

Barnes Wins Southern Amateur



Tommy Barnes (center) of Atlanta, Ga. won the Southern Amateur Golf championship in the finals at Asheville, Sunday. At left is the runner-up, Albert Neal of Marion. He lost to Barnes 7 and 6. At right is James Tupper, president of the Southern Golf Association. In background is the George W. Adair Memorial Trophy for the winner. (AP Photo)

Hazelwood Meets Two Foes Here This Week

Commission Sets Dates For Hunting, Trapping

Dates and bag limits for the 1949 and 1950 hunting and trapping seasons were established recently at a meeting of the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission in Raleigh.

The rules pertaining to Hazelwood County and vicinity are as follows, as announced by the Commission's executive director, Clyde Patton.

The bear season will run from October 15 through January 2, except for six days in the part of Henderson County west of Highway 25 and Haywood County south of Highway 19-23. The closed dates for these areas will be November 14, 15, and December 5, 6, and 7.

Bag limits are two a day, two in possession, and no season limit.

The season for white-tailed male deer with visible antlers will be November 14 through December 5 except in the part of Haywood County north of Highway 19-23. In this section there will be no open season.

S.G.A. Medalist



Billy Joe Patton (above) of Morganton, took medalist honors in the 43rd annual amateur tournament of the Southern Golf Association at Asheville. The former Wake Forest College student won the medal with a score of 138. (AP Photo)

Sports, Fireworks To Feature Independence Day At Lake Junaluska

A swimming meet, boat races and fireworks will feature the fourth of July observance at Lake Junaluska.

Directing the day-long series of events will be Cuthbert Shee, High Point coach who is the Assembly's recreational director. Entry blanks for swimming and boat events will be furnished on request by Mr. Shee at the Assembly office or Potts Service Station.

The morning events starting at 10 o'clock:

50-yard free style, 50-yard, free style (boys 14 and under), 100-yard back stroke, 50-yard, free style (girls), 100-yard, free style, low

board diving and 200-yard relay.

The afternoon activities will be boat racing starting at 2:45 p.m., as follows:

Canoes race two in a canoe, row boat race (one man in a boat), canoe whistle race (at the sound of a whistle the two men change positions in the canoe, canoe race (boys under 14), canoe tilting preliminary, motor boats warm-up, 5-horse power and under, 10-horse power and under, 22-horse power and under, unlimited.

Fireworks from foot of the Cross on Missionary Point at 10 p.m. will close the program.

Industrial League Schedule

June 25
Beacon at Hazelwood
Ecusta at Martel
Clearwater at Canton
Enka at Berkeley.

League Standings

Major and Minor league standings (including Wednesday's results unless otherwise indicated):

WESTERN CAROLINA LEAGUE			
	W	L	Pct.
Newton-Covey	33	13	.717
Lenoir	30	19	.612
Lenoir	28	20	.583
Morg'n'n	25	23	.521
Rutherford	22	27	.449
Marion	20	25	.444
Hendersonville	18	30	.375
Shelby	14	33	.298

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	36	24	.600
St. Louis	34	24	.586
Philadelphia	35	28	.556
Boston	34	28	.548
Chicago	30	28	.517
New York	25	34	.424
Cincinnati	24	36	.400
Pittsburgh	22	38	.367

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
	W	L	Pct.
New York	38	22	.633
Philadelphia	34	26	.567
Detroit	34	26	.567
Boston	31	28	.525
Cleveland	29	27	.518
Washington	29	29	.500
Chicago	24	37	.393
St. Louis	18	42	.300

Champion Softballers Hit Road This Week For Georgia, Tenn., Games

Champion YMCA's crack softball aggregation, boasting 12 victories in 13 starts, go on an extended road trip this week for games in Georgia and Tennessee.

Coach Jack Justice said his boys would meet Knoxville, Tennessee, Friday, follow with an engagement with Pearless Mills in Chattanooga and play two games in Oak Ridge Sunday.

On Sunday afternoon, the Canton players will meet Oak Ridge Combine, and that night will tangle with Roane Anderson.

The following week, they'll go into their toughest battles of the season at their home park.

At 8 p.m. July 2, Champion will meet Postal Accounts of Asheville and the following Saturday will play a return engagement starting at the same hour against Knoxville.

A doubleheader with Clearwater Fla., paced by Preacher Dudley, considered one of the finest hurlers in the nation, will feature the July 13 card.

On July 16, Champion will tangle with Roane Anderson in another return engagement.

The Canton softballers will face more torrid pitching when they meet Bailey Supreme Coffee of Atlanta on July 23. Sambo Elliott, the Atlanta club's pitching ace who beat Champion last year with a 2-0 no-hitter, will be on the mound.

On July 30, they'll face another

torrid pitcher in Leon Jones of Capital Homes of Atlanta. Jones defeated Elliott twice this season. Champion will play Pearless Mills of Chattanooga on August 6, two days before the opening of the district tournament at Champion field.

The district eliminations will continue through August 13, and then Champion will take part in the State tournament opening August 16 on the home field. The title will be decided in the game on August 25.

"After that," said Coach Justice, "softball will be over."

The North Carolina All-Stars took the latest game in the six-year-old baseball series with a South Carolina squad in Charlotte yesterday, whipping the Palmetto boys, 2-1, in a pitching duel.

The South Carolinians were limited to two safeties, while the winners could get only one more.

Eight five-acre cotton mechanization demonstrations will be conducted in North Carolina during 1949. They will be located in Wilson, Wayne, Johnston, Nash, Franklin, Warren, Sampson, and Northampton Counties.

New Champ



The NBA recognizes Ezzard Charles, 27-year-old Cincinnati Negro, as the new heavyweight champion through his victory over Joe Walcott last night.

Charles was crowned when the judges gave him a unanimous decision after the 15-round bout in Chicago. Ezzard pounded Walcott, groggy in three different rounds, but couldn't quite put the 35-year-old batter away for keeps. Walcott had fought Joe Louis, the retired champion, twice, in his previous unsuccessful bids for the crown. Louie congratulated Charles after his victory in the same ring where the Brown Bomber had taken the title from Jimmy Braddock 12 years ago.

UNLUCKY IN BROOKLYN
PITTSBURGH—(AP)—Johnny Hopp couldn't buy a hit as a Brooklyn Dodger. After the Pirates dealt him to Brooklyn for Marvin Rakley, Hopp played eight games and went hitless in 15 trips to the plate. When the teams switched players, Hopp blasted out four hits, including three doubles, in his first 10 at bats upon returning to the Pirates.

Bill Holland's First Chance To Drive For \$5 Put Him In Big Race

By FRANK ECK

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NEW YORK—Bill Holland has always been a bug for speed. He has been in automobile racing for 14 years and is a follower of dirt track racing. His victory in the 500-mile Indianapolis Speedway classic came as only a mild surprise.

The 41-year-old pilot from Reading, Pa., worked at various jobs from fixing beer pumps to adjusting wheels on roller skates and then became proprietor of his own rinks in Reading and Bridgeport, Conn.

It was while working for \$18 a week as a Philadelphia rink floorman that a friend told him he could make from \$5 to \$15 a Sunday driving a racing car. In the 500 he won \$51,000, about 35 per cent of which he retained.

"I still recall my first race," says Willard Holland. "It was outside Philadelphia, just a field without a fence or seats for the spectators. I finished third in the consolation heat."

Before that he was interested in speed on skates, both roller and ice, and in bikes. As a kid of 13 he won a Philadelphia schoolboy championship roller race. In 1931 he was the first Philadelphian to finish in a sectional bicycle trial for the 1932 Olympics. He finished ninth.

During six years in Bridgeport he developed several roller and ice skating stars. He helped his son, Willard, Jr., 17, win the national junior roller speed skating crown in 1947. The boy also plays basketball and competes in track at Ontalaunee High, Leesport, Pa.

To look at the pleasant features of the black-haired Holland one would never believe this roaring knight of the road had been in three serious auto accidents.

In his second year as a driver he fractured a hip at Lancaster, Pa. In a crash at Trenton, N. J., he fractured a vertebra and crushed a shoulder. Three years ago he sustained a concussion during the Rutland, Vt., fair. The scar required 22 stitches on his forehead yet is hardly noticeable.

"It happened when a car ahead of me kicked up a big rock," says Bill. "It was so big that the helmet failed to protect me. It was a ragged wound but the doctors did a wonderful job on it."

Holland has a number of dirt track races lined up for this summer and fall. However, the next race in which he plans to pilot Lou Moore's \$32,000 winning Blue Crown Special is the 100-mile championship test at Springfield, Ill., on Aug. 20.

"I may quit the dirt tracks after this year," says Holland. "That depends on what happens. I may become a representative in the auto parts business. At any rate I'll be back in the 500 next Memorial Day."

Though Holland set a new Indianapolis record of 121.327 miles per hour he feels certain that he could have gone "one to one and a half miles an hour faster" but for engine trouble.

"I stopped as a safety measure. It seems the carburetor wasn't getting enough gas. I think maybe it was the fuel pump. During the stop

RELIEF HELP FOR A'S - - By Alan Mavor



ONE OF BASEBALL'S GREATEST NO-HITTERS WAS PITCHED IN A RELIEF ROLE IN 1917. BABE RUTH, PITCHING FOR THE RED SOX WAS EJECTED BY THE UMP AFTER WALKING ONE BATTER - ERNIE SHORE CAME IN WITHOUT A WARMUP, THE RUNNER WAS CAUGHT STEALING AND NOT ONE OF THE NEXT 26 BATTERS REACHED 1st!

Face Beacon In Lo Saturday; Maryville Steelers Sunday At

Buchanans Beat Fullams, 6-4, In Canton Loop

Buchanans clipped Fullams 6-4 Monday night in a Canton City softball League game, assaulting Windy Sams for nine safeties.

The contest was the night cap of a twin bill that closed the first half of the league season. The VFW Vets clinched the top position by whipping the second-place Triangles, 3-2, in the opener.

Johnny Phillips, 18-year-old freshman in organized softball, handcuffed the losers effectively except in the bottom of the sixth when they scored all their runs. Otherwise, he had things his own way as he gave up only six hits.

His mound opponent and First Baseman Albert Cline got four of them, each batting 500 for the evening.

Third Baseman Buddy Ivester and First Sacker Frank Hyde led the winners' offensive, each collecting two hits in four plate appearances.

R H E
Buchanans 0 14 0 0 1 0 - 6 9 1
Fullams 0 0 0 0 4 0 - 4 6 2

Batteries: Phillips and Woods, Sams and Poindexter.

ALL IN ONE WEEK
SANDOWN, N. H. (UP)—This was the commencement week schedule for the busy Bassett family.

Sunday—Charles was graduated from New Hampshire University.

Monday—Donald and Wendell were graduated from Sanborn Seminary.

Friday—Richard and Kenneth were graduated from Clark School.

Wake County farmers are buying more cotton planting seed this year than they did in 1948, ginners report.

Vets Take First Half Of Canton League Play; Edge Triangles, 3-2

The VFW Vets won the first half of the season play in the Canton City Softball League Monday night by edging the Triangles, 3-2.

In a battle that featured a pitcher's duel between Winning Pitcher Nazi Miller and the Triangles' Willie Waldrop.

Each hurler gave up only three hits. But two of the Vets' three bingles were doubles by Catcher Rhymer and Stevenson that drove in all their runs in the fifth.

The winning slurge wiped out the Triangles' two-run advantage they had accumulated by scoring both their tallies in the top of the third.

Miller, in his thriftiness with safeties, fanned 13 Triangle bats-

Sams Pitches No-Hitter As Canton League Opens

Windy Sams of the Fullams nine, pitched no-hit ball Tuesday night as he and his mates pinned a 4-0 shutout on the VFW Vets in the opening game of the Canton City Softball League's second half play.

The Vets had captured the first half honors the previous night.

Sams fanned 11 VFW batters in turning in his perfect performance on the mound.

Nazi Miller pitched a three-inning performance was offset by four Vets miscues in the field. He struck out 14 batters, and gave no passes.

Johnny Phillips turned in a two-hitter in the nightcap as he helped the Buchanans to a 2-0 victory over the Triangles. The losers got their only hits off the 18-year-old ace

Independent Campaign Started To Get City Recreation Area

Three young Waynesville citizens started an independent drive this week to do something about the town's recreation facilities.

And W. S. Gaddy, 26-year-old leader of the trio, says they've already received the assurances of more than 300 Waynesville citizens that they would contribute their labor to developing the Shingle Cove's park into a recreation area.

Besides these, Mr. Gaddy added, after 24 hours of canvassing, Mayor J. H. Way, Jr., and aldermen have given their blessing to the plan.

The originator of the plan and his 17-year-old assistants are Frank Gilliland and Tom Gilliland, Jr.

If this project goes through, the park would get a baseball field, tennis, volley ball, and shuffle board courts, playground equipment for children, and a 40-by-60 foot swimming pool.

"We're hoping to finance it," Mr. Gaddy said, "through contributions on the part of individual citizens."

So far, he added, there appears to be solid public support for his idea. He and his companions plan to contact Waynesville's civic clubs in an effort to get their support.

"We've been talking about it for a long time," he said, "then Monday evening, we decided to do something about it."

After making a rough sketch of the plans, he and his companions set out to sound out Waynesville citizens. They've been talking to people ever since.

In reference to the financial details, Mr. Gaddy said he wants to have one of the civic organizations handle whatever donations are made.

Later, Lester Burgin, Jr., president of the Waynesville Junior Chamber of Commerce, which is working on a recreation project, said the boys approached him with the idea and that he told them he would submit it to the Jaycee members at their Monday night meeting.

Even in Sunny Climate Skiing Is Possible

SAN DIEGO (UP)—Skiing in sun-drenched San Diego is now possible—for about 10 days of the year.

A local group of skiing enthusiasts have organized a ski club to get in their 10 days of snow at the Cuyamaca slope about 60 miles east of here.

The only difficulty is the weather. The sun is always shining and is more suitable for swimming than skiing. But occasionally it snows in the mountainous back country and the 50 members of the San Diego ski club are then in their element.

NEW RABBIT PROGRAM

WHEELING, W. Va.—(AP)— Learning after considerable experimenting that rabbits imported from western states for stocking can not be acclimated, West Virginia will launch a project next month to restore the populations of the native rabbits.

The 1932 UCLA tennis team won the first Pacific Coast Conference championship in a major sport ever gained by the school.

we changed two tires—after all I was going all out on the turns —refilled the gas tank although that wasn't necessary, wiped my face, goggles and windshield!

You lost a lot of time then?

"Yes," agrees Bill. "Forty-six seconds."



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