached in the same time by the record-setting ketch The Morning Star in 1955. Morning Star sailed the 2,225-mile distance in 9 days, 15 hours and 5 minutes.

No One Hurt
Goodwill reported Thursday night the loss of the main topmast but said the mainmast had remained intact and that no one was injured. The mast was lost 1,080 miles out of Honolulu.

Goodwill had been taking an increasing lead daily since the start of the race Saturday. At roll call Thursday, Goodwill's lead had been lengthened to 110 miles over its closest rivals, Arnold Haskell's 65-foot yawl Chubasco and Baldwin M. Baldwin's 72-foot yawl Escapade, both from Newport Harbor.

Winners among the 42 yachts competing will be decided on a handicap basis. The following yachts leading in the handicap positions:

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Then more fun began. Joe Frazier walked to load the bases and Phil Paine came in to pitch. Paine got mad when his first pitch to Jim Finigan was called a ball.

Drops Return Throw
He showed his irritation by dropping the return throw from catcher Norm Sherry. Barker raced across the plate with the tying run. The Indians protested the game at that point saying time had been called. Finigan then tripled and the two deciding runs came across.

Bob Perry, who had already homered and singled in a run, drove across the deciding tally of Sacramento's game with San Diego in the 11th inning. Terry Fox was the winner. Terry's now 6-1, all in relief.

Bob Speake drove in four runs and Willie McCovey, the PCL's leading hitter, 350 plus, got three hits, to pace Phoenix to its blasting of Salt Lake. Jose Pagan chipped in with his 16th homer of the year.

Portland pushed over two runs in the first inning to get the necessary margin for its win over Seattle. Russ Snyder doubled in one of the tallies and Charlie Secrest drove home Snyder with a single.

Tom Gorman, the first of two Portland pitchers was credited with the win while Bob Mabe was handed the loss.

LINE SCORES:
(11 Innings)
San Diego 000 000 030 00—3 8 0
Sacramento 000 010 101 1—4 12 1
Bridge, Heman (8) and A. Jones; Brown, Fox (8) and Dalrymple.

Portland 20 000 100—3 9 1
Seattle 100 000 000—1 8 1
Gorman, McMin (8) and Tornay; Mabe, Kennedy (9) and Bevan.

Salt Lake 000 300 003—6 9 2
Phoenix 000 400 200—12 14 0
Francisco, O'Donnell (4), Past (8) and Westerfield, Solis, Shipley (9) and Stigitz.

Spokane 110 200 100—5 12 1
Vancouver 000 200 200—7 10 2
Churn, Wade (7), Paine (7) and Sherry; Palica, Luebke (8), Estrada (8) and White.

Portland Beats Seattle Crew

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Portland scored two runs in the first inning and another in the seventh to defeat Seattle, 3-1, in their Pacific Coast league baseball game Thursday night in the Puget Sound city. The win left Portland in third place, only 4½ games behind league leading Sacramento.

The Beavers move on today to Vancouver to open a four-game series against the second place Vancouver Mounties.

Hillsdale Heads Gold Cup Field

Inglewood, Calif. —(UPI)—Hillsdale, a magic name for horse-players this year, heads a field of nine entered in the \$162,100 Gold Cup Saturday at Hollywood Park.

Hillsdale, assigned only 124 pounds for the big race, has won four stakes during the meeting. A fifth win would tie the Hollywood Park record for a single meeting.

The 124 pounds is top weight for the mile and one-quarter test, but under that carried by the year's top money winner in two recent starts.

His biggest competition is expected to come from Ter-rang, totting 120 and Find, a nine-year-old gelding who finished second to Hillsdale in the American on the Fourth of July.

Wisconsin has an average of 3.72 tornadoes a year.

Woods, Water, Wildlife

By Hank DeVoss

The two most prominent conservation groups in Oregon got together last week in a resolution opposing the proposed Round Butte dam on the Deschutes river. To some, this opposition to Portland General Electric's latest attempt to erect a concrete monument to progress in electricity may seem to be soft in that the state division of the Izaak Walton League and the Wildlife Federation are not saying no, no, a thousand times no! The resolution calls for studies to be made by all agencies concerned, and that plans be formulated for the entire Deschutes basin. The resolution also asks that until these studies and plans are completed, that there be no license granted by the Federal Power Commission for the construction of Round Butte dam.

A NEW APPROACH
It's about time there was greater realization on the part of sportsmen and conservationists that we have been quite unsuccessful in stopping dams that were to be built with other than public funds. The FPC seems to hear rather poorly when we ask that they not grant licenses for dams which will damage anadromous fish runs. The approach with this resolution is twofold in purpose in that it will delay the construction of the dam and at the same time insure proper construction if and when it occurs. There have been too many dams built over our blind opposition and they have been built with no facilities and no planning as to what values could be saved.

CHEAP GRAVEL
The Oregon legislature didn't pass the gravel bill during the last session and it's a dirty shame that the fish in the streams of Oregon still are not protected from gravel operations. A story comes from Tillamook regarding gravel trucks that seemed to have a delegation of seagulls following them. The reason was found to be in salmon eggs and newly hatched fry that were mixed in with the gravel. The gravel contractor said it was cheaper to dig gravel from a stream bed than to uncover a couple feet of earth to get it. Besides, if there is water in the stream the gravel will be cleaner. The state is spending millions trying to give salmon and steelhead good spawning areas and then has a cheap gravel operation dig it up. Do we want this?

THE HOG TROUGH
I wonder how many fishermen are enjoying the chumming spectacle at Diamond Lake on the weekends? It seems that at eight or nine in the morning there is a grand rush of boats out to the center of the lake where they line up almost end to end for a half-mile and have a grand time comparing the efficacy of bait eggs with chopped liver when used to chum up the fish.

A RUINED FISHERY
When chumming is legal and everybody is doing it, there is little to condemn a fisherman for if he likes this kind of fishing. When chumming is illegal and just a few are doing it, then it's wrong and the person doing it is a game hog and is stealing from the rest of us. Sometimes when things get too bad it closes a lake to any kind of bait fishing and in the extreme case it is closed to fly fish only. Diamond Lake is one of the best in fishing potential, but right now the fishing is being ruined for most of us by a few.

FISHING AND FISH
I wish there was some way of convincing people that the primary aim of fishing is not to catch fish. On occasion when I've had a slow day on Diamond Lake and returned with one fish or so I've had it remarked to me. "It's too bad you only got one, it hardly makes the trip worthwhile." All I can do is smile, because I've tried to tell him before that I go for the fishing and not for the fish.

THE ANGLER'S LOG
There are four or five dead salmon showing up at Gold Ray dam every day. Most of them have snag marks and death was caused by these wounds or the resulting fungus which is quite virulent for this time of the year. A few are being caught in the upper river but they are getting dark and are somewhat wary in the low clear water.

Diamond Lake — Has been fair. Best catches are made drifting flies or flatfish. There have been several limits taken this week. Fly fishing in the morning and evening is showing good results.

Fish Lake — Is very good. Tröling with FF&W, triple teaser, or small Colorado spinner is best bet. Lots of limit catches. All boats have been taken for the week end.

Four Mile Lake — We've been neglecting this lake and it's too bad because it is a good fishing spot and fairly near. The report is that fishing is getting better and better. The kokanee are in the deep water now and are biting good. Brook trout up to 16 inches have been caught by stillfishing with worms. Morning and evening fly fishing is picking up. There are a few boats available.

Klamath Lake — Has been slow. It should get better with warmer weather. Perch up to 1½ pounds are being caught on trolled flatfish. Mrs. W. W. Malone of Warm Springs made the luncheon board this week on an Andy Reeker.

Lake of the Woods — Has been only fair. Best bet is stillfishing with single eggs. Tröling is fair. Water skiing is reaching epidemic proportions.

Squaw Lakes — Is good. Stillfishing with single eggs is the best bet. Catfishing is spotty.

Willow Creek Reservoir — Pretty good. FF&W is paying off. Morning and evening is best. Swimming is fine. There was a 19 incher caught this week and several large fish are being taken through the week. Water is clearing and going down. Boats are available.

THE OPTIMIST'S CORNER
There is going to be a show-me trip on Bear creek next Thursday afternoon for all persons interested in the pollution problem. Reports indicate that some of the polluters have made some attempt to clean up their mess. This is an indication of what an aroused public opinion can do. Let's keep it up and finish the job.

GOOD LUCK!

VETERAN REPORTER DIES
Los Angeles —(UPI)—Wellard R. (Bill) Gordon, 76, veteran news reporter and radio news writer, died Thursday following a long illness. Gordon worked for both United Press and Associated Press during his long career.

RECOGNIZES EXILES
Accra, Ghana —(UPI)—The government announced Thursday that it had decided to grant de facto recognition to the Algerian government in exile. The action was expected to result in France severing diplomatic relations with this young African state.

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SPORTS

Wildcats, Cubs Grab Victories

Deadlock for the leadership in the pee wee league of Southern Oregon junior baseball was reduced to a two-way tie yesterday.

Ashland Cubs knocked Medford Tigers out of a share of first with a 7 to 3 decision. Medford Wildcats kept pace with the Cubs at the head of the circuit by beating the Ashland Bears 6 to 4.

Central Point Indians won the day's other fracas in the loop 15 to 5 over Eagle Point. The Cubs and Wildcats are now 3-1 in the league. Tigers and Indians have 3-2 standings.

Six runs on nary a hit in the fifth inning got the Cubs their win. They capitalized on five errors and three bases on balls. Singles by Don York and Mark Kinney, two errors and a groundout made the three Tiger runs in the fourth stanza.

Three for Three
Tiger twirler Kinney allowed the Ashlanders only two hits. All the walks he gave up were in the fifth inning. David Barger tossed six-hit ball for the Cubs. He walked none but hit a batter. Jim Cox hit three for three, including a double, for Medford.

The Bears gained a four-run jump on the Wildcats with all their scoring in the first canto on five walks, two errors and a passed ball. Ken Eckel went in as relief thrower for the 'Cats in the first inning with the bases full and three runs in. He allowed his only walk in that inning and went on to pitch a one-hitter and fan five.

The Wildcats got a run in the second inning on a single by Wise, an error and a fielder's choice and two in the third on a walk, error, single by Rany Corliss and a fielder's option. Corliss tripled and John Batzer singled in the fourth frame and a base on balls, stolen base and groundout helped in three runs.

Barger got the only hit for the Bears.

LINE SCORES:
Med. Wildcats 012 30—6 5 1
Ash. Bears 400 00—4 1 4
Newland, Eckel (1) and Cox; Johnson and DeBoer.

CUBA TENNIS CHAMPS
New York —(UPI)—Cuba became the tennis champion of the southern section of the American zone Davis Cup play this week when Argentina defaulted. Cuba will play the winner of the North American zone. Australia, Mexico and Canada are the competitors.

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Gunderson Victor Over Anne Quast

Highland Park, Ill.—(UPI)—A pair of coeds, a fetching brunette who works as a dentist's assistant in her non-golfing hours and a veteran seeking her second crown in nine years, were paired off today for semi-final matches of the 59th annual Women's Western amateur golf tournament.

Jo Anne Gunderson, a physical ed major at Arizona State university, faces Andy Cohn of Northwestern university in one match, and Barbara Williams, a dentist's helper in Berkeley, Calif., takes on Marjorie Lindsay, the Decatur, Ill., campaigner who captured the WWGA title in 1951 and several lesser crowns in the interim.

Miss Gunderson and Miss Cohn both breezed to quarter-final victories Thursday while Miss Williams and Miss Lindsay were forced into extra-hole matches to survive.

The long-driving Miss Gunderson ousted Anne Quast of Everett, Wash., 5 and 4 over the 6,567-yard Exmoor Country club course, and Miss Cohn, a former Iowa state champion from Waterloo, eliminated Nancy Roth, Hollywood, Fla., 5 and 3.

Miss Lindsay defeated Judy Bel, Wichita, Kan., 1 up on the 19th hole, and Miss Williams was forced to go the 21st green before she was assured of victory when Sherry Wheeler, Glasgow, Ky., hit the water hazard on the edge of the fairway.

Crane, Neer Gain Semis

Portland —(UPI)—Mike Crane of Berkeley, Calif., and Jack Neer of Portland advanced to the semifinals Thursday in the 61st annual state tennis tournament at the Irvington Club here.

Crane, who is seeded number three, and number two seeded Neer won quarterfinal matches to advance into the semifinals action.

Crane defeated Don Stensaas of Sacramento, 6-2, 6-2 and Dale Rohland of Los Angeles, 2-6, 6-2, 6-1. Neer gained 6-1 and 6-2 wins over Tom Clark of Portland and defeated Jim Jackson, also of Portland 6-2, 7-5.

Crane tangled with Neer today to gain a position in the Sunday finals.

Perkins Wins
Top-seeded Doyle Perkins of Seattle, Bill Rose and Clyde Knox both of Portland and Bill Hoogs, Berkeley, gained quarterfinal positions.

Rosé, seeded number four, moved into the quarter final round by defeating Jim Flynn of Portland, 6-2, 6-2. Hoogs scored a win over Laury Hunt of Bellevue, Wash., with 6-3 and 6-4 decisions. Knox remained in title contention by downing Ellis Williamson of Eureka, Calif., 6-2 and 6-3.

Perkins met Knox and Rose went against Hoogs in quarterfinal action. The two winners will then tangle in semi-final action on Saturday.

Soriano Handles Suds Business

Seattle—(UPI)—Dewey Soriano has resumed activities as general business manager for the Seattle Rainiers, Emil Sick, owner of the baseball club, said today.

Soriano is on leave from duties as executive vice president of the Pacific Coast league. He was business manager of Seattle when Fred Hutchinson assumed both that job and the job of field manager. Hutchinson, however, quit this week to accept the managership of the Cincinnati Redlegs of the National league.

CHARTER MEMBER DIES
New York —(UPI)—Alfred Hennen Morris, 95, last surviving charter member of the Jockey Club, died here Thursday. The Jockey Club, founded in 1894, is the parent body of racing in this country.

DAVIS CUPPERS NAMED
Mexico City —(UPI)—Neale Fraser, Roy Emerson, Rod Laver and Bob Mark have been selected for the Australian Davis Cup tennis squad that meets Mexico in the American Zone matches, July 18-20.

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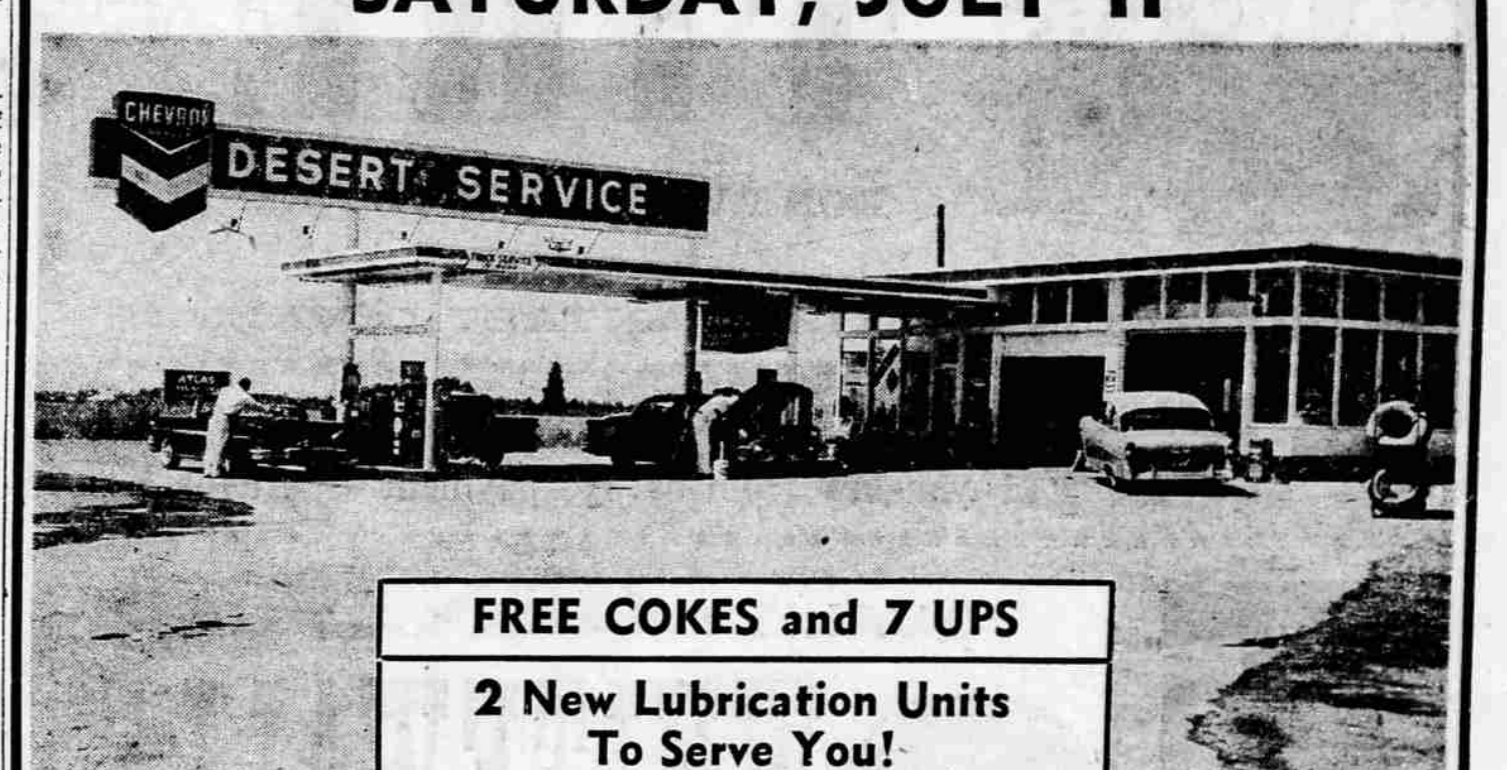
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