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Drain Sox Attract Top Talent In SWO Loop

The darkness that has shrouded Drain's strength in the Southwest Oregon League baseball free-for-all this year was suddenly dispelled Tuesday night.

In a word, the Drain Black Sox will be "loaded." Like every other club in the seven-team loop, the Black Sox went all out to get the best semi-pro material in the state.

Topping the list of recruits to the Drain stumping ground is Harvey Storey, recently retired Portland Beaver third baseman. Storey played 12 years of professional baseball and quit the pros with a lifetime average of .309. This year he was playing with the San Diego Padres before being sold to Little Rock of the Southern Association. He decided to quit pro ball rather than go to Little Rock. His release was announced three days ago. Yesterday he was listed with Drain.

Another pro down from the ranks is Bill Hanauka, who pitched for Salem in the Western International League. He has been playing semi-pro ball for the last couple of years and is classed as one of the best in the state. At the other end of the battery is Bill Beard, a former catcher with Seattle and Salem.

Also from the ranks of the semi-pros comes Jack Fassett, who two years ago was voted the outstanding semi-pro player at the state tournament.

Joining these four are a host of college and former college players of some note. As might be expected, Linfield's brilliant control artist, Jerry Cade, is listed as one of the pitchers. He was last year's big name in Douglas County prep baseball. Others are: Chuck Barfano and Ed Rutschmann from Linfield, Norvall Ritchey, Don Kimball and Ron Phillips from the University of Oregon.

The roster also lists Ted Wilson of McMinnville, Glen Cox of Yoncalla, Tom Myers, formerly with the Blue Mountain League, Ray Cole of Yoncalla, Howard Parks of Elkton and Frank Jacobs, a former semi-pro from St.

Louis. All have had college or semi-professional experience.

Coaching the club this year is Don Kirsch, University of Oregon baseball mentor. He played a short time with the Roseburg Umpqua Chiefs last year.

The proof of the pudding will be made this Sunday when the Black Sox tangle with the perennially powerful Medford Cheney Studs at Drain.

Bill Chatham, former Drain High School Coach, is business manager of the team. Other members on the policy and business end are: Treasurer Tom Myers, Secretary Tom Cox and Board of Control members Harold Wooley, Jim Whipple, Avery Lasswell, Jack Randall, Bob Miller and A. A. "Pop" Sandlin.

Senior High Annual Offers Larger Edition

The American Indian is the theme of the 1952 "Umpqua," annual of Roseburg Senior High School.

Edited by Lois McKinney, it is 10 pages larger than last year's publication. Shirley Sarr was the business manager and Mrs. Dafne Riffe, advisor.

The staff also included Shirley Brennan, assistant editor; Esther Evans, art editor; Bill Drake, sports; Evelyn Husen, senior editor; Carol Kinch and Elaine Olson, freshman and sophomore editors; Donna Schaeffer and Carolee Ruthertford, typists.

Class pictures are by Miller's Moderne Studio. Snapshots are by Gordon Wiley, Ike Kenney and Eugene White.

Stojack, Weaver Will Meet In Saturday Night Match

Frankie Stojack and Leo Wallick will be back in the Roseburg Armory wrestling arena Saturday night, but on different ends of an attractive double main event.

Stojack accused Buck Weaver of handing him a raw decision in his hotly contested match with Wallick last week. In fact, he was so disgruntled he took a swing at Weaver before the armory police stepped in. It was Weaver who refereed the match, but he failed to notice that Wallick was illegally gripping Stojack's thighs on the all-important final pin.

Matchmaker Elton Owen saw the makings of a "natural" in Stojack's disapproval. He asked both Weaver and Stojack if they would like to settle the question in the ring and both readily accepted to make up half of the double main event.

Wallick, the bruising Detroit piledriver artist, flatly refused to meet Stojack again. He couldn't hide his pleasure at having dumped the champ, and even boasted that he was running out of competition in the Northwest. So, Owen picked one of the best to test Wallick's opinion. He is Jack

Kiser, probably the top drop kick artist in the Northwest. He comes to Roseburg after successful stints at Seattle and Salt Lake City.

Both main event will be best-two-of-three with a 45-minute time limit. The special event opener, one fall and 20 minutes, pits Toi Yamato against Frenchy Roy.

These three matches on the card are slated for a new time because of daylight saving. The special event gets underway at 8:45 p.m.

JACK VISITS KIWANIS

Glenn R. Jack, Republican candidate for National Committeeman, was introduced Tuesday at the Kiwanis Club meeting, held at the Umpqua Hotel. He was the guest of Paul Geddes.

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Oregon Pear Growers Retain Bureau Chief

PORTLAND (AP) — E. R. Pooley, Hood River, has been re-elected president of the Oregon-Washington-California Pear Bureau.

Results of balloting among members of the pear growers association were announced Tuesday.

New vice presidents include: J. W. Hebert, Yakima; J. A. Hodapp, Placerville, Calif.; Paul Seeley, Wenatchee; and H. B. Murphy, Medford.

Fred J. Stratmann, formerly of New York and Los Angeles, was

appointed manager to succeed R. A. Patterson, resigned.

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As retiring county clerk, I take this opportunity to express my thanks and gratitude to the people of Douglas County for their support that has made me your county clerk for the past twenty-three years. It has been a pleasure to have served you and I am retiring from office at the end of this year with pleasant memories. I hope and trust that my services have been up to expectations.

I had not intended to enter into another political campaign, but Victor J. Micelli, candidate for county clerk, has seen fit to inject into the campaign that "He believes that the people, not some county official, should select your new county clerk." And, to whom is this insinuation directed but to the incumbent county clerk?

Well, to make my position clear, I did not select Charlie Doerner as a candidate for county clerk. That was his idea. But, had I selected him I would be very happy to acknowledge it. Charlie came into my employ some three years ago, when I was desperately in need of a chief deputy, and he has proved a very efficient man. He is courteous and conscientious and a hard worker. He will meet you with a smile and attend to your wants, whether major or minor, cheerfully and without hedging or haggling. He has had the experience of three years in this office and knows the job. You will do no better than to nominate and elect Charlie Doerner for your next county clerk, and I heartily recommend him to you. And, he will let you call him Charlie.

Yours truly,

ROY AGEE

Show Feature Dated At Pre-Princess Ball

Rick Fay's "Crazy Cats" will appear on the floor show at the Pre-Princess Ball at the Roseburg Armory, May 16. The event is sponsored by the Jaycees.

Bob Weaver's orchestra will play from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. It was recently featured at Cerritos in San Francisco and in other top California shows.

All contestants are to be present at the dance, which is expected to break all attendance records for Armory dancing parties. The event is to be broadcast.

National League Umpire Augie Donatelli was a tail gunner on a B-17 during World War II. He was captured by the Nazis and held prisoner for 15 months.

VOTE FOR JOHN P. AMACHER

Republican Candidate for State Representative



Primary Election May 16

Read What the OREGON VOTER said about Amacher in its issue of April 12:

John P. Amacher, a Swiss who became an American citizen in the early '20's after serving in the Switzerland army during WWI period, and has become an integral part of the community life of Douglas County, seeks one of the two Republican nominations for representative of that county.

Born at Ringgenberg in 1895, attended Swiss public and hotel management schools, came to U.S. in 1920 and promptly applied for citizenship. In hotel work in Portland to 1932, when purchased and developed Alpine Lodge south of Canyonville, operated it until 1938, when purchased auto court and farm at Winchester, developed it into Motel and runs ranch.

Active in sports organizations, past vice-president Oregon Wildlife Federation, member Isaac Walton League, chairman Douglas County Parks Board, on O & C land advisory board, member Roseburg Chamber of Commerce forestry committee, one of organizers of Umpqua Basin Improvement Council. Elk, Mason, active Republican worker.

A substantial citizen, who says: "I have no ax to grind; willing to do what I can to serve my adoptive country."

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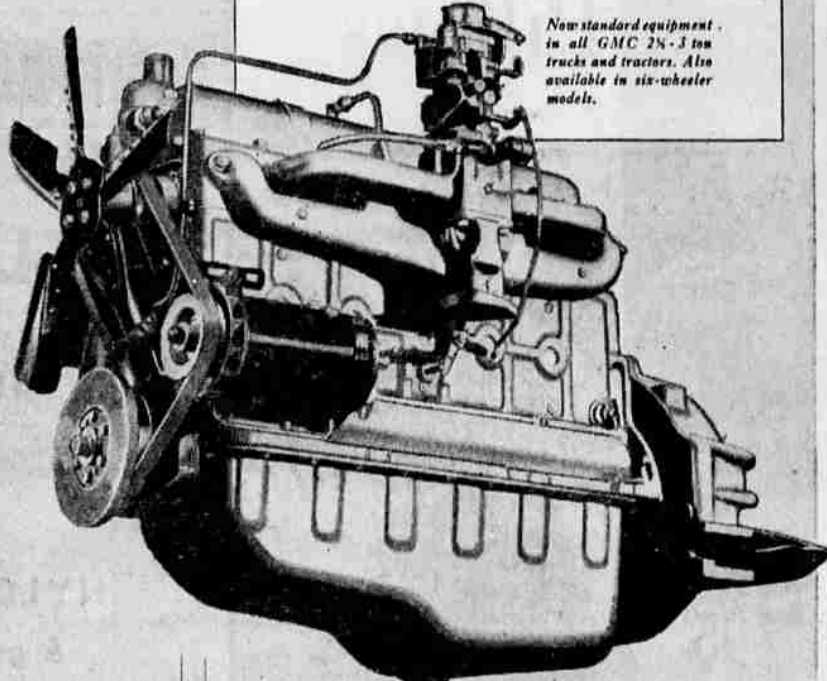
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