



Oregon federal aid projects for the restoration and development of the sport fishery and wildlife resource will have a banner year in 1936,142 it was learned. The money is Oregon's share of the \$18,000,000 federal aid funds to be announced by the Secretary of the Interior.

Under the Pittman - Robertson Act, which provides for an excise tax on sporting arms and ammunition, Oregon's share in the apportionment amounts to \$288,985, the money to be used for wildlife restoration programs.

The 10 per cent excise tax on fishing tackle under the Dingell-Johnson Act brought a return to the state of \$107,137 to be used for sport fishery projects.

As prescribed in the Pittman-Robertson Act for wildlife and the Dingell-Johnson Act for sport fish, the federal government has two big gifts go to hunters and fishermen who seek recreation and food from the nation's fields and streams.

NEW YORK — For almost 15 weeks last baseball season a man was paid to sit on a flange, a high-arched building in Milwaukee. His only chore was to stay there until the Braves had won seven games in a row.

Six days before the campaign closed, he came down. The Braves had not been able to come up with a seven-game streak and, naturally, it was too late then.

Crazy? Maybe. But that's nothing compared to many other unusual and bizarre incidents that took place in the major leagues in 1955.

For example, did you know that:

1. A pitcher worked four scoreless innings with a fractured wrist?

TACOMA (P) — Roy Bergho, man in the outboard-powered boat, had a far-seeing tale to tell Tuesday and set out by truck to conquer the Strait of Juan de Fuca in his strange device.

He is bypassing Seattle, he said, "because there is not enough money in that town."

Bergho, who landed in Tacoma nearly two weeks ago after coming off from Olympia, will spend one day in his hometown of Everett and then go to Port Angeles for the attempted strait crossing.

"That's where my pot of gold is," he said. "Those Canadians are crazy about the Strait."

SAN JUAN, P.R. — Di-
Howell, reserve catcher for the
world champion Brooklyn Dodgers
is managing the Mayaguez-Agu-
illa team in the Puerto Rican ba-
ball league. Mickey O'connor, Bos-
Red Sox coach, is running the
Ponce team. Ben Gerachy, Phil-
Dodger infielder and Jacksonville, Fla.,
pilot, is at the helm of Co-
guesa - Guayami. George Ge-
vase, who had Willie Mays at Tre-
nton, N.J., in 1950, is San Juan Pi-
and Herman Franks, 1955 N.Y.
York Giant coach, is handling Sa-
ture.

Saturday night's wrestling card at the Armory marks the return of the sinister and sneering Japanese from Singapore. The Great Yamato, Yamato will meet Jack Kiser in main event action. Matchmaker Elton Owen announced that the wrestling mid-gets, which were scheduled to appear here this weekend, have been postponed until Saturday night Oct. 29.

Nipponese Packs Bulk
The Japanese grappler will outweigh Kiser by nearly 20 pounds but Kiser is said not to be one bit concerned about this fact. The clash for one hour or the best of three falls.

Demchuck is a ring veteran who has done most of his wrestling in Ohio and now makes his home in Los Angeles. Fans who have seen him on channel six Friday nights know of his prowess and ability. He can match Weaver in both skill and experience, a fact which entertains the prospect of a close match.

John Paul Henning, the popular Pacific Coast heavyweight cham-

SAN FRANCISCO — A deal by Hank Greenberg, general manager of the Cleveland Indians, to buy the San Francisco Seals baseball club appeared in the bag Wednesday.

Miller, who struggled with slumping attendance and growing debts last season, broke into a big grin.

"I've gone over all the books, but there are still people and things I want to know before coming to a decision," Greenberg said.

If all turns out as expected, Greenberg said he would make a press

Miller said, would be a \$100,000 deal.

"Hank would have to assume a

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MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP)—The ranks of United States amateur tennis were further thinned today with the announcement that Doris Hart, the nation's No. 1 woman player, had turned professional.

Miss Hart, an active amateur for 20 years and winner of all the world's major women's tennis titles, will become a teaching pro at the Flamingo Hotel here.

Hart, who has won the Wimbledon title, takes on Thor Hagen in the opening 20-minute special event match which is expected to be a scientific study.

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The state fish and game departments proceed to carry out the plans, spending their own funds, then are reimbursed 75 per cent of the cost. The remaining 25 per cent of the cost of the project is financed out of regular department funds.

Some of the more important projects that have been carried out in Oregon under the wildlife restoration acts have been the acquisition, development, and activation of the Siskiyou Island and Summer Lake Wildlife Reservations, the rehabilitation of Diamond Lake and Lake of the Woods, and the acquisition and development of the White River, John Day and Wenaha Reservations.

The re-establishment of bighorn mountain sheep in the Hart Mountain area of Oregon was also carried out under auspices of the fed-

RINK DEBUT — It's plain to see that three-year-old Mike Webb of Southport, N. C., has serious doubts about skating as he stands shind-deep in skates given him for his debut at a rink in Yaupon Village, N. C. Let's hope little Mike didn't fall too hard on his debut.

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