

SEALS POUND WAY TO TOP OF LEAGUE

Coast League Standings table with columns for team, W, L, Pct.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 15.—(AP)—San Francisco's heavy hitting Seals pounded their way into the coast league leadership today by trouncing the Sacramento Senators, 8 to 5.

It was the fourth straight victory for the Seals and put them a half game ahead of the Senators who had led since the season opened nearly three weeks ago.

Beavers Win Again

PORTLAND, April 15.—(AP)—The Portland Beavers made it three straight from Hollywood by winning today's game 9 to 8. Both Kinney and McCabe, the starting pitchers, were victims of batting raffles in the rain, but Kinney lasted long enough to start his opponent's downfall with a homer in the fifth which started a six-run rally.

Score table for Beavers vs Hollywood.

Homer Decides Game

LOS ANGELES, April 15.—(AP)—A home run by Wilbur Cooper in the ninth inning that bounced past outfielder Art Jahn into the left field box seats with two players on base, gave Oakland a 7 to 5 victory over Los Angeles here today.

The Angels protested the clout for 10 minutes, declaring Jahn had crossed the foul line in attempting to get the ball and that umpire Crooke was out of position and could not see that the ball was not fair. As a result of the prolonged argument, umpire Crooke ordered Brazill, Mitchell and Hemingway to the club house. It left the Angels with a complete substitute infield for Ray Jacobs, first sacker, had been forced to leave the game in the seventh when hit in the face by a batted ball.

Score table for Los Angeles vs Oakland.

The Undecided

SEATTLE, April 15.—(AP)—Without the leadership of their manager, and in a downpour of rain, the Mission Belts staged a rally in the ninth inning of today's baseball game with Seattle to stave off defeat by tying the contest 4-4. The game was called off at the end of the ninth frame.

William (Wild Bill) Leard, manager of the Mission club, was given his unconditional release by Wm. H. McCarthy, president of the Belts. Catcher Walters, who was appointed acting manager by McCarthy ran the team today.

Score table for Seattle vs Mission Belts.

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AMERICAN

American League Standings table with columns for team, W, L, Pct.

NEW YORK, April 15.—(AP)—Seeking power, bolstered by Babe Ruth's first home of the season, gave the New York Yankees a 6 to 3 victory over the Philadelphia Athletics today and a clean slate in the first series with the team generally considered the Yankees' outstanding rivals this season.

PIONEERS FORM 6 TEAM LEAGUE

The Salem Pioneer clubs have organized a baseball league and will play games on the Parrish diamond starting some time next week. Clubs entered are Lincoln of Knight Memorial church, Daniel Boone of First Methodist, Shelton of First Christian, Jason Lee of Jaspis Club, Penn of South Friends, and the club in West Salem. A meeting of the team captains will be held at the YMCA at 4 o'clock Monday.

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ST. LOUIS, April 15.—Rain, which for three days prevented opening of the American League season here, fell against this afternoon and stopped the first Detroit-St. Louis contest after the

fifth inning with the score tied 2 to 2. A crowd of 7500 saw the opener. Score—R. H. E. Detroit..... 2 5 1 St. Louis..... 2 3 2 (Game called, rain.) Whitehill and Bassler; Zachary and Schaub.

CLEVELAND, April 15.—Chicago made an even split of its series with Cleveland by winning today's game 5 to 1. Shaute allowed but one hit, a home run by Falk up to the seventh. Nels, the Indians' centerfielder, distinguished himself with 10 put outs and also made a home run. Score—R. H. E. Chicago..... 6 7 0 Cleveland..... 1 6 1 Lyons and Crouse; Shaute, Hudlin and Sewell.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—(AP)—Boston was held to five hits today by Crowder and the Senators made a clean sweep of the series by winning 7 to 1. Wilste and Russell were touched for 8 hits, Goslin getting three and Speaker, who scored three runs, two. The score: Boston..... 1 5 4 Washington..... 7 8 1 Wtste, Russell and Hartley; Crowder and Ruel.

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MAAC ATHLETES WIN 12 EVENTS

PORTLAND, April 15.—(AP)—The Multnomah amateur athletic club carried off six of the eight championship titles in the wrestling division of the Pacific northwest association meet here tonight and won the same number of titles in the boxing division in a fast, thrilling exhibition at the Multnomah club. Albert Polenski, Washington State college, was the only outside entrant to win in the wrestling division, and like Dettler, Washington State, was the only northern city to place in the boxing finals.

The new Pacific northwest champions are: Wrestling: 112 pounds, Arthur Riehl, Multnomah; 118 pounds, Arthur Riehl, Multnomah; 126 pounds, Wilho Beck, Portland YMCA; 135 pounds, Albert Polenski; Washington State college; 147 pounds, Desmond Anderson, Multnomah; 160 pounds, Ben Sherman, Multnomah; 175 pounds, Desmond Anderson, Multnomah; heavyweight, Ben Sherman, Multnomah.

Boxing: 112 pounds, Ed. Volk, Multnomah; 118 pounds, Rich-Trust, Multnomah; 126 pounds, George O'Brien, Multnomah; 135 pounds, Jim West, unattached; 147 pounds, George Hval, Multnomah; 160 pounds, Ike Dettler, Washington State college; 175 pounds, Jim Flynn, Multnomah; heavyweight, Reginald Stent, Multnomah.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LEAGUE TO OPEN

With six teams entered, play in the Salem Sunday school baseball league will be started Thursday, April 21. The games will be staged on the high school athletic field all commencing at 5 o'clock. No admission will be charged this year.

Teams which have entered are: First Methodist, Leslie Methodist, Jason Lee Methodist, Presbyterian, Court Street Christian, and Evangelical. C. A. Swope is president of the league.

A meeting of the team captains will be held at 4:30 Monday afternoon at the YMCA at which time final details will be ironed out. Games will be limited to five innings, and 12 players must be certified before the opening game.

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NATIONAL National League Standings table with columns for team, W, L, Pct.

CINCINNATI, April 15.—(AP)—The Pittsburgh Pirates enjoyed an everybody hit day on the Cincinnati Reds' lot today and maintained the front seat in the league by a 10 to 6 score. Score—R. H. E. Pittsburgh..... 10 14 6 Cincinnati..... 6 7 1 Mahaffey, Nehf, Morrison and Smith; Rixey and Hargrave.

PHILADELPHIA, April 15.—The Giants took the final game of their series with the Phillies today, 6 to 3. Fred Fitzsimmons shaded Hub Pruett, on the mound, both receiving poor support. Score—R. H. E. Philadelphia..... 6 10 3 Fitzsimmons and Devermer; Pruett, Willoughby and Wilson.

CHICAGO, April 15.—Bill Sheridan held the Chicago Cubs to two hits today but one of them was Hack Wilson's home run into the center field bleachers which gave the Cubs victory over St. Louis 1 to 0. Percy Jones engaged Sheridan in the pitching duel and was saved from disaster frequently by double plays. Score—R. H. E. St. Louis..... 0 6 1 Chicago..... 1 2 0 Sheridan and O'Farrell, Snyder; Jones and Gonzales.

BOSTON, April 15.—The Boston Braves made it three out of four in their series with the Robins today when Charley Robertson, former White Sox pitcher limited Brooklyn to five hits. The final score was 3 to 1. Score—R. H. E. Brooklyn..... 1 5 1 Boston..... 3 7 2 McWeeney, Clark and Henline; Robertson and Taylor.

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MEET M CLUB TEAMS A volleyball match for Salem YMCA players against Multnomah club of Portland has been arranged for next Friday. The contest will be held in Salem.

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Marriage Losing Ground in Contest With Divorce

PORTLAND, April 15.—(AP)—Marriage in Oregon is losing ground in the contest with divorce, a report of the department of commerce, Washington, D. C., authorizes for publication today. shows. In 1926 there were 7085 marriages and 3186 divorces in the state, the government figures indicate.

Marriages increased 1.4 per cent in 1926 over 1925, and divorces increased 6.9 per cent. On July 1, 1926, the estimated population of Oregon was 877,000, as compared with 863,000 in 1925.

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SALEM HIGH WINS FROM LINCOLN 17-1

Heavy bombardment of the offerings of two visiting pitchers gave the Salem high school baseball team a 17 to 1 victory over Lincoln high of Portland here in a game played for the most part in a cold drizzle of rain.

Coach Hollis Huntington's men started strong in the first inning, getting four runs on two singles and home runs by Kelley and Fabry. In the fifth, they hammered out hits in all directions and with the aid of wild throwing to the bases on the part of the Portland preppers, amassed seven runs. Tallies garnered at other times brought the total to 17.

In addition to hitting hard and often, the Salem high aggregation looked good in the field, fielding hard hit balls perfectly and using good headwork in tight places. The teams were: Lincoln: Mitchell, shortstop; Waffle, third base-pitcher; Burton, center field; Lagan, second base; Rex, Emerson, left field; Levoff, first base; Lunden, right field; Hyde, pitcher; third base; Clay, catcher.

Salem: Ashby, shortstop; Siegmund, center field; Foreman, left field; Kelley, catcher; Olinger, first base-pitcher; Fabry, pitcher; first base; Beecher, Colgan, third base; Drager, right field; Adams, second base.

Score table for Salem vs Lincoln.

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TABLES TURNED ON BADGER NINE

EUGENE, April 15.—(AP)—The Oregon baseball team evened its three game series with Pacific university here today by walloping the visitors 8 to 4 in an eight-inning game. The Badgers won the first hit here Thursday, and will close the series tomorrow. The Pacific team got off to a one run lead in the first inning, but Oregon hammered in two rallies in the third, and built them

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up to six before Pacific scored again in the seventh. Bill Baker, Oregon pitcher, struck out 13 batsmen in the eight innings, while Don McCormick, Webfoot third baseman, led the hitting with three solid blows in four times up. Score—R. H. E. Pacific..... 4 6 4 Oregon..... 8 11 4 Batteries: Hutt, Cameron and Fryer; Baker and Woodie, Mimaugh.

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SENATORS EXPECT TOUGH OPPOSITION

With something in the nature of a "grudge fight" as well as an otherwise hard game in store for them when Nicolai comes here Sunday, the Salem Senators are working harder and showing more spirit this week than ever before. The "grudge" part of it is due to Nicolai's attitude when Salem was seeking admission into the Portland City league. It was the opposition of the Nicolai director that caused the decision to be delayed a week.

The Senators have been putting in long hours at batting and fielding practice, and the spirit with which they are entering into the league race may be judged from the fact that two members of the squad, "Red" Ridings and Faurie, drove over all the way from Molalla for Thursday night's workout.

With "Fuzzy" Carson on the mound, Nicolai is certain to give the Senators a hard battle, but the team that almost beat the Portland Beavers Tuesday will be ready for the door makers Sunday. The game is called for 2:30 p. m. instead of 3 o'clock which has formerly been the time for starting.

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FORMER FIGHTERS RALLY TO MOVIES

HOLLYWOOD, Cal.—(AP)—Where are the boxing main-eventers of yesterday? In the movies, earning \$7.50 a day and up.

A few of the former pugilists in motion pictures have climbed out of the extra ranks into "heavy money" as featured players. But Hollywood also is full of fighters whose former ring glory is of comparatively little advantage to them in their struggle to succeed on the screen.

When an experienced prizefighter was needed for a fight scene in "The Wisecrackers," 67 applicants responded to the call sent out by the casting director. Every one of them had been a main-eventer, and some of them had claimed championships.

The sought-after "bit" was given to Young Wagner, veteran of 139 ring battles. Twenty others out of the 67 were hired as "atmosphere."

A few days later a hurry call was issued for a dozen real fighters to work in "The Patent Leather Kid." The nearly 100 pugilists who responded all bore names which once were well known to fight fans.

Among the former fighters who have wrong recognition from the films is Tom Kennedy, one-time contender for the heavyweight title. Others include George Magrill, once light-heavyweight champion of the navy; Frank Hagney, former British champion and now in demand as a screen "heavy"; and Victor MacLaglen, former Austrian fighter whose big success was in "What Price Glory."

Billy Papke is a prosperous orange grower, but comes over from Pasadena now and then to try his hand at pictures. Tommy Ryan finances a boxing arena, but occasionally works before the camera.

Phil Salvatore, of Pacific coast lightweight fame, has quite the ring and devotes almost all of his time to pictures.

Ad Woglast occasionally works in the films. Larry Williams, the Bridgeport battler, is one of the most popular pugilists in Hollywood. He formerly sparred with Dempsey. Recently he and Jim-

SPORTS DONE BROWN

By Noeman E. Brown. A perusal of the second base situation brings to mind the fact that the major leagues, in addition to suffering the usual dearth of second sackers, are faced with an outfield problem that is more serious than usual. The untimely death of Ross Young of the Giants, the unfortunate dependent act of Johnny Mostil of the White Sox, the departure of Tris Speaker from the Indians, the departure of Zack Wheat from the Dodgers because of his high salary, the trading of George Harper by the Phils, and other moves are responsible for the increased worries of the various managers regarding their outer gardens.

Off-hand one is inclined to extend Ray Schalk of the White Sox sympathy due the one who is hardest hit.

When the new pilot of the Chicago outfit headed for the spring camp with his hopefuls, his outfield was "set."

Bib Falk in left had won his spurs last season. He had played the entire string out, had hit .345 and led the league in fielding.

Mostil, in center, had hit .328 while playing practically the entire campaign. He had led the league in base stealing and his outfield work had been as brilliant as ever.

Bill Barrett played 111 games in the outfield, as the third man, had hit .307 and had covered right field in capable fashion. Added to these, Schalk had Ike Boone.

Ike was drafted from the Mission club of the Pacific Coast League, with the thought of using him as utility outfielder and pinch hitter. Out where base hits are tossed about with the same abandon movie reputations are made and lost. Boone had ruined day after day for the pitchers.

To be more specific he had hit .380. He had socked a total of 238 hits. Thirty-two of them were homers. Fifty-five were doubles. He scored 140 runs himself and batted in 131.

Now Boone will be asked to play the third position regularly. Barrett probably will succeed Mostil in center and Boone will play right.

Boone was tried out by the Giants and the Red Sox and found wanting. Oh, yes, he could hit. But during his final fling with the Red Sox he became known as a "record book" hitter. He held to an average of .300 or better in the books, but his hits weren't always timely.

YMCA to Enter State Handball Tournament

Robert Boardman, physical director of the Salem YMCA, has written to officials in Portland for application blanks to the state championship handball meet which will be held at the Multnomah club in that city April 21, 22 and 23. It is planned to enter a doubles team and a singles player in the competition. The men to play have not yet been selected.

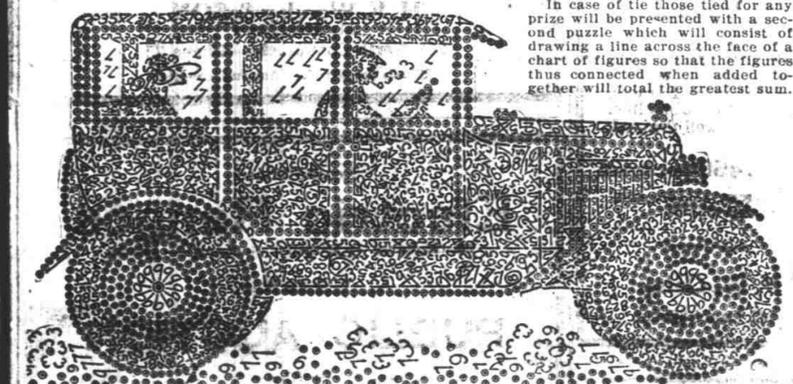
Willamette-Monmouth Tennis Meet Postponed

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