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Schermers Nab City Loop Win Over Pitco Nine

Schermers went on a hitting spree last night at Finlay field while pitcher Roy Baughman was holding Pitco to one hit. Final score: 9-0. In the other City Softball league game undefeated Tri-City stayed undefeated by slapping Fimco, 9-5, scoring the winning runs in an extra inning.

While Baughman was going Pitco's McDaniels the only hit the Squirrels were pounding out in every inning put the first and last. They scored two each in the second and third and went crazy with five in the fourth. In this fourth inning Defferding gave up five hits and two walks as every Squirt came to the plate once.

Fimco drove the other game into an extra inning by scoring five runs in the third inning as pitcher Floyd lost his stuff for a while and allowed a walk and three hits. By this time Tri-City had four runs, one each in the first and second and two in the third. It wasn't until the seventh that they managed to squeeze in another on a Fimco error. They made sure of the game in the eighth as Racher got on with a fielder's choice. Duncan was hit by the pitcher and Bud Ward slapped a double. Then Spencer ended the game's scoring by smashing a homer.

City league director Jack Newby has announced that the Pitco-Elks game scheduled for Wednesday night has been canceled. In its place Pitco will play Schermers in a doubleheader to decide the first half championship. To date undefeated Tri-City is the only team assured of a berth in the city championship playoffs that begin Monday night.

WILSON SETS PACE
SAN FRANCISCO—(AP)—Right-handed Jim Wilson of Seattle ended last week with three straight pitching victories, and a season's record of 18 wins, best in the Pacific Coast league.



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LAST YEAR'S WINNERS—Above are pictured the winners in the senior women's division of last year's Southern Oregon Invitational swimming meet, held under Junior Chamber of Commerce sponsorship at Roseburg. Some of these same performers will compete here again this year. In the front row are Donna Beall, Lavelle Flannery, Della Mae Sehorn and Elinor Molby, then members of the Portland Aquatic club, which is now the Aero club. Back row, the swimmers are Judy Cornell, Ann Hackworth and Lovilla Taylor, all of the Multnomah Athletic club. (Picture by Paul Jenkins.)

Major League Leaders

(By the Associated Press)
National League
BATTING — Musial, St. Louis, .3610; Robinson, Brooklyn, .3603.
RUNS BATTED IN — Ennis, Philadelphia, 94; Slaughter, St. Louis, 83.
HOME RUNS — Kiner, Pittsburgh, 29; Pafko, Chicago, 25.
PITCHING — Miller, Philadelphia, 10-3, .769.
American League
Unchanged.

Kell Maintains Slim Lead Over Larry Doby

CHICAGO—(AP)—George Kell, Detroit's classy third baseman, maintained his slim edge over Cleveland's Larry Doby in the American league batting race. Kell, defending batting champion, was the top hitter with .353 as against Doby's .350 for games through last Sunday. Each gained two points during the week. As the Tigers fought to maintain the league lead, Kell also kept his lead in two other departments — the most hits and most doubles. Billy Goodman, the young Boston outfielder — first baseman, jumped from out of the select circle into third place with 344 mark. Big Walt Dropo, Goodman's replacement at first for the Red Sox, was deadlocked for fourth spot with Hoot Evers of Detroit, each with 322. Another Boston player, Johnny Pesky, took the biggest drop, from fourth to seventh place.

Tacoma Beats Yakima Team

By FRANK VAILLE
Associated Press Sportswriter
Tacoma nipped Yakima's Western International league leaders 1-0 last night, but the evening's plaudits were taken by Sandy (stay-at-home) Robertson, a c.e.moundsman of the sixth place Vancouver Capilanos.

The Canadian hurler, who doesn't accompany the Caps on the road, welcomed his mates home with a seven-hit game that subdued Salem 10-3 and gave Robertson his 12th win of the year without a loss. The string of triumphs ties the league record for consecutive victories set by Frank Nelson of Spokane two years ago. Tri-City also came out second best with the Canadian jinx, committing five errors in dropping a wild 17-10 decision at Victoria. Wenatchee and Spokane were idle, opening tonight in the latter city.

AWNING FOR PRESS BOX
BALTIMORE—(AP)—National Football league sportswriters coming to early season games in Baltimore's new stadium will have trouble finding the press box. There won't be any. It will be a press tent. The box is going to be on top of a section of the stadium being replaced. It won't be finished until the season is well under way. In the meantime, several rows of regular seats will be roped off for the press. An awning will be their protection against the elements.

Yesterday's Stars

(By the Associated Press)
BATTING: Mike Goliat, Phillies — hit single, double and triple. Driving home four runs, in Philadelphia's 9-0 romp over Cardinals.
PITCHING: Ken Johnson, Phillies — held St. Louis to two singles in winning fourth game without a defeat.



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Invitational Meet To Open Friday Night

The season's biggest athletic event is almost ready for the starting gun at the municipal pool this weekend except for one ticklish problem—housing.

The second annual Southern Oregon invitational AAU swim meet, Friday and Saturday nights, Aug. 11 and 12, at 7 o'clock has confronted the sponsoring Junior Chamber of Commerce with the problem of accommodating an expected 150 to 200 swimmers. A plea was sent out by the Jaycees and to date there have been only two offers received.

It has been requested that any persons who can accommodate one or more persons, contact the Chamber of Commerce by phoning 78, announced Glenn Scott, general chairman.

In addition to the competitive swimmers, the meet will sport the names of such illustrious swimmers and divers as Judy Cornell, Jack Henderson, and Al Patnik. Miss Cornell yesterday broke the seven-year-old national AAU 100-meter breaststroke record by churning the distance in 1:23.11 in the 1950 senior women's AAU swimming championships in High Point, N.C.

Al Patnik, whom fans will remember from last year's meet, is the world renowned exhibition diver and holder of the Olympic diving championship. Ray Daughters, Olympic coach for the last eight years, will bring a three man medley team to Roseburg to represent Washington Athletic club of Seattle. This team participated in the national outdoor swimming and diving meet held in July at Seattle and staged by Daughters.

Other clubs representing the whole Northwest will be present to display their talents including powerful Multnomah club, Cosmopolitan club, Aero club, and Northwest YMCA, all of Portland, Vancouver Recreation club, Athletic Round table of Spokane, as well as participants from the University of Oregon and Oregon State and The Dalles Natators and Sweet Home Jaycees groups.

This spectacular roster of swimming powers will also include a strong contingent of junior men from Roseburg coached by Leonard Swanson. This local team attended the Junior Oregon open at Portland against such potent clubs as MAC, Astor and Cosmopolitan and made a fine showing, every man winning his heat and every man placing fifth or better. No other team placed all its members.

Ike Williams Loses Encounter

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Lightweight champion Ike Williams took another licking last night — this time at the gloves of a practically unknown welterweight from Phoenix, Ariz.

Charley Salas, 22-year-old Mexican-Italian, gained an easy 10-round decision over Williams — winning seven and dropping two. The other round was even. Williams weighed in at 139½ pounds; Salas at 146.

Williams' loss to Salas, coming only a month after a similar defeat by welterweight George (Sugar) Costner, made a rematch between Costner and Williams, proposed for next month at Modison Square Garden, somewhat doubtful.

Frank (Blinky) Palermo, Williams' manager, immediately requested a return match with Salas. Chris Dundee, Salas' co-manager, said Salas was willing "if Williams wants it."

Salas came out of last night's bout unscathed. He handed Williams a nose bleed midway through the bout, opened a cut above his eye and slashed his cheeks.

HALF BACK

EAST LANSING, Mich.—(AP)—Half of Michigan State's world record-breaking two mile relay team, Warren Druetzler and Don Makielski, have another year of collegiate eligibility remaining. Bill Mack and Dave Peppard were June graduates.

Spencer J. Drayton of the Thoroughbred Racing Protective Bureau reports that in the first six months of this year there were fewer stimulation cases at TRA tracks than in any similar period in the history of the Bureau.

Giants Still On Path Up In National

by JOE REICHLER
Associated Press Sportswriter

Remember the date—July 20, 1950. That's the day the New York Giants took such a drubbing at the hands of the St. Louis Cardinals. After taking an 18-4 thumping in the afternoon, they came back to suffer a 10-3 loss at night. That made it 13 defeats in their last 14 games.

The weary and groggy Giants dragged their feet into the clubhouse fully prepared for a typical Durocher tongue-lashing. It never came.

"Go out," he said, "and have fun. I don't care what you do or when you get back. The curfew is lifted. Just make sure you show up at the ball park tomorrow."

The result? Sixteen victories in the next 17 games. It looked like the Giants might drop one last night. They spotted the Braves a 3-1 lead in the first inning but roared back with a 14-hit attack to whip Boston, 9-3.

The triumph boosted the high-flying Giants to within two and a half games of the fourth place Cards, who were buried under a 9-0 score by the pace-setting Philadelphia Phils. They were the only games played in the majors yesterday.

The results left the National league pennant picture looking like this: The Phils lead the field by four games. The Braves are in second place, a half game in front of the Dodgers. The Cards are five and a half games out. The Giants, a new contender, trail by eight games.

Monte Kennedy started for the Giants but it was Jack Kramer who picked up the victory. The veteran righthander did a splendid relief job, holding the Braves scoreless after relieving Kennedy in the first.



SHORT RULE — Commodore Ralph Hackney of the Atlantic City Tuna Club finds a six-foot rule isn't long enough to measure the eight-foot, six-inch, 812-pound tuna he caught off the coast of the New Jersey resort.

In The Majors

(By the Associated Press)
NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
Philadelphia	63	42	.600
Boston	57	44	.564
Brooklyn	56	45	.553
St. Louis	56	46	.549
New York	52	47	.523
Chicago	43	52	.448
Cincinnati	41	58	.414
Pittsburgh	34	68	.340

Yesterday's Results
Philadelphia 9, St. Louis 0
New York 8, Boston 3
(Only games scheduled.)
AMERICAN LEAGUE
(UNCHANGED)

Second Defeat In League Puts Chiefs In Hole

The twin bill which the Umpqua Chiefs divided Sunday afternoon at Brookings gave the local team their eighth win and second loss.

Neither game was particularly a thriller as each team won its respective game by eight runs. Roseburg taking the first 8-0 and Brookings the last 9-1. This means that in order to stay in the battle for first place the Chiefs must grab both games from the potent Central Pointers.

Although there wasn't much doubt in either game to keep the fans on the edge of their seats, iron man Bus Sporer handled the pitching chores for 14 innings. He pitched the entire first game and came back in the fifth inning of the second game.

The big inning in the first game for Roseburg was the first. Kirkpatrick got a single with the bases loaded and scored Lovell Baker. Then with the bases still occupied Norval Richey cracked a nice double to drive in three more for a total of four. Another run was scored in the second and three more in the fifth. Sporer allowed only three hits.

Brookings pitcher Shotwell returned the favor in the second game by whitewashing the Chiefs and allowing them in turn only three hits. Three men scored in the first, a lone one in the fifth and five in the sixth.

Roseburg got its only run in the seventh inning of the abbreviated second game on a long fly by Baker that let Richey scamper home from third.

Game Commission Sends Cards On Antelope Hunt

PORTLAND—(AP)—The State Game commission said today it was sending out postcards on the results of a drawing on a special antelope hunting season.

A commission spokesman said 5,938 applied for the 1,500 available antelope hunting tags. The drawing was held Tuesday. Cards already have been sent to the winners. Other cards now are going out to those unsuccessful in the drawing.

The season will be Sept. 19-25 in parts of Deschutes, Lake, Harney and Malheur counties. Hunters will be allowed to shoot one adult buck each.

An alternate list also was drawn in case any on the first list decide not to take out tags after all.

College All-Stars In Final Workouts

DELAFIELD, Wis.—(AP)—The College All-Stars plunged into their final workouts today after a secret drill in Chicago's Soldier field last night. The collegians, cream of the 1949 football crop, will face the champions of the National football league in the big lakefront arena Friday night.

All of the 50-man squad engaged in a brief review of its fundamental attack with emphasis on passing and kicking.

Head Coach Eddie Anderson of Holy Cross said he plans a final intensive scrimmage today or tomorrow. It will be secret.

Twilight Loop Fourth Place In 3-Way Tie

In one of the best played games of the season, the First Methodist team last night pulled itself up by its own boot straps and handed the Vets Employees a close 6-5 loss in the Twilight league 1-0 throw the crucial fourth place into a three way tie.

This means that the Vets Employees, the Vets All-Stars, and First Methodist, each with five wins and four losses must fight it out, since only the first four teams take part in the playoffs. On the toss of coins, after the game, the First Methodists won the right to meet the winner of the All-Stars and Vets Employees game. The latter two teams will meet tomorrow night. The winner of that game will take on the First Methodist Tuesday, Aug. 15.

Thursday night of this week will mark the beginning of the playoffs as the First Christian Church men and the Jaycees, second and third place teams, meet each other. The game will begin at 8:30 at the Grove.

The only other regular season game left to be played is a postponed game between the Lions and Faith Lutheran to see who stays in the cellar. Neither team has yet won a game. All games are free to the public according to the league director, Marlen Yoder.

Yoder also announced that the championship trophy, won by Copco, is on display in the window of West Brothers Jewelry store. Below are the scores for the last night's game by innings:

First Methodist 3 1 0 2 0 0 6
Vets Employees 2 0 0 2 1 0 0 5

Chiefs To Play 3 This Week

Team Manager Earl Sargent of the Umpqua Chiefs has announced the playing schedule for this week.

Wednesday night the team will play a practice game with Oakland at Finlay field at 8. Probable pitcher will be Cy Whiddon.

Friday night they will play a grudge game with Coquille. It was this team that handed them their first loss, 5-2.

Then on Sunday the long awaited Central Point game will be played on Finlay field. This will be the first make-up game. If the Chiefs win this one and the second make-up game they will be tied with the rampaging Cheney Studs.

Musial Takes Narrow Edge Over Robinson

NEW YORK—(AP)—Stan Musial, three-time batting king, has taken a one-point lead over Brooklyn's Jackie Robinson in the National league batting derby.

While Musial, the St. Louis slugger, retained his .361 average last week, Robinson went into a slump and his mark slipped 10 points to .350. The Dodgers' second baseman collected only five hits in 23 trips. Musial carved out 111 hits in 30 at bats.

Musial has 134 hits—five more than Robinson—in 371 tries. He has scored 73 runs, one less than Robinson.

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