

Losing Streak of Cleveland Halted

Washington Edged Out Behind Feller; Ral of Hurling; Cincy Knees Lead Margin.

(Associated Press Sports Writer.)
By JUDSON BAILEY

The Cleveland Indians, who once this season gained the American league lead by losing four straight, seemed in danger of dropping off their precarious perch in the throes of another four-game losing streak last week-end.

But they stopped it yesterday by edging out the Washington Senators 4-3 while both the second-place Detroit Tigers and third-place New York Yankees were kept idle by rain. As the result of this opportunity triumph over the Indians increased their advantage over the Tigers to three games and over the Yanks to six.

Meanwhile the Cincinnati Reds split a double bill with the Philadelphia Phillies without harming their 7 1/2 game advantage in the National league because the Brooklyn Dodgers also were rained out.

Cleveland's conquest of the Senators was made possible by Feller, although he didn't get credit for the game. The fireballer went to the rescue of Harder in the seventh and shut out the Senators in the last three stanzas.

Walters Wins Own Game.
Walters, another "sure shot," pitched and batted the Reds to a 3-2 victory in their first game, which incidentally gave the senior circuit champions a four-game winning string temporarily. He held the tailenders to five hits and batted in two of Cincinnati's own runs, one with a homer. It was Buck's 18th win.

Sylvester Johnson, the 39-year-old combination coach and pitcher for the Phils, then retaliated in the nightcap with a three-hit performance that left the Reds gasping.

Hubbell, who at 37 is working harder than a lot of baseball youngsters, made his third appearance in four days and led the New York Giants to a 19-5 verdict over the Chicago Cubs.

Another fine relief showing was that of Boston's Bagby in helping the Red Sox to a 7-6 decision over the St. Louis Browns. He allowed only two hits in the last 6 2/3 innings.

The Boston Bees threw more water on the St. Louis Cardinals' conflagration by winning a night game 3-1 with Rookie Strinevich hurling five-hit ball. That's all the Bees obtained, too, but the Cards contributed three errors.

Portland Beavers Get Revenge on Salem Team

SALEM, Aug. 27.—(AP)—The Astoria Beavers of the Pacific Coast league erased one black mark from their doubtful reputation last night when they defeated the Salem Senators of the western International league 15-11 in an exhibition game.

Several weeks ago the Senators spanked the Beavers in Portland.

Olalla

OLALLA, Aug. 27.—Mr. and Mrs. Otto Mueller have been enjoying a visit from their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Larson from Fort Bragg, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hester and Mrs. Hester's nieces, Dorothy and Jeanne Williams, from Eugene, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gould Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy J. Cernall, Mrs. William Fisher, Mrs. Anna Carson and John Nemetz spent Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hood on the North Columbia.

Cell and Henry Ireland were transacting business in Roseburg the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Henry and daughter, Dorcas, were calling on the Jim Devine family Sunday evening. The Henrys came here from Canada about a year ago and bought the old Irwin place in Tenmile, which they have refurnished and remodeled and where they are raising pure bred Duroc Red hogs.

John Byron and Ben Jacoby have been working on the West Douglas R.E.A. line in Reaton the past few days.

Mrs. Mills Steen, who has been visiting old neighbors and friends in Olalla and upper Olalla, has returned to her home in Roseburg.

Mrs. Jamie Adamek and small son, Noble, and Mrs. Frank Adamek visited friends in Reaton one day last week.

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8-27
"DR. LIVINGSTON, I PRESUME"

Bouccock's Take Opener of Series

Dunham's Defeated, 8 to 4, in First Game for Roseburg Softball League Title.

By EVERETT CROUCH

Bouccock's Butchers, behind the four-hit hurling of Merritt, annexed the first of a three-game series with the Dunham Transfemen by a score of 8 to 4 in a game played at Pinlay field last night. The game was one of the series of three to determine the city championship. The Butchers were winners of first place in the first half of the season's schedule and the Dunhamites won the second half honors.

The Butchers in last night's game jumped into an early lead when a walk, two infield plays and an error tallied the first run of the game in the second inning. A triple by Merritt, Shinn's walk, Cresson's single and a double by Bouccock shoved two more runs across the plate in the fifth inning. Three more tallies were chalked up in the sixth when Miles, Baker, Merritt and Shinn singled, Cresson walked and Morgan was safe on an error. Morgan purposely permitted himself to be trapped in order that a run might be scored.

In the eighth inning Merritt singled, went to third on an error and scored on an infield out. Cresson singled, advanced to third on an outfield error and scored on an infield out to complete the scoring for the victorious Butchers.

Dunham's, after being shut out for eight innings, got a spark of life and tallied four runs in the first of the ninth when K. Lawrence was safe on an error, Domencio doubled, Henry was safe on an error, scoring Lawrence and sending Domencio to third. Henry then stole second and he and Domencio scored on Fred Schermer's long double. Schermer advanced to third on a passed ball and scored on an outfield fly. Bill Schermer lined out and Goodman fanned to end the ball game.

At Merritt, winning hurler, allowed four hits, struck out four and gave no walks. Kenny Lawrence was nipped for 10 hits, while striking out three and walking four.

Merritt led the Butchers in hitting with two singles and a triple in four trips to the plate. Cresson collected two hits in four trips for the second place honors.

Domencio, F. Schermer, Goodman and Morris had a bit apiece for the Dunhamites.

Tonight's game, which will start at 7:30 o'clock may decide the championship. Dunham's must take tonight's contest to stay in the title race, for a two-out-of-three victory by the Butchers

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Food May Become Norway Problem

L. A. Oeland of West Roseburg reports receipt of a letter from a friend, Karl Kjoberg, who resides 25 miles from the coast city of Ekefjord, southern Norway. The letter, written July 23, was opened by a German censor in Oslo, but was sent complete as written and was marked "geheimst." for acceptable.

"I read in the papers today that we can now send letters to the United States over Petsamo, Finland," the letter states, "so I will try it at once. Thanks for what you sent me. You no doubt wonder how we get along when so many wild rumors are travelling here and in America. We have got along well until now and if it would not get worse we would not have much to complain of. But if the war continues a long time the food supply will be short. The buying power of our money will be small, so goods we need will be dear to us even after peace has been reached."

"The German soldiers here have behaved very correct; they are polite and friendly so we have no fault to find with them." The balance of the letter is of a private character, but the writer emphasizes the uncertainty of getting mail through between Norway and the United States. He had expected, he states, to visit his brothers in the United States in the near future, but now has given up the hope of ever seeing them again.

Mrs. E. C. Thorne went to Roseburg Wednesday where Mrs. Thorne remained to receive medical care.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Westcott and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Billings and son from Springfield were weekend guests at the Walter Tanner home.

Mr. and Mrs. Aldy Robison and Buster Miller from Salmon, Idaho, were here several days last week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Robison.

Azalea grange met Monday night with thirty-five members present. Mrs. Ora Condray was installed as lecturer. After the business meeting refreshments were served by Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Caylor, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Condray and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Robison.

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Gridiron Material Given First Call

Task of Reconstructing Team in Entirety Confronts Coach Davis of Roseburg High.

The first official call for gridiron material for Roseburg high school's 1940 varsity football team has been made for Wednesday afternoon, August 28, at 3 o'clock, by Coach Jim Davis, new Indian mentor, who is opening his first season here as head football coach.

Veterans and prospects answering the summons will report with football shoes and gym suits as the first few days of practice will be devoted primarily to conditioning exercises, punting, passing and the usual schooling in fundamentals. Regular equipment will be issued the first of the week to those turning out regularly. Coach Davis is particularly anxious to have backfield men, ends and centers out as soon as possible, but the first call has not been restricted to them. Every man anxious for a spot on this year's squad is urged to make arrangements to turn out as soon as possible.

Must Rebuild Whole Team.
Coach Davis is faced with the problem of rebuilding the entire football team from a small group of returning lettermen and reserves. Lack of a sizeable squad in the past has been a serious problem in that few capable replacements were available. The new mentor is making plans for an increased turnout so that a strong reserve complement can be developed.

With the battle for positions a wide-open affair, competition among the material turning out will be very keen. Davis indicated that there has not been a spot reserved on the first eleven by either the veterans or last year's reserves and that every man out for the team will be given an ample and equal opportunity to win a berth for himself.

The tentative schedule has seven games billed, with the first contest a night encounter the latter part of September against a team new in local grid circles—Central Point high school. Davis plans on working every man at top speed between now and that date in order that the Indian varsity will be ready for the strong competition presented by Central Point.

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Robert Mork of Seattle and his mother, Mrs. Leona Mork of Yoncalla left Friday on a ten days trip to Grand Coulee dam, thence to Spokane, Wash.

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GLIDE, Aug. 21.—Mr. and Mrs. George Cascheber spent the weekend visiting at Bend, Ore., with the former's sister, Mrs. Floyd Love-lace.

Mrs. Cecil Hindman of Portland visited for the past week at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fisher Strohecker. Her children, Darlene and Charles, were also with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Woods and their children, Betty Lon, Herbert, Charles and Estella, spent three days at the coast.

Miss Laura Roberts of Vancouver, B.C., and Miss Laura Gibson of San Diego, Calif., both retired navy nurses, stopped and visited at the home of Miss Ada L. Wood. They were en route to San Diego. Miss Roberts' home in Vermont was built in 1892 and is still standing.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mulkey of San Francisco are spending their vacation camping on the river. The former is Mrs. Lester Blakely's brother.

Miss Genevieve Moore of Camas

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Valley visited over the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Merle Perini.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Asam and their daughter spent several days at Steamboat last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Turnbull and their daughter of Klamath Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Merle Harges of West Fir spent the week-end visiting with the girls' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Asam.

Mrs. Estella McCord spent a week visiting her son, Melvin McCord, who is stationed at Diamond lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph (Dutch) Miller and their children, Buddy and Jeanne, have moved to Grants, Pa. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bond and their nephew went to the Bond reunion near Salem Sunday. They had a very enjoyable time.

Dare Kingery and daughter are spending a few days this week in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cockeram spent several days this week with their daughter in Coquille.

V. L. Applegate has secured a job, working in the liquor store in Roseburg. Mr. and Mrs. Applegate will move to Roseburg in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Blinkenstaff are being congratulated on the arrival of a daughter, Loretta Lee, born August 21st, with Dr. R. F. McKaig the attending physician.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Waugh and Harry, Jr., Jean and Beverly Waugh, Mrs. Vergie Nutt and daughter Dorothy, of Burlington, Iowa, visited at the Homer Kruse, Dr. R. F. McKaig and Sumner Brown homes Wednesday en route to San Francisco to attend the fair.

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gated into the third and fourth degrees. Miss Norma Hitchcock, who will be a candidate for Princess for the North Douglas county fair will be sponsored by the grange. During the afternoon, the juvenile grange met, and started their degree team work, with Mrs. Bessie Watson as leader.

came from Scotts valley and one from Rel hill. "Doe" Perini has an order for some poles 120 feet long, which will be used for the navy. Barton Bigelow shipped three carloads of lumber last week. During the meeting of Elk Creek grange, hold Friday night, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Bardwell were obli-

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