

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

SPORTS

BILL TUCKER CAPTURES NATIONAL PIN MANTLE

San Bernardino, Calif. — Bill Tucker is a relaxed bowler who says he hates to practice, but he proved himself a money-player in winning the \$10,000 national match game title.

Tucker of Rockhill, Mo., breezed to victory in the finals here Saturday, setting records with a total of 13,924 pins and a 218.36 average in the 10-day marathon. The women's title, good for

\$5,000, was won by Phyllis Notaro of Brant, N.Y. Tucker 34, beat out Don Weber and Ray Bluth, both of the St. Louis, Mo., area, for the title. The previous record average of 215.11 was set by Bluth in 1959.

Miss Notaro, 32, averaged 196.6 in her 32 games and beat Hope Riccilli, of Downey, Calif., by 51 points. Shirley Garmis, Chicago, Ill., was third.

Hockey

United Press International The Portland Buckaroos, undefeated in their last eight games, moved into a second-place tie with Calgary Sunday by battling the Spokane Comets to a 3-3 overtime in Western Hockey league action at Portland.

NATIONAL LEAGUE United Press International Bobby Hull's back — and the Chicago Black Hawks look ready to resume their drive after the second-place Toronto Maple Leafs in the National Hockey league race.

Hull, who had been sidelined with a shoulder injury for two games, returned to action Sunday night and scored twice, once only 52 seconds after the second-period face-off, to lead the Black Hawks to an 8-3 victory over the Boston Bruins.

Dean Prentice scored three goals and Lorne Worsley made 41 saves as the New York Rangers beat the Detroit Red Wings, 5-3, in the other game.

AMERICAN LEAGUE United Press International More deuces popped up in the American Hockey league over the week end than in a showdown poker game between Bret and Bart Maverick.

Six players — Jim Anderson, Bill Dea, Bill Dineen, Mike Labadie, Danny Lewicki and Mike Harvey — were grateful for not having Saturday and Sunday off as they pumped in a pair of goals apiece.

Saturday, Anderson scored Springfield's only two points in the Indian's 3-2 loss to Providence. Dea also picked up his points that night as he led Buffalo to a 4-1 win over Hershey.

Buffalo showed it could take it as well as dish it out as Cleveland's Dineen scored twice to spark the Baron's 5-2 ivory over the Bison's. The remaining three joined in a hurry as Lewicki, Labadie and Harvey scored six of Quebec's points in a 9-1 mauling of Providence.

Eagles Pick Skorich

Philadelphia — Nick Skorich, assistant football coach of the Philadelphia Eagles during the two years they rose from the cellar to the National Football league championship, was named head coach of the team today, succeeding retired Lawrence (Buck) Shaw.

Detroit's Pistons on Rise in NBA

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION

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EASTERN DIVISION

	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	33	15	.688
Philadelphia	30	17	.638
Syracuse	22	24	.479
New York	15	33	.313

WESTERN DIVISION

	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	30	17	.638
Detroit	22	24	.479
Cincinnati	23	31	.426
Los Angeles	19	31	.380

SUNDAY GAMES

Syracuse 112, Los Angeles 109

Detroit 136, Philadelphia 128

Cincinnati 115, St. Louis 108

United Press International

Gene Shue and Bailey

Howell have raised the Detroit Pistons from a dormant

position in the Western division to a point where they're

now pulling the rug from under the leading St. Louis

Hawks.

Currently one of the hottest

scoring duos in the National Basketball association, Shue

scored 32 points and Howell

31 Sunday as Detroit defeated

Philadelphia, 136-128, for its

fifth straight win.

Cincinnati overpowered St.

Louis, 115-108, and Syracuse

nipped Los Angeles, 112-109,

in the only other action Sunday.

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of Crater Lake highway.

Matches are open to all in-

terested in .22 calibre rifle

shooting.

Lady Takes Top Shooting Honors

Rose Van Buskirk, Ashland, took top honors Saturday night at the monthly rifle match of the Medford Rifle and Pistol club with an aggregate score of 772 out of a possible 800.

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Ohio Staters To Face Purdue

By MARTIN LADER

United Press International

A champion's work is seldom done — and Ohio State

once again will have to prove its claim as the nation's No. 1

college basketball team when it goes against an unbelieving

Purdue five this week.

Ohio State has won 18

straight games, including a

convincing 75-66 triumph over

Minnesota last Saturday, and

boasts a destructive starting

team which numbers Jerry

Lucas, everybody's All-Amer-

ica. The Buckeyes are also

defending Big 10 champions.

Purdue, relegated to another

season of obscurity in pre-

season gossip following an 11-

12 showing last year, climaxed

a startling comeback to

basketball eminence by whip-

ping fourth-ranked Iowa, 47-

41, Saturday. Led all the way

by Olympian center Terry

Dischinger, the Boilermakers

have won eight of their last

nine starts after dropping

their first two games of the

Movies Beckon Rafer Johnson

Columbus, Ohio — Olympic

decathlon champion Rafer

Johnson has quit amateur ath-

letics for the motion picture

industry.

Rafer, track star at the Uni-

versity of California at Los

Angeles, said he was through

with amateur athletics when

he was awarded the James E.

Sullivan trophy, as the na-

tion's outstanding amateur

athlete of 1960, during the

Columbus Touchdown club's

annual sports award banquet

Saturday night.

"You can't go any further

in amateur athletics after get-

ting the Sullivan award,"

Johnson said. He also received

the Bob Gutowski trophy as

the Touchdown Club's "track

man of the year."

Linfield Back In Front Alone

United Press International

Linfield got back the undis-

puted basketball lead in the

Northwest conference Satur-

day night.

The Wildcats defeated Pac-

ific 70-66 to gain a split in a

two-game week end series.

The win ran Linfield's record

to 5-2.

The BOWLERS ALLEY

By DARLENE AND BILL TOPE

STARFIRE LEAGUE

Hughes Construction company leads Starfire league with 24½ wins. Tex Nash is second with 22 followed by Jeddell Brothers 19, Rogue River Wood Products 18, Olson-Ross 16, Pinnacle Orchards 15½, Weeks & Orr 15, Rogue Vending 15, Ron's Standard 14, Standard Oil Co. Prospect 12, Larry's Lincup 11 and Jackson County Co-op 10. Best scores were by Mel McElhiney 507, Gale Culy 568 and Dick Swan 225, Ron Lowe 514, Doug Baker 549, Herb Masterson 530, Earl Manley 567, Don Turner 223-554, Art Baker 498 and Del Walker 513.

ROXY ANN CLASSIC

Roxy Ann Lanes holds top position in Roxy Ann Classic league with 6 wins. Second is Wooden Shoe with 5. Claves Construction and Cubby's have 4. Timber Room and Daugherty Lumber 2, Kim's 1 and Becks 0. Charles E. Whorther had highest series with 224-237-216 for 677. B. Newland rolled 258 in a 646 second series and Sam Van Dyke had a 266 game.

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

Quality Market retains Commercial league first after winning 3-1 over Richfield. High series was 642 by Ray Wise. Fred Anderson had 625, Jim Hennebeck 610 and Walt Dagle 605. Quality Market has 17, Bates Wholesale Distributors 16, Kim's 13, Rogue Valley Drilling 12, Mail Tribune and Cubby's Drive In 11, Patterson's Bakery 10, Alexander & Brown Insurance and Fam Bearing 9, Baumer Sheet Metal & Heating and Andy's Jewelers 8, Morning Fresh Bread and Richfield Oil 7 and E. H. Mann 2.

CITY LEAGUE

Leo Webster turned in 595 high in City league. Rogue Sportsman is first with 13 wins. Farmer Brothers Coffee and Telephone Employees association have 11, Westside Merchants, State Farm Insurance and Southern Oregon Bearing 9, First National Bank and Copco 8, Ross Lumber Co. and Weter & Olson 7, Star Body Works 6, Silver Dollar Stamps 5½, Johnston Stores 5, Tic Toe Time Shop 4, M&M Motors 3½.

SPORTSMAN'S LEAGUE

Sportsman's league has a tie for first. With 17 wins each are Butte Falls General Store and Fern Valley Ranches. Butte Falls Shell has 15, Phoenix Golden Eagle 14, Hillier Oil Co. 13, Breckon Brothers 12, First Christian Church 12 and Steve Wilson 11, Brookhurst Subdivision, Chester Bird, and First Christian Church 7, Seven Up 7, Darwin Moore had best game and series, 248 and 631. Arnie Matson fired 235-225 in a 624, Don Wallace had 221, Don Crawford 211, Tex Watson 208.

ROXY ANN LEAGUE

Top scratch games rolled in Roxy Ann league were 223 by Leo Bohl, 219 by Jim Wehren and 214 by Art Baker. Mel Peterson had a 627 series, Ken Christianson 620, and Les Mason 616. Gilkins and Pacific Motor Truck share first with 11 wins. Royal Crown and Consolidated Van Lines have 10, O.N.C. Reliable Cleaners and Beneficial Standard Life 8, Graham Electric, Larry's Richmond, Baker's Moulding, Harrison Electric and Medply 7, Hopkins Richfield 6, Groceria 5.

TEMPO LEAGUE

Pin Curlers, Hiway and North West Groceries One each won 4 points in Tempo league. Cascade Wood, Unmentionables, Steve Wilson, Night Owls and Flat Tops each won 3. Oregon Veneer, Side Winders, Pepperones, Timber Busters and the Wilson Knot Dodgers each took 1. Elk Tender, Pin Heads and North West Groceries Two were blanked.

ELKS LEAGUE

(Triplicate Scored) In the Elks league Donald Davis turned in 194-258-222 for a 674 and Clayton Lewis 167-233-211 for a 611. Other high games were carded by Ken Phipps a 215, Hugh Jennings 212, Homer Sullivan 211, Paul Morgan 211 and Roy Sarver 203. Chuck Bateman had a 180 triplicate for an American Bowling Congress award. Miss Pitts have 9½, Sports and Reddys 8, Gypos 7½, Channel Cats and Lively Five 7, Cubs and Cementers 6, Sea Dogs 5, Alley Gators and Tigars 3, Go Boys 2.

ROXY ROCKERS LEAGUE

In Roxy Rockers league Medford House Movers won 4, Max Dalton 584, Medford Tire 0, N. Peterson 520, Chitwood & Stone 3, G. Carr 529, Van Lees 1, G. Huttner 526, Royal Oaks 3, Dick Laros 547, Haupt Tractor 1, Doug Folsbury 484. Rest of the teams each won 2 — Snider's Dairy, Eldon Vinson 516, Oregon Bank, Gary Bechtal 450, Krupps Flying A, Bob Nelson 529, Medford Jaycees, Bill Tope 530, Awwkward Five, Bob Knight 466, Pools Unlimited, Duane Venekamp 510.

WED. NIGHT SCRATCH

In the Wednesday Night Scratch league these teams won 3 — Pulvers, Ed Ross Service, Security Insurance and Medford House Movers. Other teams won 1 each — Team Six, Team Seven, Harry & David and Jackson County Realty. Clayton Lewis had the best series, a 586.

INDEPENDENT LEAGUE

Independent league bests were a 212 scratch game by Bill Tope and a 206 by Dick Talley who had top game with handicap, 237. Jack Turk had high series scratch, 566, and high with handicap, 638. Bill Tope had second high series, 560 scratch, 608 with handicap, Tee Pee Plywood moved into first with 7 wins. The Timber Wolves, Baker Moulding and Red Pegasus have 5, Table Rock Lumber 4, Communication Workers, Midway Meat, Harry & David and Electric Supply 3, Ideal Cement 2. Men with best series for teams were John O'Connor 557, Dave Houzel 425, Dick Spain 492, Dick Talley 492, Fay Goddard 450, Ralph Davis 538, John Kerner 455, and Frank Mathews 440.

BALL & CHAIN LEAGUE

Best scores in Ball & Chain Mixed league were by Vera Cummings, 199 game and 534 series. Dave Baylor had a 232 in a 574 series. Hi Los lead with 14 followed by the Hot Toddis 12, Woodchoppers and Convicts 12, Pills and Chucks Market 10, K. Medleys 9, L&M's, Queen Ann Chumps 7, Toppers 6, Four Squirrels 5, Black Kats 4, Pin Pickers 2 and Kaymads 0.

LADIES CLASSIC LEAGUE

Tied for first in Ladies Classic league with 6 wins each are Beck's Morning Fresh, Security Insurance & Realty and Jorgensen's Eastside Market and Valley Music have 5, Kim's and Thunderbird 4, Crater Inn Motel, Picks Apparel and Rogue Distributing Co. 3, Treasure Tone Paint 2 and the Union Club 1. Ladies who chalked up top scores for their respective teams were G. Riggs 211-578, E. Read 492, B. Reinholtz 201-572, G. Boardman 486, R. Barr 489, L. Learning 488, H. Culy 532, T. Tolles 523, V. Knox 208-520, E. Parr 492, B. Davis 513, C. Duzan 211-200-572, M. Clark had a 201 game and P. Smith 201.

CENTENNIAL LEAGUE

High game in Centennial league was 204 by Lucille Cornelius. Standings show the Slippers four, Lolita Ritter-spach 538, and Pot Holders each with 4 wins. With 3 are Fire Flies, E. Brandhorst 508; Alley Busters, Fran McGinty 475; Pin Pickers, Rosnye Gosch 434; Odd Balls, Lucille Cornelius 551. With 1 are Lucky Strikes, Betty Harrison 371; Mia Haps, Nora Bailey 464; Hi-Lows, Jean Tucker 396; Slufflers, Betty Glass 400. With 0 are Spare Squares, Pauline Grant 480, and Slow Pokes, Doreen Robertson 446.

ROXY ANN ROCKETTES

The Roxy Ann Rockettes league finished first half with Neely-Nelson in front. Start of the second half finds these teams with 3 wins. Neely-Nelson, E. Edwards 487; Big Y Cleaners, J. Lust 453; Stevens Auto Sales, S. Setzler 422; Norton's Market, M. Peyton 399; Lucille's Beauty Cottage, K. Moore 427; Economy Market, R. Walton 374. With 1 are Roxy Ann Lanes, P. Melstead 497; Sully's Drive In, J. Whiting 425; Water & Olson, M. Mullin 327; Dykes Floor Cover, N. Dyke 419; Wheeler's Shell, H. Craig 372, and Crosby's, V. Hendry 412. Lee Neely rolled 208 high game.

MORNING GLORY LEAGUE

Hawkinson's has first in Empire league with 8 wins. Safeway has 7, Century Sporting Goods and Western Thrift 6, Winnis Style Salon and Nu Way Cleaners 5, Ekerson's and the Broadster House 3, Clock and Laura Scudder 2, Rich Plan 1 and Sarah Coven-

try 0. Georgia Boardman carded top game a 232 and top series a 554. Eva Sessions had 216, Vi Corby 516 series and Jackie Newland 508. Twyla Maggenti had 427 and Melba Jorden 443, Stella Pruett 442, Jackie Wilson 445, Eva Sessions 479, Georgia Coggins 484, Edith Cummings 464, Dot Nease 430 and Peggy Melstead 456.

ROLLERETTE LEAGUE

Jean Bates took top honors in Rollerette league with 168 game and 458 series. Jackson County Co-op leads with 6. Browns Cafe has 5, Fabers Super Market 4 and Bateman's Insurance 1.

BOWLING BELLES

Esther Miller fired best game in Bowling Belles league, 205, and Louise Patterson had high series, 514. Pat & Mikes have 7 wins for first place. Johnnie's has 5, McLaren Oil and Viking 4, Trowbridge & Flynn and Team Six 2.

BULL DOG LEAGUE

Talent Club won first half in Bull Dog league. Betty Brooks won best last week with 189 game and 504 series. Standings show Pooles Mobile Homes 6½, United Radio and La Point's 6, Naumes Equipment 5, Mutual of Omaha 4, Hart's 2½, Talent Club and Oregon Liquid Gas 1.

EARLY BIRD LEAGUE

Best games in Early Bird league were 190 by Pat Braach, 183 by Nan Batterton and 180 by Doris McCurley. Rogue Valley Construction is first with 45½, Esther Mohr 477, Valley Lockers has 39½, Pat Braach 432, N. Van Lee's 39, Bev St. Clair 429, Richfield Truck 7½ Auto 37, Gayla Dixon 450; Medford Hotel 34, Nan Batterton 479; Mechanics Laundry 33, Vonnice Canoose 397; Elmoe Electric 30, Doris McCurley 437; Crater Title Insurance 30, Annette Sawyer 426; Tally Ho 29½, Colleen Baylor 491; Red Barn Auction 21½, Kathy Franks 411.

BLUE MONDAY LEAGUE

Blue Monday league ended with Pin Pickers champs with 39 points. Gwen Slavens had 192 high game and 443 series. Nameless were second, Helen Nikadym 468. Bowling Bags were next, Joanne Troutman 443; Strikers had Betty Howell 291. These ladies will receive league honors for the season: Laura Faylanger, most improved bowler; Ellen Lamb, high game scratch, 216; Shirley Williams, high game handicap, 229; Ruth Carpenter, high series scratch, 495, and Jean Davidson, high series with handicap, 593.

BOWLING QUEENS LEAGUE

Best games rolled in Bowling Queens league were two games of 201 by Gerlie Riggs and a 209 by Karen Smith. Port-O-Call has 8, Helen Clark 528; Hotel Medford 7, Elsie Baker 493; Charm Cottage 7, Jean Bates 498; Hiway Ready Mix 7, Rita Cabel 463; Reter Fruit 7, Jerry Garner 409; Medford Stationary 6, Gerlie Riggs 579; GMAC 6, Capli Lindquist 483; First National Bank 5, Pat Nunes 466; Hilton Lumber 5, Beverly Gutches 473; Copco 2, Janis Browne 392.

MAJORETTES LEAGUE

Barco Supply and Powder Puff Beauty Shop tied for first in Majorettes league with 9 wins. Betty McDougal Insurance last 7, Classic Studio and Southern Oregon Trophy

Co. 6, Oregon Veneer 5, Hillier Oil Co. 4, Kim's 2, Elsie Baker had 202 game and 550 series. Doll Christianson had 495, Lucille Cornelius 538, Eleanor Holbrook 474, Pat Piazza 457, De LeRoy 471, Sis Beck 430 and Wanda Booth 453.

BARTLETT BELLES

Faber Stratton Insurance took over first in Bartlett Belles league with 20 wins. Ead's Allied 18½, Stauffer Studio 18, Faber's Market 17, and Alexander's Music 17, Doris Henderson 421, E. Sund-Sy's Place and Crystal Meat 14, Red Blanket Lumber 13½,

Alexander & Brown and Highway Furniture 13, Eagle's One 12, Lininger's 11, Eagle's Memory Garden 11, Eagle's Two 7, Swen's 6, Gwen Harrington picked the 6.7 split. Ladies with best scores for their teams were Maxine Thomas 477, Geneva Mang 201-522, Gladys Couch 444, Lorraine Hall 524, Shirley Ellis 455, Joan McCready 420, Nelda Heath 433, Viola Huber 446, Ernie Lisenbee 495, Charlotte Bohl 466, Nita Doty 418, Cynthia Wootton 405, and Alexander's Music 17, Doris Henderson 421, E. Sund-Sy's Place and Crystal Meat 14, Red Blanket Lumber 13½,

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