



**PERFORMS TONIGHT**—Mrs. Jack Smith's accordion band will perform tonight as a prelude to the Active club-sponsored amateur hour. The program will be staged at 8 o'clock on a special stage erected in front of the grandstand at the rodeo grounds. The band will not compete, but a full program of amateur numbers by contestants will follow. Pictured, left to right, front row,

are Patty Bobcock, Nancy Lehnus, Donna Lee Bashford and John Patton; second row, Patricia Niday, Nancy Smith, Marjorie Gladwill, Larry Knaggs, LaVelle Gladwill, Richard Sjogren, LeRoy Cottrell, Mrs. Smith; third row, Joe Vanceunbrock, Ronny Barnes, Stanley Spehcer, Mrs. Bonnie Johnson, Birdeth Lundstrom and Mrs. Deloris Roberson. (Picture by Paul Jenkins)

### Simpson Paces San Diego; His Blows Pound Portland

By The Associated Press  
One of the loosest — and most productive — swingers in the Pacific Coast league belongs to San Diego's swivel-jointed outfielder, Harry Simpson.  
Harry — better known as "Suitcase" — levels on a ball in a manner reminiscent of former Coast league greats Earl Averill and Ted Williams. Last night he cannonaded a single, a double and his 22nd homer to drive in four runs in the Padres' 7-2 win over Portland.  
That enabled San Diego to remain seven games behind pacesetter Oakland, which walloped San Francisco, 11-4. Los Angeles dropped Hollywood deeper into third place with a 5-1 trimming, and Sacramento edged Seattle, 2-1, on Nick Souchock's pair of homers.  
Al Olsen pitched a six-hitter against Portland for his 16th victory and the Padres' ninth in a row. Simpson's stickwork made it easy.  
Since last Saturday, the lanky flyhawk has made 11 hits in 17 trips, pulling his average up from .315 to .329. His run batted in total of 98 makes him a real contender for honors there. Only 24, Simpson seems a cinch to join Larry Doby and Luke Easter as favorites of Cleveland's Central avenue.  
He's the Indians' property.  
Roy Zimmerman blasted five singles in six trips, pacing Oakland's 21-hit barrage against the Seals. Earl Harrist spaced 10 hits for the win, with Les Fleming getting a two-run homer.  
The home run hero, however, was Souchock, who blasted one in the seventh to break a scoreless tie. His second in the ninth inning gave Sacramento's Red Evans, a

four-hit twirler, the insurance he needed, because pinchhitter Al Lyons blasted one out of the park for Seattle in the last half of the frame. Hector Brown lost the duel.  
Bob Muncief of the Angels stifled the Stars with six hits and fanned eight. Frankie Baumholtz tripled and singled for three runs.

### Kid Matthews Lowers Boom On N.Y. Pug

SPokane — Harry (Kid) Matthews threw only three punches last night in adding another knock-out victim to his path toward a possible shot at the world's light heavyweight boxing title.  
The Seattle puncher disposed of John Thomas, New York heavyweight, in 1:15 of the first round of a scheduled 10-canto main event. A dynamite-laden right cross was the crushing blow.  
Matthews weighed 174 3-4, Thomas 182.  
Joey Velez, Spokane, decisioned Wilf Desjardins of Calgary, Alta., in a 10-round semi-windup of 138-pounds.  
In other bouts:  
Sonny Elksman, 173, Spokane, decisioned Jackie Clark, 138½, Spokane, 4; Red Garrison, 144½, Spokane, decisioned Billy Huff, 140½, Spokane, 4; Jackie Snell, 145 3-4, Spokane, decisioned Bobby Lee Davis, 145½, Seattle, 4.

### COAST LEAGUE

By The Associated Press

	W	L	Pct.
Oakland	87	56	.608
San Diego	80	63	.559
Hollywood	79	65	.549
Seattle	72	71	.503
San Francisco	70	72	.493
Portland	66	74	.471
Los Angeles	61	81	.430
Sacramento	55	88	.385

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### Insurance Suit Follows Tractor Damage In Fire

Melton D. Sutherland has filed suit in circuit court against the Standard Marine Insurance Co for \$8000 as coverage of insurance on a tractor damaged by fire.  
The complaint states that the policy guaranteed coverage of the first \$8000 and that a fire, Aug. 21, 1949, did \$9500 damage to an Allis Chalmers tractor covered by the policy. According to the complaint such money has not been paid.  
A loss payable clause in the policy states that the first \$3500 shall be paid to the Douglas County State bank and to M. C. Munson, the complaint continues. Both are named as co-defendants.  
Coen Supply Co. filed suit for \$1,261.66, allegedly remaining due on a \$5,935.36 account for building materials and supplies delivered to Henry Worthington, doing business as Roseburg Roofing Co.

General Credit Service, Inc., is suing A. T. McFarland for \$295.67, allegedly unpaid on an assigned account for labor and materials delivered to the defendant by a client.  
J. E. Froman and Martha L. Froman have sued Oran and Virgil Jackson asking restitution of property allegedly belonging to the plaintiffs. According to the complaint the defendants refuse to give up rights on the property.  
The disputed property is located west of Canyonville near Ash creek.

### Joltin' Joe May Return To Lineup Against A's

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Joe DiMaggio, New York Yankee center-fielder, said he hopes to return to the lineup Friday against the Athletics in Philadelphia.  
"I still feel kind of weak," he said, "but the rest of the past few days has done me a lot of good."  
DiMaggio was benched last week by manager Casey Stengel for the first time in his career. Stengel said he was concerned because Joe was underweight.

### Gas Turbines May Oust Piston Type In Autos

LOS ANGELES —(AP)— High speed gas turbine engines, burning cheap fuel and weighing one tenth as much as conventional types, will soon replace the piston engine in automobiles, says W. M. Brown, project engineer of the Kenworth Motor Truck Corp.  
Addressing delegates to the west coast meeting of the Society of Automotive Engineers, Brown said turbines being tested in trucks have only 10 percent as many moving parts as ordinary motors.  
They also are smokeless and operate without vibration, he said. Brown's report dealt with experimental truck operation. Other engineers at the meeting predicted that the revolutionary power system will be generally available for passenger autos within six or eight years.

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(By The Associated Press)

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Tacoma	73	48	.603
Wenatchee	68	54	.557
Tri-City	65	56	.537
Vancouver	53	67	.442
Victoria	54	71	.432
Salem	52	70	.426
Spokane	47	73	.392

**Games Last Night**  
Yakima 5, Tri-City 2.  
Salem 7-5, Tacoma 6-1 (1st game 10 innings).  
Spokane 8, Wenatchee 3.  
Victoria 3-3, Vancouver 2-1.

### Women Bowlers Called

Women interested in bowling have been invited to a meeting at the Roseburg Bowling alleys Aug. 29 at 8 p.m.  
Women's league bowling starts Sept. 12, and women bowlers have been assured of an adequate supply of sponsors. Extra teams may be formed if necessary.

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