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Chiefs Near Season End; No Games Scheduled This Week; Playoffs Set

Southern Oregon Baseball League Standings			
	W	L	Pct.
Central Point	9	1	.900
Roseburg	10	2	.833
Myrtle Creek	7	5	.583
Crescent City	7	5	.583
Brookings	7	6	.538
Ashland	6	5	.545
Grants Pass	2	11	.154
Rogue River	0	13	.000

The Umpqua Chiefs have scheduled no games for this week because no teams are available, according to team Manager Earl Sargent.

Sargent said a tentative game with the Eugene Millers had fallen through because the Millers had disbanded for the season. To his knowledge, Sargent added, no further games will be played until the crucial game with Central Point.

Roseburg came within striking distance of first place Central Point last Sunday by downing

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By The Associated Press			
AMERICAN LEAGUE			
	W	L	Pct.
Detroit	70	38	.646
Cleveland	70	44	.614
New York	67	44	.604
Boston	67	48	.583
Washington	50	50	.500
Chicago	44	70	.386
Philadelphia	40	73	.354
St. Louis	38	70	.352

Yesterday's Results			
Detroit 5, Chicago 3			
Washington 2, New York 1			
Cleveland 3, St. Louis 4			
Boston 10, Philadelphia 6 (night)			

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	W	L	Pct.
Philadelphia	69	44	.611
Brooklyn	59	47	.557
Boston	60	49	.550
St. Louis	58	51	.532
New York	56	53	.514
Chicago	48	61	.440
Cincinnati	47	61	.435
Pittsburgh	38	70	.352

BATTING — Kell, Detroit, .350; Goodman, Boston, .349.
RUNS BATTED IN — Stephens, Boston, 116; Dropp, Boston, 113.
HOME RUNS — Rosen, Cleveland, 32; Dropp and Stephens, Boston, 27.
PITCHING — Trout, Detroit, 10-2, .833.
NATIONAL LEAGUE
BATTING — Musial, St. Louis, .361; Robinson, Brooklyn, .338.
RUNS BATTED IN — Ennis, Philadelphia, 98; Kiner, Pirates, 90.
HOME RUNS — Kiner, Pittsburgh, 34; Paffko, Chicago, 28.
PITCHING — Hiller, Chicago, 8-2, .800.

Schnerer's Win Chance At Drain

By edging Tri-City last night, Schnerer's Bottlers nabbed a berth in the district playoff series at Drain to be played Monday, Aug. 21.
District Softball Commissioner Smith of Cottage Grove announced yesterday that four teams will vie in the playoffs, Roseburg, Cottage Grove, Springfield and Coos Bay.
According to Smith, the Roseburg and Cottage Grove teams will play the first game starting at 7:30 p. m., and Springfield and Coos Bay will face each other in the second. The winners of these two games will make a decision as to when the final game will be played between them.
The commissioner has chosen the Drain field since it is neutral and a strange field to all teams.
The Bottlers have scheduled a game for 2:30 p. m. Sunday with the strong Sutherland team.

'Fair To Good' Fish Forecast

PORTLAND — (AP) — "Fair to good" was the dominant note in the weekend fishing bulletin of the Oregon Game commission issued today.

The report includes: Blueback fishing continues good on many of the coastal stream. A majority of the fish are being taken in tidewater. The best reports have come from the Necanicum, Nehalem, Nestucca, Alsea, Siletz, and the Umpqua rivers. The upper reaches of Winchester Bay have also produced good Blueback fishing. Upstream trout fishing is only fair. Salmon fishing on Winchester Bay is fair to good. Good salmon catches are being made in the lower Rogue. Offshore salmon fishing has been good all along the coast. A few salmon have been taken in Yaquina Bay and Nehalem Bay. Lingcod, tomcod and perch fishing continues good in the bays. Perch, bass, bluegill and catfish catches are good in all the central coastal lakes. Bass are being taken on files in Loon and Siltcoos lakes.

SOUTHERN OREGON
Upper Umpqua—Trout angling is good, the South Umpqua in the vicinity of Days Creek being best. Steelhead fishing is fair.
Rogue River—The tributaries and upper reaches of the Rogue are producing the most limit catches. A few summer steelhead are being taken.
Diamond Lake—A few large fish have been taken. In general, angling is only fair.

FIGHT WATCHED
HOLLYWOOD — (AP) — The price is 1 to 3 on Bernard (Big Duke) Dousen for his 10-round encounter tonight with Seattle's Milo Savage, a gent who continues to keep fast company despite a number of recent setbacks.

Dousen, from New Orleans, is the eighth ranking welterweight contender. He has outpointed Savage twice before.



WRESTLING AT THE ARMORY SATURDAY NIGHT
OPENER
Jack Kiser vs. Ace Abbott
MAIN EVENT
Leo Wallick vs. Lee Grable
First Match Starts 8:45 P.M.

Odds On Brown Bomber In Charles Encounter

NEW YORK — (AP) — Ezzard Charles, the NBA recognized heavy-weight king, will be the underdog Sept. 27 when he meets Joe Louis at Yankee Stadium.

First odds offered were 3 to 1 that the Brown Bomber, now 36, would recapture the title he surrendered 18 months ago. Perhaps they'll shorten before fight time, but Louis, as always, will be favored.

Charles, 29, never has made a smashing hit with the public. He was too cautious the night he beat Jersey Joe Walcott to win recognition. He was dull and unimpressive Tuesday night at Buffalo when he stopped Freddie Besore of Harrisburg, Pa., in the 14th.

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Eight Youngsters Still In Junior Golf Running

AMES, Ia. — (AP) — Eight ambitious youngsters remained in the running today for the national junior golf championship in the tournaments sponsored by the U. S. Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The top young fellow, as far as reputation is concerned, was Gay Brewer, an 18-year-old from Lexington, Ky. Gay won the national junior tournament conducted by the U.S.G.A. in 1949. Only last Sunday he finished 11th in the "world" amateur meet at Tam O'Shanter.

But sharpshooting Gay had a rugged quarterfinal foe in Doug Oepcke, Madison, Wis. The last Pacific northwest entries were beaten yesterday.

PITCHER DRAFTED

NEW YORK — (AP) — Erv Palica's 5-1 pitching victory over the New York Giants yesterday may have been his last appearance for Brooklyn for a while.

When the 22-year-old Dodger righthander returned to the Polo Grounds clubhouse he found Uncle Sam's draft notice waiting for him. The Lomita, Calif., pitcher was married only last year.

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