

Olympic Berths Eyed By Pacers

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., June 29 (AP)—Thirteen greats from every section of the country—eyeing the berths on Uncle Sam's 1948 Olympic team—vied for honors in the national AAU track and field senior championships today after spotted performances by junior contestants last night.

Oak Star Hits Trio

By The Associated Press
A fourth-inning pitch worth a mere single was what worked Oakland leftfielder Brooks Holder today.

Every other ball he tied into last night boomed over the fence for three home runs in four times at bat.

His teammates joined him in the rout for an 18-hit assault and a 15-2 shelling of the Seattle Rainiers.

Holder opened the Oakland attack with a 340-foot blast in the first inning, repeated in the third, slumped to the point of singling in the fourth, homered again in the fifth, and by that time the third Seattle hurler to see service had had enough.

In winning the lopsided victory the Oaklanders were unable to shake their challengers for the league lead, the San Francisco Seals, a game behind. They turned in a 1-0 shutout of the San Diego Padres.

After 10 straight losses since he pitched a no-hit game two months ago, Ad Liska came back last night to hurl the Portland Beavers to a 6-3 decision over the Los Angeles Angels.

He allowed nine hits and enough bunting for three Angels runs in the seventh. The Beavers exploded a four-run attack in the second inning off Dick Conger, who retired in the last half of that frame. The game evened the series at 2-1.

The Hollywood Stars profited from errors for a 6-3 victory over the Sacramento Solons, making it four in a row.

DES MOINES, June 29 (AP)—Louise Suggs, the little 115-pounder from Georgia, and Patty Berg, Minneapolis' chubby redhead, tournament co-medalists, were matched today in a 36-hole battle for the women's western open golf championship.

Missing from the title scene for the first time in three years was Babe Didrikson Zaharias, whose quest for a third straight championship was stymied by 22-year-old Miss Suggs in the semi-finals yesterday.

The Lithia Springs, Ga., girl, among whose titles is the North-South trophy, upset Mrs. Zaharias 1 up in a thriller before a gallery of 2000 that virtually ignored Patty's work as she eliminated Dorothy Kirby, Atlanta, Ga., in another 1 up sizzler.

Milk Driver Killed In Road Accident
LA GRANDE, June 29 (AP)—An 18-year-old Union youth was killed when his creamery truck careened off a grade near Ponds summit, 12 miles southeast of Union, and struck a tree, police said today.

WAR ASSETS SALE
PORTLAND, June 29 (AP)—Oregon and southwest Washington buyers may purchase surplus automotive parts now on sale here on a priority basis, the war assets administration office said today. The sale began yesterday.

Earl Averill Hasn't Lost Sharp Eyesight

SPOKANE, June 29 (AP)—The first Earl of Snohomish—Earl Averill—hasn't lost the sharp eye that made him one of the nation's top hitters when he was baseballing for the Cleveland Indians.

Game Allie KO'd In Five

NEW YORK, June 29 (AP)—The folks along cauliflower ear concourse were talking more about Allie Stolz's gameness than his knockout defeat by Bob Montgomery today, as negotiations began to match Bobcat Bob with Ike Williams in order to untwist the lightweight championship pretzel.

As a matter of fact, they'll be talking for quite a spell to come of Frail Allie and the "moxie" he showed in coming off the floor five times to keep on punching in last night's lightweight championship fust.

For that was the big thing about this latest Madison Square Garden beat-busting—that and the body-belted Bobcat Bob dished out for a dozen rounds before putting on the crusher with a large right hand at 2:54 of the 13th.

Williams was among the 10,872 customers who rang Promoter Mike Jacobs' cash registers for \$61.94 to sit in on last night's festivities.

Tacoma Given Hockey Team

LOS ANGELES, June 29 (AP)—Sports minded Tacoma, Wash., will dip into a new field next fall, placing a team in the Pacific Coast Ice Hockey league.

The franchise bid of Ron Moffett, Tacoma, was accepted yesterday by club owners meeting here, and they also approved a bid by Fresno, Calif.

This expanded the league to 11 clubs, five of them in the northern division. Dave Downie, an old campaigner in western hockey, will manage the Tacoma entry.

George Campbell of San Francisco was reelected president, Frank Dotten, vice president for the northern division, and Al Leader, now of San Diego, retained as secretary-managing director.

Jimmie West, lefthander from the Marine Barracks who joined the Sons this week is not eligible to play in league games for two weeks.

JEAN RUCKER GOES TO FINAL
TACOMA, June 29 (AP)—Steady as a pendulum, Betty Jean Rucker of Spokane methodically advanced to the finals of the women's Pacific Northwest Golf association tournament yesterday, and today she teed off against young Barbara Smith of Vancouver, Wash., for the title.

Betty, a socker from Spokane, had not too much difficulty in webfooting her way around Fircrest's exacting but squishy course yesterday to reach the finals in the tournament in which she is the defending champion.

She defeated Mrs. J. R. West of Seattle, 3 and 2. Barbara Smith, meanwhile, managed to eliminate Gracie De Moss of Corvallis, Ore., 2 and 1, to win her way to the biggest final open to Pacific Coast women. They had been all square at the turn.

SPORTS

By Hale Scarborough, Sports Editor

Mat Tourney To Determine Top Challenger For Title

Something that has never been tried on the local rattle circuit will be given a fling at the armory next Thursday night, an elimination tournament to decide the topmost challenger for George Dusette's coast junior heavyweight title.

Seven maulers are to take part in the affair, and there will be six bouts in all. Dusette, of course, is to be one of the contestants, and the other six will be selected by the first of the week.

The way the tourney will work, each rasser will draw a number out of a hat, from one to seven. Numbers one and two will go the first fight, three and four the next and five and six the next. Number seven draws a bye for the first elimination round.

Then the winner of the first scrap meets the winner of the second, and the winner of the third meets the man who had a first-round bye.

That's five of the bouts accounted for. Then, for the sixth, the winners of the last two bouts meet and the man who emerges unbeaten through all that rigmarole is the winner and the following week will be matched with Dusette in a title match here.

Dusette has agreed to stake his belt, recently acquired from Martin Angelo, in a bout with the winner.

Of course, if Dusette wins the tourney, then the runner-up, the other man in the final fight, will be declared the contender and be matched with Dusette.

Each of the six fights Thursday night will be 15 minutes long, to a fall or decision. If no fall is gained in the 15 minutes, rinside judges will make a decision.

Visitors Take Two-Day Limit
Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Carney of LaCanada, Calif.—she is Betty Grey and daughter of the late Zane Grey—tried out the late Zane Grey today and got limits at Williamson river both days out.

They were guided by Andy Andrews, official state guide of the Gun store. Carney is a travelogue photographer and took many pictures of the Williamson country.

Andrews is to guide them again July 15 when they return for a fishing trip up on the skyline and to Crater lake.

Merchants Win From Veterans
With a run which could tie up the game on third, and the count strikes and three balls, the VFW struck out on the last chance they had to either win or tie the Four-Star Merchants during a softball tilt played last night on Legion field.

In last night's other game, Ashley Chevrolet took a sound beating from the Moose, 12-3, on Recreation field. The Moose took their 12 runs on five hits, and Ashley's made three for three. The Moose collected six runs during the first time at bat.

These games do not change the standings at present, but leave them in a tied-up position, with VFW, Ashley, and Palmer in a three-way split for third, fourth, and fifth, and both the KC's and the Merchants tied for sixth and seventh places.

Miami Team Plays Tilt For Spokane

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., June 29 (AP)—The tragedy that took the lives of nine of Spokane's Western International league baseball players in a bus crash on Snoqualmie pass touched hearts as far off as Florida.

Kahut Chills Jack Hughes

PORTLAND, June 29 (AP)—A fight fan's dream was dealt up in Portland last night when every bout on a boxing card ended in a knockout, with Joe Kahut capping the climax by putting away Tiger Jack Hughes of Los Angeles after 1:40 of the third round.

The other knockouts: Dick Wagner, 147, Oregon City, stopped Don Crowe, Tacoma, in the second round; Joe Bonn, 184, Gervais, wrecked Bomber Daniels, 178, Portland, in the second, and Chuck Brown, 135, Portland, stopped Frankie Perry, 137, in the third.

Auto Check Shows Many Defective
SALEM, June 29 (AP)—Thirty-seven per cent of cars checked by police in the national police safety check were defective, Secretary of State Robert S. Farrel Jr., said today.

Employment Probe Asked By Veterans
SALEM, June 29 (AP)—The state veterans advisory committee today called for an investigation of the activities of the federal veterans' employment service in Oregon.

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PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
Oakland	36	33	.527
San Francisco	27	34	.442
Los Angeles	49	41	.544
Hollywood	46	44	.511
San Diego	47	46	.505
Sacramento	42	51	.452
Portland	32	56	.364
Seattle	31	57	.352

Results Yesterday
San Francisco 1, San Diego 0.
Oakland 15, Seattle 2.
Portland 6, Los Angeles 3.
Hollywood 6, Sacramento 3.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	41	23	.641
St. Louis	37	26	.587
Chicago	33	27	.550
Boston	31	34	.477
Cincinnati	29	31	.479
Philadelphia	27	31	.466
New York	26	38	.406
Pittsburgh	24	41	.370

Results Yesterday
Brooklyn 3, Boston 1.
St. Louis 3, Pittsburgh 1.
Philadelphia 7, New York 5.
Cincinnati 4, Chicago 3 (10 innings).

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
Boston	46	18	.727
New York	42	26	.618
Detroit	34	30	.531
Washington	32	31	.508
St. Louis	31	34	.477
Cleveland	29	37	.439
Chicago	25	37	.403
Philadelphia	19	46	.281

Results Yesterday
New York 4, Philadelphia 1.
St. Louis 9, Detroit 0.
Cleveland 7, Chicago 2.
Boston 12, Washington 1.

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