

PHILS' RELIEF MAN THRICE SAVES TEAM

Pitcher Peck All There in
Pinches; Cubs, Yankees
Lead Leagues.

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Walter William Peck, of the

Phillies, is one relief hurler who is making talk in the National league. Last week he went three scoreless innings against the Dodgers in one game to save a 12-inning tie. Two days later, he was back against Brooklyn in the 12th inning and won.

Yesterday he was given the busy call again, against the Giants. The New Yorkers had pushed across five runs off Dauter and Henry in a big eighth inning and had the winning run on base. Our hero ambled from the bull pen and proceeded to give the business to Bill Terry's heaviest ball belt.

He got Danning on a grounder to

end the eighth, and then in the ninth fanned Ott and Demaree and retired Bonura on a fly, to rescue a 6-5 win for the Phils.

This boosted the Quaker city citizens into fourth place and dropped the Giants and the St. Louis Cardinals downstairs. The Cards and Cincinnati Reds were idle.

Cubs, Yankees Win
The Chicago Cubs and New York Yankees, last year's pennant winners, stayed out in front in their respective leagues, with no signs of being overhauled. The Cubs knocked off the Pittsburgh Pirates, 6-2, with that ex-American leaguer, Whitehill, turning in a six-hitter in his first seven innings as a Cub. The Yanks' Monte Pearson twirled a four-hitter to beat the Athletics, 2-1.

A couple of 32-year oldsters, Bridges and Fette, also had a hand in the day's pitching classics, each winning his second decision of the season with a six-hit elbowing job. Bridges fanned five in tossing the Detroit Tigers to a 4-2 edge over the Browns, and Fette breezed in with a 4-1 decision for Boston's Bess over the Dodgers, thereby pinning a defeat on Mungo in Mungo's first start since last August. One of Mungo's side-armers got away and beamed Al Simmons, sending him to a hospital overnight with a slight concussion.

Despite Jimmy Fox's homer No. 1, Washington's Senators nipped the Red Sox, 10-9, in 10 innings. Cleveland's pitchers walked 15 batters, which made it just a "passing fancy" for the Chicago White Sox to come through 5-3.

Standings of the Clubs			
American League			
	W	L	Pct.
New York	4	1	.800
Detroit	3	2	.600
Cleveland	3	2	.600
Boston	3	2	.600
Philadelphia	2	3	.400
Washington	2	3	.400
Chicago	2	3	.400
St. Louis	1	2	.333
National League			
	W	L	Pct.
Chicago	3	1	.750
Boston	4	2	.667
Cincinnati	3	1	.667
Philadelphia	3	2	.600
New York	3	2	.600
St. Louis	2	2	.500
Brooklyn	1	4	.200
Pittsburgh	1	4	.200
Coast league—No change.			

15-PLAYER LIMIT SET FOR JUNIORS

PORTLAND, April 25.—(AP)—Junior baseball teams will be permitted 15 players on active duty and five more on reserve, the American Legion baseball commission decided today.

The plan was approved to provide replacements when regulars were called away by summer employment. Teams, however, must cut their rosters to 15 players on August 1, the date set for determining the four clubs which will compete for the Oregon championship.

Except for teams entered in the final round, the commission announced it would not be necessary to provide pictures, fingerprints and other details to certify team membership.

Executive Meeting—Douglas unit of Pro-America executive officers will hold a short business meeting at noon tomorrow at the chamber of commerce office, to be followed by the regular one o'clock monthly luncheon. Lunches of the entire unit at the Empqua hotel. Rep. H. A. Canaday, guest speaker at the luncheon meeting, will talk on "The 1939 Oregon State Legislature." Republicans are invited to attend the meeting. Mrs. H. C. Waddell, president, will be in charge.

LOS ANGELES TOPS LEAGUE IN HITTING

By the Associated Press
Pacific Coast league batting averages revealed today why the Los Angeles Angels have taken a strange hold on first place in the circuit.

The Angels led the league in team hitting with a neat .318 average and with two members of the team among the first four hitters in the circuit. Number one batting honors belonged to Spencer Harris of the Hollywood club with .431.

Arnold Stutz, Angel outfielder, is second with an average of .412. Jimmy Collins, the Cubs' castoff who was credited with pacing the Angels to 19 straight wins to tie the 36-year-old Coast league consecutive win record last week, is the league's third best hitter with an even .400. He has batted in 40 runs and hit nine homers to lead in these departments. Bob Collins, Angels receiver, is the sixth best hitter with a .395 average.

The Angels open against Sacramento at Los Angeles tonight while the second place Seattle Rainiers will entertain the Oakland Oaks; Hollywood, the mystery team of the league and now in third place, goes to Portland. San Diego moves into San Francisco.

The Stars last night announced acquisition of two new pitchers—Johnny Rittner, with Oakland last

season and Bob Munerhoff. The latter goes to Hollywood on option from the St. Louis Browns while Rittner was acquired from the Yankees.

OREGON ENDEAVOR SOCIETY ELECTS

SALEM, April 24.—(AP)—Doro Kiks of McMinnville was re-

elected state president of Christian Endeavor at the closing session of the annual convention here yesterday.

Phil Barrett of Salem is the new vice-president, and Viola Ogden of Portland was re-elected secretary. Regional vice-presidents elected were: Mrs. Frank Ritchy of Milton, Leland Crane of Reedsport, Robert Sawyer of Imbler and Opal Yates of Salem.

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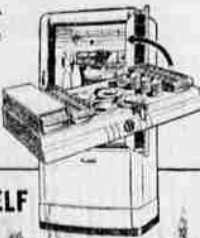
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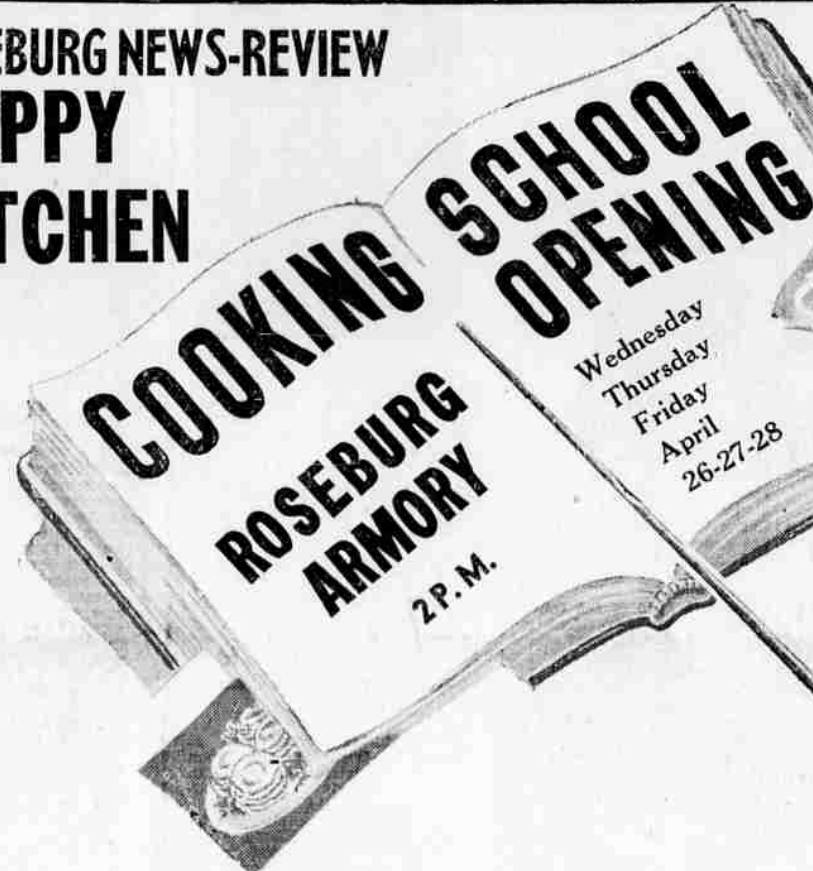
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