

Berryman Loss Blow To Eagles

Eagle Point - Eagle Point high track and field hopes suffered setback when Bob Berryman, ace quartermiler was forced to drop out of competition for this spring because of illness.

Berryman, a member last year of Eagle Point's state A-2 titular 880-yard relay team, holds the school record at the 440 distance with :52.9 time.

Lettermen on hand are Gary Ayres, javelin, discus, and shot put; Ken Jorde, discus, shot, and low hurdles; Nolan Greenwood, vaulter and hurdler, and Ray Peterson, sprinter, and possible shot and discus performer, Bill Skeeters, a letterman discus thrower, will turn out shortly.

Other potential performers listed by Coach Vern Steward are senior Glen Berg, who is trying track for the first time, and juniors Roy Moore, Terrell Gowden, Ron Greb, Wally West, and Bill Pfeifer, Led Intramurals.

Moore is the Eagles leading distance man. Greb high jumps, and West will run the distance races. Pfeifer is a shot putter, sprinter, javelin thrower who led the school in last year's intramural championships.

Sophomores out for the squad are Ralph Goode, distance runner and vaulter; Pat Meyer, shot, discus and javelin; Darrell Stock, broad jump and discus; Dale Vaughan, high jump and distance races, and Steve Geren who shows considerable sprint potential.

Freshmen who have reported are Carl Johnson, Bill Hoeft, Charles Pomeroy, Sam Charters, Don Charley, Dan Day, and Wayne Oswald.

Coach Steward is hopeful that more boys will take the opportunity to compete in track as the season develops.

First meet is the Little Rogue Relays on April 9. The freshmen and sophomores will compete earlier in the week with Illinois Valley.

Celts Clip St. Louis

St. Louis, Mo. - (UPI) - The defending champion Boston Celtics rallied in the second half yesterday to beat the St. Louis Hawks, 102-86, and take a 2-1 lead in the National Basketball association's best-of-seven set which will be played here this afternoon. The fifth is scheduled for Tuesday night in Boston.

The Celtics outscored St. Louis, 48-31, in the second half today to erase a 55-54 halftime deficit. A tight Boston defense and the scoring work of Tommy Helms and Frank Ramsey, along with the playmaking of Bob Cousy and the rebounding of Bill Russell, were key factors for the Celts.

Helms, like Cousy a former Holy Cross great, led all scorers with 30 points. Ramsey, an ex-Kentucky university star, contributed 24.

OSC Third In Yacht Race

Redwood City, Calif. - (UPI) - Southern California's crew defeated Stanford and Oregon State Saturday in a three-way race at the Redwood City yacht harbor.

The Trojans came in one-quarter of a length ahead of Stanford while Oregon State was third. The winning time was six minutes, 22.2 seconds for the one and one quarter mile distance.

Gold Rey Fish Count WEEK ENDING APRIL 2: Silver Salmon—None. Winter run steelhead—40.

FULL SEASON:
Silver salmon—371. Final Count (includes 4.8 per cent jack salmon), since Oct. 17.
Winter run steelhead—8,109.
Final Count, since Jan. 19.

Rain Puts Off Baseball Frays

Two Medford High doublebills and Ashland and Southern Oregon college twoheaders were weather victims on the week end.

Medford's Black Tornado did not make the jaunt to Roseburg yesterday because of the week's soaking rains. This postponement followed one of tussles scheduled Friday with Crater.

Also weathered out Friday were the Ashland-Klamath Falls prep tangles and games which were to have matched Southern Oregon and Humboldt State colleges.

Delayed until Wednesday was a Phoenix-Rogue River high school track meet. An Ashland high-Klamath Falls track tiff scheduled for yesterday was called off.

Suit Against Commission Dismissed

Portland - (UPI) - A suit by Cecil Edwards, former chief steward of Oregon race tracks, against the Oregon Racing Commission, was dismissed Friday by Circuit Court Judge Pro. Tom Barnett Goldstein.

The suit sought reinstatement to the job from which he was fired last year.

Edwards' attorney, Pat Dooley, said the suit would probably be appealed to the Oregon Supreme Court. Edwards had charged his dismissal was politically inspired from the office of Gov. Mark Hatfield.

Judge Goldstein dismissed the suit on several grounds. He said that Edwards had not appealed to the state civil service board and had not exhausted his administrative remedies. He also said that the former racing steward should have named the Oregon Racing Commission and civil service commission as joint defendants.

During the trial it was charged and denied that Gov. Hatfield ordered the firing of Edwards from the \$10,000 a year job because of political reasons. Edwards had held the post for eight years.

Red Sox Nip Giants 8-6

Tucson, Ariz. - (UPI) - Boston Red Sox nipped the San Francisco Giants 8-6 Friday.

The Giants, who suffered their fourth straight exhibition loss, nevertheless, smashed out four home runs.

Ironically, pitching honors for the Sox went to Allan Worthington, who the Giants had traded to Boston only three days ago. Worthington pitched the last two innings, striking out three and allowing only one single.

Sacramento Nudges Portland's Beavers

San Bernardino, Calif. - (UPI) - Al Heist doubled home Bill Shields from first with the winning run Friday in the bottom of the ninth inning to give Sacramento an 11-10 victory over Portland in a Pacific Coast league exhibition game.

The vital hit gave pitcher Jim Grimm the win. He came into the game in the eighth inning. Hal Norris was the loser.

Jerry Mason of Portland hit a 360-foot home run for the longest blow of the game.

Oregon Ducks Win ND Relays; Close Victor in Broad Jump

Eugene, Ore. - (UPI) - Oregon, as expected, won the third annual Northern division relays here Saturday for the third time and surprising Washington State finished second.

Oregon finished with 59 points, Washington State had 47, Oregon State 46, Washington 28 and Idaho 15.

The outstanding effort of the meet came in the high jump as Washington State's Hank Wyborne won it with a jump of 6-11. That was 2 1/2 inches better than he had ever jumped before.

He missed on three occasions at 7 1/2. Two of them weren't even close but on a third try he just dragged the bar off.

Oregon's Dave Edstrom was the only double winner of the day. The fourth ranking decathlete man in the world won the high and low hurdles and finished with 14 points - also high for the day.

There were seven meet records broken and two others tied.

Washington State and Oregon each won five firsts, Oregon State four and Idaho one. Washington, for the first time, was shut out in first place finishers.

Jerry Close (ex-Medford high athlete) and Edstrom of Oregon upset Oregon State's Darrel Horn in the broad jump. Close won it with a leap of 23-3 1/2. Horn was third.

Washington State's Spike Arlt ran a good anchor leg in the mile relay to nose out Oregon and also give the Cougars second place over Oregon State.

The meet was run under sunny skies and the track was very solid after a week of rain had soaked it.

Shot Mark Bettered By Nieder

Austin, Tex. - (UPI) - Bill Nieder of the U.S. Army, yesterday set a new unofficial world shot put record of 65 feet, 7 inches in the Texas relays.

Nieder's tremendous throw was made in an open AAU event of the meet. It topped a pending record of 64 feet, 6 1/2 inches set last Saturday by Dallas Long of Southern California.

The existing record for the world was set by Parry O'Brien, of the United States in 1956 with a throw of 63 feet, 2 inches.

Nieder's throw cleared the relays' shot put field and came to rest against a fence. Neider formerly competed for Kansas university.

Grant Cops PIL Relays

Portland - (UPI) - Grant High of Portland won the Portland Interscholastic league relays Friday with a total of 56 points. The relays were held at Madison High school, where drizzling weather and a soggy track precluded any record breaking performances.

Jefferson High, winner of the relays last year, finished second with 51 points. Cleveland was third with 42 1/2 points; Wilson had 32; Madison 28; Franklin 21 1/2; Washington 21; Lincoln 11 and Benson 0.

Brosnan Blazes For Cincinnati

The pitcher manager Fred Hutchinson has been searching for all spring may have been right there on the Cincinnati Reds' roster all the time.

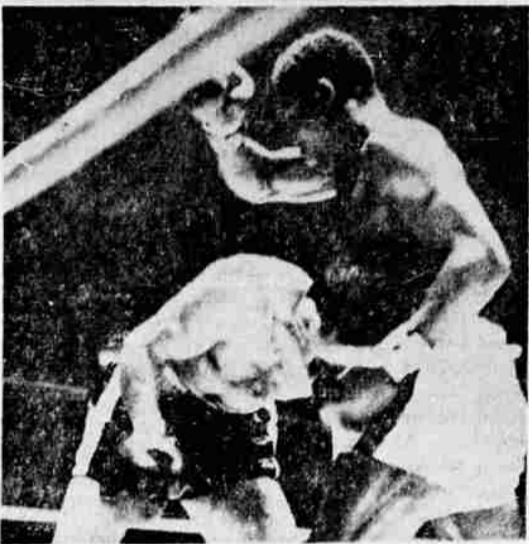
The big boy is 6-foot, 4-inch, 215-pound Jim Brosnan, acquired from the St. Louis Cardinals in mid-season last year and right now one of the hottest pitchers on the Grapefruit circuit.

Brosnan, who beat the Milwaukee Braves, 4-3, in a route-going job March 27, blazed seven innings Friday in a 3-0 triumph over the New York Yankees. Jim, a native of Morton Grove, Ill., had a 1-3 record with the Cardinals last season but was 8-3 with a 3.36 earned run average with the Reds.

It was another tough day for manager Casey Stengel, who watched the Yankees absorb their 14th defeat in 20 exhibition games. The Yankees were held to five hits, including two singles by Mickey Mantle, as they were shut out for the third time this spring.

Tucson, Ariz. - (UPI) - The San Francisco Giants have optioned catcher Al Stieglitz and pitchers Julio Navarro and Don Choate to their Tacoma, Wash., farm team in the Pacific Coast league.

SPORTS



DIVES INTO GLOVE—Victor Zalazar, left, of Argentina, dives into left hand glove of Dick Tiger, British Empire champ, while trying to duck a vicious right thrown by Tiger in second round action at the Boston, Mass., Arena on Friday. Tiger slugged out a decision in 10 rounds. —(UPI Telephoto)

16 Marks Fall In Willamette Relays

Salem, Ore. - (UPI) - Sixteen marks were broken and another tied Saturday in the 10th annual running of the Willamette relays here.

There were 1,950 high school and college athletes competing under bright sunny skies. About 2,000 persons were in attendance, one of the best crowds the relays ever had.

The senior college high jump was won by Hans Albertsson, a Swede competing for Gonzaga, with a jump of 6-8 1/4 for a new mark.

Harry Jerome, competing for the Oregon Emerald Empire team, won the University Invitational 100-yard dash in a record time of :09.6. The old mark of :09.7 was held by Bill Fell of Oregon.

An Emerald Empire team set a record in the distance medley in the University-College division. The team of Jim Grelle, Otis Davis, Ted Abrams and Bill Dellinger ran it in 10:07.0.

Grelle won the Statesman Invitational mile with a slow time of 4:17.0.

Jerry Tarr, another runner for the Emerald Empire team, won the Vern Girdore Invitational high hurdles with a time of 14.6. Favorite Steve Pauly of Oregon State finished third.

South Salem High school set three marks winning the distance medley in 10:49.4; the two mile relay in 8:24.4, and the novice javelin.

John Harvey, Southern Oregon college (ex-Medford high), won the college novice pole vault with a vault of 12 feet.

Whitworth set a mile relay mark of 3:31.6 and Lewis and Clark won the 480-yard shuttle relay in 58.6, also a record.

Phil Humphreys and Mike McCullough won their 100-yard dash heats for Medford high and the Black Tornado 440-yard relay team finished second behind South Salem in its chase yesterday in the Willamette relays at Salem.

Mike Hood and Walt Ayres took seconds for Medford in their novice high hurdle heats and Hood was second and Humphreys third in their high school broad jumping event.

Humphreys ran his century beat in :10.5 and McCullough his in :10.9. Len Griggs of Medford was second in his race at :10.5. Hood was clocked in :15.4 in the hurdles. He went 19 feet 10 inches in the broad jump and Humphreys 19-9. In the high jump Hood tied for third at 5-8. Tom Bortis was fourth in the shot put at 49-4.

Fifth in Two Mile Medford's team of Bill Dahlstrom, Ray Smith, Don Miller and Bob Rix took fifth in the prep two-mile relay. Competing in the 440 relay for the Tornado were McCullough, Jim Schmidt, Humphreys and Griggs.

Terry Ryan heaved the javelin 162 feet but it was not learned whether he placed in high school contention.

Medford's 880-yard relay team was running first in its heat when a dropped baton spoiled the effort.

Three Golf Foes Bow To Tornado

Medford high golfers were victors in two week end matches.

Paced by Jack Joyce, they downed Roseburg and North Eugene on Friday and, led by Bobby Jones, they bounced Marshfield yesterday.

Medford grossed a 409 team count at Roseburg. North Eugene had 418 and Roseburg 468 for its five-man crew.

At Coos Bay the Black Tornado quintet compiled a 382 while Marshfield toured for 391.

Chuck Allen, Roseburg, with 39-35-74, carded individual low on Friday with a 74. Byron Wood, Eugene, clubbed 36-39-75. Joyce headed the Tornado with 42-38-80. Other Medford scores were Jones 42-39-81, Mike Monroe 43-38-81, Larry Brown 43-40-83 and John Hamlin 44-40-84.

Jones fired the best count of all on Saturday with 39-33-72. Brown stroked a 38-36-74. Other Tornado cards were Monroe 38-39-77, Joyce 40-38-78 and Hamlin 43-38-81. Gary Moffitt had a 75 for Marshfield.

Medford will meet South and North Eugene and Roseburg next Friday in a four-way deal at Eugene. The Tornado will oppose South Eugene alone on Saturday.

Tiger Winner Over Zalazar

Boston - (UPI) - "Sugar Ray Robinson, Paul Pender, Terry Downes, Gene Fullmer - anybody, I'm not particular. I'll fight any of them."

So spoke stocky Dick Tiger after slamming out a decision win over Argentina's Victor Zalazar in a nationally televised 10-rounder at the Arena Friday night.

One judge's opinion was that the bout was a draw. Neither the 1,302 ringside fans nor any of the boxing writers present thought it was anything but a lop-sided triumph for Tiger.

Tom Nieporte Retains Lead

Wilmington, N.C. - (UPI) - Tom Nieporte of Bronxville, N.Y., remained in the driver's seat in the Azalea Open Golf tournament Saturday by firing 72 in the third round for a 54-hole total of 204.

Dow Fisterwald of Tequesta, Fla., however, reduced Nieporte's lead to three strokes when he turned in a two-under-par 70, which gave him an aggregate score of 207.

South Grants Pass Wins SO Freshman Relay Meet

South Grants Pass, taking firsts in five events, was winner Friday in the annual Southern Oregon Freshmen relays at Grants Pass.

South ran up 75 points, nine better than North Grants Pass which was second with 66. McLoughlin Junior high of Medford was third with 56. Ashland had 34, one-half point better than the 33 1/2 by Hedrick of Medford. Klamath Falls collected 26 markers.

North GP and Hedrick had two first places each and Ashland and McLoughlin each one.

Hedrick winners were Jerry Iverson with 111 feet 9 inches in the discus and Frank Kinney with 149-7 in the javelin. Jack Lowery paced the McLoughlin Bulldogs win in the shot put relay. He shoved the iron ball for 51 feet 6 inches of Mac's 140-1 total. Other efforts were 48 feet by Mark Marrell and 39-7 by Bill Hancock.

Ashland, anchored by Tom Hudson, one of the top young distance prospects in the Rogue valley, took the distance medley in 6:58.2. He teamed with Mike Andrews, Duane Ogle and Virgil Osborn.

South's Trojans took the 440-yard relay in :48.5, the distance relay in 6:54.9, the shuttle hurdles in :40 and the sprint medley in 1:16.5. Ken Fisher nabbed the pole at 11 feet for South GP. The Trojans anchor nipped McLoughlin's Keith Dalbec for just an inch at the tape in the sprint medley.

MacLoughlin took thirds in the 440 and broad jump relay, fourths in the distance medley and shuttles, a second place tie with South in the high jump relay and sixth in the distance medley. Individual seconds for Mac were

USC Men Star In AAU Meet

New Haven, Conn. - (UPI) - University of Southern California natators accounted for two of the five records which were cracked Friday in the national AAU swimming championships at Yale university.

Charles Bittick created a new mark of 2:13.1 in the 220-backstroke, while the Trojan 400-yard freestyle relay "B" team of Lance Larson, Tom Winters, Don Redington and John Henricks clipped one-tenth of a second off the old Yale mark with a time of 3:16.0.

Jeff Farrell, former University of Oklahoma star, William Mulliken of Oxford, Ohio, and Michael Troy of Bloomington, Ind., set the other marks.

jump and sprint medley. Iverson of the Hornets tied for third in the pole vault with Ron Hitchcock of Klamath.

Ashland points included Tom's second in the javelin, Polk's third in the discus and fourths in the shot and high jump, fifths in the 440, distance relay, shuttles and the sprint medley and sixth in the broad jump.

North GP won the high jump relay at 15-2 and broad jump relay for which the distance was not listed.



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