National Champ Black Sox Begins Season On Saturday

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The National champion Drain Black Sox begin their quest for a second crown Saturday night at Black Sox Park.

Ray Stratton's nine meets the B & B Hardwood club of Seattle, with game time set for 8 p.m. The two teams meet again Sunday afternoon, with the game slated for a 2 p.m. start.

The Black Sox go into the two-game set minus the services of Jerry Droscher and Grimm Mason. Both are undergraduates at Oregon State and are not permitted to play until after the conclusion of the present term.

Gone from last year's championship nine is Jim O'Rourke from Santa Clara. The valuable outfielder was signed by the St. Louis Cards for a bonus in excess of $60,000.

O'Rourke hit at a .475 clip for the Broncos during the just concluded season and hit 15 home runs. He was voted the most outstanding player in the NBC tournament at Wichita, Kans. last year.

In the Saturday night game, the Black Sox will have the southpaw who won three games in the National tourney on the mound. Elwood Hahn, whose record was 11-4 last year, draws the first mound assignment for the Sox. Hahn was 4-2 for Washington State this year and compiled an ERA of 2.18 in 62 innings worked. He struck out 50.

In the Sunday game, Stan Dmochowsky was 4-0 during the campaign in 1958.

Expected to start the Saturday game for the B & B Hardwood club is righthander Phil Godrey. Godrey was 8-1 for this club last year and is a Seattle University graduate.

Next Saturday and Sunday, the Black Sox meet Seattle Cheney Studs at Black Sox park. The following Monday, they begin an eight-game tour of California. They return to Oregon Monday, June 22 to meet the Eugene Emeralds at Bethel Park in Eugene.

Legion Nine Game Rundown On Page 3

Additional sports will be found today on Page 3. Included there is a detailed feature of the Roseburg Legion season opening at Crater.

Ring Record

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Los Angeles — Eddie Perkins, 137, Chicago, outpointed Hilario Morales, 136, Mexico, 10.

Sao Paulo, Brazil — Eder Jofre, 118, Brazil, outpointed Leo Espinosa, 119, Philippines, 10.

Tokyo, Japan — Larry Pineda, 114, Philippines, and Kyo Noguchi, 112½, Japan, drew, 10.

Southern University Stops Northwest Entry

ALPINE, Tex. (AP)—An error, stolen base, walk and bunt spelled defeat for Western Washington in the NAIA baseball tournament Thursday. Southern University got two runs in the final frame to beat the Vikings 7-6.

Rain delayed the schedule and washed out Thursday night's scheduled contest between Western and Arkansas State and Southern Illinois and Omaha, in the loser's bracket.

In the other game Thursday, favored and undefeated Rollins nipped Omaha 11-4.

Roger Repoz was again the big bat for Western, even in the losing effort. He collected a single and triple as the Vikings were held to just nine hits.

Southern was behind 6-5 going into the ninth. Then Lee Brock got on first through an error and stole second. Herman Rhodes walked and then Man McMillan laid down a bunt that scored both runners.

Tri-City To Stay In Northwest Loop

NORTHWEST LEAGUE
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	W	L	Pct.	GB
Salem	24	17	.585	
Lewiston	21	18	.538	2
Eugene	19	17	.528	2½
Tri-City	20	22	.476	4½
Wenatchee	20	23	.465	5
Yakima	16	23	.410	7

Thursday's Results

Wenatchee 10, Tri-City 4
Lewiston at Salem, ppd, rain.
Yakima at Eugene, doubleheader, ppd, rain.

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Rain washed out two games Thursday night but couldn't wash Tri-City out of the Northwest baseball league.

A disappointing crowd of 359 showed up to watch the Braves get beaten by Wenatchee 10-4 in a game delayed 45 minutes by the rain.

This brought total attendance for the last six games to 9,576, far short of the 12,000 goal Tri-City management had set as the minimum for continued operation. But the Braves announced after the game they had decided to keep playing in the NWL anyway.

Lewiston at Salem and the Yakima at Eugene doubleheader were rained out.

Wenatchee scored six runs in the last inning to spoil the last game of Tri-City's home stand. Ten Chiefs paraded to the plate and crossed again on two walks, two singles, two errors and doubles by Al Owens and Mike Yaremchuck.

The teams traded home runs. Dan Sarver slammed a three-runner for Wenatchee in the second and Jack Lohrke a two-runner for Tri-City in the fifth.

The linescore:

Wenatchee	030 001 006—10	13	2
Tri-City	000 020 200— 4	6	4

Lynn and Cooper; Gray and Dunlop.

Ladies' Golf Scores Told On Tournament

Here are the results of the Sweepstakes Tournament for women golfers at the Roseburg Country Club Tuesday:

Class A: Mrs. C. A. Tidwell; Class B: Mrs. O. R. Peterson; Class C: Mrs. Bart Garrison.

Results of the Spring Handicap Tournament are:

Championship flight: Mrs. J. F. Dillard; Mrs. C. A. Tidwell; First flight: Mrs. C. A. Pethrick; Mrs. L. D. Johansen.

Nine-hole tourney; Championship flight: Mrs. Phil Harth; Mrs. Bart Garrison; First flight: Mrs. Fred Severs; Mrs. Pete Pearson.

TRACK COACH NAMED

PORTLAND (AP) — Washington High School named as its new head track coach Thursday Walter Aldridge to replace Roger Mockford, who is being moved to Madison in the fall of 1959. Aldrige was head wrestling coach and assisted in football.

Sports

Cepeda Leads Giant Victory

National League

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Milwaukee	30	18	.625	—
San Francisco	28	21	.571	2½
Pittsburgh	27	22	.551	3½
Los Angeles	26	25	.510	5½
Chicago	24	25	.490	6½
Cincinnati	23	26	.469	7½
St. Louis	19	29	.396	11
Philadelphia	18	29	.383	11½

Thursday Results

San Francisco 11, Milwaukee 5
Pittsburgh 9, St. Louis 3
Cincinnati 5, Los Angeles 3
Chicago 3, Philadelphia 2 (10 innings)

Saturday Schedule

Los Angeles at Milwaukee
San Francisco at Cincinnati
Chicago at Pittsburgh
St. Louis at Philadelphia

Sunday Schedule

Los Angeles at Milwaukee
San Francisco at Cincinnati (2)
Chicago at Pittsburgh (2)
St. Louis at Philadelphia (2)

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Say hey! Look at Orlando Cepeda muscling in on Willie Mays' racket!

The Giants' big first baseman has left Mays behind in home runs and RBI — and it all began after he was benched with a .267 average.

Since getting back into the starting line-up May 16, Cepeda has been hitless in only three of 18 games, smacking six homers, six doubles and two triples and driving in 23 runs. He's hit at a .427 clip in that span.

The 21-year-old Puerto Rican really went all out Thursday, driving in seven runs, five with his 11th and 12th homers, and powering the second place Giants from behind for an 11-5 victory over Milwaukee that cut the Braves' lead to 2½ games once again.

Both homers — the second a whale of a wallop estimated up to 500 feet — came off Lew Burdette, the lanky right-hander who hadn't lost to the Giants in five years.

Third place Pittsburgh moved within 3½ games of the top by rapping St. Louis 9-3. In night games, Cincinnati defeated Los Angeles 5-3 and the Chicago Cubs beat Philadelphia 3-2 in 10 innings.

Cepeda's two-run homer in the fourth started the Giants' comeback after home runs by Del Crandall and Wes Covington had given the Braves a 5-1 edge.

The Giants pounded Burdette (8-4), and two relievers for 15 hits. Gordon Jones (3-2) worked one inning on relief for the victory, although Stu Miller blanked the Braves on three hits over the last five frames.

A two-run triple by Bill Mazeroski clinched a three-game sweep for the Pirates as they scored four in the third inning against Ernie Broglio (0-4). Ron Kline (4-3) was the winner. Stan Musial of the Cards tied Honus Wagner's National League record with his 651st double.

The Reds scored three runs in the first against southpaw Danny McDevitt (3-5), then put it away with a 4-0 lead on doubles by Johnny Temple and Vada Pinson in the second. Joe Nuxall (3-3) finished with an eight-hitter.

A one-out triple by George Altman and Sammy Taylor's sacrifice fly won it for the Cubs against Gene Conley (2-3), who allowed only five hits. The Cubs were shut out on one hit until Taylor homered in the sixth. Walt Moryn added an inside-the-park homer in the eighth for a 2-all tie after the Phils, blanked on four hits for six frames, chased Bob Anderson in a two-run seventh. Don Elston (4-1) won it with 3 1-3 innings of hitless relief.

White Sox Pass Idle Tribe With 17-Inning Decision

American League

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Chicago	27	21	.563	—
Cleveland	25	20	.556	½
Baltimore	26	21	.531	1½
Kansas City	23	22	.511	2½
Washington	23	26	.469	4½
Detroit	22	25	.468	4½
New York	21	24	.467	4½
Boston	20	26	.435	6

Thursday Results

Chicago 6, Baltimore 5 (17 innings)
Boston 5, Kansas City 2
New York 14, Detroit 3
Only games scheduled

Saturday Schedule

Boston at Chicago
New York at Cleveland
Baltimore at Kansas City (N)
Washington at Detroit

Sunday Schedule

Boston at Chicago (2)
New York at Cleveland (2)
Baltimore at Kansas City
Washington at Detroit

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

"What we need," said Manager Al Lopez the other day in appraising his Chicago White Sox, "is a spurt. And we could get it with some big hits at the right time."

Al should have spoken up sooner. The White Sox have taken him at his word. They jumped past idle Cleveland into the American League lead by winning their second in a row Thursday, defeating Baltimore 6-5 in the majors' longest game of the season with the big hit at the right time — Earl Torgeson's two-out homer in the 17th inning.

It was their sixth victory in seven extra-inning games this season, and their 10th success in 13 one-run decisions. Both marks are tops in the AL.

While taking a half-game (.007 percentage points) lead over the Indians, the White Sox also shoved third place Baltimore 1½ games back. Fourth place Kansas City fell 2½ games behind when Boston ended the A's winning streak at five, 5-2. The New York Yankees slipped Detroit to sixth by bombing the Tigers 14-3.

The White Sox did things the hard way, blowing a 2-0 lead, battling back for a 4-all tie on Larry Doby's single in the eighth, and then matching a 13th-inning Oriole run with Torgy's single and one of five Oriole errors.

The Birds, helped along by three Sox boots, chased starter Dick Donovan with four hits and four runs in the third. But relievers Barry Latman, Gerry Staley, Rudolfo Arias and Turk Lown then blanked the Birds on two hits for the next nine innings.

Bob Shaw (5-2) finally won it. Jerry Walker (4-2) was the loser.

Gary Geiger drove in three runs for the Red Sox, one with his third homer, Jerry Casale (3-4) went all the way for Boston, giving up seven hits. Rip Coleman (1-4) lost it.

The Yankees, who have won six of their last seven, made it two in a row over the Tigers. The Yankees smacked 15 hits, 10 for extra bases — seven doubles and home runs by Hector Lopez, Elston Howard and winning pitcher Whitey Ford. Jim Bunning (5-4) was a quick loser, trailing 7-1 when he left after three innings.

Marathon Tilt Turning Point?

CHICAGO (AP) — The Chicago White Sox held the top rung in the American League today and nobody ever worked harder — in a single game — to gain it.

The Pale House, now leading Cleveland by one half game, struggled 4 hours and 37 minutes against Baltimore Thursday before Earl Torgeson's solo homer with two out in the 17th inning provided a 6-5 triumph.

It was the season's longest game in the majors.

"It will be a miracle if I sleep tonight," said weary Manager Al Lopez when the White Sox staggered to victory after wasting opportunity after opportunity in the marathon contest.

Three times, in the 8th, 10th and 13th innings, the Sox had the bases loaded with one out but frittered away their chances to sew up the game. Twice a potential winning run was thrown out at the plate.

Was this overtime decision perhaps a turning point in Chicago's erstwhile spasmodic pennant bid? The White Sox Friday night open a four-game set against the struggling Boston Red Sox.

Lopez commented:

"It's hard to say that any one game this early in the season could be a turning point. But it's nice to be on top no matter how you get there."

Cougars To Obtain Top Cage Prospects

PULLMAN, Wash. (AP) — The Washington State Cougars have landed five highly regarded Northwest high school basketball players, Coach Marv Harshman said Thursday.

They are Howard Thoemke, West Bremerton; Larry Carlson, Franklin-Pierce of Tacoma; Denny Colacino, Anacortes; James Lemery, Grant High of Portland, and Gary Marr, Enterprise, Ore.

All plan to enroll at WSC as freshmen next fall.

Peewee Loop Meet Slated On Saturday

The Southern Douglas County Peewee league meeting is slated for Saturday night at 8 p.m. at Riddle High School.

All towns in southern Douglas County are invited to attend the meeting. League schedules will be arranged at the confab.

Tippy To Take Post If Wichita Wants

SEATTLE (AP) — Tippy Dye indicated Thursday he will take the job as athletic director at Wichita University if offered, but added "it will be a rough decision to make."

Washington's head basketball coach was interviewed by Wichita officials Tuesday. Upon his return to Seattle he said an announcement of the selection is expected early next week. There are seven other candidates.

Wichita officials said after the interview they were greatly impressed by Dye's personality and qualifications.

Head coach at Washington for nine years, Dye has made no secret of his desire to move to the administrative end of college athletics. He was a candidate last year for the athletic directorship at Iowa State.

"I have been exceptionally happy at Washington," he said Wednesday. "But I am 44 years old. If I am going into the line of work as an athletic director, I can't wait too much longer."

The Wichita president's office said the job would pay $12,000 a year or more, "depending on the man." Dye's salary now is about $11,000.

Sports In Brief

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GOLF

BALTIMORE — Gene Littler shot a 65 for a one-stroke lead after the first round of the Eastern Open.

SUMMIT, N.J. — Bonnie Randolph of Columbus, Ohio, shot a par 72 for 16 points and a first-round lead in the pro women's round robin.

BASKETBALL

BOSTON — John H. Burke Jr., former MIT coach, was named head coach at Boston Univ.

ITHACA, N.Y. — Hugh (Sam) MacNeil was moved from freshman to varsity coach at Cornell.

RACING

BOSTON — Aberdeen ($5.40) wonthe feature at Suffolk Downs.

NEW YORK — Acre Delight ($3.80) won the $11,625 Annapolis Hurdle Handicap at Belmont Park.

INGLEWOOD, Calif. — Entry of British Roman ($8.80) and New Policy ran one-two in the $18,300 Westchester Stakes for 2-year-olds at Hollywood Park.

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