

Eugene Eliminates Chiefs From Tourney, 5-3

Beavers Drop Twinks Again In P.C.L. Play

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Lame and sore, pitcher Pinky Woods was enroute home today to watch his Hollywood Stars finish the Pacific Coast league pennant race without him.

The loss of Woods, a 23 game winner last season, wrote another chapter of a Hollywood tragedy in which most of the principal characters have been disposed of already. The Stars not only are losing ball games; they also are losing their players. And its beginning to show like a spot on the rug.

After being shelled since June 9, the large right hander pitched relief last Sunday and promptly aggravated his thigh injury. Manager Fred Haney announced from Portland yesterday that Woods was through.

The announcement came just before the Stars filed into Vaughn Street Stadium to suffer their fourth straight loss to the Portland Beavers. The score this time: 3 to 3.

The setback left the Hollywoods 6½ games behind Oakland in second place. The Oaks were rained out last night at Seattle.

The Beavers scored all their runs in the first three innings. They were out of it, 11 to 3, but it didn't make any difference. The Twinks never could put enough hits together at one time. Leo Thomas, newly acquired from Kansas City, celebrated his return to Portland by singling in one of the tallies.

Elsewhere along the circuit, San Francisco and Sacramento divided a doubleheader and San Diego handed Los Angeles its fifth loss in a row. The score was 5 to 3.

The Seals won the second game of their twin bill by 5 to 4 when reliever Al Lieb struck out Ralph Hodgin to halt a Sacramento rally in the ninth. The Seals led the seven inning opener, 3 to 2, on Jim Busby's squeeze bunt in the fifth.

Bumbling by the battery cost the Angels their game with the Padres. Catcher Ray Cash committed one of two errors in a first inning that produced three San Diego counters, while a walk, wild pitch and a balk contributed to another in the second. Hal Saltzman had a shut-out going until Les Layten's pinch double in the seventh chased in the first Angel run in 19 innings.

COAST LEAGUE

(By The Associated Press)	W.	L.	Pct.
Oakland	74	46	.617
Hollywood	69	54	.561
San Diego	64	59	.520
Seattle	61	60	.504
San Francisco	60	62	.492
Portland	57	62	.478
Los Angeles	54	68	.443
Sacramento	48	76	.387

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS

Sacramento 3-4, San Francisco 2-3.
San Diego 5, Los Angeles 3.
Portland 5, Hollywood 3.
Oakland at Seattle, rain.

Women's Golf Tournament Set Here Tuesday

Roseburg has been chosen as a favored city to sponsor one of this year's four play-offs of the Willamette Valley-Southern Oregon Women's Golf association tournament.

Play will begin Tuesday, Aug. 1, at the Roseburg Country club, with some 70 women participating in the regulation 18-hole play-off and 21 playing in the special nine hole tourney. 19 Roseburg women are slated to appear.

Taking the favorites role in the tourney is top-notch Helen Thompson, 1948 Oregon State champion from Medford who will have no handicap.

A special team trophy which the Eugene Country club women donated will be at stake as well as individual honors. The trophy was won last year by the Medford divoters. Represented here will be seven cities, Medford, Eugene, Klamath Falls, Corvallis, Coos Bay, Grants Pass and Roseburg.

Following are the entrants from Roseburg: Mrs. Walter Brydges, Mrs. R. D. Bridges, Mrs. Kenneth Quine, Mrs. Roy Cummins, Mrs. Ernie Peterson, Mrs. Harry Stearns, Mrs. James Hughes, Mrs. Walter Fisher, Mrs. Joe Perrault, Mrs. Leon McClintock, Mrs. Roy Sheppard, Mrs. J. E. Dillard, Mrs. F. B. Price, Mrs. Roger Gee, Mrs. Alfred Anderson.

The special nine-hole event has only four Roseburg hopefuls. They are Mrs. Ray Puckett, Mrs. Norma Tauscher, Mrs. George Marshall, and Mrs. Ray Sims.

The 18-hole event will begin at 8 a.m. while the nine-holer will tee off at 1 p.m.

KMETOVIC TO COACH

PAALO ALTO, Calif. — Pete Kmetovic, star left halfback at Stanford university in 1948 and 1949, yesterday was appointed an assistant to Stanford head football coach Marjorie Schwartz.

SPORTS

Pee Wees Set Round Robin Playoff Day

The stage is set for the highly competitive last phase of the Pee Wee baseball program, Director Norm West has reported.

After five weeks of conquering fundamentals of the game the three age groups are ready to face each other in hammer and tong competition.

The youngsters have formed teams according to sections of the town, and play began last night. The 6-9 and 10-12 age groups have four teams and the 13-14 year olds have two.

Play will be climaxed next Wednesday, Aug. 2, in a round robin series in which a team will play other teams in the age group for two or three innings each. The jamboree will begin at 6:30 at the junior high school and will feature two games in each age group, except the oldest where there will be only one.

As a piece of resistance, on Saturday, Aug. 5, a team will be selected from the 12- and under group and another from the 13-14 group to play the Basher Bombers of Portland. Each team has a coach or manager, with the youngest group working under the tutelage of boys from the oldest. They have dubbed their teams with names that would put the big leagues to shame. Southeast side: 6-9 group, Dynamiters, coached by Dick Drake and Larry Katzenmeyer; 10-12, Warriors, under Jerry Parmeter.

Northwest side: 6-9, Bombers, under Fred Hargis and Dennis Linell; 10-12, Hargis Hardheads, under Fred Hargis.

Southwest side: 6-9, Riverdale Rats, under Loren and Leroy Sargent; 10-12, Knuckleheads, under Leroy Sargent.

Northwest side: 6-9, Umpqua Bears, Dennis Brundage and Pat Beane; 10-12, Leftovers, under Dennis Brundage.

The oldest group is divided into the Eastside Tigers under Duke Ricketts and the Westside Phillies under Loren Sargent.

George Drake In Bout Here

Two of the most promising young wrestlers in the professional sport — Danno MacDonald of Canada and George Drake of California — have signed to meet in the one-hour opener on Matchmaker Elton Owen's weekly mat show at the Roseburg armory Saturday night.

Both Drake and MacDonald have been beaten in their last local appearances—Drake to Jack Poppeneimer; MacDonald to The Yaqui Kid. Drake, known as the "Catalina Kid," has come far since his debut about a year ago under the wing of Paavo Katonen.

MacDonald is one of the most popular matmen in the Douglas county area.

Mel Peters, who is a native Oregonian but has since moved to Hollywood, must watch his Ps and Qs in his match against the former Pacific coast light-heavyweight titleholder. The blond-bearded muscle man has a possible fine and suspension by the Roseburg Wrestling commission pending for action during his brawl with Frankie Stojack last week.

Peters walked out of the ring after what he considered was a clear-cut victory and refused to return on the commission's orders.

The Drake-MacDonald match will open the show at 8:45 p.m. and Owen will be on hand to referee both bouts.

Larks Drowned By Hit Shower

(By The Associated Press)

It rained base hits in Redding last night as the hometown Browns blasted a 16 to 7 decision over the Eugene Larks in the Far West League.

The two teams hammered out 14 safeties apiece but the league leading Browns bunched theirs for eight runs in the third and five in the fifth.

Redding Manager Ray Perry strengthened his position as the league's leading home run hitter by connecting with his 35th.

Second place Klamath Falls dropped to 1½ games behind the leaders by losing to Medford 5 to 3.

The Rogues' Jack Lloyd limited the Gems to seven hits and held them scoreless until the eighth when Bob Rittenberger spoiled the shutout with a home run.

Jim Luker, a Willows castoff, extracted vengeance on his former teammates by pitching Reno to a 14 to 2 victory.

The win was the Silver Sox' eighth straight and the fifth in a row from the Cardinals. A total of four by Reno and three by Willows seven double plays were executed.

Joe Angel hurled his 10th win as Pitsburg defeated Marysville 5 to 4. The Diamonds' Dick Bartle scored the winning run in the eighth on a long fly by Willie Enos.

Redding meets fifth place Medford in the opener of a four game series tonight. Other series openers are Klamath Falls at Eugene, Pitsburg at Willows and Reno at Marysville.

Christian Church Team Beats Lions

The Lions saw a three run lead disappear in an instant as the Christian Church men's shortstop Baxter clouted a grand slam homer to lead his team to an 8-4 win, in a Twilight game Thursday night.

It looked like the Lions had the game on ice until the fatal sixth. They garnered a run in the second on singles by Foster and Ewert and a sacrifice by Newcombe.

They came through again in the fifth with three more runs. Bates singled, Parsons walked, and Carlonest run, a resounding triple. Then George Foster got his team's ter drove in a run with a single, bring in two more.

But in the sixth the roof fell in on the Lions. After getting their first run in the fifth, they came to life in the sixth with four hits in a row. Baxter's grand slam, Crenshaw and Knox drove Crenshaw in with a sacrifice, Piper got on an error, another single. Thus with the bases loaded the stage was set for Baxter's Lion team.

Bruton and Bibby each singled in the seventh and Piper brought them in for the last scores of the game on a triple.

The Church men played errorless ball while the Lions committed three.

Millers End State Title Possibility

By CHUCK PLUMMER

Two brilliant outfield catches and good all-around defensive play helped the Eugene Millers eliminate the Roseburg Umpqua Chiefs from the state baseball tournament with a narrow 5-3 victory Thursday night at Silverton.

Behind 5-2 going into the seventh, the Chiefs got a run when Virg Sanders walked, Bud Sporer was hit by a pitched ball, and Baker singled bringing Sanders home. Sporer was then caught in a hotbox between second and third for the first out, but Stan Aune reached first on an error by the catcher.

With Baker and Aune on first and second, George Sanders stepped to the plate and lashed out a long ball that looked good for a double and the tying scores, but Ray Stratton, Eugene center fielder, made a beautiful catch and none scored. Then John Linde hit another fly ball into left field that looked like a base hit, but Jim Livesay got under it for the third out and the ball game.

Eugene got one run in each of the first five innings, with speedy Manager Don Kirsch scoring three of them. Kirsch, the first man up, got a base on balls, went to second on a wild pitch, and scored on a double by Jim Livesay. Kirsch got on base again in the second, stole second, and scored when Norval Ritchey, Roseburg catcher, overthrew second base. He scored again in the fourth when he hit a single, stole second, went to third on a wild pitch, and scored on Livesay's single.

Don Siegmund scored for Eugene in the third when he singled and scored on a fly to left field. Kirsch, Eugene catcher, scored the Millers' final run, as he walked, stole second, went to third on a fielder's choice, and scored on first baseman John Linde's error.

Roseburg loaded the bases in the second inning, but was able to score only one run. Kirkpatrick got to first on an error by the Eugene shortstop, slid safely into second on Ritchey's fielders choice, and scored on a error by Kirsch. Eugene second baseman, The Siegmund, scored the second run in the sixth on a triple by Linde and a single by Kirkpatrick.

Roseburg got only four hits off Brown, the Eugene pitcher, mostly because of the brilliant infielding by Kirsch's boys. Eugene also got only four hits off Sporer, but Bus gave up seven walks.

Yakima Defeats Salem Club, 20-3

(Associated Press Sportswriter)

Yakima's boisterous Bears, riding high with a 10-game win streak climaxed by last night's 20-3 shellacking of the Salem Senators, sped homeward today to face the challenging Tacoma Tigers in the feature Western International league attraction.

The title-defending Bears gained a half game on the rest of the league last night as rain washed out scheduled appearances of Spokane at Vancouver, Tri-City at Tacoma and Wenatchee at Victoria.

Now three games ahead of Wenatchee and 3½ out in front of Tacoma, Yakima is hoping to duplicate its performance of five weeks ago against the Tigers. When they last entertained the Tacoomans, Yakima swept the three-game series. Such a performance now, with the season two-thirds over, might well doom the Tacoomans' title hopes.

Tri-City moves into Salem in the other new series while Wenatchee and Spokane hope to get underway with their Can-Am foes.

Yakima left little to chance last night, and it was well that only 188 were in the stands to see the way they treated the Oregonians. After Salem jumped into a two-run lead in the first inning, the rollicking Bears opened up a 24-hit attack highlighted by Jerry Zuvella's two triples and a brace of doubles. Reno Ches and Dave Milton also clubbed out four blows each and every player in the Yakima lineup garnered at least one hit. Six errors further humiliated the Solons who dropped from fifth to sixth with the defeat.

Major League Leaders

(By The Associated Press)

National League

BATting — Robinson, Brooklyn, .367; Musial, St. Louis, .360.
RUNS BATTED IN — Kiner, Pittsburgh and Ennis, Philadelphia, 79.
HOME RUNS — Kiner, Pittsburgh, 28; Jones, Philadelphia, 21.
PITCHING — Miller, Philadelphia, 8.2, .806.

American League

BATting — Evers, Detroit, .348; Kell, Detroit and Doby, Cleveland, .343.
RUNS BATTED IN — Stephens, Boston, 99; Dropp, Boston, 84.
HOME RUNS — Rosen, Cleveland, 27; Williams, Boston, 25.
PITCHING — Lemon, Cleveland, 15-4, .789.

Arlington Park Race Starters Now Ready

(By The Associated Press)

CHICAGO — Ten prospective starters were ready today for the colorful \$75,000 added Arlington harness which will open Arlington Park's 36-day meeting tomorrow.

Top-weighted with 128 pounds and probable favorite in the mile and a quarter stake is Calumet Farm's Ponder. Citation, Calumet farm's world champion money winning horse, was declared out of the race last week after pulling up lame after a workout.

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Tri-City Takes City Loop Win

Tri-City swamped Pitsco, 12-3, and Sutherlandin crossed Firkmo up, 8-4, in a pair of hot City league softball games last night.

The Tri-City crew exploded with nine runs in the second, added another in the fourth and two more in the fifth to walk away with their game. They took advantage of three walks, four hits, and two errors to run up the second inning score. Then in the fourth Allen Brown singled and came in on Bud Shireliff's double. In the fifth two men were on and they came in on Brown's double. Brown was the big gun with three doubles in four times at bat.

Piteo took alive in the first to get the first runs of the game on successive singles by Deffering and Welsh and a hit by McDaniels. The only other run was Welsh's homer in the fifth.

It took only two innings for Sutherlandin to polish off Firkmo. In the third, Wayne Forbes walked, Wilbur Wallace got on with an error, Roudtree sacrificed to bring in a run, and Bud Allen singled to clear the bases of the other two. The fifth saw three Firkmo errors committed and as a consequence five Sutherlandin runs came in.

Firkmo's Harley Smith homered in the second for his team's first run. A single by Smith in the third after Mitts had walked made the second, and a Sutherlandin bobble in the fourth let two Firkmos cross.

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