Pelicans Finish Third In Rogue Relays; Medford First

Nicklaus Takes Lead In Rain-Soaked Masters Tournament

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AUGUSTA, Ga. (UPI)—Soaked-to-the-skin Jack Nicklaus conquered the worst possible golfing conditions Saturday to take the lead in the Masters tournament with a two over par 74 for a third round total of 214.

On a rainy, bone-chilling day when leaders like Mike Souchak, Jay Hebert and Bo Wininger probably would have been better off in rowboats, the 23-year-old Nicklaus forged to the front under what were, to say the least, trying circumstances.

They were not too trying, however, for Nicklaus—or for amazing Ed Furgol, the 46-year-old 1954 Open champion, who also had a 74 which put him in the runner-up spot with a total of 215.

Neither did they prove too much for 43-year-old Julius Boros, old-timer Sam Snead, who is 51, or Tony Lema, young at 29.

Boros was one of only three players to break par over the rain-soaked Masters course and his one under 71 gave him a total of 216, two strokes off the lead.

Snead even tried to hit a shot left handed, put it into the water, but still wound up with a 74 which tied him with Lema, also with a 74, at 217.

And six strokes off the pace came pre-tourney favorite Arnold Palmer, who for a time Saturday looked like he was going to heed the pleas of "Go get 'em, Arnie."

The three-time Masters champion from the Pennsylvania hills really made a charge toward the front on the first nine, although he was eight strokes back of Souchak, but then bogeyed two of the last four holes to wind up at 220.

He finished with a 73, but still was smiling.

Souchak, leading the field by one stroke going into Saturday's play, shot a seven over par 79 and when asked whether he thought the course was unplayable, replied:

"The committee thought it wasn't."

Hebert, only a stroke behind Souchak, and tied with Nicklaus after the second round, soared to a nine over par 81.

Bo Wininger, the surprising pro from Oklahoma who was only two strokes off the lead, carded a five over par 77. Gary Player, the little South African who became the first foreigner ever to win the Masters in 1961, had a 74 and wasn't too sure they should have played Saturday.

There were others besides Nicklaus, Furgol, Boros, Snead and Lema who were glad they did, however.

Chen Ching-Po of Formosa, now playing out of Tokyo, had one of those other sub-par rounds, a 71, and was tied with Souchak and Wininger at 218. Former U. S. Open champ Billy Casper had the other 71 and it gave him a total of 222.

At 219 came Player, Mason Rudolph with a 72 Saturday and Stan Leonard, the Canadian star of yester-year, who had a 73.

Grouped with Palmer at 220 were Dow Finsterwald, Don January and Australian Bruce Crampton.

Anyone beyond that left in the field seemed to be out of it but after what happened Saturday, no one was betting on it. Hebert was at 221, and at 222 with Casper were former Masters champion Art Wall, left hander Bob Charles and Dan Sikes.

AUGUSTA, Ga. (UPI) — Third round scores in the Masters Golf Tournament:

Jack Nicklaus	74-66-74—214
Ed Furgol	70-71-74—215
Julius Boros	76-69-71—216
Tony Lema	74-69-74—217
Sam Snead	70-73-74—217
Chen Ching-Po	76-71-71—218
Mike Souchak	69-70-79—218
Bo Wininger	69-72-77—218
Stan Leonard	74-72-73—219
Gary Player	71-74-74—219
Mason Rudolph	75-72-72—219
Bruce Crampton	74-74-72—220
Dow Finsterwald	74-73-73—220
Don January	73-75-72—220
Arnold Palmer	74-73-73—220
Jay Hebert	70-70-81—221
Billy Casper	79-72-71—222
Dan Sikes	74-76-72—222
Art Wall, Jr.	75-74-73—222
Bob Charles	74-72-76—222
Doug Ford	75-73-75—223
a—Labron Harris, Jr.	79-71-73—223
Billy Maxwell	72-75-76—223
Dick Mayer	73-70-80—223
Bobby Nichols	76-74-73—223

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PALMER UNHAPPY — Anyone who knows Arnold Palmer will know by looking at his face in this photo what's the matter with the big man. Arnie has just missed a putt on the second hole during the third round of the Masters golf tournament play in Augusta, Ga.
— UPI Telephoto

Reds, Pirates Open National Loop Play Monday In Game's Birthplace

CINCINNATI, Ohio (UPI)—Professional baseball returns to its birthplace with all the hoopla befitting a carnival when the Cincinnati Reds and Pittsburgh Pirates open the 1963 National League season here Monday.

Expected to be in the standing-room-only Crosley Field crowd when the game begins at 2:30 p. m. are Govs. James A. Rhodes of Ohio and Bert T. Combs of Kentucky as well as a host of local celebrities.

Eight-year-old Susan Schroeder, Cincinnati's Easter Seal child, will toss out the first ball before the politicians can get their hands on it. But before the cry of "play ball" resounds through the park, fans xill be treated to the 43rd annual parade of the Findlay Market Association, a spectacle unmatched anywhere in professional baseball.

The Reds, counting on a flock of promising rookies to hold the line while a trio of veterans recovers from an assortment of spring training maladies, will be attempting to live up to pre-season pre - notices which pick them as one of the three or four top National League pennant contenders.

Tabbed the "most improved team" in spring training by New York Manager Casey Stengel, they face the task of avoiding the early-season jinx which in recent years had placed them far back in the standings before they have an opportunity to solidify pitching and hitting.

The team was a very close second place selection of United Press International's 24 - man board of experts which picked the Dodgers to cop the pennant in a pre-season poll.

Manager Fred Hutchinson and other invaluable personages will receive bouquets, assorted awards and good luck charms.

Hutchinson has picked southpaw Jim O'Toole, 16-13 last year and undefeated against the Pirates in 1962 to start on the mound. O'Toole, who tossed scoreless ball for 22 innings in exhibition play, will face the Pirates' righthander Earl Francis, 9-8 last year.

Powerful Southern California Hands Oregon First Dual Loss In 15 Years

EUGENE (UPI) — Southern California's determined Trojans handed Oregon its first home dual track meet loss in 15 years Saturday, 92-53, and gained satisfying revenge for last year's defeat at Los Angeles.

Oregon Coach Bill Bowerman hadn't lost a dual meet in 36 tries since he came here in 1949 but he threw in the towel Saturday when the meet was only an hour old by pulling Dave Steen out of the discus.

By that time, the Trojans were ahead of the defending NCAA champions 35-24 and there was little doubt of the outcome. Bowerman decided not to take a chance on Steen's sore elbow in further competition.

The meet erupted in a chorus of boos by 7,500 fans late in the afternoon when the 880-yard run turned into a shoving match. At least two runners were knocked off into the infield grass before Oregon sophomore Ray Van Asten lunged past USC's Kevin Hogan at the tape. But Hogan was disqualified and the ducks scored the only sweep in the meet.

The Trojans generally lived up to their advance billing and the Ducks didn't have enough talent. Four meet records were set and one equalled, all but one by USC.

Lew Hoyt of the Trojans cleared 6-11½ in the high jumpt to wipe out a record og 6-9¾ set by USC's Charlie Dumas in 1959. Mile Flanagan of USC cleared 15 feet in the pole vault to break by three-fourths of aninc h a meet record set by teammate Mel Hein last year. Hein went out at 14 feet Saturday.

Larry Stuart of USC captured the javelin at 240-1½, breaking a meet record of 238-4½ set by Oregon's Les Tipton last year. Tipton, a surprise winner at Los Ageles, was second with a throw of 239 feet.

Oregon's Keith Forman added the fourth record when he wheeled to a 4:03.7 mile. Jim Grelle's 4:07.2 for Oregon in 1959 was the old record. USC's Brian Polkinghorne tied a record with a 13.9 clocking in the 120-yard high hurdles. Oregon's Mel Renfro, second in the NCAA meet last year, ran third.

Dick Cortese's 9.5 in the 100-yard dash was kept out of the record books by too much wind.

Julio Marin, USC's fast-improving distanceman from Costa Rica, broke Oregon's dominance in those events by an easy 9:05.7 victory in the two-mile run. He finished third in the mile after a fast start that wiped out any Oregon plans of boxing him.

The Ducks used that tactic last year to sweep both the mile and the two-mile in their 75-56 win at Los Angeles.

That victory by Oregon broke a string of 100 home dual meet triumphs for the Trojans. The meet was run on a sunny afternoon with the temperature in the high 50s.

Pierce, USC, 14.0. 3 Mel Renfro, UO, 14.1.
Triple Jump — Carlos De La Rosa, USC, 46-6. 2. Vernon Fox ,UO, 46-3¼. 3, Max Johnson, USC, 44-8.

(NEW EVENTS)

880—1, Ray Van Asten, UO, 1:54.0. 2, Lewis Powell, UO, 1:54.1. 3, Archie San Romani Jr., UO, 1:58.2.
220—1, Dick Cortese, USC, 21.6. 2, Dave Morris, USC, 21.8. 3, Dave Blunt, UO, 21.8.
330 intermediate hurdles—1, Rex Cawley, USC, 37.7. 2, Tie between Mel Renfro, UO, and Brian Polkinghorne, 38.6 (new event.)
Two-mile—1, Julio Marin, USC, 9:05.7. 2, Clayton Steinke, UO, 9:20.7. 3, Dan Tonn, UO, 9:31.2.
Mile Relay—1, Southern California (Bob Pierce, Ted Eggleston, Brian Polkinghorne, Rex Cawley) 3:17.5. 2, Oregon, 3:18.7.
Final score — Southern California 92, Oregon 53.

EUGENE (UPI) — Results of the USC-Oregon dual track meet here Saturday:
Broad Jump—1, Mel Renfro, UO, 24-6¼. 2, Max Johnson, USC, 23¼. 3, Carlos De La Rosa, USC, 23.0.
Javelin — 1, Larry Stuart, USC, 240-1½. (Meet record; old record 238-4½, Les Tipton, UO, 1962). 2, Tipton, 239. 3, Ron Gomez, UO, 227-3.
Shot put—1, Dave Steen, UO, 61-8½, (Oregon school record; old record 60-2, Steen, 1963). 2, Dennis Wynn, USC, 56-2¼. 3, Dave Dornsite, USC, 52-4¼.
440 relay—1, Southern California (Dick Cortese, Bob Pierce, Dave Ferris, Rex Cawley), 41.7. 2, Oregon, 41.8.
Mile—1, Keith Forman, UO, 4:03.7. 2, Archie San Romani Jr., UO, 4:04.7. 3, Julio Marin, USC, 4:06. (Meet record; old record 4:07.2, Jim Grelle, UO, 1959.)
440—1, Kevin Hogan, USC, 48.3. 2, Rex Cawley, USC, 49.0. 3, Al O'Leary, 49.3.
100—1, Dick Cortese, USC, 9.5. 2, Dave Morris, USC, 9.5. 3, Dave Blunt, UO, 9.6.
Pole vault—1, Mike Flanagan, USC, 15-0. (Meet record; old record 14-11¼, Mel Hein, USC, 1962.) 2, Marty Frank, UO, 14-6. 3, Bob Walton, UO, 14-6. (Frank second on fewer misses.)
High jump—1, Lew Hoyt, USC, 6-11. (Meet record; old record 6-9¾, Charlie Dumas, USC, 1959.) 2, Paul Stuber, UO, 6-9. 3, Terry Llewellyn, UO, 6-9. (Stuber second on fewer misses.)
Discus—1, Mike Rowe, USC, 158-11½. 2, Terry Mix, USC, 156-10. 3, Dick Brown, UO, 151-11½.
120 high hurdles — 1, Brian Polkinghorne, USC, 13.9. (Ties meet record; record, Jerry Tarr, UO, 1962.) 2, Bob

PURKEY FACES TREATMENT

CINCINNATI (UPI) — Ailing pitcher Bob Purkey will return here Sunday for further X-ray treatments on a sore pitching arm, the Cincinnati Reds said Friday.

Lakeview's Jean Saubert Hits Bad Luck In Finals

ANCHORAGE, Alaska, (UPI)—Chuck Ferries of Houghton, Mich., flashed down the side of Mt. Alyeska with twin runs of 57.6 and 59.2 seconds to win the slalom of the national Alpine skiing championships Saturday.

But Bud Werner, the Steamboat, Colo., star, finished second for the third consecutive event to capture the national combined championship.

Both honors were unofficial because judges still have to check times and make disqualifications before certifying the winners.

Werner, who also finished as runnerup in the giant slalom and the downwhill, came in with a clocking of 117.9 seconds compared with Ferries' total of 116.8 seconds.

The women's crown in the slalom and combined went to Barbi Henneberger of Germany. Already a winner in the downhill and second-place finisher in the giant slalom, Miss Henneberger was clocked in identical runs of 53 seconds for a 106 total.

Sandra Shellworth of Boise, Idaho, finished second, far back with 111.7 seconds.

Tragedy struck Jean Saubert, the co-ed from Lakeview, Ore., who was gunning for a second crown and the combined title. She had finished her first run among the leaders. But on the second run she tried to cut a gate too close, took a hard fall. Her ski binding came loose and she was unable to finish. It probably robbed her of the combined title, at least.

Bad luck also hit Joos Minsch, the Swiss ace who had been among the leaders in both the downhill and the giant slalom. He had finished the first run in 59.8 but fell high up on the course in the second. He got up and continued, but he missed a gate near the end and had to back up and go around.

Will Marolt, the 19-year-old star who won the downhill on Thursday, also had tough luck. He was clocked in 58.9 on the first run, but fell on the second and did not finish.

The biggest crowd of the three days, more than 4,000, watched Alaska's biggest sports event. The sun was bright and the temperature in the mid-40s, making the trail slow.

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LAKEVIEW GIRL WINS — Jean Saubert of Lakeview looks up the mountain which she has just raced down, wishing that she had gone just a little faster. Miss Saubert came in second in the women's downhill race of the 1963 National Alpine Ski Championships in Mt. Alyeska, Alaska. The women's downhill race was won by Barbi Henneberger, a German girl, with a time of 142.9, eight tenths of a second ahead off Miss Saubert. But the Lakeview lass won the giant slalom championship.
— UPI Telephoto

LEE RIDES TRIPLE

LAUREL, Md. (UPI) — Tommy Lee capped a triple at Laurel Friday with four-length victory aboard Farewell Blues ($5.00) in the feature race. Lee also scored with Paroxysm ($13.20) and Bourbon Hill ($23.00).

The birds is coming!

Undefeated Duck Nine Adds Willamette To Beaten List

EUGENE (UPI)—Juniors Dale Jansen and Arba Ager pitched undefeated Oregon to 1-0 and 5-1 baseball wins over Willamette Saturday.

The wins were the ninth and 10th of the season for the Ducks.

Jansen, a right-hander, pitched a three-hitter to outduel Willamette's Chuck Jameson in the first game. He struck out nine.

Oregon collected its run in the second inning on a triple by Eric Hardin and a passed ball.

Ager, a left-hander, pitched a two-hitter and struck out 17 in the second contest. He gave up a home run to pinchhitter Jan Lockman in the sixth inning.

The Ducks broke a 1-1 tie with four runs in the sixth. H. D. Murphy opened the scoring in the the inning with a two-run single.

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Jameson and Sturholm; Jansen and Jensen.

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Oregon	000 104 X	—5	7	0

D. Moore and Anderson; Ager and Jensen, McCarter (7).

Klamath Improves In Most Events

MEDFORD—The Klamath Union Pelicans improved in most events here Saturday in the Rogue Relays but finished third among the five Class A-1 teams with the powerful Medford Black Tornado copping meet honors.

The Tornado piled up 101 points in the relays to 93 for runnerup Grants Pass. The Pelicans came in third with 55½ points and Crater was fourth with 50 markers. Ashland pulled up the rear with 28½ points.

"Most of our times were improved although some of the boys fell off in some of the events. But the track was not in good shape. It rained all night Friday and water had to be pumped off. The track was pretty soft. But it was soft for the other schools, too," said KU Coach Jack Peterson.

This was a meet of mostly relays. The only individual events were the pole vault, high hurdles, javelin, and discus among the 13 events. The Pelicans had one individual first in Walt Smith who won the javelin with a heave of 183 feet six inches. He had a big duel with former Pelican Huff of Ashland.

Bill Mills, the big Pelican weight man who last week won both the shot and discus throw at the Cal-Ore Relays in Ashland, fell off some in his specialties. He finished third in the discus and was a part of the shot put relay team which finished in fourth position.

The first place was the only one won by a team other than Medford and Grants Pass. Medford copped seven firsts and Grants Pass took five firsts.

"I feel we could have won the jump relay. Terry Eccles jumped 5-10¼ and Fred Kelley cleared 5-0¼. But Dick Scott twisted his ankle in a practice jump and Steve Baker was home with a sore heel. We substituted Don Graham there but we needed the strong third man. We were just one inch off at that," Peterson stated. "There were three jumpers left at the end and we had two of them," he continued.

"I thought we looked good in the 440-yard relay, too. We finished only about two yards behind Grants Pass. They ran a 44.8 and we ran about a 45.0. Don Piper looked good in his quarter mile of the mile relay and in the two-mile relay. Smith looked good in the javelin and Grover Dahn looked good in the broad jump," Peterson said.

"We improved most times and that is what we're looking for at this stage. I think we will come along better now. We go to Eugene next week to enter the Hayward Relays. They have exactly the same events there. There hasn't been many individual showings because both meets we've been in have been relay meets," Peterson explained.

"Medford looks pretty strong and they didn't have Hill (Jim). He is probably the top sprinter in the league and maybe in the state. And a good broad jumper," the KU coach said.

Pole vault—1, Turrau and Hammons (M) at 12-0 (tie); 3, (tie) Sparlin and Coe (GP). 5, (tie) Thorne (KF) and Turey (A).
120-high hurdles—1, Clark (GP) 15.6; 2, Driscoll (M). 3, O'Leary (GP). 4, Durant (M). 5, Graham (KF).
440-yard relay—1, Grants Pass 44.8. 2, Klamath. 3, Medford. 4, Crater. 5, Ashland.
Javelin—1, Smith (KF). 2, Huff (Ashland). 3, Murry (M). 4, Borneson (C). 5, Tengate (M), 183-6.
Shot put relay—1, Medford 135-6½; 2, Grants Pass. 3, Crater. 4, Klamath. 5, Ashland.
Two-mile relay—1, Medford, 8:14.8. 2, Grants Pass. 3, Klamath. 4, Crater. 5, Ashland.
880-yard relay—1, Grants Pass, 1:33.1. 2, Medford. 3, Crater. 4, Ashland.
Distance medley—1, Medford, 11:09.4. (New Rogue Relays record.) 2, Grants Pass. 3, Ashland 4, Klamath 5, Crater.
High jump relay—1, Grants Pass 17-3½. 2, Klamath. 3, Crater. 4, Medford. 5, Ashland.
Broad jump relay—1, Medford 60-6½. 2, Crater. 3, Grants Pass. 4, Klamath. 5, Ashland.
Discus—1, Murry (M) 138-6. 2, Harris (C). 3, Mills (KF). 4, Bauer (GP). 5, Kimball (M).
Shuttle hurdles relay—1, Medford 33.2. 2, Grants Pass. 3, Klamath. 4, Crater. 5, Ashland.
Mile relay—1, Grants Pass, 3:23.7. (New Rogue Relay record.) 2, Medford. 3, Klamath. 4, Crater. 5, Ashland.

Huskies Hold Cage Fete

MERRILL — Over 120 Merrill fans were present at the potluck supper held April 2 at the Merrill Elementary School to honor the basketball teams. Mrs. S. T. Waldrip and Cecil Smith were responsible for making arrangements for the event.

Coach Jerry Groeneveld said he felt the team had gone much further than he had expected at the beginning of the year and praised them for their spirit and sportsmanship on such an endeavor. He stated he could not choose an outstanding player on the team and named the first five as the outstanding players. Dave Hill was named best offensive player and Jim Reed was named most improved.

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