

# Unknowns Pace National Open

## Bobby Locke One Stroke Back; Bud Ward Tied For Fifth Over St. Louis Links

By JERRY LISKA  
ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 13 (AP)—Three players shared the leadership with four-under-par 67's in yesterday's opening 18-hole thrust of the 72-hole National Open golf championship at the St. Louis Country club.

Today's 18-hole test will trim an original field of more than 160 professionals and amateurs to 60 odd battlers for tomorrow's concluding 36-hole scramble.

Two Texas products, Harry Todd of Dallas and Henry Ransom, Houston's gift to Chicago's Northmoor club, and long-driving Chick Harbert of Northville, Mich., were the pace-setting threesome.

A stroke behind the pace-setting threesome was Bobby Locke, whose South African national flag was run up on the club-house pole yesterday as he tacked together 33-35.

This 6532-yard course, with its narrow fairways and unresponsive greens, was regarded just up the alley for Locke, who has won four of seven U. S. starts within two months.

A stroke behind Locke were four challengers, topped by the front-running amateur Marvin (Bud) Ward of Spokane.

Other 69 shooters were Leland Gibson of Kansas City, Dick Metz, pro from Arkansas City, Kan., and unknown Otto Greiner of Baltimore, who topped the National Open qualifiers and turned pro just recently.

Three strokes from the top were a contingent of five 70 shooters, including Ben Hogan, who learned that putting will be a big problem in this classic which he had never won.

Leading U. S. money-winner Jimmy Demaret had a 35-41-76 and defending champion Lloyd Mangrum shot a 77, 10 strokes off the pace, with bleak hope of repeating his play-off win over Byron Nelson, and Vic Ghezzi at Cleveland last year.

## HOW THEY STAND

### PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
San Francisco	40	32	.556
Oakland	38	32	.543
Los Angeles	40	34	.541
Portland	32	31	.508
Sacramento	35	37	.486
Hollywood	34	39	.466
San Diego	33	38	.465
Seattle	30	39	.433

### Yesterday's Results

Oakland 8, Seattle 2.  
Hollywood 3, Los Angeles 2.  
Portland 5, Sacramento 3.  
San Diego 10, San Francisco 3.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
New York	27	19	.587
Brooklyn	27	21	.563
Chicago	27	21	.563
Boston	27	22	.551
Cincinnati	24	28	.462
Philadelphia	23	28	.451
Pittsburgh	20	28	.417
St. Louis	20	28	.417

### Yesterday's Results

Cincinnati 1, St. Louis 0.  
Chicago 7, Pittsburgh 3.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

No games yesterday.

## Actors Ruled Pro At Tennis

HOLLYWOOD, June 13 (AP)—Screen Actors Mickey Rooney and Walter Pidgeon and radio's Ed (Duffy's Tavern) Gardner were somewhat surprised Thursday to find that they are professional tennis players.

The Southern California Tennis association based its ruling on the fact they played mixed doubles with professionals Pauline Betz and Sarah Palfrey in an exhibition at the Beverly-Wilshire hotel last Sunday.

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## Good Tennis Hands Being Brought Out

### City Net Tournament Doubles Next Event

Some pretty fair players are being turned up in the city open tennis tournament now going on, and all the games for which the scores have been turned in to George Mills, tournament director, so far have gone in straight sets.

Due to inclement weather last week-end and early this week, the first round singles may be played through this coming week-end.

Winners are asked to notify Mills, phone 6370, or Jim Finnigan, phone 3412, and report the scores.

Matches reported so far went like this:

Jerry Olson beat Hank Murphy, 6-6, 6-4.

Bill Case defeated J. E. Oldham, 6-1, 6-3.

Pat Moses beat Willis Griffith, 6-0, 6-0.

Eddie Dent beat Earl McGoughey, 6-4, 6-2.

George Mills defeated Don Ferguson, 6-0, 6-1.

All these scores were in the men's bracket of singles. Other men's singles and boys' singles are also being played.

With fair weather in prospect, first round men's doubles and mixed doubles can be played this week-end, and the scores should be reported by the fore part of next week.

First bracket pairing for those events are as follows:

Men's Doubles  
Bill Crawford and Willis Griffith vs. Earl McGoughey and John Deets.

Pat Case and partner vs. Jim Finnigan and George Mills.

Pat Moses and Martin Stride vs. William Perrin and partner.

Bill Loomis and partner vs. Jerry Olson and Eddie Dent.

George Seymour and Al Hackenworth, by.

Mixed Doubles  
Betty McNutt and Bud Case vs. Hank Murphy and Doris Ryser.

Jerry Olson and partner vs. William Perrin and partner.

Earl McGoughey and partner vs. George Seymour and partner.

Don Ferguson and partner vs. Don Ferguson and partner.

This tennis tournament is an informal affair, first of its kind tried in Klamath Falls, and the net enthusiasts are planning to make it an annual summer affair.

Matt Finnigan is donating awards for the winners of each event.

## Publix OK's Entry Terms

PORTLAND, June 13 (AP)—Public links golfers agreed today to participate in the Oregon Golf association tournament on the OGA's terms.

Earlier they had threatened to boycott the tourney unless their entry list was upped from 20 to 41.

This demand, they explained, was made under the impression the tourney was to determine the "Oregon amateur champion."

The OGA disclaimed any part of this term, saying it was one that had come into use by sportswriters.

The publiclinkers then voted unanimously to accept the 20 positions awarded them.

## Busher Readed For Track Again

INGLEWOOD, Calif., June 13 (AP)—Busher, champion filly of two years ago, is about ready for another whirl at the races, her new owner, Neil McCarthy, declares.

Busher, now five years old, swished through a mile workout yesterday in 1:37 4/5, giving promise that she may yet win back part, if not all, of the \$125,000 McCarthy paid for her in the Louis B. Mayer stable auction last February.

McCarthy indicated Busher may make her first start at the current Hollywood Park meeting in about a week or 10 days.

## Man Will Sell Eye To Raise Funds

PORTLAND, June 13 (AP)—A Canadian man expressed a desire today to sell one of his eyes to "somebody that could afford to pay me enough to give my wife the best of care for her remaining time with me."

He was Herman E. Howard, 55, who said his wife did not have long to live, and that he had used up most of his savings caring for her.

He wrote a newspaper here (The Oregonian) that he would sell the eye "if I can get enough to take care of my wife, that is all I want."

He said he had not worked in some time, having quit his job as a salesman to care for his wife.

The bufflehead duck nests in holes in trees—rarely in holes in cut banks.—Sports Afield.

# SPORTS

By Hale Scarborough, Sports Editor

## Twinks Looking Up, Whip Angels 3 To 0

By The Associated Press  
A couple of pals from Vermont have the Hollywood Stars looking up these days.

Big George (Pinky) Woods, Rutland, Vt., righthander, and First Sacker Tony Lupien of nearby Springfield, made it Vermont night for fair as the stars defeated the Los Angeles Angels, 3-0, last night.

Woods held the Angels to four hits, while Lupien rapped a single and double, scoring two runs and driving in another. It was just another chapter in the Pacific Coast loop's latest Damon-and-Pythias routine.

In all, Lupien has batted .714 in the five games Woods has worked, the Stars' demon statistician, Joe Brown, points out.

The crowd of 10,602 was a new week-night record at Gilmore field. Six-hit pitching by San Diego's Al Treichel stopped the leading San Francisco Seals, 10-3. Vince Shupe

drove in four runs with a triple and three singles. Treichel walked nine but was tough in the clutch.

Oakland edged two percentage points ahead of Los Angeles and to within one game of San Francisco by downing Seattle, 8-2, with Vince DiMaggio's two homers accounting for three runs. Lou Novikoff hit his 11th homer for the Rainiers.

Portland beat Sacramento, 5-3, as Catcher Charley Silveira hammered across three runs with a triple and two singles. Vic Raschi was the winner over Guy Fletcher.

At conclusion of last night's play all series stood 2-1 with the long ends belonging to Hollywood, San Diego, Oakland and Sacramento.

Short score: R H E  
Portland 040 000 010-5 12 0  
Sacramento 000 000 120-3 10 3  
Raschi and Silveira; Fletcher; Beasley (6), Dasso (6) and Fernandes.

## Parks Wins On Default Over LaBelle At Armory

Herbie Parks won a default decision over Pierre LaBelle in the main event wrestling bout at the armory last night when the young French-Canadian decided against taking any more risks with his bones and flesh after three rounds.

Savoldi flashed into action in the first round and flipped Weaver into a full crab in just two minutes.

There was no fall in the second heat and Weaver tied it up in the third by catching Savoldi in the old "tie your shoe" trick. He won the fall on his wrenching headlock.

Stocky Knellson and Al Szasz put on an interesting bout in the semi-windup, with Knellson and his beard winning, two falls to one.

Szasz grabbed the first tumble of the slugging match with a swivel and straight arm bar. Both of Knellson's falls came by way of stamping and hammerlocks after the St. Louis Hungarian was winged by many trips into the ropes.

## Three Games On Schedule For Tonight

Three softball games are on the docket for tonight—two of them under the lights of Modoc field and one twilight contest on the high school practice grounds.

The twilight encounter, at 6 o'clock, will be a replay of a protested game between the Elks and Eagles. The game was originally played May 28, and the Elks won, 21 to 7.

However, the Eagles protested on the grounds that their team had only eight players that night.

The protest was allowed by the City Softball association, hence the replay tonight.

Under the floodlights at 7:30 sharp the Moose lodge team, with a standing record of two wins and a loss, takes on the Knights of Columbus outfit which has yet to win a game. Then at 8:30 the schedule calls for a game between VFW and the Bureau of Reclamation.

The Vets so far have won three and lost none and stand at the head of the class with the Four Star Merchants and Rickys. The Reclamation team has lost all three of its starts.

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## FUSARI BOUT AIRED ON KFLW TONIGHT



In going after his 49th straight win tonight, Charley Fusari unbeaten Irvington, N. J., welterweight, faces a difficult assignment. He tangles with tough Tony Pellone (above) of New York in a ten-rounder at Madison Square Garden.

Pellone is determined to mar Fusari's clean slate. Tony is a puncher with a blasting left hook. He's cunning, strong, fast—knows how to sustain an attack. Pellone handed Billy Graham his first defeat after Graham had gone through 58 bouts without a loss.

Fusari is the current hot attraction in the 147-lb. division. For a welter, Charley is tall and rangy. He possesses smashing power in either hand, prefers bing-bang tactics and rarely resorts to bistic science. His string includes 34 knockouts.

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## Joe Louis To Travel Next Year

SPOKANE, June 13 (AP)—Heavyweight Champion Joe Louis intends to swap punches in exhibition boxing matches in Australia and Europe next year.

This was disclosed today by Fred Sommers, representative for the Brown Bomber's current exhibition tour through the West, as Louis rested for his four-round bout tonight with Tiger Jack Fox of Spokane.

Louis plans to retire next year, Sommers said, and wants to wind up his long reign as world's champion with a world exhibition tour. No details have been settled, Sommers said, but Louis would visit Australia and then Europe.

Several Western engagements are on the Louis schedule before he returns to Chicago to meet his wife and greet for the first time his son, Joe Louis Jr., born May 28 in Mexico City.

He will go to New York July 15 to discuss possibilities of a championship fight in September.

Louis, scheduled to go four rounds tonight against Tiger Jack Fox, said his weight was 215 pounds. Fox tips 195. The Victory Boxing club predicted 11,000 fans; largest crowd in the city's boxing records, would see the exhibition.

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