

Sideliner

By JIM VANCE, Sports Editor

Crowds for the 11 home appearances at the Roseburg Legion games now total approximately 10,500 paid persons, an average nearly of 1,000 per. Friday and Saturday night's games will be the final home engagements of the season.

REAL SHINY defensive play by the local lot had much to do with the weekend success with three plays standing out; Beamer's pick-off play at first base Saturday night on a throw from the mound, Baker's start of a pickoff play which Don Wells finally finished on Al (Fireman) Smith's throw.

And Sunday night there was Baker's putout at the plate on Kennedy's fine throw from right field that not only stopped a run scoring but stopped the side in the eighth.

And speaking of defensive play, how can you overlook Smith's strikeout rescue stunt. The fireman turned in a real firearm performance.

On a lead from local Legion fan Walter Brittel, we learned that the 18-year old bonus pitcher, Bob Miller, who pitched in the Coopers-town, N. Y. Hall of Fame game a couple weeks ago, on July 22, is the same boy who led the St. Louis American Junior Legion team to the national title last year, and set back Roseburg in the process.

EACH YEAR, one player from the national finals is selected by Legion officials to take part in the following year's Hall of Fame contest. The information before us does not make clear whether the St. Louis boy was the choice, or whether he pitched as a member of the St. Louis Cardinals. Possibly it was both.

In any event, it proved to be a rough start for the rookie, who lasted less than three innings against the Cardinals' Hall of Fame opponent, the Chicago White Sox. Final score, 13-4.

WHEN RON BEAMER turned in that 19-strikeout stunt against Medford last week, we are told that it fell just two strikeouts short of the local area's strikeout mark of 21 set by brother Wally Beamer for Sutherland back about 1949.

Another Legion player of that time, Mike Coen, is getting the tough breaks of playing with a last-place club in the Pacific Coast League. Coen apparently looked the best since early-season over the week in when he went the route in a

Lookingglass Church Wins Fourth Straight

YMCA CHURCH LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
Church of God	10	2	.833
North Roseburg	10	2	.833
W-D Christian	7	4	.636
Lookingglass	8	5	.615
Nazarene	6	6	.500
First Christian	8	7	.533
Faith Lutheran	2	11	.154
Riversdale	1	10	.091

The red-hot Lookingglass Church team won their fourth straight softball game in the YMCA Church League with a 10-7 win over Faith Lutheran in a game played on the Riverside School diamond Monday night.

Six runs in the first inning for Lookingglass put them out in front and Faith Lutheran could never quite catch up. The big hit for Lookingglass in the first was a bases-loaded triple by Ron Robertson.

Lookingglass added their final four runs in the third inning, with three of them coming in on a home run by Robertson.

Robertson with 3-3 and Jim Williams with 4-4 were the top batters for Lookingglass, while Sobczak and Diggerman, each with 2-3, were tops for Faith Lutheran.

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Roseburg Coach Resigns Position

Line coach of the Roseburg High School football team, George Farrell Jr., has resigned his position to accept a similar position at Caldwell, Idaho according to school officials Monday.

Farrell has been on the coaching staff at Roseburg for the past season as a physical education teacher, coming here from the University of Missouri, where he was a standout center on the football team.

In addition to his coaching football at Caldwell he will also handle the sophomore basketball team and teach physical education and biology.

He will move to Caldwell next Sunday and will start work four days later.

Pheasant Hunting Open To Youngsters Again

Youngsters between the ages of 14 and 17 will have an opportunity for the seventh straight year to hunt pheasants on the E. E. Wilson game farm, located about 12 miles north of Corvallis, on four different weekends during the month of October.

All young hunters must be accompanied by a licensed adult over the age of 25. The adult must not carry a gun and may accompany no more than two juveniles at one time. They will also be responsible for the conduct of their charge.

Days of the special hunt will be the weekends of Oct. 5-6, 12-13, 19-20 and 26-27. There will be a limit of two cocks per day with a limit of 50 juvenile permits issued for each designated hunting day. These will be given out in the order in which they are received at the State Game Commission office.

Applications must contain the juvenile's name, age, license number and name of the accompanying adult. The applications may be sent to the Portland office at 1634 S.W. Alder or the regional office located at Route 1, Box 325, Corvallis.

Johnny Podres, Turley Show Top Majors' ERA

NEW YORK — Southpaw Johnny Podres of the Brooklyn Dodgers, the majors' shutout king, and right-hander Bob Turley of the New York Yankees show the best earned run averages among big league pitchers at the season's two-thirds mark.

Figures compiled by The Associated Press statistical bureau reveal that Podres leads the National League with an earned run average of 2.57. He has given up 35 earned tallies in 125 innings while winning nine games and losing four. Podres has pitched five shutouts — two against Philadelphia, St. Louis and the New York Giants.

Turley, who has a 7-3 record, has the leading American League ERA of 2.25. Bob has yielded only 25 unearned runs in 100 frames. This represents a big improvement over last season when he finished with a 5.05 ERA.

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Roseburg Alleys Being Treated

The Roseburg bowling alleys will be closed all this week until Sunday for the annual job of re-surfacing, but a meeting will be held Wednesday night for prospective teams to organize another league for the coming season according to City Assn. Sec. Glen Wellman.

The meeting has been called for 7 p.m. on Wednesday for any team wishing to get in on a new Wednesday night league. Anyone interested should have a representative present, as officers will be elected and rules set up at that time.

Three leagues are already set up with the following teams signed: Industrial League: P.M. Briggs Co., Evans Products Co., Jovin Brake Supply, City Drive In, PAL Motors, BPOE, Hanna and Erv's Winston Service.

Metropolitan League: Howard's Hardware, Postal Employees, Pacific Plywood, Sutherland Drive In Market, Myrtle Dairy, Joe Richards Store, Del's Bldg. Supply and Howard's Mens Wear.

A new league called the Cascade League will have Ken's Cleaners, State Highway Depl., KPIC TV, Idle Hour Tavern, RoseElla Lodge, F&J Loggers, Garden Valley Market and the Roseburg Lions Club.

Anyone wishing to change these rosters by either dropping out or changing names, or who thinks he has been left out, should get in touch with the city association secretary at once, Wellman says.

Gold Cup Qualifying Times Break Records

SEATTLE — Gold Cup qualifying times topped twice Monday night as the Pacific Coast League's Seattle Seals broke records in the unlimited hydroplanes here Sunday.

Miss Wahoo, with Mira Slovak, a Czech refugee, at the controls, pushed through the nine mile, three lap qualifying requirement on Lake Washington at 112.34 miles an hour.

The previous record was 108.16 miles an hour set last year at Detroit by Sue Crust III.

But the Wahoo record lasted only a few hours.

Bill Stead took to the lake late in the day in the Maverick and whipped around the course in 117.054 miles an hour.

Sprina Chinook Run Falls Down, But Summer Steelhead Booming

Although spring chinook salmon still are moving over the board at the State Game Commission's counting station at Winchester, it is presumed that the migration is about complete. If this is true, it marks the first major disappointment since managed rehabilitation of salmon population in the Umpqua River system started 10 years ago.

For some unknown reason, but presumably because of floods while downstream migrants were en route back to the ocean, this year's migration barely exceeds the parent run of five years ago. This is the first time since the river was closed to commercial fishing, starting in 1947, that there has failed to be a gain of from 50 to 100 per cent over the parent run.

Comparative figures are reported as follows:

Year	Period of July 16-31	Total through July 31	Per cent of run by July 31
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1952	79
1953	47
1954	68
1955	174
1956	197
1957	44

Spring chinook (jacks)		
	1948	7
	1949	1
	1950	12
	1951	37
	1952	1

	1948	2
	1953	7
	1954	45
	1955	16
	1956	36
	1957	12
Summer steelhead		

1948	538
1949	268
1950	254
1951	498
1952	655
1953	704

Knee Surgery Faces Brooklyn's Duke Snider

BROOKLYN — Duke Snider, Brooklyn's ace centerfielder, may be forced to undergo surgery on his ailing left knee after the end of the 1957 season.

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San Francisco Seals Soar To 6-2 Victory By Rookie

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.	GB
San Francisco	70	47	.598	
Vancouver	66	51	.564	4
Hollywood	66	53	.555	5
San Diego	64	52	.552	5 1/2
Seattle	63	57	.525	8 1/2
Los Angeles	54	61	.472	15
Portland	44	74	.373	26 1/2
Sacramento	44	76	.367	27 1/2

Monday's Results
Vancouver 7, Sacramento 1
San Francisco 8, Los Angeles 2
Seattle 4, Hollywood 3
San Diego at Portland, postponed, rain.

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Bill Prout, an 18-year-old rookie southpaw fresh out of high school, may provide the Pacific Coast League's leading pitcher for the season-end pep rally.

The young fellow from Downey, Calif., allowed seven hits and struck out 10 Los Angeles batters Monday night as the Seals won 6-2. He whiffed Steve Bilko, league leader in homers and RBIs, three times in a row. It was Prout's fourth victory against three losses.

The Vancouver Mounties won out over the last place Sacramento Solons 7-1, maintaining their runner-up position, four games behind the Seals. Seattle edged Hollywood 4-3, dropping the third place stars to five games off the pace. The San Diego at Portland contest was rained out.

Hanna Renna starred at the plate for the Seals. He drove in two first inning scores with a sharp single, then led the game in the next frame with a two-run, 350-foot homer, his 15th of the season.

Leading batters for Hanna Nickel were Watson and LeVasseur, each with 2-3, while Ferguson, also with 2-3, led the Seals. Hanna Nickel 0-2 0-0 0-2 5 2 Coos Bay 0-0 103 x-6 5 1

Craig and LeVasseur; Ellison, Rose (3) and Landon.
WP: Rose, LP: Craig.

SPORTS CALENDAR
TUESDAY
BOWLING: Mixed scratch doubles, 7:30 p.m.
SOFTBALL: YMCA Church League: Church of God vs. North Roseburg, Riverside School, 6 p.m. Twilight League: U. S. Plywood vs. City Drive In, Vets diamond, 6 p.m.
TRAPSHOOTING: Winchester, 7 p.m.
WEIGHTLIFTING: YMCA, 5 p.m.
WEDNESDAY
ARCHERY: Douglas Yeomen, 7:30 p.m.
BOWLING: Three-man teams, 7:30 p.m.
PAL CLUB: Winston, Douglas High.
SOFTBALL: Umpqua Valley League: Myrtle Creek Lions at Hanna Nickel, 6:30 p.m. Montgomery Ward at Yoncalla Athletics, 6:30 p.m.

ARRIVES
PORTLAND — Les Leggett arrived in Portland Monday to begin preparations for his new job as football coach at Portland State College.

Leggett, assistant coach at Whitman College in Walla Walla for two years, said practice will start Sept. 3.

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Referee To Be Only Official In Rademacher-Patterson Go

NORTH BEND, Wash. — The Washington State Athletic Commission Tuesday decided to leave the verdict in the Pete Rademacher-Floyd Patterson heavyweight title fight Aug. 22 in the sole hands of the referee.

Dr. Charles P. Larson of Tacoma, commission chairman, said there would be no judges for the scheduled 15-round bout at nearby Seattle between Patterson, the young punch for pay champion, and Rademacher, the Olympic titlist.

Larson said the name of the referee would be announced within a few days. Larson said six nationally-known figures were under consideration to be the third man in the ring.

Rademacher Meanwhile, Rademacher, sleek and sassy, started the last lap of training at his quarters in this mountain community 25 miles east of Seattle for the splash into the professional ranks.

Although supremely confident Patterson can be had by one Pete Rademacher, the balding, 28-year-old Olympic champ isn't quite sure the fight will definitely make him a pro.

Pete's backers, a group of Georgia businessmen, have guaranteed Patterson \$250,000 to meet Rademacher and as Pete explains it:

"I'm the last guy on the payroll and I could come out of this fight still an amateur. But I didn't make the match with an eye toward making a profit."

Pete, who will start working out at nearby Issaquah Wednesday, was scheduled only for a one-roundwork Tuesday. He arrived at Seattle from Columbus, Ga., Monday and received a roaring welcome.

YESTERDAY'S STARS
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
PITCHING

GOLF
CHICAGO — Patty Berg, with a closing 1-under-par 75, edged out Jackie Pung by two strokes to win the All-American women's pro title for the fifth time and take home the \$1,500 first prize.

HITTING
CHICAGO — Roberto de Vicenzo of Buenos Aires, with a 70 on the final round and a 72 hole total of 272, won the \$25,000 All-American golf crown by four strokes.