

## Pacific Teams Assume Hollywood Air New Record Might Be Set On Run Of Spring Salmon

By The Associated Press  
If baseball ever assumed a Hollywood motif, play last night in the Western International league would earn Oscars for the bat, the arm, and the unearned.  
The bat would be catcher Bill Brenner of the Yakima Bears who drove in seven runs as Yakima defeated Wenatchee 9-1 at Yakima. Brenner drove in three runs in the third with a long single and chased four more across in the seventh with a bases-loaded home run.  
Cast as the arm would be Jim Holder of Spokane who hurled the Spokane Indians to a 7 to 1 victory over Vancouver at Vancouver. The decision gave Holder a spotless 8-0 slate and left Spokane six games behind Vancouver.  
The unearned was enacted at Tacoma where the Tacoma Tigers scored seven unearned runs to defeat the Tri-City Braves 7 to 3. Hal

Scherting helped Tacoma along with an inside-the-park home run. At Victoria, the Salem Senators scored two runs in the 11th inning to edge Victoria Athletics 4 to 2. The winning tallies came on singles by Dick Faber, Dick Myers and Pete Tedeschi's plus Dick Bartle's outfield fly.

### WINS HONORS

PORTLAND — (AP)—John Langford, of Portland, posted a 13-under-par 273 for 72 holes yesterday for top honors in the Oregon Open Golf tournament at nearby Milwaukie.  
Bob Duden of Portland, was second with 279, followed by Glenn Spivy with 279. Chuck Congdon of Tacoma was fourth with 280.

Sam Urzetta, National Amateur Golf champion, was a star basketball player for St. Bonaventure University.

The run of spring chinook salmon in the North Umpqua river continues well ahead of the 1946 parent run and is showing possibility of matching the record year of 1947.

Bill Pitney, resident biologist for the State Game commission, reports the run has held up well during the first two weeks of June.

The Umpqua river survey was started in 1946. In that year the total run was 1,974 fish, with 1,700 counted by June 15. During the first two weeks of June, 358 salmon were tallied at the counting station. The 1,700 fish counted for the season through June 15, 1946, represented 86.1 percent of total run.

This year 393 salmon went over the counting station board between June 1 and June 15 to bring the current total to 2,460. Fish now in the river were spawned by the 1946 run.

In 1947 only 142 fish appeared during the first half of June, as compared with 393 this year. But the count by June 15 was 2,477 fish, representing 82.7 percent of the total migration of 2,994.

Record Possible  
As this year's count is only 17 fish behind the 1947 figures for the same date, possibility is seen that the record 1947 total may be passed, if the percentage should remain favorable.

The June 15 count in 1948, was only 75.4 percent of total run, Pitney points out, while the ratio in 1950 was 74.1 percent. On the other hand, 90.1 percent of total run had passed the counting station by June 15 in 1949. Total migration in previous years included 2,245 in 1948, 2,109 in 1949 and 2,044 in 1950.

The count on jack salmon shows 544 to June 15 this year as com-

pared with 336 for the same date in 1946, 662 in 1947, 189 in 1948, 454 in 1949 and 213 in 1950. Percentage of jack salmon migration as compared with the annual total compare very closely to the ratio given for adults, except in the year 1946 when the June 15 count was only 63 percent of the 533 total.

Summer steelhead tallies this season are the highest for June 15 since the river study started. The summer run is considered to start June 1, Pitney reports. While there is some overlapping from winter-run fish, arbitrary dates give a fairly accurate check on each species.

Summer steelheads counted to June 15 this year number 335, as compared with 331 in 1946 for 9.8 percent of the 3,361 total; 200 in 1947, 4.3 percent of 5,113; 159 in 1948, 5.8 percent of 2,762; 136 in 1949, 8.1 percent of 1,672, and 131 in 1950, 4.6 percent of 2,835.

### Boeing Aims At Making B-52 Chief Jet Bomber

SEATTLE — (AP)—Boeing is aiming at making its B-52 jet bomber "the chief strategic bomber of our nation."

William M. Allen, Boeing president, told the Seattle chamber of commerce that the secret B-52 will have eight jet engines and will be capable of intercontinental bombing.

He indicated he expects the B-52 to supplant the B-36 as the nation's best long-range bomber, but added:

"There is competition for the B-52 in the form of a swept-wing version of the B-36. It is our job to see that the B-52 is a substantially superior article."



**HOMERS IN CUPID'S LEAGUE**—Ralph Kiner, Pittsburgh's home run swatter, and Nancy Chaffee, California tennis star, wear happy smiles in a New York restaurant where they announced their engagement at a private party. They indicated they will wed after the end of the major league season. Nancy goes to London where she will compete in the Wimbledon tennis championships. (AP Wirephoto)

Boeing is now building two experimental models of the B-52 here.

### Pelton Dam Opposed By Interior Secretary

PORTLAND — (AP)—Oscar L. Chapman, secretary of the Interior, has lined up with Oregon sportsmen and fish interests in opposition to the proposed Pelton dam.

Chapman recommended that the Federal Power commission deny Portland General Electric company a license to build the hydroelectric project.

PGE wants to build the \$22,000,000 project on the Deschutes river north of Madras.

Chapman's letter said "construction of Pelton dam would be highly detrimental to the present fishery resource." Of even greater significance, he said, was the potential loss of fish production in the proposed Columbia river fisheries development program.

### Eugene Sailor Saves 2 Children From Death

ASTORIA — (AP)—A young sailor from Eugene saved two children from drowning in the chilling Columbia river here.

This was the way police reported the story:

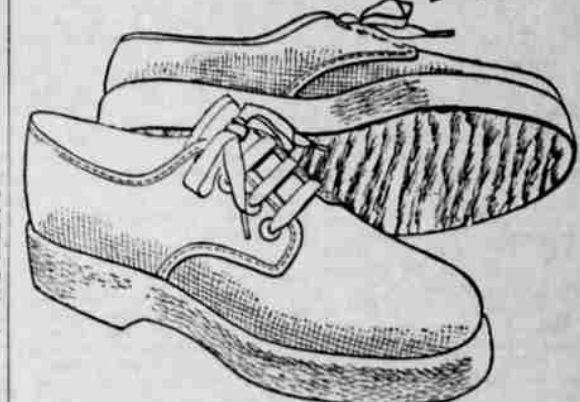
Robert E. Young, 25, Tongue Point sailor whose home is in Eugene, ran to the river when his wife heard screams and saw two children clinging to piling some 300 yards out in the river. Young stripped off his jeans,

pushed a log into the river, and swam with it to the children, Jim Alvin, 14, and his sister Martha Alvin, 12. Young then helped the children cling to the log until a gillnetter, whose name was not learned, came alongside and picked them up.

The children, police reported, could not swim. They were dumped into the water when their skill upset. Taken home, they were unharmed.

Young, a former University of Oregon student, was a naval reservist.

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