

Moore Holds Crown With KO

By MURRAY ROSE
NEW YORK (AP)—A spectacular "called shot" technical knockout ever able Harold Johnson in the 14th round added lustre to light heavyweight champion Archie Moore's great record today.

Now the 37½-year old fistic marvel will seek to fatten his bankroll with a Sept. 23 title fight in Omaha against either Joey Maxim or Jimmy Slade.

Maxim, beaten three out of three by the magnificent Moore, appears more likely to get the payday. His wily manager, Jack (Doc) Kearns will meet sometime today with Charley Johnston, Moore's manager, and members of the Omaha Centennial Committee to talk turkey.

After stopping the fast-punching, solidly built Johnson in a dramatic come-from-behind fashion for his 19th straight victory, Moore said he'd like to fight either heavy-weight champion Rocky Marciano or Don Cockell, the British heavy-weight king.

Manager Johnston, a realistic soul, said "Marciano has that Sept. 15 title fight with Ernie Charles and I know Cockell doesn't want any part of Archie. We want the dough and they're offering Archie \$100,000 to fight in Omaha. We're ready."

Moore was ready, too, when Johnston told him to go out and "get" Johnson in the 14th.

"I'll knock him out in this round," Johnston said Moore told him. He did in just five seconds.

The crouching champion tore after his tiring rival, staggered him with a right to the chin, and then rained blows on his sagging rival. Johnson fell on his back in his own corner.

The Philadelphia Negro clamored up at six but his legs were rubbery. Referee Ruby Goldstein stepped in and stopped the slaughter.

Although Moore was trailing going into the 14th, (two of the three officials had him behind), the 175-pound ruler said he had no doubts about the outcome.

"I knew I'd get him," said Archie.

Johnson decked Moore in the 10th with a right behind the ear. If the fight had been a ten rounder, Harold would have won. All three officials had him ahead then. Goldstein had it 5-3-2, Judge Bert Grant 5-4-1 and Judge Arthur Adams 5-3-1.

"I made one mistake," said the crestfallen loser. "My corner told me not to back up straight but I did and he got me."

Youth Given Chance In Tam O'Shanter

CHICAGO (AP)—For the first time in a dozen years, golf's younger set is given a good chance to crash through the so-called old guard and cash in on the richest tournament in history—the "world" championship opening today at Tam O'Shanter.

Only the more hard-bitten pros have come through in the past, the youngest winner of any Tam title being Byron Nelson who took the honors in the 1941 inaugural at the age of 29.

With \$50,000 in cash and a \$50,000 exhibition contract going to the winner, favoritism runs with such seasoned campaigners as Sam Snead, Cary Middlecoff, Lloyd Mangrum, Jimmy Demaret, Peter Cooper and the recent all-American winner, Jerry Barber. All are over 40 or pushing it.

But there are at least three youngsters who are not too awed by the big prize as the 72-hole stamper starts today.

They are British Open champion Peter Thomson of Melbourne and Gene Littler, each barely 24, and 27-year old Bob Toski, now registering from Livingston, N.J.

The broad shouldered Thomson is one of the hottest tourney pros. He finished third in the All American phase of the Tam carnival that closed Sunday.

Toski, a little 127-pounder, is having his greatest tournament season, with a collection of \$14,938 to be third in the official PGA money-winning list.

Littler, National Amateur champion last year, is a close fellow of Ben Hogan's old school who turned pro nearly seven months ago and has been runner-up in the National Open, Kansas City Open and All-American.

Each is ready to take golf's biggest money plum.

There will be a \$5,000 winner's payoff in the women's pro division and merchandising prizes for "world" champions of the men amateurs and women amateurs.

Babe Zaharias, Patty Berg, Louise Suggs and other big name feminine stars will battle for shares of the \$12,000 offered women pros.

Frank Stranahan, Eddie Merriam of Meridian, Miss., and Arnold Palmer of Cleveland top the men amateurs.

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Neslin Drops Hardtops

Sam Neslin, who for the past three years has been track manager at Gem Speedway, is resigning his position to devote more time to his business and future business advancement, according to word received from him early this week.

As of this time no successor has been named to Neslin's position, but a new track manager will probably be appointed in the very near future.

Neslin has been in charge of the local races since the debut of hardtop racing in Klamath Falls, and has built the track and number of entries up in that time so that it is the largest in Southern Oregon and Northern California, as far as the number of hardtops that are entered every racing night.

Despite the vacancy left by Neslin's move, there will be hardtop racing the same as has been in the past, with time trials starting at 6:30 and the first race getting underway at 7:30 every Sunday night.

In last Sunday night's racing program, Jerry Johnson of Yreka, took home the main event honors with his M-14 hardtop, which happens to be the same car used by Russ Newell to cop an A-main early last month.

Dale Hankins returned to the winning path last week with wins in the trophy dash and one of the four heat races, along with George Loatz who won the evening's final heat, classified by many as the programs classic race.

Johnny Hiltson remained in the number one spot as far as points are concerned after last week's race, while Bob Crawley is still pushing the K-7 driver for the lead. Matt Christian has taken over the number three position by himself and Benny Morrison slipped from a third place tie with Christian into the fourth place in the point column.

Four ten lap heat races, a four lap trophy dash, pitting the winners of the four heat races, and the final heat consisting of cars that place one-two-three in the heat races will start the hardtop show, while the C-race, B-main and A-main will put the finishing touches on the evening program.

Hardtop fans will be in for a treat this Saturday night also, as the racing picture swings into full scale at the Medford Speedway, with their large full quarter mile track.

Several local drivers will probably take their cars over the Greensprings to enter in the valley hardtop program that is held at the rodeo grounds on the western outskirts of Medford.

Rule Change Might Hurt College Stars

CHICAGO (AP)—It's more than remotely possible that a rule calculated to give the college All-Stars a better chance of winning will backfire into their undoing when they tangle with the Detroit Lions Friday night.

The Lions, National Football League champions for two years running, have been openly defiant of the fact that the charity classic will be played under the limited substitution rule of college football. And that defiance might well be just what the pro kingpins need to get fired-up for the contest.

Lion Coach Buddy Parker is peeved, not only because the rule will deprive him of using separate offensive and defensive platoons and full utilization of his many specialists, but also because it has required him to change his entire system.

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Hollywood's Lead Cut To 2½ Games

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The complexion of the Pacific Coast League race has changed radically in the last 24 hours.

San Diego is only 2½ games behind the pace setting Hollywood Stars Thursday by virtue of Wednesday night's 9-4 victory, and Hollywood in all probability has lost the services of its leading batter and base stealer, Carlos Bernier.

Bernier, Puerto Rican outfielder, was thumped from the game for arguing a strike call by umpire Chris Valenti. He bumped Valenti as he continued the argument and then slapped him across the face.

Baseball's law prohibits a player from placing a hand on an umpire, and a slap in the face probably means that the hot tempered Bernier is through for the season.

The decision is up to PCL President Clarence Rowland, and he was one of the 6,159 spectators.

The loss of Bernier would put a serious crimp in Hollywood's bid for its third consecutive PCL flag, for he has been a terror on the bases, hitting .310 and has been cutting off a lot of hits in the outfield, and his speed is one of the big reasons the Stars are in first place.

San Diego really poured it on the Stars Wednesday night. Roger Bowman, who started on the mound for Hollywood, was nicked for seven runs in the first two innings and Luke Easter belted a three-run homer in the second that cleared the 400-foot center field fence by 20 feet. It was only the fourth time a ball had been driven over the fence at that point.

Sacramento whipped San Francisco, 6-4, in an 11 inning game. The Seals came from behind in the ninth to tie the score and Tony Ponce took over the pitching in the 10th. The Sacs outlast San Francisco, 13-9, and the Seals committed four errors.

Johnny Pvecha, Los Angeles rookie, came through with another well pitched game as the Angels dropped Portland deeper into the cellar with a 10-4 win. The rejuvenated Angels slammed the ball to all corners, collecting 16 hits while Pvecha was in command after the second inning, when the Ports got three runs.

Jim Marshall's 11th inning triple knocked in two runs and gave Oakland a 9-4 victory over Seattle. The Rainiers who had battled from behind to tie the count at 7-7 in the eighth, tried a rally of their own in the last half of the 11th but it fell short.

Marshall's hit scored Ron Sanford and Russ Rose who were walked by Steve Nagy. The last

of six pitchers used by the Rainiers.

Wednesday's Lineups
(11 innings)
Oakland 200 230 000 02—9 13 3
Seattle 002 012 110 01—8 11 2
Ferrearose, Nicholas (L), Van Cuyk (10), Atkins (11) and Neal Landini (10); Widmar, Evans (5) Kindstatter (7), Fletcher (1), Meyers (11), Nagy (11) and Orteig.

Los Angeles 002 034 001—10 16 0
Portland 030 010 000—4 8 5
Pvecha and Evans; Ellioitt, Anthony (3), Flores (6) and Gladd.

San Diego 430 200 000—9 12 1
Hollywood 001 000 030—4 7 1
Dickey and Sandlock; Bowman, O'Donnell (3), Wolfe (4), Main (9) and Mangano.

(11 innings)
Sacramento 040 000 000 02—6 13 1
S. Francisco 000 002 101 00—4 9 4
C. Johnson, R. Jones (6), and Ritchey; Holcombe, Munciel (6), Zabala (8), Ponce (10) and Tiesera.

BATTING—Ted Williams, Boston Red Sox, hit two home runs, each with a man on, to run his lifetime total to 359, tying a home run sixth on the all-time home run list.

Oregon Stops Marine Team 54-42
SEOUL (AP)—The University of Oregon basketball team closed its three-game tour of Korea Thursday by thumping the Korean Marine Corps, 54-42, before 5,000 spectators.

The touring Webfoots led at halftime, 30-22, and midway through the third quarter stepped up their fast-breaking attack to go ahead, 46-25.

Forward Ken Wegner, a senior on last year's Oregon club, was high point man for the winners with 13. The Korean Marines' center, Phong Ryan Mo, was high man for the game with 16.

'Jacks To End Season

This Sunday will close out the regular diamond season for the Eldorado Lumberjacks and the Oregon-California League, as the Klamath Falls entry travels to meet the league leading Bend Loggers.

Bend has sewn-up the league championship, and a loss to the third place Eldorado club wouldn't hurt their standings except in the percentage department, while the Lumberjacks stand a chance of falling into the league's cellar if they drop a game to Bend and Alturas dumps Lakeview in the other Sunday afternoon game.

Bend has taken all three of the games that the two clubs have played, but the Lumberjacks made the Loggers go until the final one or two innings for their victories.

Led by a fine pitching staff and a few Oregon State College diamond stars, the Loggers have proven tough to all types of competition so far this year. Their only loss of the season, including non-league games, was at the hands of Alturas last week.

Bend lost a ball game to Lakeview, but a Logger protest was upheld by the league president and the neutral managers at the league, and the game will have to be played over again from the third inning.

Paul Gehrmann and Jim Duff are the front line pitchers used by Bend throughout the season. Gehrmann is an ex-major league and Pacific Coast League pitching ace.

Others who have given the Eldorado club trouble in their past meetings include the Jantze brothers, Curt and Phil and Don Campbell, a little man with hitting power to spare. He collected three straight home runs off Lumberjack pitching in one of the earlier ball games this season. Last time these two clubs met, Chuck Christanson paced the Loggers attack with four hits in six innings at bat.

Tommy Hunt, Morrie Rasmussen and Lowell Pierce ex-high school diamond standouts also held spots on the league leaders roster.

Manager H. Hatfield hasn't announced his starting lineup for this weekend's game, but it will probably be the same as last Sunday's.

Pat Williams, Fran Miller or Jolo George will get the call for the mound duties, while Art Westhouse will probably get the catching chores.

The infield will be made up of Irv Whit, Dick Lundsten, Ron Owings and Don Sunitsch from first to third around the inner defense, while either Willie Dunster, Art Raymond, Hatfield or Johnny Niles will comprise the starting outfield.

GOLF
CHICAGO (AP)—Americans edged out foreign team, 6½ points to 5½ in first international matches at Tam O'Shanter meet.

HALIFAX, N.S.—Grace Lenczyk, Newington, Conn., advanced to third round in quest of third Canadian Women's Open champion ship, along with Barbara Brunning, Armonk, N.Y., and Mrs. Maurice Glick, Baltimore.



TAKING TIME OUT for some horseplay before the state softball tournament gets underway in Portland is Coach Bob Mathis, center and his top flight battery combination of Teddy Walker, left, and Mickey Hayman. Walker is an all-state catcher and Hayman will do the lion's share of the pitching for the local team in this year's tournament, which starts tomorrow night for the Klamath Falls entry.

Jim Stilwell's Goldens Win Annual Trial

The Klamath Falls Shasta Cascade Retriever Club, Medford Rogue River Valley Retriever Club and the Eugene Retriever Club members held their annual picnic trial last Saturday afternoon at Diamond Lake.

There were 17 dogs starting the derby stake. Betsy handled by Carl Newell of Medford won first silver prize. Second place went to Zeb handled by Hal Shidder of Klamath Falls.

Sunday morning started off with 23 dogs in the qualifying stake. The first silver prize went to Tar Baby handled by Carl Newell of Medford, second to Duke handled by P. H. Theide of Salem a member of the Eugene club and third went to Darcy Sue of Eugene.

Fourth going to Pat handled by Dutch Morrill of Eugene.

The richest part in the field trial got under way around noon with 18 open all age dogs. Jim Stilwell's golden retriever Red Ruff came in for the first silver prize followed by his golden retriever Ty for the second silver prize. Third went to Halse Shidder's black Labrador Spl-Wise-Zeke and fourth to Clipper a black Labrador handled by Wayne Paddis of Bend.

The picnic trial was run under rules that apply to a A.K.C. licensed trial in preparation for the coming fall licensed trial to be held near Klamath Falls, September 16, 11, 12.

The Hales Trophy Trial for the Klamath basin dogs will be held Sunday August 29, the place to be announced at a later date.

Anyone interested in attending the trials is welcome. No admission is charged for spectators.

BASEBALL
PHILADELPHIA—No decision was reached on proposed sale of Philadelphia Athletics franchise as Mack brothers—Earle and Ray—battled over disposition of club. Board of directors to meet again in about two weeks.

Bill's Place Winner Of Softball Playoffs

Bill's Place scored a 6-3 win over the Suburban Softballers last night at Conger Field to win the Men's Softball Association Championship and the right to enter in an inter-district play-off with Lakeview.

Led by a fine two-hit pitching performance by Bob Smith, Bill's managed to collect five off Suburban's starting pitcher Chuck Ruff, while both teams were committing one error apiece.

Suburban opened the scoring with all three of their runs being scored in the first inning, but Bill's Place picked away at the three run lead and finally forged ahead for the league championship.

Jim Brown led the hitting attack for victorious Bill's Place with two hits in four times at bat.

Tonight's game with Lakeview will be the first of a two-out-of-three series to decide which team will play Medford in another best of three series starting Sunday afternoon for the district championship, and a right to enter the state playoffs.

Lakeview, last year's sub-district champion, is led by Wes Dollarhide, one of the best softball pitchers in this area, and a fine defensive and offensive ballclub. Dollarhide will be remembered for his baseball playing with the Lakeview Gems in the Oregon-California League.

Dollarhide will probably oppose Bill's elongated pitching ace, Cal Bonney or Bob Smith, OTT wrestling and football coach. Bill's offensive power will be supplied by Cecil Hendricks and Rex Young, two of the strongest hitters in the local league.

Game time tonight, and for the remainder of the sub-district playoffs to be held at Conger Field, is 8:30. The second game will be played tomorrow night and a third game if necessary will be played Saturday night.

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Suburban 3 2 1
Bill's Place 6 3 1
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