



Shrine Gridders In Scrimmages

Portland - (UPI) - Game-type scrimmages were scheduled Saturday today for the Metro and State squads in preparation for the Aug. 15 Shrine hospital football game at Multnomah Stadium.

The staters spent the Friday afternoon session polishing execution of plays and in the morning drill worked on team defense and punting.

Coach Tom DeSylvia had his Metro squad working on pass defense and blocking for the passer in the Friday morning practice, while a dummy scrimmage and punt returns were held in the afternoon drill.

Fullback Jake Jackson of Lincoln high school was back in uniform for the Metro Friday, but limited his activities to running rather than risk further damage to his pulled leg muscle. Guard Karl Barrett of David Douglas High was temporarily sidelined Friday with a sore shoulder, but was expected to be in action by Monday.

Neon Signs, Hedge Damaged in Accident

Three neon signs and a hedge on Central ave. at Court st. were damaged early Friday morning by a car operated by Raymond Allen Johnson, Santa Clara, Calif., Medford police reported.

Police said Johnson was cited for violation of basic rule. The signs, owned by Medford Neon company, advertised the Hotel Medford, Chungking Inn and Hawkins Night Garage. The hedge was owned by James H. Mulhollen, 925 North Central ave., according to the report.

The Illinois' 298 mines are only 3 per cent of the nation's total but they produce 11 per cent of America's supply of bituminous coal.

Maids Taking Up Where They Left Off in Softball Tourney Which Starts Thursday Night

When the Rogue Valley Dairy Maids open defense of their 1958 Oregon women's softball mantle on Thursday, Aug. 13, they will start where they left off in last year's tournament.

The Maids will take on Hillsboro in their first game of the 1959 women's tourney

of the Oregon State Softball association at Memorial stadium Camp White, a double elimination competition which continues through Sunday evening.

Hillsboro was the Dairy Maids foe in the 1958 finale. Rogue Valley victory margin was 5 to 1. The Maids also

licked Hillsboro in their opening mix of the meet. Score was 11 to 1.

Basinettes Play
Klamath Falls Basinettes and Forest Grove Meadowlarks open the four day meet with a 7:15 p.m. Thursday game. Rogue Valley and Hillsboro follow. Eugene McCullough Chain Saw and Salem Capital City Shamrocks draw a first night bye.

Thursday's losers clash at 1:30 p.m. Friday. Eugene and Salem will meet at 7:15 p.m. Friday and that contest will be followed by a match between Thursday evening's losers.

One game is set for Saturday afternoon and two for that evening. Another tangle is scheduled Sunday and either one or two on Sunday evening.

Break in Pairings
Eugene and Salem got the big break in tournament pairings. Whichever of the two wins on Friday evening conceivably could be crowned champion in three games. Four games is the minimum for the others to gain title aspirations. A team which loses on Friday would have to play a minimum of seven tourney games to be champion. Four victories, after the initial loss, would be needed to gain the finals and the other finalist would have to be beaten twice on Sunday.

Winner of the state tournament will enter the regional tournament at Portland. That city qualifies its own team for the regional.

The state meet is being held at Camp White for the second straight year and for the second time under Eagle Point Lions club sponsorship. Salem has been listed as a tourney favorite and Forest Grove loomed as a contender this week with an 8 to 0 victory over American Linen, a Portland member of the Northwest Women's Major league. Forest Grove's Meadowlarks did not contend in the tourney here last year since they qualified automatically for the regional as hostesses.

State tournament entrants of last year not taking part this time are Madras, Astoria and Irving.

One Dairy Maid regular may be missing for the tournament. Doris Hickson, first baseman, has been in Hawaii on F. W. Woolworth company business and may not be able to return in time to compete. Pat Barron, pitcher, is reported able to play. The knee she injured early this season gave out in a game last week and against Eugene. The injury kept her sidelined much of the season.

No advance ticket sale is being made for the games. Lions said that price of admission will be the same for adults and high school students while grade school youngsters will get in for a smaller amount. A tournament program is being printed and will sell for a very small sum.

BOXING SUIT FILED
New York - (UPI) - Former lightweight contender George Araujo of Providence, R. I., has filed a \$2,068,500 damage suit against Jim Norris, the Madison Square Garden Corp., Arthur M. Wirtz of Chicago and the international boxing clubs of New York and Illinois. Araujo charged he was deprived of the right to a title fight at Boston in 1953.

Gold Key Fish Count
WEEK ENDING AUG. 8:
Chinook salmon - 16 (no jack salmon).
Summer run steelhead - 2.

FULL SEASON:
Chinook salmon - 13,833 (18.7 per cent jack salmon) since April 9.
Summer run steelhead - 514 since April 30.

14 Hydros Qualify For Gold Cup Race

By Eldon Barrett
Seattle, Wash. - (UPI) - The fastest field in the history of the Gold Cup was ready to race today in the 52nd annual running of the speedboating spectacular.

A late entrant, Miss Seattle, increased the number of qualifiers to 14. Two camps, those of Coral Reef of Tacoma and Miss Tri-Cities, based in Richland, Wash., tried up to the last minute but didn't make it before the deadline.

Miss Seattle, the nine-year-old Amazon of the hydroplane circuit, made the grade at 99.182 mph five minutes before the course was closed for qualifying. Dallas Sartz, a Spokane, Wash., airplane test pilot, was at the wheel of the craft, which under the name of Slo-Mo-Shun V, won the Gold Cup in 1951 and 1954. This is the boat that made the famous loop-the-loop with Lou Fageol in 1955.

Officially Withdrawn
Even before Miss Seattle returned to the pits, Austin Snell had officially withdrawn Coral Reef, which after several mechanical failures, suffered a quill shaft rupture that ended her chances. Miss Tri-Cities' crew had been working since noon Friday in an effort to get her going. Ironically, the boat came out on the course ten minutes past the deadline and after the course was closed and went dead.

Police estimated that from 25,000 to 50,000 spectators would watch the race from the shore. Thousands of others will be aboard yachts moored along the backstretch logboom which has been described as the "longest bar in the world."

The race, starting at noon (PST), will be run in heats with not more than seven boats to a heat. The final heat will be among the seven boats with the most points collected in the preliminary heats.

Fastest Craft
The first 12 hydroplanes to qualify did so at speeds of better than 100 miles an hour. Based on qualifying speeds, the fastest craft on the water will be Miss U.S. I of Detroit. Driven by Donny Wilson of Fort Worth, Fla.

The defending champion, Hawaii Kai with Boeing Airplane co. test pilot Brian Wy-

gle at the controls, qualified at 109.533 mph and was considered among the top contenders.

The "boats-to-beat" category was headed by the Seattle craft, Thriftway and Thriftway Too. Both were qualified by Babe-Face Bill Nuncy who also planned to drive both in their sections of Heat 1. If they both get in the second heat, Red Loomis of Monrovia, Calif., will take over the controls of the Thriftway Too for the rest of the show.

Camp White Victor Over Pin Lanes

Drain - (UPI) - Drain walloped Dexter 12-2 in the opening game of the Oregon National Baseball Congress tournament here Friday night.

Riddle edged Cottage Grove 4-2 and McMinnville blanked Ashland 8-0 behind Jack Loy's two-hit pitching in the other games.

Memorial stadium, Camp White - Outbatted 14 hits to seven, the Camp White semipro baseball nine took advantage of opponents' misplays and bases on balls to slap Medford Bowling lanes 14 to 8 in a non-league ruckus Friday night.

Today Medford goes to Glendale for a fracas in the Rogue Valley league while Camp White draws a bye.

Camp White lagged 7 to 1 after four innings of play but scored four markers in the fifth and seven in the sixth frame for 12 to 8 lead.

Wayne Allen sparked the Whittiers with two triples and a single and seven-hit relief pitching over seven innings. Kay Vaughn hit four singles for Medford.

Big Innings
The Bowlers got five of their runs in the second canto on hits by Dave Hughes, Bob Serr, Ray Anderson and Vaughn and two bases on balls. Camp White's seven in the sixth were on a three-baser by Allen, double by Lions said that price of admission will be the same for adults and high school students while grade school youngsters will get in for a smaller amount. A tournament program is being printed and will sell for a very small sum.

Allen walked one and fanned four in his relief stint. Medford got seven hits also off Jack Turk who walked two and struck out two. The Whittiers picked up four of their hits off Vaughn who gave up four walks and struck out one batter. Ray Anderson, Medford starting tosser was reached for two safe raps. He issued no free passes and whiffed three. Second reliever Jerry Anderson permitted one hit, striking out four and walking three.

Ice and Wendt each had two hits for Camp White and Hughes, Bob Quinney and Ray Anderson two for Medford. Hughes doubled and Gordon Owsley tripled for the pin lanes.

LINESCORES
Medford 130 110 000 - 8 14 8
Camp White 000 147 02x - 14 7 3
R. Anderson, Vaughn (5), J. Anderson (6) and Vaughn, R. Anderson (5); Turk, Allen (3) and Hale, none.

Fort Union in New Mexico has been made into a national monument.

SETS WALK RECORD
Renton, Wash. - (UPI) - Ferenc Sipos of Hungary, representing the Vancouver, B. C. Olympic club at the Highland games here today, set a new world record for the one-mile walk with a time of 6:20.2. He broke the old record of 6:29.6, which was established in 1883.

NEW RUSSIAN AIRPORT
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Rosensohn Muddle Increases

New York - (UPI) - New York state's attorney general, Louis J. Lefkowitz, today launched the third official investigation into the Ingemar Johansson-Floyd Patterson fight promotion - a strange international muddle of prize fighters, multi-millionaires, electronics and maybe mobsters.

Lefkowitz asked his assistant attorney generals, Irving Galt and Harry C. Fischer to delve into the promotional activities and find out if they have violated the state's anti-monopoly Donnelly act.

Meanwhile, promoter Bill Rosensohn - storm center of the swirling intrigue - was reported without confirmation to have flown from Paris to Los Angeles.

District Attorney Frank S. Hogan and his "boxing" grand jury continued to question principals and "fringers" in the promotion to find out whether their activities had any underworld connections or whether laws had been broken by any coercive manipulations.

Heavyweight champion Johansson whose right-hand thunderbolt blasted the crown from Patterson's head on June 26, was hurling verbal thunderbolts across the Atlantic at Irving B. Kahn, the New York electronics tycoon, and his associates.

Johansson threatened at Göteborg, Sweden, to break his contract for a September return bout with Patterson, unless Kahn and associates gave him a complete accounting by Tuesday of money due him from theater-TV, movies and radio of the June fight.

Ed Schweig, attorney for ex-champion Patterson and the Floyd Patterson Enterprises, countered with a 200-word cable to Johansson, declaring he was "shocked" at Johansson's Göteborg statements.

Schweig said he has been trying for several days to get Johansson's New York attorney to examine Johansson's bank accounts and all records and contracts pertaining to the June fight.

New York - (UPI) - Frank Ericson, former bookmaking king, has been subpoenaed to appear Monday before the boxing grand jury investigating the promotion of the Ingemar Johansson-Floyd Patterson fight, it was learned Saturday from the district attorney's office.

According to sources close to the D.A.'s office, Ericson is not directly involved in the Johansson-Patterson promotional muddle. He is being summoned to testify on a point of information.

Thirty-two Disease Cases Reported Here
Thirty-two cases of communicable diseases were reported to the Jackson County health department last week. Dr. C. I. Drummond, public health physician, has announced.

Of the total, 12 cases were influenza, 7 in Medford and 5 in Shady Cove. Other cases included German measles, Medford 3, Talent 4, and Trail 6; chicken pox, Talent 4; strep throat, Talent, Medford and Phoenix, 1 each.

SPORTS

Touch Football League Planned

Medford city recreation department is planning a touch football league for boys between the ages of nine and 12 years.

The league will be organized on Monday and Tuesday with boys reporting to three fields, Hedrick and McLoughlin Junior High schools and Medford High school. Interested boys are asked to report to the field nearest their homes at the time that field is slated for organization.

Meetings and practice are set for the senior high field at 9 a.m. Monday and Tuesday. Sessions will be Monday at 1 p.m. at Hedrick and Tuesday at 1 p.m. at McLoughlin.

Touch football rules have been modified to reduce the amount of contact, thereby avoiding many of the chances for injury. No special equipment is necessary but boys are reminded to wear old clothes. No registration fee is required.

It is hoped that enough boys will turn out to form a league of eight or more teams.

NIXON TO SPEAK
Los Angeles - (UPI) - Vice President Richard M. Nixon will be guest speaker at the Aug. 14 annual meeting of the Football Writers Association of America in Chicago. Nixon, a reserve lineman at Whittier college in the early 1930s, is an avid sports fan.

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Football Clinic Tuesday Night

A clinic for high school football game officials will be conducted at Medford Senior High school at 8 p.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 11, by Edward J. Ryan, assistant secretary-treasurer of the Oregon School Activities association.

Ryan will show the referees' training film, "Football for Millions," will discuss rule changes and will give a general summary of all rules and mechanics of officiating. Tests for certification of officials will be available.

New officials or those transferring from other states particularly are asked to attend the meeting.

Ryan will come here after a Monday clinic at Coos Bay. He will be at Klamath Falls on Wednesday evening.

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