

TIME OUT!



"I'm afraid you've been giving him too much whip, Gordon!"

RIDIN' HERD

THE YMCA has injected bubbling enthusiasm into this year's fifth annual Herald and News Invitational Tennis Tournament.

The 'Y,' whose headman is energetic Paul Campbell, a welcome newcomer to Klamath Falls, will be linked with the newspaper in the Labor Day weekend net classic in co-sponsorship.

If the enthusiasm that Campbell has generated for the young, struggling YMCA organization continues, it is bound to pay off in a top-drawer tournament here Aug. 30, 31 and Sept. 1.

Actually, all the tourney needs is more players and better organization.

The field has been larger each year for the tournament—but organization has left more than somewhat to be desired.

Last year the tourney was good—but could have been better. The players were here in abundance, considering the Labor Day weekend is jumping with tennis tournaments up and down the coast.

But players were either waiting too long for matches or were scheduled to crowd in two matches in too short a time.

In all, the tournament mirrored little or no planning.

THAT IS precisely the reason your writer met with YMCA and Klamath Tennis Club officials the other night.

If the bugs are taken out of the organizational work, tennis players visiting Klamath Falls and net fans can look for a smooth-running meet.

It's likely all the defending champions will be on deck.

LAST YEAR'S organization—or lack of it—was excusable in view of the fact that the Klamath Tennis Club was socked with the entire lot of running the tourney.

Main interest of the KTC boys, of course, is playing tennis and they didn't have the time to properly put things in running order.

This is the main reason a non-player, Earl Hilton, was named tournament manager.

Also it's one of the reasons the YMCA has thrown its weight into the affair.

I share Hilton's optimism in expecting a tourney that is better than good.

We here at the newspaper welcome and appreciate the YMCA's cooperation.

THE STREET-CORNER gab that has reached my ears convinces me that car racing should catch on here like a fire.

I'll have to admit that I was among those who greeted turning a ballpark into a racetrack with some dismay.

This is caused, of course, with disappointment at seeing baseball flung out of the local sports picture.

But I've been assured by the men behind the speed venture that necessary changes had to be made to get Gems Stadium ready for racing cars will be by no means rule out the return to baseball—when and if the National Pastime comes back.

For all practical purposes the hard top race shows will actually save a ballpark for Klamath Falls.

It was instituted as a quick money-maker to pay current baseball expenses.

The baseball bond-holders still own the stadium. They're merely leasing it for auto racing.

Paying current bills will prevent tearing down the ballpark in the event a buyer wanted to purchase the property for land sales.

SNAPP FAVORED TONIGHT

Merrill Mauler Returns

By RED HURD

Jack Snapp, whose crushing fists packed the Army for many years here, returns to his old warring grounds tonight against an opponent described as a ring "spoiler."

Paired with Snapp in the Merrill Mauler's first punch-for-pay outing for over a year is Paul Kennedy, Los Angeles Negro who makes up in boxing talent what he lacks in punching prowess.

Kennedy was grabbed up by Matchmaker Mack Lillard on his impressive exhibition showing here June 20 after attempts to land Dick Wolfe or Earl Turner for Snapp failed.

The so-called school-teacher—Snapp is a full-fledged physical education instructor after a year of schooling at the University of Southern California—will be favored to beat Kennedy.

But he'll enter the ring in the wake of a couple of question marks.

How much staleness has he picked up in a year's sojourn? Will his reflexes be fast enough to dent Kennedy's defensive armor?

Kennedy has been busy. He's a cute boxer whom many think is capable of frustrating Snapp's right-hand dynamite.

Advances ticket sales at Dick Reeder's, 5th and Main, indicate a capacity crowd will be on hand to see the answers unfold in a bout that has the traditional puncher-vs-boxer tag.

Ralph Weiser and Crawford Mullins, Vancouver, B. C., mix in the six-round semi-windup.

Blackie Vanderveer faces Tony Alvarez, Phoenix, Ariz., in the special event, also down for six rounds.

Two four-rounders complete the card. The Army doors open at 7:45, one hour before the first bout.



JACK SNAPP (above) will rule a slight favorite tonight at the Army when he climbs through the ropes to face Paul Kennedy of Los Angeles. The bout will mark Snapp's return to the ring wars after more than a year's lay-off.

The STANDINGS

By The Associated Press AMERICAN LEAGUE

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Rows include New York, Cleveland, Boston, Washington, Philadelphia, Chicago, St. Louis, Detroit.

Thursday's Results

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Rows include Washington 4-1, New York 2-7, Philadelphia 7-4, Boston 3-8, St. Louis 5 Detroit 4 (12 innings), Only games scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Rows include Brooklyn, New York, St. Louis, Philadelphia, Chicago, Boston, Cincinnati, Pittsburgh.

Thursday's Results

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Rows include Washington 4-1, New York 8-5, Brooklyn 2-7, St. Louis 7 Cincinnati 4, Philadelphia 2-10, Boston 1-2, Only games scheduled.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Rows include Oakland, Hollywood, San Diego, Portland, Los Angeles, Seattle, San Francisco, Sacramento.

Thursday's Results

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Rows include Portland 4 Oakland 1, Hollywood 6 Los Angeles 5, Seattle 4 Sacramento 1, San Diego 4 San Francisco 3.

Western International League

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Rows include Victoria, Spokane, Vancouver, Salem, Lewiston, Yakima, Tri-City, Wenatchee.

Thursday's Results

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Rows include Tri-City 10 Lewiston 5, Yakima 7 Vancouver 5, Spokane 5 Salem 1, Victoria 7-7 Wenatchee 2-3.

SPORTS MIRROR

By The Associated Press Today a year ago—Cleveland moved into first place in the American League by beating St. Louis 2-1, as the Yankees lost to Washington, 4-1. Five years ago—Australia reached the interzone Davis Cup finals by defeating Canada.

Klamath Drivers In Races

Local car-owners and drivers for the opening of hard top racing at Gems Stadium—it's now Gems Speedway—Sunday night.

Klamath Falls drivers include Jack McOy, who has been enjoying better than average success on the Ashland track of late. He owns his own car.

Other local drivers who will appear on opening night Sunday, 7:30 p.m., include: Dale Hawkins, driving a car owned by Kaler's Ambulance Service; Merle Betsch, owner and driver; Sam Sampson, in a car owned by Gene Smith; Dave Vincent, operating a car owned by Betsch, and Smith driving another of his own cars.

TENTATIVE Klamath Falls entries include Jack Charlton and Lorne Allen.

Behind the hard top racing show here are Brady Narey of Klamath Falls, Ray Morasco of Tulelake and Jack Luce of Mt. Shasta.

The race promoters are leasing the stadium from bond-holders of now-defunct Klamath Baseball Inc., who operate the ballpark.

TIME TRIALS Time trials will be followed by the first event at 8:15 p.m. Admission is \$1.50 including tax.

Narey and associates plan to run Sundays through August with "two or three" September shows, depending on cooperation of the weatherman.

Redkey Released

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Bob Redkey, former Oregon State College fullback, was released Thursday by the professional San Francisco 49'ers.

Four others were cut from the squad: Guy Peterson, Nebraska Teachers; Bob Stedman, Omaha University; and Fred Snyder, Lovola, L. A., all ends; and Bob Martin, guard from the University of Nevada.

Riggs Mulls KF Visit Bills Place Nips Lakeview, 1-0

Bonney Fashions No-Hitter

Cal Bonney is up to his old tricks again. The elongated Bill's Place pitcher turned in a no-hit, no-run performance last night as the Klamath Falls softball champions turned back Lakeview, 1-0, to go one up in the sub-district series in Lakeview.

The teams meet again tonight. A win for Bill's Place would clinch a Dist. 9 title for the Klamath Falls team and send it against Medford, Dist. 8 champ, for a berth in the Aug. 16 state championships.

A Lakeview win would push the series into a Saturday night decider.

Only 23 batters faced Bonney last night, one reaching base on a walk, one on an error. He struck out 9.

Klamath's lone run came when the Lakeview shortstop fumbled a ball hit by Jack Kenitzer, allowing Bill Lollar to score.

Short score: Bill's Place 1 4 1 Lakeview 0 0 4 Bonney and Derrah: Dollarhide and Maxwell.

Join Coaching Family



THE KLAMATH COUNTY Class B athletic clan will welcome these two new coaches in September. Irwin C. Schoonover (left) succeeds Merton Whipple at Bonanza; John T. Mathis makes his bow at Henley, taking over where Jim Porter left off. A third new coach in the league, Sacred Heart's James Souza, is not pictured.

Saturday Set For Answer

The Reno Tennis Club invades Klamath Falls Sunday for a return meeting with Klamath's net contingent—but Bobby Riggs "won't know until Saturday" whether he can make the trip.

The diminutive tennis ace, former national champion, has been working out with the Reno club and will be in the Nevada city for two or three more weeks.

The Herald and News learned Tuesday that he may accompany the Reno team here for the Sunday team match at Moore Park.

Bill Gillis, Reno Gazette sports editor, has been camping on Riggs' doorstep and told Herald and News Sports Editor Red Hurd by wire yesterday that Riggs "doesn't want to promise but he thinks there's a good chance."

A woman tennis star somewhat less a glamorous figure than Riggs is certain to be with Reno.

She is Barbara Bradley, who has been more than a few rungs along the top tennis ladder in her day. Barbara, pretty and talented, has lost to both Anita Kanter, clay courts champion, and Maureen (Little) Mo Connolly, national and Wimbledon champion, in matches this year and last.

But both Anita and Maureen had to go all out to win.

Wools Lose To Eugene

PORTLAND (AP) — Oswego, The Dalles, Canby and Eugene scored first - round victories Thursday night as the Oregon women's softball tournament opened here.

The Dalles (Service Motors), paced by Pitcher Donna Lee who got three homers and a triple, moved into a favorite's spot by clobbering Oakridge (Willamette Electric), 25-8.

Oswego (Merchants), the defending champion, whipped Orengo (Bill's Carhops), 4-1, while Eugene (John Warren's Hardware) thumped Klamath Falls (Oregon Woolens), 9-5, Canby (Merchants) edged Cornelius (Merchants), 6-5.

Friday night's pairings: Oswego vs. The Dalles; Eugene vs. Canby; Orengo vs. Oakridge and Cornelius vs. Klamath Falls. The losers will be eliminated.

Chuck Wagon Whips Malin

Chuck Wagon beat Malin, 10-4, last night in the Junior Baseball League's only game.

Charles Gupit hit three singles and a double, Leon Brown two singles and a double, both for perfect nights at bat.

Mistral League scores: Exchange Club 5 Nelson's Battery 3, VFW 13 Conger 0. Pee Wee Scores: Jr. C of C 10 Sealers 9, Motor Investment won by forfeit over Riverside.

Bowlers Eat, Name Officers

City bowlers will have a potluck supper 8 p.m. Saturday at the Moose Lodge, followed by election of officers for the fall season.

The meeting is not restricted to just members of the City Bowling Association. Anyone interested in bowling is urged to attend.

Entertainment and a bowling film are also on the program agenda.

SPORTS

Umpire Benched For Insults to Writers

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Bill McGowan, an American League umpire for 27 years, has been suspended indefinitely for an incident in which he was accused of insulting sports writers covering a game at Sportsman's Park.

The 56-year-old McGowan was suspended by Will Harridge, league president, after strong protests had been made Thursday by the Globe-Democrat and the East St. Louis (Ill.) Journal.

When McGowan ejected Pitcher Billy Hoelt from the Detroit bench in Wednesday night's contest between the Tigers and the St. Louis Browns, the writers asked McGowan for information. They were not sure which player had been ejected.

McGowan's reply, the writers said, was "I'll write you a letter."

Sports Editor Ellis Veitch of the Journal said McGowan later made obscene gestures toward the press box.

Harridge wired Sports Editor Robert L. Burnes of the Globe-Democrat: "Umpire McGowan was wrong when he refused to advise members of the St. Louis press box name of player he ejected from the bench."

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Sunrise Host To Dunsmuir Sunrise Tavern of the Junior Baseball League hosts Dunsmuir Saturday, 1 p.m., on Recreation Field. The Tavern boys lost a recent 5-6 decision at Dunsmuir in 10 innings.

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