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**SPORT NEWS**

**PORTLAND WINS OPENING GAME**

PORTLAND, Ore., Apr. 7. (AP)—Before a throng of 18,174 persons, the official paid attendance count, the new Portland Haystacks celebrated their first home opening of the baseball season in Pacific Coast league history by defeating Seattle 10 to 5. It was a beautiful day, the sky clear and the temperature sunny but not too hot. The crowd overflowed into the field and was banded several deep around the outfield, making ground rules necessary. Other coast league games were postponed on account of rain.

**RAIN HALTS THREE GAMES**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Apr. 7. (AP)—J. Phivus permitting the Pacific Coast baseball league will make another attempt to get its 1926 season under way today.

Phivus held the mound in three of four games scheduled to have openers yesterday and Mother Earth was at the receiving end to gather large gobs of rain. Portland fans, considered to have the poorest chance of a game, yesterday witnessed the only contest.

Baseball officials in San Francisco, Sacramento and Los Angeles were watching the clouds early today in the hope of hauling up the flags in their respective ball parks where rain prevented a grand send off yesterday.

At San Francisco the Seals and the Hollywoods were clamping their bids. The Sacramento Senators are ready to take on the San Francisco Mission at the capital city. And at Los Angeles, if Whirlwind field emerges from yesterday's flood, the Angels will entertain the Oakland Oaks.

**Laramie Light Weight Kayos Dillon in First**

PORTLAND, Apr. 7. (AP)—Len Malady, lightweight of Laramie, Wyo., knocked out Danny Dillon of Minneapolis, in the first round of their scheduled ten-round fight here last night. Eddie Roberts, Tacoma middleweight, gave Jimmy Moore, Cincinnati negro, an artistic trimming in a ten-round bout. Trifon Limbaro, Piliplino, scored a technical knockout over Bud Vance, Vancouver bantamweight, in the second round.



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**Billy Evans Says:**

The St. Louis Cardinals seem destined to be the most talked-about team in the National league this year.

Already, with the start of the season almost at hand, rival managers are conceding the Cardinals more than a chance to win the pennant.

The Cardinals are managed by Rogers Hornsby, outstanding star of the National league, one of the greatest players that has ever graced the game. Here is his step-up of his ball club:

"You can't take a thing for granted in baseball but I am going to be a terribly disappointed person if we are not in the race from start to finish.

"In the first place we have the spirit. You can't have a winning ball club without it. Spirit is as important as ability to get results.

"The Cardinals can hit the old ball. It takes mighty fine pitching to stop the attack of my ball club.

"Our defense is perfectly satisfactory and we appear to be well fortified with substitutes at all positions.

**HE SHOULD HELP**  
"Bill Killefer is going to prove a great help. There is no better coach of pitchers in the country. He is going to improve my pitching staff.

"I see most of the other National league managers and many of the baseball experts fear for my twilight.

"There isn't a major league manager who wouldn't welcome a star left or right-hander and I'm no exception. Possibly there are certain flaws in my pitching but try to name a major league pitching staff that hasn't 'em.

"I am positive my pitching will be considerably better than rival National league clubs are willing to admit.

"It was a pretty good staff last season. I have every reason to believe it will be much better this year.

"I am sure Johnson, for several years with Detroit; Hentzinger, who has gained his big league experience under McGraw, and Vic Keen, who performed well for the Chicago Cubs, will help.

**TWO REAL RIVALS**  
"My hope is that the Cardinals are better than five other clubs in the league. That leaves two we must prove our superiority over, the Pirates and the Giants.

"Both are great clubs, but frankly I fear the Giants more than the Pirates. McGraw can always be depended upon to have a great club and his pitching is sure to be much improved.

"The Pirates have two problems, one at second base and the other in the outfield, should Max Carey's illness handicap his play. Carey is a remarkable ball player and means much to the Pirates.

"I am going to be disappointed unless we are up there from start to finish."

**Ted Thye Will Meet Billy Edwards Tonight**

**Seeks Berth**



Tom Gully, hopes to win a place on the Chicago White Sox team this season. He's an outfielder, fast and a good hitter. He was one of the leading sluggers in the Southern Association last year with Little Rock.

**DERBY GOSSIP FILLS THE AIR**

LOUISVILLE, Apr. 7. (AP)—Followers of the "sport of kings" are buzzing as to which of the 144 three-year-olds entered, will capture America's premier event of turfdom—the Kentucky derby—to be run here May 15.

The entry list for the fifty-second renewal of the annual classic closed in February. Virtually every first-class three year old horse in the country has been nominated, with all the great stables represented.

If twenty horses face the barrier, the race will be worth \$53,375 to the winner, in addition to a beautiful gold trophy. The second horse will net \$5000, the third \$3000 and the fourth \$1000.

Many are wondering if Pompey, by Sun Hebr, of the Shoshone stables who led American horse winnings in 1925, with \$121,630, will capture the prized event. This son of Chopra last year captured the Futurity stakes at Belmont Park paying \$58,480, and the Hopeful stake at Saratoga, paying \$42,850.

Another, who was not far behind Pompey in winnings, J. E. Griffith's Center, is highly favored. He won the leading race of the fall season at Churchill Downs, the Kentucky Club Jockey stakes, netting \$23,215, and the Pimlico Futurity, paying \$53,350. His earnings for the year totaled \$113,948.

Other promising horses favored by many to capture the race are: Flight of Time, winner of the Breeders Futurity at Lexington, who cleared \$59,792 last year; Hubbing Over, winner of \$24,737 last year, and Nurm, who, as a three year old won the \$30,000 New Orleans Handicap this year. Haste, Illinois, Chicago and Mars also are admitted to have a good chance.

While naming the favorites for the coming event it may be well to mention that Flying Ebony, winner of last year's derby has been retired to the stud at Major Thomas C. McDowell's Ashland Place, Lexington, Ky., and the Golden Jubilee winner of 1924—Black Gold is in the stud at Jockey Jack Howard's farm near Lexington, Coventry, winner of the \$52,700 Preukness stake last year, also is at the McDowell Place.

Another question over which fans are pondering, whether Earle Sande will ring up his third derby victory. He was mounted on the winner last year and in 1923. The diminutive jockey last year led in percentage of races won with 27—winning 72 out of 265 mounts. Little Author Mortenson led in the total number of winners with 155 out of 982 races, 145 of his mounts came second and 137 third. His percentage was slightly over 19.

The total amount distributed to horse owners is estimated by officials at Churchill Downs there, to total \$12,000,000, of which Kentucky contributed \$1,727,749, and Maryland \$1,425,092.

The Metropolitan tracks distributed \$2,048,274, with Saratoga leading with a total of \$411,615 for one meeting. Belmont Park with spring and fall meetings donated \$589,459.

Canadian racing tracks handed out \$1,609,930 to horse race owners.

**Risko Defeats Berlenbach**



Johnny Risko, powerful Lithuanian heavy-weight of Cleveland, won the judges' decision over Paul Berlenbach, world's light heavy-weight champion, in their 10-round bout in New York. Risko floored Berlenbach twice, this picture shows the champ making his second forced landing.

**UNION PLANS 'VERMIN' SHOOT**

UNION, Ore., Apr. 7.—The Union Sportsman's club is to sponsor a crow shoot at some ranch on Catherine creek at the edge of the valley at 8 a. m. Sunday, the exact location to be designated later. Anyone who wishes is invited to take part, membership in the club not being necessary. The shooters will be divided into two teams: Jody Conklin and C. L. Cadwell having been chosen as captains. The loser-team will be "stuck" for a feed to the entire club membership at a later date. It is expected that 20 or more will represent each team.

The regular club trap shoot will be held at the grounds in the rear of the fish hatchery at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon as usual.

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**OREGON SQUAD ON WAY SOUTH**

EUGENE, Ore., Apr. 7. (AP)—Bill Hayward, University of Oregon track coach, and a squad of 20 cinder artists, will leave at noon today for Palo Alto, California, where the Webfooters will meet the Stanford university stars in a dual meet Saturday.

The Webfooters are crippled by the loss of Joe Price, crack quarter miler. Proctor Planagan, holder of the broad jump record of the Pacific coast, and Roland Ely, high jumper are in poor condition, and the whole team is headed southward with the idea of defeat in their minds. Hayward's hope is to have his proteges garner 40 points in the meet.

**Oregon's Lineup.**  
The Oregon lineup will be as follows:

- Sprints—Harry Holt and Jerry Estra.
- Hurdles—Walter Kelsey, Captain Francis Cleaver and Ralph Tuck.
- 440-yard dash—Walter Pearson, Paul Akert, Bob Allen and Don Jeffries.
- Weights—Victor Wetzel, and Charles Stockwell.
- 880-yard run—Bob Overstreet and Edward Thorstoberg.
- 1 mile run—Reuben Ioss and Fern Kelly.
- Two-mile run—Tom Holder and William Nidemyer.
- Broad jump—Proctor Planagan and Kelsey.
- High jump—Kelsey and Roland Ely.

**UNIVERSITY NINE SCHEDULES TWO GAMES FOR WEEK**

EUGENE, Ore., Apr. 7. (AP)—Two baseball games have been tentatively arranged for this week between the University of Oregon team and the Albany baseball club of the Willamette valley league. The games, according to present plans, will be played on the Albany lot.

Two other practice games have been scheduled for this month for the Oregon varsity nine. On April 17, the Webfooters will meet the St. Johns Bears, of Portland, and on April 23 the Pacific university aggregation will furnish the competition.

Oregon's pitchers are rounding into shape satisfactorily, according to Coach Billy Heinrich. The outfield and infield competition is rather keen and the first string has been selected.

**Bud Houser Plans to Enter in Drake Relays**

LOS ANGELES — Bud Houser, world's champion discus thrower, will compete in the Drake relays April 23 and 24 if permission is forthcoming from authorities at the University of Southern California.

**EX-GOVERNOR SUICIDES.**  
ROSWELL, N. M., (AP).—Former Governor Washington E. Lindsey committed suicide by shooting himself at his home in Portales. His health is thought to have prompted the act.

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