

Sports

Drain-Brookings Game Halted In Fourth Frame

A doubleheader between Brookings and Drain was rained out Sunday in the fourth inning of the first game, according to Thomas Myers, Drain.

Drain was leading at that point by a 7-3 margin.

The games have been rescheduled for Drain on July 3 and 4 in a day-night weekend series. Next weekend, the Black Sox take on the Medford squad of the Southern Oregon League in a pair in Drain.

The two games scheduled at Medford, pitting the Cheney Studs and the Coquille Loggers was also postponed by rain.



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PCC Teams Favored In AAU Track Meet

EVANSTON, Ill. (AP) — Loaded with Southern California talent, the Pacific Coast Conference is expected to continue its track dominance over the Big Ten Tuesday night in the annual interconference meet.

The meet features 35 all stars from each conference and will be run off in an hour and a half, at Northwestern University's Dyche Stadium.

PCC teams have won eight of 12 previous meets, including the last three. The Western athletes are favored heavily, mostly on the basis of comparative performances in Saturday's NCAA meet at Ann Arbor, Mich.

Southern California, which has 14 men on the PCC squad, ran away with the NCAA meet—scoring more than twice as many points as the runnerup squad, Illinois of the Big Ten.

Illinois had three individual winners to Southern Cal's two, but the Trojans piled up points with a variety of seconds, thirds and other placings.

The USC contingent is headed by high jumper Ernie Shelton and 440-yard man Jim Lea, both NCAA winners. Shelton narrowly missed a 7-foot effort at Ann Arbor and Lea ran the 40 in 46.7 seconds for his second consecutive NCAA crown.

Other coast NCAA winners expected to repeat are miler Bill Dellinger of Oregon and polevaulter Larry Anderson of California.

In addition, the PCC is expected to get a cinch one-two placing in the discus from Southern Cal's Des Koch and Les Patterson.

THEIR DAY

WILMINGTON, Del. (AP) — Delaware Park's \$100,000 added New Castle Handicap, world's richest race for fillies and mares, was a big occasion for the ladies last year.

The first three thoroughbreds under the wire were owned by ladies.

Grecian Queen won for Mrs. E. F. Whitaker. Devilkin was second for Mrs. John W. Hanes. My Celeste took third money for Mrs. Constance Morabito.

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Cow Elk Chases Men Tagging Ear Of Calf

A cow elk, unhappy with having her home disturbed, recently challenged three intruders to a duel in no uncertain terms, according to the Oregon Game Commission.

Accompanied by Dean Higginbotham, Weyerhaeuser Timber Co. forester, Bob Mace and Bob Cortrell of the commission staff were in the process of ear-tagging a calf elk when its irate mother let them know that she definitely disapproved of such goings on. The tagging was being done as part of a program being carried out in the state to mark big game animals to determine their movements. Since there are numerous

lik bearing their young on the Weyerhaeuser land near the Mill-Koma River, the company agreed to let the game men work in this area.

After one of the youngsters had been banded, it let out a piercing call that alerted the cow and brought her charging down the hill into the midst of the three interlopers. To add to the confusion, the calf, instead of running to mother, headed toward Cortrell who was making a hasty retreat. Fortunately, the maternal instincts of the elk did not surpass her fear of man, and she stopped short of actual contact with the

Elliott Retains PCL Bat Lead

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — San Diego leftfielder Harry Elliott is still the No. 1 batter among Pacific Coast League regulars, official statistics showed Tuesday.

Elliott was hitting .358 in games through Sunday, statistician William J. Weiss said.

The top ten:

	G	AB	H	Per.
Grant, Port	19	24	0	.375
H. Elliott, SD	69	268	96	.358
Robbe, Port	38	86	34	.354
V. Jones, Sac	70	256	89	.348
Cuitt, Oak	51	170	59	.347
Phillips, Hwd	66	247	85	.344
Beard, Hwd-SF	64	210	72	.343
Chapman, Oak	66	260	86	.331
Sizler, SD	70	272	89	.327
Rapp, SD	68	225	73	.327

Averages of other Seattle and Portland players:

Byrne, Sea	29	31	18	.314
Judnich, Port	68	244	75	.307
A. Wilson, Sea	66	277	84	.303
Austin, Port	68	278	83	.299
Restelli, Port	60	195	56	.287
Schmees, Sea	45	158	45	.283
Thomas, Sea	62	218	59	.269
Arft, Port	51	142	38	.268
Priddy, Sea	50	162	41	.253
Egger, Port	61	192	47	.245
Kranich, Port	44	159	39	.245
Tobin, Sea	47	163	39	.239
Zarilla, Sea	39	194	46	.237
Gladstone, Port	45	152	36	.237
Basinski, Port	65	208	49	.236
Maddern, Sea	61	205	47	.229
Glaviano, Sea	66	207	47	.227
Orteig, Sea	56	168	38	.226
Glad, Port	43	133	30	.226
Fernandez, Sea	47	139	31	.223
Ross, Port	35	111	24	.216
Mallott, Sea	31	88	19	.216
J. Ebraut, Sea	27	73	14	.192
Combs, Sea-Sac	48	157	30	.191
Bukowatz, Sea	5	10	1	.100

Stars Lead Loop

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Pace setting Hollywood's one-two pitching punch, George Munger and Mel Queen headed Pacific Coast League hurlers through last Sunday's games.

Munger topped the percentage list with an 8-1 record for .889. Queen was next with 11-2 for .846. The latter leads the circuit in victories.

Averages include games of June 13.

	G	BB	SO	W	L
Wight, SD	7	17	15	3	0
T. Smith, SD	7	2	18	1	0
White, Oak	8	5	7	1	1
Munger, Hwd	15	21	35	8	1
Queen, Hwd	16	34	66	11	2
W. Evans, Sea	10	23	24	5	1
Donoso, Hwd	18	16	55	8	2
Pieretti, Sac	15	34	32	9	3
Schallock, Oak	8	16	27	6	2
Fannin, SD	10	32	38	3	1
V. Fletcher, Sea	23	7	10	3	1
Chambers, SD	15	36	25	6	3
Chandler, LA-SF	11	19	19	6	3
Hiller, SF	9	10	20	4	2
Daley, Sac	5	11	24	2	1
Gettel, Oak	17	37	52	7	4
Zabala, SF	26	18	25	7	4
Candini, Se	20	10	18	5	3
Ebraut, SD	19	42	54	8	5
Seattle and Portland averages:	17	13	16	3	2
Hernandez, Sea	13	19	52	7	5
G. Elliott, Port	13	19	52	7	5



PITCHES NO HITTER — Big Jim Wilson wipes off some of the sweat after posting the first no-hit no-run game of the 1954 major league season over the Philadelphia Phillies. The Braves beat the Phils 2-0.

Political Parties Play Charity Contest Tonight

WASHINGTON (AP) — Politics and baseball mix Tuesday night as a picked team of Democrats sets out to defend a six-year winning streak against an up-and-coming Republican team in the annual congressional baseball game.

The game—its for charity—is billed for five innings under the lights at Griffith Stadium. Vice President Nixon will throw out the first ball.

Three Pacific Northwest congressmen will be playing for the Republicans. Rep. Tollefson of Washington is scheduled to hold down third base, with Rep. Conn of Oregon working behind the plate and Budge of Idaho as shortstop.

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Spokane Heads For Possible Final Western International Loop Tilts

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The Spokane Indians headed in to Canada Tuesday for what could be their last games in the Western International League while the 'ans at home awaited ways and means of keeping the club in baseball's largest circuit.

The schedule sends the Indians to Edmonton and Calgary during the week of grace allowed by league directors Sunday. The directors, meeting to study plans to keep the financially harassed league alive, declared the Spokane franchise forfeited. However, they agreed to operate the club for a week while local fans worked on a program under which ownership would be transferred from Roy Hotchkiss.

The directors said if the community ownership plan fails, the league will be cut to nine teams. Hotchkiss, blaming the poor attendance that has plagued all teams of the loop and his own operation of the club after Sunday.

He set \$225,000 as the price for his holdings, but said he thought a lease could be worked out. One hurdle was cleared Monday when the president of a rival club put up \$7,000 for back pay owed the Spokane players. Orin E. (Babe) Hollingbery, former Washington State College football coach who now is president of the Yakima Bears, gave a personal check to pay the players.

The Indians are scheduled to play three games at Edmonton, starting Tuesday night, and four at Calgary, before the deadline set by the league.

All clubs were idle Monday night. Rain washed out a scheduled Vancouver-Victoria game and an exhibition contest between Salem and Seattle of the Pacific Coast League.

Victoria will play a doubleheader at Vancouver Tuesday night. Lewiston will be at Calgary. Tri-City at Wenatchee and Salem at Yakima.

Straits Termed Rugged Swim

SEATTLE (AP) — Florence Chadwick rates the Strait of Juan de Fuca as a more rugged swimming than the English Channel, the Straits of Gibraltar, the Bosphorus or the Dardanelles.

The San Diego mermaid, who has conquered the others, will tackle the 18 1/2-mile stretch between Vancouver Island and Washington's Olympic Peninsula in August.

Here to make plans for the test, Miss Chadwick said Monday swimming the strait will be "the most difficult thing I ever attempted." She estimated she will swim 22 miles in bucking strong currents in water which averages 49 degrees. She said the English Channel, which she has swum twice, averages about 55 degrees.

Miss Chadwick said she expects to make the attempt between Aug. 9 and 12 when weather and tides are most favorable.

Mail Orders Accepted For Pro Grid Contests

Oregon Sports Attractions has announced it is ready to start accepting mail orders for the two professional football games on its schedule.

The organization will be presenting the first football game in the country this year when the Los Angeles Rams meet the New York Giants Sunday, Aug. 8. The second contest will feature the Rams against the Chicago Cardinals Saturday, Sept. 4. Both games are scheduled at Multnomah Stadium in Portland. Reservations can be made by writing Oregon Sports Attractions in the Dekum Build-



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