

2 B TUESDAY, MAY 28, 1963
**TORNADO DIAMOND CREW
 IN OREGON SEMIFINALE
 AT PENDLETON TONIGHT**

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Probable pitcher for Pendleton is Steve Bunker.

Medford takes an 18-4 record into the semi. Pendleton is 22-9. The Bucks last week end defeated North Salem in a quarter-final. They are the Intermountain league champs. The Tornadoes prevailed over Southern Oregon conference opposition and beat South Eugene last Friday in an opening round playoff game.

Should the Black Tornado win tonight, it will not return to Medford until after action in Multnomah stadium in Portland. This is the next to last week of school for Medford students and exams are underway for seniors. Members of the diamond squad reportedly went to Pendleton sking plenty of material for study.

The state championship game will be played starting around 5:30 p.m. on Thursday as the last game of a tripleheader. The Class B and A-2 title games will precede it.

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SPORTS
BOWLING

TROPHY PRESENTED—
 Jackson County Federal Savings and Loan association honored its championship bowling team of the Rambling Rollers league with a coffee hour last week and the sponsor's trophy was presented to H. J. Field, president of the association. Team members were Lois Gage, Marie Rock and Irene Childs. The ladies have rolled for the past three years in the league but the combination will be broken. Miss Gage will be married soon and will move to Klamath Falls.

MOONSHINERS LEAGUE
 Honors in the Moonshiners Bowling league this season included Charlene Heavilin, 643, and Chuck Hoyt, 627, high scratch series; Helen Campbell, 636, and Chuck Heavilin, 669, high series with handicap; Charlene Heavilin, 254, and Chuck Hoyt, 245, high games scratch; Ruth Carpenter, 252, and Neil Jackson, 265, high games with handicap; Helen Campbell, 11 pins, and Bob Brown, 10 pins, most improved; Barbara Mealer, 108, and Art Roe, 127, lowest bowlers.

First in the league were Bowlers Cha Cha Chia, Charlene and Chuck Heavilin and Buster and Helen Campbell. Second place team was Revenuers, Marianna and Clem Jennings and Judy and Willie Harnum.

Trophies were given at a banquet at Kim's restaurant.

FUN & FROLIC LEAGUE
 (Mixed Doubles)
 Holly Hawks (9-3) 3. Ed Holley 497, Cherry Pickers (4-8) 1. Emmet Carpenter 439.
 Double Trouble (9-3) 3. Ken Picketts 521; Tired Tigers (6-6) 1. Doug February 205.
 Lane Burners (9-3) 4. Norma Finnell 456; Four Spots (2-10) 0. Mike Oraskovic.
 Speed Shitters (8-4) 4. Ernie Peyton 448; Lindfors (7-5) 0. Cippi Lindquist 470.
 Bowls-A-Knits (8-4) 4. Darrel Linker 376; Four Squares (1-11) 0. Tom Stanton 523.
 Pin Pats (7-5) 1. Walt Bernarde 455; Pin Sby (5-7) 3. Opie Harrison 411.
 Two D's (2-10) 0. Dick Torrey 472; Four Gems (7-3) 4. Loren Soderlund 542.
 Doris Roe 208, Loren Soderlund 205, Ken Picketts 204, Darrel Linker 202; Bowl-A-Knits 1,892.

DREAMERS LEAGUE
 Spare Ribbers (13-9) 4. Juanita Brenner 492; Hit & Miss (7-17) 0. Helen Mitchell 249.
 Happy Daze (15-9) 2. Jen Hostetter 385; Flubbers (11-13) 2. Barbara Cain 342.
 Miffista (15-9) 1. Velma Wilson 349; Checkers (14-10) 3. Marcella Martin 429.
 Lucky Strikers (11-13) 3. Joedene Chaboude 426; Holly Polly's (8-16) 1. Evelyn Rhodes 448.
 Evelyn Rhodes 194, Juanita Brenner 176, Joedene Chaboude 170.

ROXY ROLLER LEAGUE
 Oregon Bank keeping defeated Stone's TV 1837 to 1569 for first place in the Roxy Roller league. Team members were Ruth Johnson, Helen Carpenter and Felicia Snodgrass. Second place team members were Shirley Setzler, Dolores Madden and Carolyn Kilmore.
 A three way tie for third place was played off between The Meat Mart, Slickley Masonry and Forest Chief. Meat Mart was the winner.
 Top score of the league sweepster was Jean Peyton with 382.
 Season award winners were Ruth Johnson, high scratch game, 248; Clara Torrey, high series scratch, 337; Dolores Madden, high series with handicap, 639; Ruth Johnson, high average, 145; Marilyn Werner, most improved bowler, 19 pins.
 New officers are Esther Stickey, president; Mary Schel, vice president; Felicia Snodgrass, secretary; and Marge Peterson, sergeant-at-arms.

Softball Standings
JACKSON COUNTY SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION
 (Through Monday)
 Central Pl. Merchants 4 0 1,000
 United Grocers 4 0 1,000
 J. Wheeler Logging 4 0 1,000
 Keith Schulz Garage 4 2 667
 Jay Allen Cars 2 2 500
 Comm. Workers 2 4 333
 Colvin and Associate 0 4 000
 Medford Corporation 0 4 000
 Tru-Mix Concrete 0 2 000
 SO Dry Kln 3 0 000
 * result of Colvin-Medcon Monday game unavailable at press time.)

MURPHY HONORED
 Eugene — (UP) — H. D. Murphy, a junior outfielder who hit .422, Monday was named the most valuable player on the Oregon baseball team for the past season.



SEEDING THE FIELD—Seeding of grass on the Medford High stadium field, accomplished by workmen and equipment as pictured above late last week, has been completed. The workmen spread ground up bark mulch on the ground yesterday and this morning, and watering of the whole field was scheduled to begin tonight. The field is expected to be in shape in time for the first football game this fall. It will not be used for any summer activities.

Tacoma Increases PCL Lead With 8-3 Win Over Portland

By United Press International
 The Tacoma Giants today were whistling a variation of that old standard, "what a difference a day makes," "what a difference a week makes."

Only Giants would change the title slightly and call it, "what a difference a week makes."

Just a week ago Tacoma held a slim half - game lead over the Seattle Rainiers in the Pacific Coast League's Northern Division pennant chase. Today, and seven games later, that margin has grown to a comfortable three and one-half games.

The Giants added to their lead Monday night when they scored six runs in the first inning and coasted to an 8-3 victory over the Portland Beavers.

At the same time, the slumping Rainiers ran into a strong eight - hit performance by Howie Reed and dropped a 5-0 decision to the Spokane Indians.

Elsewhere, Hawaii's Ron Moeller tossed a sparkling

four - hitter as the Islanders squeezed by Salt Lake City 1-0 and Dallas - Fort Worth pounded out 12 hits to dump Oklahoma City 7-3. San Diego was idle and Denver lost a 7-2 exhibition decision to the Kansas City Athletics.

Jackie Davis capped Tacoma's first inning explosion when he smashed a home run 400 feet over the left center-field fence with two teammates on base.

The Giants starter, Jerry Thomas, survived a shaky third inning and went the distance for his fifth victory of the season. Portland scored all its runs in the third on a triple by pitcher Lew Krause, doubles by Jay Hankins and Ken Harrelson, and a single by Manny Jimenez.

Spokane's Reed was in trouble only in the fifth inning when Seattle loaded the bases with two outs and in the eighth when he gave up a pair of singles with only one out. But each time the Rainiers were unable to come up with the big hit to spoil the shutout.

Jim Barbieri paced Spokane's nine-hit attack with three singles and two RBIs.

Despite Moeller's fine pitching performance, Hawaii needed an unearned run to pick up the win at Salt Lake City. Shortstop Jimmy Sturtart's error and Mick Harrington's single gave the Islanders the game's only run in the fourth.

Moeller struck out 13 batters and was never in serious trouble in recording his first decision of the season.

Cezar Tovar and George Banks paced Dallas - Fort Worth's victory with three hits and two RBIs each.

The Rangers starter, Lee Stange, gave up two runs in the first inning and then retired 16 Oklahoma City batters in a row before he weakened in the seventh and needed help from the bullpen.

STANDINGS
By United Press International
AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Baltimore	29	15	.659	
New York	23	14	.622 2 1/2	
Chicago	24	18	.571 4	
Kansas City	22	18	.550 5	
Boston	21	18	.538 5 1/2	
Minnesota	20	21	.488 7 1/2	
Los Angeles	20	25	.444 9 1/2	
Cleveland	18	21	.459 9 1/2	
Detroit	18	21	.459 9 1/2	
Washington	13	31	.298 11 1/2	

Monday's Results
 No games scheduled.
Tuesday's Probable Pitchers
 Detroit at Los Angeles (night)—Lolich (0-1) vs. McBride (2-5).
 Kansas City at Boston (night)—Stafford (2-2) vs. Monbouquette (3-4).
 Washington at Minnesota (night)—Daniels (0-1) vs. Kaat (3-4).
 Cleveland at Chicago (night)—Kreighbaum (2-3) vs. Hendley (4-3).
 Baltimore at Kansas City (night)—Roberts (3-4) vs. Bowsfield (3-4).

California Speedway Eyed
 Los Angeles — (UP) — Sam Hanks, director of racing at the Indianapolis Speedway, Monday announced preliminary plans for a \$17 million California Motor Speedway — an "exact duplicate" of the Indiana track.

Hanks said he and his associates plan for construction to begin in the spring of 1964, with completion scheduled in time for the running of the first California 500 national championships in the fall of 1965.

The former Indy 500 winner said the speedway would be located just east of Ontario, bounded on the south by the San Bernardino Freeway.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
San Francisco	28	16	.639	
Los Angeles	28	18	.609 2	
St. Louis	23	21	.524 4	
Portland	21	20	.512 5 1/2	
Chicago	22	21	.512 5 1/2	
Cincinnati	20	21	.488 6 1/2	
Philadelphia	20	23	.465 7 1/2	
Milwaukee	20	24	.455 8	
Houston	19	26	.422 9 1/2	
New York	17	28	.378 11 1/2	

Monday's Results
 No games scheduled.
Tuesday's Probable Pitchers
 Los Angeles at Milwaukee (night)—Koufax (6-2) vs. Hendley (4-3).
 San Francisco at Cincinnati (night)—Marichal (6-3) vs. O'Toole (7-3).
 Chicago at New York (night)—Ellsworth (3-3) vs. Craig (2-7).
 Philadelphia at Pittsburgh (night)—McLish (3-2) vs. Friend (5-3).
 Houston at St. Louis (night)—Nottbart (4-2) vs. Broglio (3-1).

Womens' Golf
 Last week the Rogue Valley Lady's day golf play was medal and second action on the Trans-Mississippi disc. Nine-hole play was for fewest putts.

Winners were: A group, Mrs. John Flynn; B group, Mrs. Al Williams; C group, Mrs. Ren Taylor; D group, Mrs. William Walker and Mrs. Max Larson tied; nine-hole group, Mrs. B. L. Lagesson, runner-up a three way tie to be played off by Mrs. Paul Haviland, Mrs. Vern Collins and Mrs. Tom Shoop; beginners group, Mrs. Victor R. Moore.

Twenty-three women participated in a beginning golfers three-hole tournament in May. Mrs. Douglas Knokey was first. Mrs. Lewis Jantzer second and Mrs. Richard Watson third. (Complimentary play for beginners ends this month. In order to be paired in Thursday play ladies are to contact Mrs. Tom Tubbs.)

There will be no organized play May 30, Memorial Day. On June 6, the Rogue Valley lady golfers will be hostesses to Klamath Falls and three California clubs, Bayside, Baywood and Del Norte.

Tony Lema Wins Memphis Open
 Memphis, Tenn. — (UP) — Champagne Tony Lema lived up to his name and ordered three bottles of "the best you've got" for newsmen; after he won the \$50,000 Memphis Open.

The tall, unassuming California pro nabbed the \$9,000 first prize from Tommy Aaron in a sudden-death 73rd hole playoff. Both ended 72 holes with 270.

The victory was the first of the season on the PGA circuit for Lema, who has placed well in money in every tourney he has entered. He now ranks second on the tour money list with more than \$44,000.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE
Northern Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Tacoma	28	16	.639	
Seattle	22	20	.524 3 1/2	
Spokane	22	23	.489 5 1/2	
Portland	19	22	.463 6 1/2	
Hawaii	18	24	.429 8	

Southern Division

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
San Diego	24	20	.545 1	
Dallas Ft. W.	23	20	.535 1 1/2	
Oklahoma City	21	22	.488 3 1/2	
Denver	19	24	.442 5 1/2	
Salt Lake City	15	24	.385 7 1/2	

Monday's Results
 Dallas-Ft. Worth 7, Oklahoma City 3.
 Hawaii 1, Salt Lake City 0.
 Spokane 3, Seattle 0.
 Tacoma 8, Portland 3.
 Exhibition game: Kansas City (AL) 7, Denver (PCL) 2.

Giants, Dodgers Take Rest Before Long Stretch on Road

By TIM MORIARTY
UPI Sports Writer
 Now is the time for the New York Yankees and the Los Angeles Dodgers to show their muscles in the major league pennant races.

The Yankees trailed the Baltimore Orioles by 2 1/2 games and the Dodgers were 2 games back of the San Francisco Giants when all the teams took time out Monday to catch their collective breaths.

Both the Yankees and the Dodgers will be on the road for the next two weeks, making their immediate tasks all the more difficult.

The Dodgers have won 18 of 25 games at home thus far this season but are 8-11 on the road. The Yankees completed a 9-2 home stand Sunday to bring their season record at Yankee Stadium to 13-6. However, they are only 10-8 on the road.

Starting with a night game at Boston tonight, the Yankees will play 15 road engagements in the next 14 days. Their most important stop will be at Baltimore next week, when they square off against the Orioles in three straight night games.

The Orioles, winners of eight straight and 13 of their last 14 games, play three-game sets at Kansas City and Los Angeles this week before returning home for their scraps with the world champions.

The Dodgers launched a 15-game road trip last week end at San Francisco, losing two of three games to the Giants. They move on to Milwaukee for the start of another three-game series tonight, then

have stops at Cincinnati, Houston and Chicago before resuming their war with the Giants at Los Angeles June 10.

Maury Wills wasn't with the Dodgers when they headed east, remaining in Los Angeles for x-ray treatment of a foot injury. If the calcium deposit on the second toe of Wills' left foot doesn't respond to treatment he may require surgery. That would knock the base-stealing champion out of action for another three weeks.

While the Dodgers were having their share of troubles, manager Ralph Houk of the Yankees was extremely optimistic when he left for Boston.

"We've got good reason to feel pretty good as we start on this long trip," he said. "We've just finished a fine home stand, the lineup is solid for the first time and the pitching has been looking up."

When it comes to pitching, though, you can't beat that Baltimore staff. Milt Pappas, unbeaten in four decisions, is pacing all American league pitchers with a 1.59 earned run average. Teammate Steve Barber (8-3) is third with a 2.27 ERA mark and Robin Roberts, another Bird is sixth with a 2.65 average.

Is it any wonder that Baltimore fans are talking pennant so early in the season?

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MADISON GAINS Finals of A-1 With 4-1 Win
 Madison of Portland moved into the Class A-1 finals of the Oregon high school baseball playoffs with a 4-1 victory over Hillsboro in a semi-final game at Hillsboro Monday. Medford meets Pendleton at Pendleton tonight in the other semi-final contest.

Rick Welsh pitched a one-hitter for Madison in its seven-inning game with Hillsboro. Welsh, who struck out 11 and walked six, gave up a single in the sixth inning to Dave Blatchford.

Bandon and McKenzie gained the finals of the Class A-2 playoffs. Bandon defeated Yamhill-Carlton 3-1 at Bandon and McKenzie topped Woodburn 2-0 at Woodburn in the semi-finals.

In Class B, Crow reached the finals with a 2-1 win over Jefferson at Lowell in a semi-final game. Wasco County met Adrian today in the other semi-final contest.

The finals in the three classes will be played as a tripleheader at Multnomah Stadium in Portland Thursday afternoon.

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