

Eugene Shells Wenatchee '9'

NORTHWEST LEAGUE			
	W	L	Pct. GB
Eugene	22	13	.629
Lewiston	20	14	.588 1 1/2
Tri-City	18	15	.545 3
Wenatchee	18	17	.514 4
Salem	16	17	.485 5
Spokane	16	22	.421 7 1/2
Yakima	13	25	.342 10 1/2

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The Eugene Emeralds brought out their big guns Tuesday night to end Wenatchee's threat to their dominance of the Northwest Baseball League.

The Emeralds shelled three Wenatchee pitchers for 17 hits in a 20-10 slugfest that ended the "crucial" series at Wenatchee at a game apiece. The setback dropped the Chiefs four games back of the Oregonians with two contests remaining in the current stand.

The Tri-City Braves kept pace with the Emeralds, however, with an 8-7 win over Yakima that left them still three games away from the leader.

Salem beat Spokane 6-2 in the league's other encounter to square the series at Spokane at one each. The semi-pro Cheney Studs beat Lewiston 15-3 in an exhibition game at Tacoma.

Martinez, Olson Step Up Training

PORTLAND (AP) — Bobo Olson, middleweight champion, and Jimmy Martinez stepped up their training Wednesday in preparation for their non-title 10-round bout at Multnomah Stadium Saturday night.

Olson, wanting to step up his timing, took on two fast Portland brothers, Phil and Denny Moyer, who fight as amateurs. With Denny, Olson polished up defense, blocking jabs and stepping up his footwork. He did more of the same with Phil, but also cut loose a few times, shaking up Phil.

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State Tournament Play Next For Roseburg Lumberjill '9'

Locals Stomp Sutherliners

Roseburg's Lumberjill were making final preparations today for their women's softball state championship tourney trek after defeating Sutherlin 12-2 Tuesday night at Schermer Field.

The Lumberjills open play in the state tourney with a game at 1 p.m. Friday against either Forest Grove or Oswego. Roseburg drew a first round bye in the 11-team field.

In Tuesday's game, the Lumberjills won the game in two big innings. They scored seven runs in the first frame and five in the fourth. A total of 11 hits and eight Sutherlin errors promoted most of the runmaking.

Four singles, three errors and a two-base hit by Alta Gildersleeve scored seven first-inning runs. In the fifth, Margaret Blizard homered with one on base. Gildersleeve led batting with 2-2, Gladys Oyler had 2-3 and Blizard hit 2-4. Blizard and Jackie Weber who shared mound duties allowed Sutherlin three hits and Blizard struck out nine.

The Lumberjills drew an encouraging report when it was learned that Betty Rudzik, an all-star last year, would be available for the state tourney upon receiving 28-day leave from the WACS.

Sutherlin 000 011 0-2 3 8
Lumberjill 700 500 X-12 11 8
Warren and Scott; Blizard, Weber (5) and Gildersleeve, Young (5).

Prospective Footballers To Meet At Sutherlin

All prospective Sutherlin High school football players are asked to report to a meeting Friday evening at 8 at the high school gym, according to Head Coach Ralph Dyson. Sutherlin opens its season with a home game against Coquille, Friday, Sept. 9.



STAN MUSIAL
... hits 999th

Musial Nears Big Hit Mark

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Stan Musial had just belted a home run—the 999th extra base hit of his sparkling 13-year career in the National League—but it didn't make much difference to him. St. Louis lost the ball game.

The only runs the floundering Redbirds got in a 6-2 loss to Warren Spahn and the Milwaukee Braves Tuesday night came across on Musial's 24th circuit blast in the eighth inning.

The blow meant little to Stan, on his first visit to County Stadium since beating the American League with a 12th inning homer in the All-Star game July 12.

"Thanks," he said with little enthusiasm as he was congratulated after the game. "Yeah, I'm getting there slowly," he added, referring to the 1,000th extra base hit mark.

But that was all he had to say. The Cards had lost their 10th game in 11 starts and were firmly entrenched in seventh place.

Musial leads all other active major leaguers in the extra base hit column. Babe Ruth holds the all-time record of 1,356. Mel Ott is second with 1,071. Both Ruth and Ott played 22 years.

When he gets his 1,000th, Musial will become the ninth player to turn the trick. His predecessors besides Ruth and Ott, were Lou Gehrig, Ty Cobb, Jimmy Foxx, Tris Speaker, Rogers Hornsby, and Honus Wagner.

Grid Officials' Clinic Scheduled Here Aug. 16

Oden Hawes of the Oregon School Activities Assn. will hold an officials' football clinic Tuesday, Aug. 16 at 8 p.m. at the Roseburg Senior high school. A football movie will be shown and rule books will be available to those interested in them.

Prospective football officials from this area can sign up at that time. The date of the first regular meeting of the Douglas County Football Officials Assn. will be set at that time.

Sports

Micromidgets Continue Races At Yoncalla Site

Sunday evening micromidget auto racing will continue at the Yoncalla Rodeo grounds while the weather permits this summer.

In a meeting between the Yoncalla Saddle Club, the Micro Racing Assn. of Drain and Yoncalla and Yoncalla Lions Club members, it was agreed that the racing association should put the arena back into shape for weekend racing.

The racing association also agreed to pay the electric bill for use of lights at the grounds.

Venezuela Race Track Betting Pays High Price

CARACAS, Venezuela (AP) — A taxicab driver and a groceryman parlayed \$4 into \$298,000 by picking six straight winners at the Hipodromo Nacional Race Track Sunday.

Their joint ticket was the only one of nearly 30,000 which had a perfect score under the popular five-and-six betting system. Sheets are sold to the bettors who can pick five or six races. The operation is similar to that of football pools in America.

The windfall came to Jesus Villamizar, the hack driver, and Jesus Martinez, the grocer, who said they had been betting together every Sunday for years.

"You've got to be persistent if you want to be lucky," said Villamizar. "That goes for horse racing as well as women."

Odell Trout Plan Paying Dividends

The first indication that the Oregon Game Commission's lake trout stocking program in Odell Lake is beginning to pay dividends showed itself in an exceptional manner this summer.

Comprehensive creel census and records kept by resort owners have shown that of all lake trout caught by anglers this year, 85 per cent of the fish have been from the 1951 or first stocking of lake trout under the existing planting program. Approximately 500 of the marked lakers ranging in weight from one to five pounds have been taken by anglers.

Yearling Fish Released

To circumvent the critical egg and fingerling stages when the trout seem to be particularly vulnerable, the Game Commission has been releasing fish as yearlings. With a minimum of predation taking place, the planted yearlings have had a chance to grow to good size and find an abundance of food at the expense of the whitefish and roach. The success of this program is shown by the excellent angler catch of this season.

With a good population of Mackinaw in the lake, perhaps now the tables may be turned in their favor, with the lake trout now feeding on the roach and whitefish, keeping their numbers in check.

Annual Plantings Vary

For the past four years, the Oregon Game Commission has been placing from 30,000 to 60,000 Mackinaw into Odell Lake, depending upon the availability of eggs. Some of the eggs have been received from Canada and some have been taken from fish in the lake itself. In all probability the Mackinaw fishery in Odell Lake would have been very slow had it not been for the stocking program.

Lake trout were originally planted in Odell Lake more than 35 years ago but were unable to maintain themselves through natural propagation in sufficient numbers to produce good fishing. Lake trout broadcast their eggs instead of burying them as do other trout.

After sitting on the bench for two years, bonus pitcher Tom Qualters has been optioned by the Phillies to Reading, N. C., in the Class B Carolina League.

Andersons Cop Honors In Mixed Doubles Play

John and Sylvia Anderson led Tuesday night's mixed doubles bowling with a combined total of 1,166 pins. Jim and Marge Hennebeck were second with 1,163.

For the ladies, Mrs. Anderson had high game of 537 (195-171-171) and Eunice Noel rolled high game of 209. Other highs included a 185 by Corinne Stewart, 178, 177 by Shirley Hopkins and 174 by Madalyn Waters.

Other high doubles teams were Ed Davis and Eunice Noel with 1,144, Charles and Shirley Hopkins with 1,140 and Ted Meyers and Corinne Stewart with 1,125.

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