



A SHOT FROM LAST WEEKS HARD TOP SHOW puts Allen Bousman in K-25 astraddle what is left of the barricade on the north corner after one of the many collisions in the evenings performance. The management is planning ten events for Sunday nights show including a novelty Hot Dog Race.

Standout Hard Top Program Scheduled

Another stand out program is planned for Sunday night's hard top show at Gems Speedway. Last weeks show recorded two records. One record was the entry of 43 cars, eight of which were from California, two better than the week before and the other was the \$150 pot race, which was won by Russ Newell current high point man.

Klamath drivers made a better showing than they did the week before by winning five of the ten events including two heat races, the consolation race, pot race and the semi-main event.

This week's race will feature a novelty race. Four drivers will be entered in the Hot Dog Race. The object will be to go four laps, stop and eat a hot dog and consume a bottle of pop, get back in the car and go another four laps. The winner will receive some sort of a prize for his achievement.

Two drivers who have been entered in previous weeks will be unable to enter this weekend and probably the rest of the racing season. They are Woody Thompson, of Yreka, who smashed his leg in a recent automobile accident, and Dick Long, a local driver who was injured in an accident at work last week.

Track Manager Sam Nealin announced that there would be ten events this week including the feature race.

TONIGHT'S BALLFARE

Mens League
Suburban vs. Lakeview at Lakeview.

Junior League
7:00 Tulalake vs. Sessiers
8:30 Main vs. Pooles
8:30 Merrill vs. Mellers

Though high jumping is the specialty of J. (Papa) Hall, University of Florida track star, he also runs the 100-yard and 200-yard dashes.

The STANDINGS

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NATIONAL LEAGUE				AMERICAN LEAGUE			
	W	L	Pct.		W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	73	37	.664	New York	74	36	.672
Milwaukee	68	48	.586	Chicago	68	44	.607
Philadelphia	61	48	.560	Cleveland	63	47	.573
St. Louis	60	50	.545	Boston	64	51	.557
New York	53	54	.495	Washington	55	58	.487
Cincinnati	50	63	.442	Philadelphia	46	65	.414
Chicago	43	66	.394	Detroit	40	71	.360
Pittsburgh	37	81	.314	St. Louis	38	76	.333

Wednesday's Results
Brooklyn 6, New York 5
Cincinnati 10-1, Chicago 6-3
Philadelphia 5, Pittsburgh 4
Milwaukee 8-5, St. Louis 3-3



JUNIOR GOLF
In Junior Play held yesterday, Keith Baxter won the putting contest with a low score 18 puts for a 18 hole course.
John Bechen won the nine hole play by chipping in a low score of 47.

O.W.G.A.
The fourth Oregon Womens Golf Association play will be held at Reames tomorrow. After the regular play there will be a putting contest which the ladies will be able to choose their own partners. If any of the following are unable to make the play they are requested to call their partners.

Following are the pairings of tomorrow's play:
Mosebar, Farley and Kesterson, Nersteth, Kinney and McCulloch, Farren, Miller and Robertson, Steiger, Maskell and Sprout, Anderson, F. Drew, and Swanson
Soukup, Merryman, and Smith, Bechen, C. Shaw, and Larkin, B. Macartney, Mead and Peak, Ashley, Brink and E. Drew, Ferabee, Hooper, and Perkins, Redder, Schuss, Ivory, and P. Drew.

TRI-CITY MEET
Women who are planning on attending the luncheon at Reames Tuesday during the Tri-City meet with Redding, Medford and Klamath Falls should phone in their reservations not later than noon Sunday. This could be done by phoning Reames. This is the last time which reservations will be accepted.

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MAJOR LEAGUE Leaders

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BATTING — Irvin, New York, .339; Schoendienst, St. Louis, .332; Furillo, Brooklyn, .330; Thompson, New York, .327; Ashburn, Philadelphia, .325.

RUNS BATTED IN — Campanella, Brooklyn, 104; Mathews, Milwaukee, 101; Hodges, Brooklyn, 97; Irvin, New York, 91; Kiner, Chicago, 89.

HOME RUNS — Mathews, Milwaukee, 36; Kluszewski, Cincinnati, 34; Campanella, Brooklyn, 29; Kiner, Chicago, 28; Bell, Cincinnati, 28.

PITCHING — Burdette, Milwaukee, 10-2, .833; Spahn, Milwaukee, 15-5, .750; Haddix, St. Louis, 14-5, .737; Padres, Brooklyn 8-3, .727; Erskine, Brooklyn, 13-5, .722.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

BATTING — Vernon, Washington, .337; Minoza, Chicago, .319; Rosen, Cleveland, .316; Kell, Boston, .312; Mantle, New York, .309

RUNS BATTED IN — Rosen, Cleveland, 84; Boone, Detroit, 82; Minoza, Chicago, 79; Mantle, New York, 78; Berra, New York and Vernon, Washington, 77.

HOME RUNS — Zernial, Philadelphia, 29; Rosen, Cleveland, 27; Boone, Detroit and Berra, New York, 18; Gernert, Boston, 8.

in BRIEF

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NEW YORK—Leo Durocher was signed to a new 2-year contract as manager of the New York baseball Giants.

GOSHEN, N.Y.— Helicopter won the richest of all Hambletonian Stakes when she captured the last two heats of the \$117,117.98 trotting derby at Good Time Park.

TENNIS
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Giants Show Confidence; Give Leo New Contract

NEW YORK (AP) — Fortified by a new two-year contract, Manager Leo Durocher said today he was prepared to trade any of his star players if it meant improving the club for 1954.

The fiery little skipper, dismayed by the midsummer collapse of the Giants that, to all intents and purposes, eliminated them from pennant contention, cautioned that he was not planning anything drastic but...

"There is not a man on this club who is indispensable," he said. "There is nobody I wouldn't trade if I thought that by doing so it would help us achieve our aim."

"Right now I have one goal in sight—a pennant in 1954. There are some good players on this team. Undoubtedly they'll be around next year. But you can bet there are several who won't be here. Naturally, I'm not going to mention names, but those fellows know whom I have in mind. It will be up to them during the remainder of the season to show me why they should be kept."

Durocher stubbornly refused to concede to Brooklyn, insisting that "anything can happen," but he knows this season has been a total loss. He will be aiming at rebuilding for next year.

"Naturally, we think we're going to do better next year," he said. "First and most important, Willie Mays will be back. His return not only will strengthen us materially but undoubtedly will give the rest of the club a tremendous lift."

WEDNESDAY'S STARS
PITCHING — Robin Roberts, Philadelphia Phillies, became the first major league pitcher this season to win 20 games, stopping Pittsburgh, 8-4.

BATTING — Ray Boone, Detroit Tigers, hit his fourth grand slam home run of the season, tying the major league record, as the Tigers defeated St. Louis 7-3.

When Willie left for the service in May of 1952, it seems he took a part of the team with him. You've got to know Willie and the effect he had on the rest of us to realize how much he means to the morale of a club."

The Giants' biggest problem, Durocher admitted will be pitching. The steady succession of injuries and ailments of such key moundmen as Sal Maglie, Larry Jansen and Jim Hearn has all but ruined what was once the most skillful pitching staff in the National League.

"There are some guys I've got to find out definitely about," he said, "with special emphasis on the pitchers I've got to know whether the guys will be able to help us next year. Maybe some of them have outlived their usefulness at the Polo Grounds. Maybe they can't help us anymore. Maybe they won't fit into our plan. I intend to know about them one way or another before the season is over."

President Horace Stoneham, who absolved Durocher from all blame over the team's sad plight, said he would back Leo to the limit.

"We will not be satisfied with anything less than a pennant in 1954," he said. "We think we have the nucleus of a championship club right now. We got off to a wretched start and we've just never been able to get out of the rut. I am quite satisfied with the way Leo has handled the team. The fact that I gave him a two-year contract ought to show the confidence I have in him."

Giants players, to a man, lauded Stoneham's decision to renew Durocher's contract.



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