

SC Trial To Open Friday

Top Dogs To Enter K. F. Meet

It's trial time again and the Shasta Cascade Retriever Club is all set to open its annual fall retriever trials Friday morning at the Earl Kerns Ranch, 10 miles west of here on the Keno Highway.

As usual, the Klamath Falls club's trial is one of the largest of the season for Pacific Coast retriever people. Local dog workers are expecting well over 100 entries for the three-day meeting which will close Sunday afternoon.

Tomorrow's activities in the field will include the running of the Derby and Amateur Stakes. The Derby is a class for all younger dogs and the Amateur class can include any aged retriever, just so the handler is classified as an amateur and not professional. On Saturday, the Qualifying Stake will be completed and the first series of two of the Open All-Age Stake will be started. Then Sunday the Open will be finished.

Many of the top handlers in the nation will be running dogs here this weekend. Included in the long list of professional handlers are M. "Snuffy" Beliveau, Roy Gonia, Roy Wallace, Carl Newell, Mrs. Marion McPhail and two Klamath Falls men, Pat Montgomery and Dick Morgan.

The list of local and visiting amateur handlers is also sparkling with names. On the local side of the amateur handlers, handlers, Jim Stilwell, Hal Shidler, Don Stroud, Bob Trotman, John Feedback, "Kappie" and Webb Staunton, Arnie Molling and many, many others will be on hand. Visiting amateur dog men who will be entering Labradors, Golden Retrievers and other breeds include C. R. Tobin of San Francisco, Herb Fleishacker of San Francisco, and Ed Fleishmann of Sebastopol, California.

Leading the way through the list of high-class retrievers seeking to sweep away the top honors this weekend are several ex-winners of the Shasta Cascade Club's fall and spring trials. Stilwell's Oak-creek's Sir Dorchester, a Golden better known as Ty, picked up a first in the Open in 1954 and is the only local retriever to win the Open All-Age class in the past few seasons.

Massie's Sassy Boots, a black Lab known the country over and many times an entry in the nationals, will be entered and handled by Gonia, who will also have such other outstanding entries as several Stonegate Kennel dogs and Jack of Holly Lane, the winner of last spring's trial.

Beliveau, who has made it a point to win the Open of the Shasta Cascade trials in the past, will have several very good entries including three that are ex-Open champs here. The three, all Labs, are N.O. Bet's Black Candy, owned by Hugh Nichols of Los Angeles, Sprig of Swinomish, owned by C. R. Tobin of San Francisco, and Del-Tone Chars, owned by Mrs. William Roth of San Mateo.

There are many local retrievers that are rated good bets in walking off with awards before the trial is completed Sunday afternoon. Besides Stilwell's Ty, Hal Shidler has a black Lab which ranks among the best on the coast in Hal's Spl-Wise-Zeke. Both Ty and Zeke have been entered in the nationals, the only two Klamath Basin dogs to wear such honors.

Sam of Alaska, a Lab owned by S-Sgt. James Weaver of the Klamath Falls Air Base and handled by Pat Montgomery is another rated entry in the Qualifying Stake, along with Orewool Sam, a Lab owned by Jack Henry and Hot Toddy's Mindy, a Lab owned by Jim Johnson. Tom Richard or the owners will handle Sam and Mindy in their Qualifying tests.

John Feedback, Don Stroud and "Kappie" Staunton will all have threats entered with their Golden Retrievers. Feedback has Sr Charles of Mt. Whitney, the dog that won the recent Hale's Trophy Trial. Stroud will have Sir Dorchester's Chief and "Kappie" will be running her



BRINGING HOME the bird is the job of Sir Charles of Mt. Whitney, above, as he does some polishing-up work for this weekend's Shasta Cascade Retriever Club's trial on the Earl Kerns Ranch west of here. Working Charlie is his owner and handler John Feedback of Klamath Falls. The trial opens Friday.

dog Rex. Webb Staunton will have Trig a Lab entered, and Bob Trotman's Black Hector will be on the list of Open All-Age dogs given a chance to top prize. Last spring, Hector walked off with second place and Trotman won the James F. Stilwell Amateur Handler Trophy for himself.

The public is invited to take in the three-day trial sessions. There will be directional signs placed along the highway to guide interested spectators to the trial grounds on the Kerns Ranch. SC officials announced today that there will be approximately 300 pheasants shot during the trial, and these fresh-killed birds will be sold to trial patrons for a small charge. These birds are young and small shot issued in shooting them, all of which makes for a very good meal.

Sandwiches, snacks, full meals, pop and coffee will be sold on the trial grounds for the convenience of those attending the trial.

Roseburg Jr. Legion Team Plays New Orleans Tonight

BISMARCK, N.D. (UP)—St. Louis was the only undefeated team remaining in the American Legion National Junior Baseball Tournament Thursday after chalking up a 15-hit, 7-3 victory over New Orleans Wednesday night.

Bob Miller struck out eight, issued three walks and yielded but seven hits for his second triumph of the tourney. The loss was charged to New Orleans' Perry Harrell, bowing onto the mound for the first time here.

New Orleans faces Roseburg, Ore., Thursday night. Each has one defeat and the loser will be ousted from the double elimination event. The winner goes up against St. Louis Friday night, with a second game Saturday if necessary.

St. Louis and New Orleans took opening round victories over Roseburg and Yonkers, N. Y., with Roseburg bouncing back to oust the New Yorkers Tuesday night.

Bragan Praises Red Boss

DURHAM, N.C. (UP)—Johnny Pesky, former Boston Red Sox infielder, and currently manager of Durham, has been named "manager of the year" in the Carolina League.

PORTLAND, Ore. (UP)—Ben Agajanian, one of the top kickers in the history of the National Football League who retired at the end of the 1955 season, joined the New York Giants here Wednesday to help coach rookie kicking specialist Don Chandler.

BROOKLYN (UP)—Roy Campanella, the Brooklyn Dodger catcher who has been plagued several times this season by various hand and leg ailments, suffered a bruised knuckle on the index finger of his right hand Wednesday night and had to be removed from the game against the Pittsburgh Pirates. Campanella is not expected to be out very long.

GALVESTON, Tex. (UP)—Babe Didrickson Zaharias was reported in "high spirits" Wednesday, but doctors said medically speaking the famed woman athlete's condition was "unchanged."

The daily hospital bulletin said Mrs. Zaharias spent another comfortable night and also disclosed that she gave a birthday "party" for her sister, Mrs. Lillie Grimes of Beaumont, Tex., on Tuesday.

Mrs. Grimes has been in Galveston with her cancer-stricken sister more than a week.

BROOKLYN (UP)—The Brooklyn Dodger front office, by silent endorsement, made it plain today that Walter Alston would be back as manager next year, no matter how the team finishes in the current race.

Vice President Buzzy Bavasi would not say flatly that Alston would be back but he commented that "as far as the organization is concerned we're perfectly satisfied."

NEW YORK (UP)—Bobby Bragan, rapidly gaining stature as a big league pilot in his own right, said Thursday that Birdie Tebbetts of Cincinnati deserved to be named "the manager-of-the-year" no matter where the Redlegs finish.

"Tebbetts has done the greatest job in the league, in my humble opinion," said Bragan. "I don't think anybody else could have done as much with the club as he has. He's a great manager."

"I'm a Durocher man," Bobby continued. "I've always considered Leo the best manager I've ever seen."

"Well, Tebbetts is another Durocher. He's not afraid to make the moves. He doesn't worry about being second-guessed if things don't work out. He's a strategist, all right, but more than that, he is a fine judge and handler of men. He inspires belief in his players."

Bragan, who had figured all season long that the Dodgers would win the pennant, has changed his mind and is now veering toward Milwaukee. He admires the determined battle the Reds have put up but he doesn't believe they have the pitching to overtake the Braves.

"I've been looking at the pitching averages," he said. "Rated on the earned run figures, the best Cincinnati pitcher ranks No. 21 on the list. To me that just accentuates the tremendous job Birdie has done. He's been working his pitchers beautifully. Look how many victories he's gotten out of Brooks Lawrence. Eighteen, isn't it? Look what he's done with fellows like Johnny Klippstein, Hal Jeffcoat, Hershell Freeman. These fellows couldn't win for other managers."

Major League LEADERS

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National League	Player	Club	G.	AB.	R.	H.	Pct.
Aaron, Milw.	132	516	99	108	326		
Virdon, Pitts.	137	499	71	161	323		
Moon, S. L.	131	472	81	151	320		
Schmidt, N. Y.	110	406	50	139	320		
Kluszski, Cin.	127	481	90	152	316		

American League	Player	Club	G.	AB.	R.	H.	Pct.
Mantle, N. Y.	130	476	115	172	361		
Williams, Bos.	114	328	57	113	345		
Kuenn, Det.	124	499	79	166	333		
Nieman, Balt.	109	369	54	123	333		
Maxwell, Det.	119	418	82	136	325		

Home Runs—Mantle, Yanks 47; Snider, Dodgers 38; Robinson, Redlegs 37; Adcock, Braves 35; Kluszewski, Redlegs 34; Mathews, Braves 34.
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Runs Batted In—Mantle, Yanks 116; Kaline, Tigers 111; Kluszewski, Redlegs 99; Musial, Cards 96; Adcock, Braves 95; Simpson, Athletics 95.

Hits—Fox, White Sox 172; Mantle, Yanks 172; Aaron, Braves 168; Kaline, Tigers 166; Kuenn, Tigers 166.

Pitching—Newcombe, Dodgers 22-6; Freeman, Redlegs 19-4; Ford Yanks 16-5; Buhl, Braves 16-6; Brewer, Red Sox 18-7; Pierce, White Sox 18-7; Kucks, Yanks 18-7.
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Buchan Bakers Slate Iron Curtain Travel

SEATTLE, Wash. (UP)—Twenty-two American good-will ambassadors leave here Sept. 7 for a trip behind the Iron Curtain with the aim of winning friends and basketball games for the United States.

The delegation is made up of 12 members of the Seattle Buchanan Bakers basketball team, national AAU champions; four players' wives; and six AAU officials.

Besides being the first United States team to play basketball behind the Iron Curtain, the Bakers hope to bring back some information on the caliber of the teams the Communist nations will send to this year's Olympic Games.

BEHIND CURTAIN

The U. S. Olympic teams met those from the Communist countries in the 1948 and 1952 Olympics at London and Helsinki, but this will be the first time an American team will appear before Iron Curtain fans on their home grounds. Consequently, the Bakers realize they have a big responsibility.

"Although this trip certainly will be a lot of fun, we're not going just for fun alone," explained Mrs. Dorothy Patnos, wife of guard Ron Patnos of Seattle. "We know we're representing the United States and we have to do our best to make a good impression."

During their European tour, the Bakers hope to see some of the heralded athletes the Communist nations will send to the Olympic Games.

The AAU champions will face a Czech team at Prague that is supposed to be the best on the continent. And there's a good chance they will get a shot at the Russian Olympic squad and its seven-foot, seven-inch Vasily Anktayev, the Soviets' answer to Bill Russell, U. S. Olympic center.

CAGE TOUR

Other games are scheduled at Warsaw, Berlin and several Western European cities. Permission still is being sought for games in Romania. In all, the team will spend four weeks on the tour, made possible largely through the efforts of the French Federation of Athletics.

The tour has been financed largely by contributions from Seattle basketball fans, who consider the venture a matter of civic pride.

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