

Sports Briefs

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, July 21 (AP)—The Philadelphia-Pittsburgh Eagles-Steelers are starting a bit of pre-season football practice tonight...

ONE-MINUTE SPORTS PAGE Mel Ott tells scribes traveling with the Giants that Bobo Newsum had been waived out of the National league before that Brooklyn rookie even started...

JAWBONE HEAVEN Navy Petty Officer John Clark relays this one to the "thoroughbred record" from an army buddy who has just returned from North Africa...

SERVICE DEPT. Marine Corps Correspondent Sgt. Donald Hallman reports a recent football game somewhere in the South Pacific between the "Redskins," headed by Capt. Louis Shine...

Seattleites, Ducks Guard Top Status

Sealers Down Faltering Padres 4 to 0 to Place Rainiers in High Division

By The Associated Press Both in the first division for the first time this year, the Portland Beavers and the Seattle Rainiers came home today for Pacific Coast Baseball league series which will largely determine whether the northern teams shall remain in the upper brackets or around the foot of the league.

Today's series will pit sixth-place Hollywood against the Rainiers in Seattle and the seventh-place Oakland against the Beavers in Portland.

Football Talk Starts Despite Hot Weather

NEW YORK, July 21 (AP)—It may be the middle of summer and the height of the baseball season, but on the campus of Columbia university football talk has started.

Lou Little, the Lions' famous football mentor, returned yesterday from Cape Cod where he had been recuperating from a throat operation and in shirt sleeves directed the workout of a squad of 50 gridiron candidates.

GRID SEASON OPENS

ATLANTA, July 21 (AP)—Coach W. A. Alexander has begun his 24th campaign as skipper of football activities at Georgia Tech.

Majors Gird For Finish Struggles

Field Action Lulls as Teams Clean House for "Home Stretch" Battles

By JUDSON BAILEY Associated Press Sports Writer

The major leagues are heading into the home stretch today with plenty of opportunity as well as determination to shuffle the standings before the end of the season.

There has been comparatively little action on the field since the two big leagues took time out 10 days ago for the all-star show, but this breathing spell has been used by many of the clubs to gird themselves for the grind ahead.

More player swaps have been made in the last week than in any similar period since the 1942 campaign closed. The Brooklyn Dodgers have undergone a house-cleaning that has sent Pitcher Bobo Newsom to the St. Louis Browns...

Many other clubs, even the world champion St. Louis Cardinals, have dipped into the farm system for additional strength and some more moves of this character probably will be completed before the week is over.

How all the changes will add up in the standings remains to be seen, but both the Browns and Giants appear to be strengthened and hope to rise.

Altogether 11 games are on tap today and tonight with the eastern clubs of the National league heading into the west and the western clubs of the American league invading the east.

Joe Louis Fails To Qualify in Tam O'Shanter Golf

CHICAGO, July 21 (AP)—Missing from the list of 64 qualifiers for the all American amateur championship in Tam O'Shanter's mammoth golf show today was Sgt. Joe Louis of the United States army.

Louis, the heavyweight boxing champion, took 86 swings at the little white ball yesterday for a 36 hole total of 173 and failed to get into the select list.

Willamette Eyes Replacing Keene

SALEM, July 21 (AP)—The executive board of Willamette university will take up the matter of replacing Coach R. S. Keene at a meeting in Portland next week.



Yankee taking four straight from White Sox at Comiskey Park proved too much for this fan, who is gently led away from there after bouncing onto field to protest decision.

Pafko Leads Coast Batmen Despite 10-Point Decline

LOS ANGELES, July 21 (AP) Andy Pafko's inflated batting average suffered a 10-point decline during the past week, but the hard-hitting Los Angeles outfielder continued to lead the Pacific Coast league sluggers through games of last Sunday with a neat .380.

Table with columns: Player and Club, G, AB, H, HR, RBI, Pct. Lists statistics for players like Pafko, Dickshot, Scarsella, etc.

LITTLE HELLSHIPS WIN

PORTLAND, July 21 (AP)—The Albina Little Hellships baseball team defeated Grant, 14-1, and captured the Junior League baseball championship.

The design of the newest German Messerschmitt indicates a growing concern for the safety of crews. Over 900 pounds of armor are provided.

Top Seeded Net Men in Third Round

By The Associated Press SEATTLE, July 21 (AP)—The four top seeded players in the Washington state tennis tournament moved through the second round yesterday without trouble and only one of the group was forced to play a third set in his match.

Scores for the day were: Paul Blugard, Portland, defeated Ray Smith, Seattle, 6-1, 6-8.

Ken Clegg, Seattle, won default from Wally Cavanaugh, Tacoma.

Henry Loquvam, Seattle, defeated Herb Baumgartner, Seattle, 6-4, 6-2.

Don Erwin, Tacoma, defeated B. Laurie, Seattle, 6-3, 7-5.

John Shea, Los Angeles, defeated Harry Goldberg, Seattle, 6-1, 8-6.

Junior singles: John Shea defeated V. Duckering, Seattle, 6-3, 4-6, 6-0.

Gil Shea, Los Angeles, defeated John Soord, Seattle, 6-3, 6-2.

California to Choose Antelope Hunters by Lot

SAN FRANCISCO, July 21 (AP)—More than 3100 persons want to hunt antelope in California when the season opens September 11, but all but 500 will be disappointed.

From all these applications 500 names will be drawn in a lottery August 13 at Sacramento. And only the 500 will receive licenses to hunt.

The season will extend from September 11 to September 20, in restricted sections of Lassen and Modoc counties.

Frank Poreda Wins 10-Round Go From Griffin

BREMERTON, July 21 (AP)—A decision of last winter was reversed here last night when Frank Poreda, 202, Bremerton navy yard, won a 10-round decision from Ernie Griffin, 195, Paine field negro in a boxing bout billed as for the northwest servicemen's heavyweight title.

Griffin won an elimination tournament from Poreda last winter.

Other results: Al Cella, 126, knocked out Davey Mendoza, 127, Los Angeles, 3rd round.

Joe Du Baldi, 145, Fort Lewis, defeated Booker T. Ellis, 145, navy, four rounds.

Stan Romero, 160, navy, knocked out George Haynes, 158, Paine field, first round.

Bob Smith, 195, Fort Lewis, defeated Don Gravelle, 200, navy, technical knockout, third round.

Soldier Brown



Jimmy Brown, captain and infielder of St. Louis Cardinals, marches to quarters at Jefferson Barracks, St. Louis, after being inducted into army.

Wirephoto Gives Priddy Look at New Daughter

WASHINGTON, July 20 (AP) Gerry Priddy, second baseman of the Washington Senators, couldn't get a plane to Los Angeles to see his wife and their first-born daughter.

"If I could see a picture of my wife and baby, then I'd know they were all right," Priddy told the Washington Post, which related later:

"Modern science and the Associated Press were invoked. The picture was taken in Los Angeles, transmitted over the wires to Washington. Proud, happy Priddy was able to see the picture.

"But that's not all. Yesterday, the AP cameraman photographed Priddy in his Washington hotel fondly gazing at the picture of his wife and his new child. And this morning, 3000 miles away in Los Angeles, Mrs. Priddy will look in the Los Angeles Times and see the wirephoto picture of her husband proudly beholding his little family."

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

WASHINGTON—Bob Montgomery, 137, Philadelphia, outpointed Frankie Willis, 144, Washington (10).

NEW YORK—Ernest Robinson, 147, New York, outpointed Joe Agosta, 153, New York (8).

NEW BEDFORD, Mass.—Jimmy McLarnin, 135, New Bedford, stopped Francis Leonard, 135, Taunton, Mass. (7).

LOS ANGELES—Tony Mar, 136, Mexico, outpointed Jimmy Florida, 137, Stockton, Calif. (10).



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Amateurs, Women Bask in Limelight of Tam O'Shanter Golf Extravaganza Today, Professionals Bide Time Until Tomorrow

By CHARLES DUNKLEY CHICAGO, July 21 (AP)—Golf on a tremendous scale—three tournaments rolled into one—was presented with theatrical setting in the Tam O'Shanter Extravaganza today.

The tournament became the nation's biggest golf show of the year when the professionals and women joined the amateur ensemble which has held the stage since Monday.

There were 200 swingers in action—105 professionals, 64 amateurs and 31 women.

While the surviving 64 qualifiers in the all-American amateur were sweeping through their first day of match play, the pros battled for 71 places in the \$10,000 all-American open and the women played for 18 positions in their tournament—both of which start tomorrow at 72 holes of medal play.

Blond Byron Nelson of Toledo, twice winner of the Tam open, was rated as a top-heavy favorite to repeat while Miss Patty Berg, famed freckle-faced red head of Minneapolis and Miss Betty Hicks of Long Beach, Calif., were favored to dominate the women's tournament.

Due to the list of pros exempted from playing a qualifying round today, none of the big guns in the pro ranks unskipped their shots other than in practice rounds.

This situation gave the amateurs and the women the spotlight in today's play.

One of the youngsters who threatens to give Nelson a battle is Chick Harbert of Battle Creek, Mich. Harbert was advancing rapidly in the tournament field before the war and won the St. Paul open last summer.

The windup of a qualifying round yesterday for amateurs installed Bill Chambers, a sailor from the nearby Great Lakes naval training station, as medalist with a 36 hole total of 145, the lowest card in a field of 250.

Wilford Wehrle of Racine, Wis., runner up to Marvin (Bud) Ward, of Spokane, Wash., in last year's Tam amateur, sizzled to a sub par 70 yesterday, the lowest round of the tournament and placed him along with six others in the 149 delegation.

Runner up to Chambers at 147 was Walter Kroll of South Bend, Ind. Then came a pair of Chicago veterans, Art Doering, former trans-Mississippi champion, and Steve Kovach, bracketed at 148. A score of 160 or under was necessary to qualify.

The only better known veteran who failed to qualify was Gus Moreland, of Peoria, Ill., former western amateur champion and member of the Walker Cup team.

Earlier Start For Hunters Of Game Birds

WASHINGTON, July 21 (AP)—Secretary of Interior Ickes announced today that hunting of migratory birds will be permitted this year from half an hour before sunrise to sunset. Last season, the hours ran from sunrise to sunset.

Sportsmen will be allowed to retain birds lawfully taken for a period of 45 days following the ending of the open season in the state where the birds were killed—an extension of 15 days.

The fall 70-day hunting season will begin September 25 in the northern zone, October 15 in the intermediate zone, and November 2 in the southern zone.

Classified Ads Bring Results.

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THE STANDINGS

Table with columns: COAST LEAGUE, W, L, Pct. Lists standings for teams like Los Angeles, San Francisco, etc.

Results Yesterday San Francisco 4, San Diego 0. (Only games scheduled).

SEATTLE BOXING

SEATTLE, July 21 (AP)—Tony Palazolo, Rainier Athletic club matchmaker, said last night Jimmy McDaniels of Hollywood, a middleweight, would be one of the headliners of the clubs next card, sometime early in August.

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OBEEDIENCE CLASSIC

DETROIT, July 21 (AP)—The Detroit Kennel club announced today the National Obedience classic will be held at University of Detroit stadium September 26 with all profits going to Dogs for Defense, Inc., the organization which supplies the armed forces with dogs for the home and fighting fronts.

The life and limbs of a war-plane pilot depend as much on the performance of the propeller as it does upon the smooth operation of the engine, protective armor steel and glass, and sturdy wing and fuselage construction.

Advertisement for Carter's Little Liver Pills, featuring a cartoon character and text describing the benefits of the pills.

Large advertisement for 'ORDER BLANK' featuring a grid for classified ads, rates, and a discount offer.