

Desperate Calm Before Kentucky Derby; Candy Spots 6-5 Favorite

Louisville, Ky. — "We have entered a period of desperate calm."

That was the way trainer Mesh Tenney, who conditions favored Candy Spots for partner Rex Ellsworth, today described the last remaining hours before a field of nine goes to the post Saturday in the 89th running of the Kentucky Derby.

Yreka Tips Ashland High 4-3

Ashland - Yreka, Calif., nipped Ashland high 4 to 3 at Yreka on Thursday in a non-league baseball game.

The Miners got three of their runs in the second inning on two errors, singles by Philippe and Campbell and a balk. The other was in the third frame on a walk, a sacrifice by Bennett and a single by Morton.

Ashland runs came one at a time. In the first frame Tim Thompson walked and advanced on a passed ball and error. He scored when Rick Pierce hit into a double play.

In the third panel Bill Tilford doubled and Thompson was safe on a futile fielder's choice effort to put Tilford out. Tilford, however, was doubled when Bob DeBoer popped on a sacrifice bunt try. Two wild pitches allowed Thompson to tally. John Rhodes doubled in the fourth panel, stole third base and scored on an error.

Yreka pitchers Wolf and Root held Ashland to two hits while fanning six and working five. Tilford tossed five-hit ball for Ashland, walking four and whiffing the same number.

Ashland entertains Happy Camp on Saturday afternoon for two games.

LINESCORE:
Ashland 101 100 0-3 2 3
Yreka 031 009 0-3 2 3
Tilford and DeBoer, Wolf, Root (5) and Campbell, Jones (5).

Womens' Golf

Rain forced postponement yesterday of ladies' beginner golf lessons at Rogue Valley County club. The lessons have been rescheduled for Thursday, May 9, at 10 a.m. The beginners' three-hole tourney planned for May 6 has been reset for 9 a.m. on Monday, May 13.

The serious work was over although the worry remained. Only a year ago, on the eve of the first of the triple crown classics, Sir Gayford, the favorite, broke down and was confined to his stall when he was ridden to the post.

Decidedly romped to glory in the record time of 2:00 2/5 for the mile and one-quarter. Never Bend Second Choice

The horses against which Candy Spots risks a perfect record of six wins in six races are: Cain Hoy Stable's Never Bend, Greentree Stable's No Robbery, Miss Patricia Jacobs' Bonjour, Darby Dan Farm's Chateaugay, Walnut Hill Farm's Gray Pet, Bernard J. Ridder's Royal Tower, and Joseph J. Cherock's Investor.

Never Bend, winner of more than \$500,000, was second choice at 5-2 against the 6-3 quoted on Candy Spots. No Robbery, another colt with an unbeaten record, was third choice at 3-1.

These are the "big three" of the 1963 edition of America's greatest horse race which boasts two undefeated starters for the first time since Aristides won the inaugural running in 1875.

Seven Unbeaten Horses
Down through the years seven unbeaten horses have started in the Derby. Only two of them emerged unscathed with Regret, the only filly ever to win, scoring in 1915 and Morvich bouncing home in 1922. But such horses as Native Dancer, Bimelech, Coaltown, Thunderer and Colonel Hogan tasted defeat for the first time in the Rose Run.

There was little left for the trainers to do until it is time on Saturday to lift their jockeys into the saddle to the strains of "My Old Kentucky Home."

Tenney planned to gallop Candy Spots today to keep the colt on edge. No Robbery, Chateaugay and Royal Tower also were scheduled for "blowout" and the others probably will get them on Saturday morning.

HOCKEY
WESTERN LEAGUE
United Press International (Finals, Best of Seven)
W. L. GFGA
Seattle 2 2 20 18
San Francisco 3 2 18 20
Thursday's Results
San Francisco 6 Seattle 0
Next Game: Sunday at San Francisco



LONG-SHOT—Resembling a giraffe, Kentucky Derby long-shot investor has this expression for those who scoff at his chances of winning the classic May 4. He is pictured here in Louisville, Ky. Owned by J. J. Cherock and trained by Frank A. Stone, investor came in next to last in the Derby

Medford Trackmen Go To KF; Crater Journeys To Bend

Klamath Falls, Ashland and Bend will be the competition sites Saturday in track and field for Southern Oregon conference members.

Medford high will be at Klamath Falls and Ashland at Grants Pass. Crater will contend in the Bend Bulletin meet.

Crater will be in a 16-team meet. Metric distances will be run with preliminaries and finals.

The Grants Pass javayees at Rogue River varsity meet slated yesterday was shifted to today because of the effect of the rain on the RR oval. Rogue River varsity also will contend against Ashland and meet at Grants Pass, Coach Frank Morris said. St. Mary's also is expected to have some participants in the meet.

Workouts Hampered
At Medford high, sterilization of the football field prior to reseeding, has hampered track workouts. Water used to soak in the sterilizing liquid overflowed on to the track and on to the broad jump and pole vault runways. The Tornados were limited to a 220-yard section of the track one afternoon and to the other 220 the next. Then yesterday the rain fell.

Coach Dean Benson's charges have been able to get a few things done but were not able to pole vault or broad jump for three days. There has been some pretty hard work on the half track but this was to have been the last week of overall intensive drill prior to the district and not all has been accomplished that was desired. Now there will be another week of hard work before the tapering off for district begins.

Benson said that Tim Murray, discus and javelin thrower, is not slated to compete at Klamath Falls. He is under a doctor's care for a pulled back muscle. Murray, whose back was ailing last week, threw the discus but not the javelin last Saturday against Roseburg.

Best In Four
Compilations by Bill Mulflur, prep sports writer for the Oregon Journal, show southern Oregon athletes with the best marks in the state so far this year in four events.

The 22-foot 8 1/2-inch broad jump of Medford's Jim Hill is tops as is the 130.7 relay time of the Black Tornados

SPORTS

Boys' District Net Meet Here Saturday

District 6 high school tennis tournament boys' competition has been rescheduled for Saturday and will be conducted on the Medford High school courts.

Girls' district tourney will be held on Monday at Southern Oregon college in Ashland.

The tourneys for both boys and girls had been set for yesterday at the college but were rained out. Should rain prevent the boys' tournament here on Saturday, it will be held Monday at Ashland, along with the girls' event.

Southern Oregon college courts were scheduled for use today and tomorrow by college teams.

Medford, Ashland, Crater, Grants Pass, Klamath Falls, St. Mary's Eagle Point and a Phoenix have net tournament entrants.

Red Raiders Have Eight OCC Bests

Portland - Portland State and Southern Oregon College took complete charge of the listing of 1963 "bests" among Oregon Collegiate conference track and field athletes this week.

The Red Raiders added the low hurdle best by Bill White with a 24.5 clocking to replace Eastern Oregon's Dave Larson. Fred Thomas, now listed in four events, equalled the season's top 9.9 time in the century. This gave Southern Oregon eight bests, including ties in the 10 and 220.

Portland State was tops in nine events, including a share of the 100, run last week by Stan Sposito in 9.9. Although SOC's Mike Hanby saw his 14-1/2 pole vault topped, the season's best mark went to teammate Gordon Spike with a 14-3/4 effort. Thomas, in addition to his 9.9 in the 100, was second in the high jump with a 6-3 leap, second in the broad jump at 22-9 and first in the triple jump with a 45-3 mark. The triple jump is not one of the regular events in the NAIA 15-event program, however.

Southern Oregon leaders included Doyle Branson in the 100 and 220, Norm Oylar in the 2-mile and 3-mile, Bill White in the high and low hurdles, Mike Hood in the broad jump and 330-yard intermediate hurdles and Spike in the pole vault.

Portland State leaders included Sposito in the 100, Don McCartney in the 440, Don McMillan in the 880 and mile, Phil White in the high jump, Ken Patera in the shot put and discus, Steve Curtice in the javelin and Viking mile relay quartet.

Oregon Tech's Ed Cecil owned a share of the 220 best with Branson. Both have recorded times of 22.2.

Oregon Collegiate conference best marks through April 30 follow:

100—Branson, SOC, 9.9; Sposito, PSC, 9.9; Thomas, SOC, 9.9.
220—Branson, SOC, 22.2; Cecil, OTI, 22.2; Nice, SOC, 22.4.
440—McCartney, PSC, 49.4; Graham, SOC, 50.8; Benson, SOC, 50.8.
880—McMillan, PSC, 1:55.5; Leroy, SOC, 2:01.2; Buchanan, PSC, 2:02.4.
1 mile—McMillan, PSC, 4:23.5; Mile, PSC, 4:23.5; Arndt, SOC, 4:28.3.
2 mile—Oylar, SOC, 9:48.1; Cook, PSC, 9:50.0; Small, PSC, 9:55.4.
3 mile—Oylar, SOC, 15:00.0; High hurdles—B. White, SOC, 24.5; Walk, SOC, 18.9; Franke, PSC, 18.9.
Low hurdles—B. White, SOC, 24.5; Larson, SOC, 26.8; Dennis, OTI, 26.7.
Pole vault—Spike, SOC, 14-3/4; Hanby, SOC, 14-1/2; Wolf, OCE, 12-8.
High jump—P. White, PSC, 6-4; Thomas, SOC, 6-3; Jones, SOC, 5-2; Purkeypile, PSC, 6-2.
Broad jump—Hood, SOC, 22-9; Thomas, SOC, 22-9; Wolf, OCE, 21-7.
Discus—Patera, PSC, 155.3; Bartlett, OCE, 151.0; Ellis, SOC, 134.9.
Shot put—Patera, PSC, 56-0 1/2; Ellis, SOC, 46-10 1/2; Robinson, SOC, 46.8.
Javelin—Curtice, PSC, 221-11; Hill, SOC, 209-0; Murray, PSC, 197-3.
Mile relay—Portland State (Kerr, Smith, McMillan, McCartney), 2:26.3; Southern Oregon (Hanby, Coffman, Leroy, Arndt), 2:34.1; Eastern Oregon (Nice, Green, Walk, Wood), 3:36.3.
330-Yard intermediate hurdles—Hood, SOC, 38.8; B. White, SOC, 39.9; Walk, SOC, 41.3.
Triple jump—White, Thomas, SOC, 45.3; Franke, PSC, 41-8 1/2; Sposito, SOC, 41-3.
500-Yard—Oylar, SOC, 1:52.3; Postman, SOC, 1:52.0.
440-Yard relay—Southern Oregon (Thomas, White, Graham, Branson), 4:44.4.

Track Meet Changes Made

McLaughlin - Hedrick Junior high seventh and eighth grade track meet scheduled for today has been postponed until Wednesday and will be held at the Hedrick field.

The ninth grade meet set for next Tuesday between the two Medford junior highs also has been moved to the Hedrick field.

A South Grants Pass, Monument and Crater freshman track meet planned for today at Central Point has been switched to Monday afternoon.

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Stan Musial Gives Answer With 3-Run Double for SL

By FRED DOWN
UPI Sports Writer

Old man Musial ain't what he used to be but he's not yet ready to throw aside his bat in favor of a rocking chair in the sun.

Stan the Man, now 42, got off to a slow start with the St. Louis Cardinals this season after no less an authority than Branch Rickey had suggested he might be excess baggage for the team to carry. Manager Johnny Keane, however, closed his ears to the advice and waited for Musial to supply his own answer.

That the Man did Thursday night with a three-run, seventh-inning double that lifted the Cardinals to a 4-3 victory over the Chicago Cubs and increased their National league lead to two games. The double enabled Musial to tie Babe Ruth's major league record of 1,356 extra base hits and also raised his career RBI total to 1,901.

"He was a .250-hitter (10 hits in 40 tries this season) when he went to the plate," remarked Keane in the dressing room. "I figured he was just the .250-hitter we needed in that spot."

Musial's big hit canceled out a three-run ninth-inning homer by Ron Santo and gave Ray Washburn his fifth straight win. A single by Curt Flood and walks to George Altman and Ken Boyer filled the bases and set the stage for Musial's winning hit off ex-terminator Larry Jackson.

The San Francisco Giants beat the Pittsburgh Pirates, 2-1, the Milwaukee Braves romped at the expense of the Cincinnati Reds, 8-0, the Los Angeles Dodgers defeated the Philadelphia Phillies, 3-2, and the New York Mets routed the Houston Colts, 10-3, in other National league games.

Juan Marichal, displaying his best form of the season, pitched a five-hitter and struck out seven. Felipe Alou provided him with the runs

he needed when he clipped Don Cardwell for a two-run home run in the second inning. Bob Skinner's triple and an infield out produced Pitt-burgh's run.

Pitches Three-Hitter
Bob Hendley pitched a three-hitter and Hank Aaron hit his eighth homer of the season as the Braves handed the Reds their fourth shutout defeat of the season. Joey Jay, a 21-game winner the last two seasons, suffered his fifth straight loss while the win raised Hendley's record to 3-1. Leon Cardenas had all three Cincinnati hits.

Art Mahaffey was one out from victory when Frank Howard singled and Ron Fairly followed with a homer that enabled the Dodgers to snap their four-game losing streak. Ron Perranoski, who went the last two innings in relief of Don Drysdale, posted his third win against one loss.

The Mets extended their home winning streak to six games with a 13-hit attack that included four hits by Charlie Neal and a triple and double by Larry Burditt. Al Jackson yielded five hits in seven innings before giving



TIES RUTH RECORD—Cardinal's ace outfielder and record smashing Stan Musial tied Babe Ruth's extra base hit record of 1356 with a two run double in the seventh inning of the Cards-Cubs game in St. Louis, May 2. Musial holds the ball he hit to the deep left field wall off Cub reliever Dick Ellsworth and a sign signifying his record tying 1356 extra base hits. (UPI photo)

way to Ken MacKenzie to win his second game.

LINESCORES:
National League
Houston 010 000 101-3 5 0
New York 000 030 408-10 13 0
Notre Dame, Kennerly (5), Cardinal (7), Woodeshick (7), Zachary (9) and Bateman, Jackson, MacKenzie (8) and Coleman, Witter-Jackson (2-1), HR—Goss.
Chicago 000 000 003-3 5 0
Phila. 000 010 006-4 7 0
Jackson (3-2) and Bertel, Raney (8), Washburn, Bauta (9) and Sawatski, Winner—Washburn (5-0), HR—Santo.
Los Angeles 100 000 002-3 7 1
Phila. 000 002 000-2 4 0
Drysdale, Perranoski (8) and Roseboro, Mahaffey (2-3) and Dalrymple, Winner—Perranoski (3-0), HR—Fairly.
San Fran. 002 000 000-5 2
Pittsburgh 000 001 000-1 3 1
Marichal (3-2) and E. Bailey, Cardwell, Hadeix (8) and Burgess, Loeferle—Bryan (1-3), HR—F. Alou.
Milwaukee 002 021 200-8 12 1
Cincinnati 000 000 000-0 3 1
Hendley (3-1) and Torre, Jay, Fairly (6), Branson (9) and Edwards, Loeferle—Jay (0-3), HR—H. Aaron.

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