

Chesnes Can Top 30 Mound Wins

Beavers Almost Back To Fourth Place By Splitting Double Bill, 3-2, 0-3

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The San Francisco Seals, who have had the Coast league's only 30-game winners during the last two seasons, seem to have struck lightning for the third straight year.

Freshman Right-hander Bob Chesnes, the \$100,000 beauty from Salt Lake City, pitched his 15th victory last night as the Seals blasted Oakland, 16-3, and moved back into second place, two games behind the leading Angels of Los Angeles. The Angels walloped Sacramento 10-2.

Chesnes reached the halfway mark in his goal of 30 wins in the first 87 games of the 198-game schedule. If he maintains that pace, he will exceed the 31-victory total posted in 1945 by Bob Joyce, now back with the New York Giants.

His effort last night was a five-hitter and he had virtually no trouble in the first inning when Vince Di Maggio plastered a home run with one mate aboard. With the aid of eight Acorn errors.

While the Seals thus took a 3-1 edge in their series, the Angels pulled up to a 2-all tie with Sacramento as Red Adams stopped the Seals sluggers with six hits, fanning seven. Eddie Sauer paced a 10-hit Los Angeles attack with two doubles accounting for four runs.

Ten bases on balls dished up by four Seals pitchers, including five by starter and loser Frankie Dasso, made it easy for the Angels.

Frank's Beavers rose to within a half game of the fourth-place Seals by splitting a twin bill with Hollywood. Beaver Vic Raschi edged Ruggier Ardizola, 3-2, in the opener, with the Stars coming back on Pinky Woods' 10-hit shut-out to win the nightcap, 3-0, over Roy Helsler.

Both games went nine innings, as the opener, originally slated for seven, found a 1-1 deadlock finally broken in the 13th.

San Diego took two from Seattle, 5-3 and 7-3, to step on the Rainiers' fingers just as they were climbing over of the cellar window. The Padres held seventh place secure in a seven-inning ice-breaker and by Manny Salvo, aided by Al Olsen, in the closer.

Max West of the Padres hit homer No. 15 to go ahead in the four-ply department.

Touchdown Twins At Hollywood

HOLLYWOOD, June 28 (AP)—Movie cameras hold no terror for the army's great football stars, Glenn Davis and Felix Blanchard, who are to start work on a picture next week, the two readily confessed they didn't pretend to be actors. And as of two days before reporting to Producer Charles Rogers, they hadn't even seen the script.

One report said they were to receive \$50,000 apiece for their film work, but both corrected this to \$30,000.

Blanchard will report to Randolph field at San Antonio, Tex., and Davis to Fort Riley, Kas., when their furloughs after graduation from West Point are over late next week. And from Miami comes word that Army's star quarterback, Lt. Arnold Tucker, and his "childhood sweetheart" bride, the former Patricia Small, were en route to New Orleans on their honeymoon today after their military wedding here last night.

He and his bride have "gone steady" since high school days. They will make their home in San Antonio where Tucker is assigned to the army air force base at Randolph field.

Final Putt Wins Title

Luster Nerseth won the 18-hole bracket of the women of the Bessie Lamm trophy golf tournament yesterday, defeating Ellen Farrens 1 up on the 18th green.

They were all even on the green, both with putts of just over three feet. Mrs. Farrens putted first and missed, and Mrs. Nerseth stepped up and knocked her putt in for the hole and the championship.

The 9-hole bracket final round, between Jerry Farley and Ada Sprout will be played next week. The trophies will be passed out later, but yesterday O. H. Buffington presented Mrs. Nerseth and Mrs. Farrens each with a bottle of champagne as an additional prize.

Field Chasing Sammy Sneed

CHICAGO, June 28 (AP)—A par-wrecking field still was chasing red-hot Sammy Sneed in the \$15,900 Chicago Victory National golf tournament which moved into the semi-final round today with an all-Virginia title showdown brewing.

Sneed, 35-year-old unpredictable shooter from Hot Springs, Va., entered the third 18-hole round with a 36-hole count of 130, a whopping 12 under par the three strokes ahead of another Virginian, 24-year-old George Payton from Hampton. In the third place was Ben Hogan, the Hershey, Pa. hot-shot whose 134 was only four strokes off Sneed's pace.

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Yreka Tribe Has Former Sons In Line

Jimmie West May Hurl Sunday Tilt

Coming up to their sixth Northern California league baseball game, the Klamath Sons have as opposition the Yreka Indians at Recreation field tomorrow afternoon, and the Indians are expected to field a battery of players who started the season with the Sons and were then cut adrift.

Jimmie West, southpaw pitcher, and Joe Derrah, catcher, both went to play for Yreka when they were turned loose here, and both will probably start the game for the Indians.

For this game the Sons will be skippered by Clyde Carlstrom, named temporary manager, and Frankie Miller, lefthander and the team's leading pitcher and hitter, will probably start on the hill.

Actually, though this will be the sixth game the Sons have played, although they are half way through the schedule and meeting the Indians for the second time. Two rained-out tilts make the difference.

In the opening game of the season, down at Yreka, the Sons lambasted the Indians 16 to 7, but since that time Yreka has come to the front and is now tied on mate aboard, with the aid of a 3-1 win over the Elks.

Only last week Yreka beat Medford 7-6, while in the one league game against the Craters Klamath lost, 10-1. In fact, the only decision the Sons have had over Medford in two years was 6-3 in a pre-season game. The same Jimmie West who is now with Yreka pitched seven innings of relief ball, giving up only one hit, for that win.

The other local baseball team, the Junior Sons, have a date with the Lakeview town team at Lakeview. The game at Recreation field is slated for 2:30.

Best Netmen Square Off

Semifinal round matches of the men's singles, city open tennis tourney, will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:45 at the Moore park courts with four of the best netmen in town competing for posts in the finals.

In the first match Eddie Dent will play George Proctor, and in the second George Mills takes on Jerry Olson.

Each match will be two out of three sets.

After the singles are run off a semifinals doubles match may be played, but up until today the full slate of doubles quarterfinals had not been completed.

Up to this point the tennis tourney has been on an informal basis, but coming down to the wire the matches will be supervised by court officials. The players are competing for trophies now on display at Matt Finnigan's sporting goods store.

Big 9 Favored In Cinder Meet

BERKELEY, Calif., June 28 (AP)—The Big Nine and the Pacific Coast conference clash in their annual track and field meet today with the Midwesterners favorites by a wide margin in the postwar renewal of the event last held in 1942.

On posters, score sheets the Big Nine was an 18-43 point pre-meet favorite in the 16 events, touted as a veritable preview of the U. S. Olympic squad.

All the surprises were likely to spring from the western ranks. Donnie Anderson of California in the sprints and Chuck Hanger of California in the high jump, Don Wolf of Washington in the mile, George Rasmussen of Oregon in the pole vault and Al Lawrence of USC in the broad jump were held the most likely upset candidates.

Volk Flattened.

HOLLYWOOD, June 28 (AP)—Bobby Volk, 160-lb., of Portland, Ore., was knocked out by Bob Castro, 150-lb., Los Angeles, in two minutes and 50 seconds of the fourth round of their scheduled 10-round bout at the Hollywood Legion stadium count under rain of straight lefts last night. Volk went down for the second time.

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Yankee Scout Lays Ground For Baseball School



Francis McCormack, Brooklyn-born advance man for the New York Yankees' Pacific coast scouting crew, has laid the ground work for the baseball school and tryout camp the Yanks will hold in Klamath Falls next Monday through Thursday at Recreation field. McCormack, with the willow, is shown talking over his favorite subject with Hal Shidler, leader of the local American Legion junior baseball program.

SPORTS

By Hale Scarborough, Sports Editor

GUN, AMMO SITUATION SHOULD LOOSEN SOME

Klamath-Basin hunters and gun fanciers can expect a slight loosening of the gun and ammunition situation, according to local dealers, and rifle ammunition, especially, is expected to be available in greater variety as well as quantity next hunting season.

Though a few more shotguns and rifles are being received, they are being snatched up as soon as they are brought out, and there are still long waiting lists on most types of guns, particularly deer rifles. Certain types of firearms, notably deer rifles and 12-gauge shotguns, will be more plentiful, but Nimrods for a while will not be able to go into a store and pick the gun they want from the shelves.

Shotgun ammunition should be fairly plentiful in smaller shot, such as 6 and 7 1/2, but the heavier shot may be somewhat harder to obtain. Rifle ammunition will be obtainable in greater variety in most cases, although 300 Savage shells will be very scarce. The dealers also report a crimping improvement in shells, and some of this improved ammo is now available.

The expense and scarcity of lead and some other basic raw materials is blamed for the shell shortage but ammunition manufacturers are hoping for a let-up before too long.

A local gunsmith reports that Remington has developed a revolutionary bolt action, which they are expected to introduce in the near future. The Remington company is also expected to come out with some new calibers, although these developments have not been made public.

Limited supplies of ammunition are reported by some local merchants for the 8-mm. German Mausers, which should be good news to some local sportsmen who have these German rifles.

Patty Upsets John Bromwich

LONDON, June 28 (AP)—Budget Patty of Los Angeles scored the biggest upset of the Wimbledon tennis championships today by eliminating John Bromwich, second-seeded Australian veteran, 6-4, 6-6, 6-4, 1-6, 6-4, before a crowd of 15,000 on the famed center court.

The unheralded Californian landed in the quarter-finals where he joined Jack Kramer of Los Angeles, the top-seeded favorite who reached the round of eight earlier with a 7-5, 6-2, 6-3 triumph over Torsten Johansson, Swedish Davis Cup star.

Longacres Open

SEATTLE, June 28 (AP)—With more than the usual fanfare, the 14th summer season of horse racing starts this afternoon at Longacres.

The \$50,000 inaugural handicap at six furlongs tops the day's races. Eleven horses were entered overnight with the Canadian-owned Mouse Hole, a good performer the past two seasons, given top weight and rated as probable post time favorite.

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Bobby Feller Flings 10th Over Chicago

By the Associated Press
Cape hangers can remove the black ribbon from Bobby Feller's pitching arm. The holder of the major league all-time strikeout record looks like a lively coope.

The first hurler to win 10 games in the American league, Rapid Robert appears to have regained his true form just at the right time with the all-star game less than two weeks distant.

Bobby skipped a turn in New York because of a knee injury sustained when he slipped on the pitching mound at Shibe park but he had plenty of stuff in last night's six-hit, 9-3 victory over Chicago.

It was his fifth win in his last six starts.

Spud Chandler of the New York Yankees halted the latest phenom, Carl Scheib of the A's, the 20-year-old rookie who had won three straight games. The score was 7-1, a fifth straight win for Chandler.

As Mickey Haefer of Washington had shut out the Boston Red Sox, 3-0, in the league's only day game, the Yanks' night win stretched their lead to 3 1/2 games over the Sox.

Detroit regained its batting eye after a dreary eastern trip in which the Tigers lost 10 of 11 games, and thumped St. Louis 11-2 in a twilight game.

Brooklyn widened its National lead to a game and a half over Boston by cutting loose with a 15-10 victory over the Braves.

St. Louis and Cincinnati played a wild one at Sportsman's park, finally won in the 11th by the Cardinals, 6-5, on Whitey Kurowski's single with three on.

Pittsburgh handed Chicago's Cubs their fourth straight loss, dropping them into a fourth-place tie with St. Louis at the 500 mark. Despite 17 Chicago hits, the final score was 12-8 Pittsburgh with Jim Bagby the winner over Bill Lee. Hank Greenberg homered.

San Diego, Calif.—Jerry Melwan, 190, Anaheim, and Rusty Payne, 186 1/2, San Diego, drew 10.

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