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Cougar Aide Becomes New Grants Pass Coach

GRANTS PASS — Gordon Prehm, 31, a former Washington State College basketball player, is the new head basketball coach at the high school here.

Prehm, who has been assistant coach six years, replaces Ray Davis, who resigned recently to become assistant football coach at Marshfield High School in Coos Bay.

In 3 1/2 years Prehm's junior varsity teams have won 53 games while losing only 17.

Old Seattle Men Still Hit Apple

By BOB MYERS

SAN BERNARDINO, Calif. — The latest bulletin from the Seattle ball club discloses that Lefty O'Doul's "grand old men" are showing no signs of being decrepit and, as of Friday, not a one has applied for old age pension retirement.

Three of the gallant O'Doul crew, and this is confidential, none of whom will ever see 30 again, are merely batting .400 and up. And three others, including a mere stripling of only 28, are spanking the apple at .300 and better.

Jim Dyck, 487; Ray Orteig, 441; Joe Taylor, 400; Juan Delis (28 years), 333; Carmen Mauro, 333, and Jack (Lucky) Lohrke, 308, are the old fellows who are enjoying the spring at the expense of rival pitchers in the Pacific Coast League.

And they, plus a few good-looking rookies, are the reasons that a wonderful man named Lefty O'Doul looks forward to his — opps, let's face it — 41st year in baseball with the same enthusiasm of the Spring O'Doul who was a terror at the plate in the major leagues many years ago.

Most of these men were with the Rainiers last year and they were good enough to give Seattle second place in the final standings.

O'Doul has some pitchers who, as the saying goes, have been around. Larry Jansen, reliever Bill Kennedy, Red Munger, Joe Black.

Seattle also has some young prospects for pitching, Gene Hayden, for one, and ultimate replacements for the older division if and when they stop hitting .300.

At the moment, however, Mr. O'Doul is conceding nothing to nobody in the Coast League.

Yoncalla Athletes Presented Letters

Letterman awards were presented for both football and basketball at a recent Yoncalla High School assembly. Fifteen large "Y" playing letters and two managers' letters were presented to the District 4-B, 11-man championship football team. In basketball, one large "Y" award was presented and nine emblems.

Winning letters in football were Loyd Daggs, Rudy Powell, Ronnie Powell, Dave Weaver, Leonard Morin, Ted Bowman, Jim Wamsley, John Lewey, Bob Morin, Leroy Noffsinger, Phil Edin, Howard Loyd, Oran Wiley, Jim Booth, and Douglas Hollaman. Managers awards were awarded to Don Revell and Bob Doerflinger.

Everett Sweeney was presented with the only large "Y" award for this winter's basketball team. Emblems were presented to Daggs, Ron and Rudy Powell, Bowman, Noffsinger, Loyd, Revell, Wiley and Booth.

Spring Baseball

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Thursday's Results

Cincinnati 5, Washington 4 (10 innings)
Chicago (A) 6, Boston 5 (11 innings)
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Pittsburgh 4, Kansas City 3
St. Louis 5, Detroit 4
New York (A) 1, Philadelphia 0
Brooklyn 14, Milwaukee 8
Baltimore 18, Chicago (N) 5
New York (N) 9, Cleveland 6

Linfield Stops PSC

McMINNVILLE — Linfield came from behind with two runs in the ninth inning to defeat the Portland State baseball team 5-4 Thursday.



GAME WARDENS—Manager Casey Stengel, left, of the Yankees and his counterpart with the White Sox, Al Lopez, keep sunglasses eyes on their players warming up in Florida.

Calcium Deposits Trouble Elbows Of Dodger Hurlers

BROOKLYN — Carl Erskine and Karl Spooner, worried and perplexed, have found out what can make them sound again.

The two sore-armed Brooklyn Dodger pitchers learned in a hospital report yesterday that both have the same trouble — calcium deposits.

Both are taking the same treatment, with ultrasonic sound waves attacking the calcium to break up the deposits.

"It's sure a relief to know at last what's wrong," said Erskine, the 30-year-old righthander, who twice has hurled no-hitters in his nine years with the Dodgers.

The "nice-guy" veteran, who set a world series record by striking out 14 to beat the New York Yankees 3-2 in the third game of the 1953 classic, said the two-day hospital tests uncovered the calcium "high in the back of my shoulder, not where it hurts, but just above it. They're quite sure the pain and the calcium are related."

Fiedler To Throw In Beaver Opener

GLENDAL, Calif. — Tall Dick Fiedler will be the starting pitcher for Portland in its Pacific League baseball opener with San Francisco there next Thursday.

Manager Bill Sweeney disclosed this in announcing his starting lineup.

He said his batting order will be: Solly Drake, center field; Jack Littrell, shortstop; Luis Marquez, left field; Joe Macko, first base; George Freese, third base; Frank Ernaga, right field; Eddie Basinski, second base; Sam Calderone, catcher, and Fiedler.

Littrell, Marquez, Basinski, Calderone and Fiedler are holdovers from last year's team, which finished third. The others were obtained by Portland through its new working agreement with the Chicago Cubs of the National League.

Ring Record

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

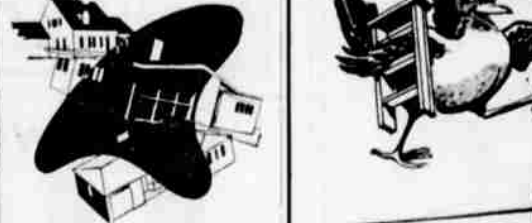
LOS ANGELES — Mickey Northrup, 135, Los Angeles, outpointed Joe Abasta, 138, Los Angeles, 10, REVERE, Mass. — Yvon Turrence, 135 1/2, Montreal, outpointed Jackson Brown, 131 1/2, Boston, 8.

Ducks Trim Portland U.

EUGENE — The University of Oregon baseball team scored four runs in the sixth inning to break a 3-3 tie and defeat Portland University 7-3 Thursday.

Ron Dodge hit a two-run homer for Oregon in the sixth. Dick Jolly swatted a two-run homer for Portland in the second.

Rollie Heath was credited with the victory. Portland starter Bill Wittala was the loser.



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Sports Doles Not Easy For Minor Nines

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. — Baseball's minor leagues will get a long hard look from Bill DeWitt before the newly appointed baseball coordinator starts dipping into his \$500,000 treasury for grants to hard-pressed owners.

"Right now we're trying to assemble information," said DeWitt at Al Lang Field. "We're looking into the situation in various cities and studying population trends. Our work is supposed to supplement the administrative job of George Trautman and the national association."

"So far, we haven't paid out a cent to anybody. We're going slow, trying not to step on anybody's toes."

"We have made it a policy to make no grants to any club until after the opening of the 1957 season."

"One fellow approached us with a request for \$1,500 to pay some back debts."

"It is our purpose to try to stabilize the minor leagues in cooperation with Trautman and to help him if we can."

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