

TOM O'BRIEN WINS ON CLOSE DECISION

Tommy O'Brien, Portland featherweight idol, led his way through to a judge's decision over Phil Bayes of Salem before 2400 fans at the armory last night. The fight was the hardest and bitterest any headline this year, both men tearing out on full speed after the third round, and withal it was one of clean sportsmanship to the finish.

Rounds one and two were even, the first turning into a sprightly dancing and sparring match. Close fighting commenced in the second and evolved into a smashing attack from Bayes in the third which opened the Portlander's game eye. O'Brien made his only break of the fight in this round when he threw Phil to the ropes and apologized and took a smash in the jaw in return.

Bayes' best round was the fourth which he took by clever returns and counters to Tommy's rushes. He lost much ground in the fifth when O'Brien landed a skinner over the eye starting a steady flow of blood. The cut was deepened later in the round, and with both men spluttering they saw red until the final gong.

Bayes made a poor choice in shoes for the encounter losing every chance for fast breaks in the sixth by slipping to his knees. The same thing occurred in the seventh which Bayes would have won by a wide margin under ordinary circumstances. As it was he took it on a shade by landing two terrific punches to the head and mouth. He was forced to take an equal punch however as the bell sounded.

O'Brien opened the eighth in fast fashion with three solid blows landed in two rushes. He hammered away at Phil's eye with success but took two blows as rockers in exchange.

After two minutes of steady fighting in the ninth, Bayes took a right hook to the mouth and another to the eye. He countered well but could not overcome the Irishman's advantage.

Bayes fought back furiously in the final round to overcome the lead lost in the eighth and ninth, and in the opinion of his supporters very nearly accomplished the purpose. The round was the fastest of any but was practically even in every respect.

The closeness was marked by the hesitancy of the judges to hand in their slips. Two for O'Brien and one for Salem's game little battler was the margin announced.

Naturally Portland fans were satisfied and Bayes' supporters keenly disappointed. But won or lost, Bayes showed O'Brien a shower of glove work which will be remembered with soreness for several days. There was not a dull moment in the main event nor in the preliminaries and semi-

windup. The usual clinching and stalling was eliminated, by the hard working Billy Stepp whose work was well received with the exception of the draw awarded in the Hayes-Willert four round special event.

The scheduled semi-windup ended so suddenly and unexpectedly that the huge crowd was hushed for several minutes. Al Sharp of Salem and Jack Davis of Oregon City, fighting their return match following the latter's defeat by a knockout in the last card, started out in a furious mix. Scarcely 30 seconds after the first throw Sharp went down but jumped up immediately only to be chased around the ring.

Sharp turned in his own corner and blocked a well placed hay-maker with his chin. A glassy stare, a clutching at empty space and he fell face forward, a dead knockout. He struggled to his feet but Stepp stopped it before Davis could finish the massacre, as the lanky Salemite never knew what had happened.

Billy Hayes of Stayton showed remarkable improvement in his fight against the doughty Pete Willert but couldn't convince his Honor that he had the necessary goods. As a draw it was a beauty, both men taking punishment but wading in for more. Each drew a hand.

Jack McIntyre, Salem's newest lightweight prodigy, proved his worth as a crowd pleaser when he pasted the heavy swinging Young Firpo to a well earned decision. McIntyre lives in Salem now and should make his home town fans proud to claim him. He carried a heavy two fisted attack with an easy change of pace which was baffling to his battle scarred opponent. McIntyre will appear on the next card in the semi-windup.

Loren Watts hammered his fellow townsman, Johnny Walker around the ring through four fast preliminary rounds. Watts won his fight by hard body punishment which wore down the lad with the Scotch name to a frazzle of his original self.

Notwithstanding the consistent gate smashers who use their officialdom as a free pass, Matchmaker Harry Plant reported that the card was the financial success of the season.

NO HITS, NO RUNS ALLOWED BY LYONS

Twilight League Standings		
	W. L. Pct.	
Legion	1 0 1.000	
Grotto	1 0 1.000	
Bishop's	1 1 .500	
Papermaker's	1 1 .500	
Valley Motor	0 1 .000	
K. of C.	0 1 .000	

Fresh from a 6-0 defeat last week, the Bishop's Clothing store nine romped over the Knights of Columbus by a 10-0 count. The hurling of Albert "Brick" Lyons of the clothing store aggregation was the feature of the game.

Not a Casey garnered a safe hit, and only one man reached second base, as the result of an over-throw. A no hit—no run game is quite an accomplishment even in the Twilight League.

Only ten men faced Lyons in the first three frames. Three men reached first, one on a walk, one on an over-throw, and the third on an error on a ground ball. The game, called in the fourth on account of darkness, was scheduled for five innings.

The Bishop's Store nine started out with a bang, taking five runs in the first, two in the second and three in the fourth. In performing his hurling feat Lyons struck out four men, and walked one.

The next Twilight League game will be Friday night, between the two league leaders, one of these clubs will take a drop in the column, and public opinion favors the Legion to win.

The lineup:
Bishop—K. of C.—
Clinton, 2b Ashby, 2b
Kelly, 1b Humphreys, ss
Cummings, c Busick, 1b
Gibson, 3b J. Varley, 3b
Lutz, cf Green, cf
Lyons, p Balco, p
Ellis, if Kelley, if
Coombs, rf F. Varley, o
Hart, ss Edwards, rf
Umpires—Laird and Mason.

GRIDIRON WORK AT U. RESUMED

EUGENE, May 11.—(AP)—Football practice was resumed at the University of Oregon Tuesday afternoon under the direction of Capt. J. J. McEwan, head coach. McEwan says he has the makings of an excellent backfield for 1927, with Whippert, Ord, Ira Woodie, George Burnett, Cotter Gould, Vic Wetzel and Merrill Hagman, 1926 letterman, as holdovers, and such lads as Coleman, Robinson, Gabriel, Hutton, Williams, Minnaugh, Mason, Cheney, MacDonald and McDowell coming up from the freshman team. Other good prospects are LaSalle, Coles and Milton Green, 1926 super-varsity men, and Johnny Low, a transfer from OAC.

The veteran catcher waddled out to the box for a conference with the wild recruit. "See here, bimbo," he said, "you pitch a few more bad ones and Landis will be wanting to look over your mail."

INTLESS PITCHER HIT, WINS GAME

Coast League Standings		
	W. L. Pct.	
Oakland	26 17 .605	
Sacramento	24 18 .571	
Mission	22 19 .537	
Portland	21 21 .500	
Seattle	20 21 .488	
San Francisco	20 23 .465	
Los Angeles	18 23 .439	
Hollywood	15 25 .375	

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—(AP).—Although not having made a hit so far this season, Phil Weinert, left handed pitcher of the Missions, won his game from Portland today, 5 to 4, by being hit. With the score tied, the bases full and two out, Weinert got in the road of one of Kinney's shoots and forced over the winning run. Smith and Bagwell each hit home runs with a runner on base to account for all of Portland's tallies. Score—R. H. E.
Portland 4 8 0
Missions 5 7 2
Kinney and Wendell; Pillette, Weinert and Whitney.

LOS ANGELES, May 11.—Seattle pounded Dick McCabe hard and often, especially in the closing innings and defeated Hollywood 9 to 2, evening the series.

John Miljus held the Stars to five hits, but three of them were bunched in the fourth to give Hollywood its two runs. Huff hit a homer in the seventh with one man on.

Score—R. H. E.
Seattle 9 13 0
Hollywood 2 5 2
Miljus and Schmidt; McCabe and D. Murphy, Cook.

OAKLAND, May 11.—Oakland scored its second straight win over the San Francisco Seals today when the veteran Wilbur Cooper let the visitors down with four hits and a 3-0 shutout. Ragged playing by the Seals accounted for two runs as only one counter was earned.

Score—R. H. E.
San Francisco 0 4 3
Oakland 3 8 0
Mitchell, Hansen and Stokes, Woodson; Cooper and Baker.

SACRAMENTO, May 11.—Sacramento defeated Los Angeles, 9 to 8 in 11 innings here today in one of the worst exhibitions staged here this season. Pitching was of the poorest sort throughout. Smith filled the bases in the last of the 11th and then walked, McLaughlin, forcing over the winning tally with one gone.

Score—R. H. E.
Los Angeles 8 12 4
Sacramento 9 12 2
Hamilton, Moss, Cunningham, Smith and Hannah; Kallio, Keating and Kophler.

American League Standings		
	W. L. Pct.	
New York	16 8 .667	
Chicago	15 11 .577	
Philadelphia	13 10 .565	
Detroit	11 11 .500	
Washington	11 12 .478	
Cleveland	11 13 .458	
St. Louis	9 11 .450	
Boston	6 16 .273	

DETROIT, May 11.—(AP).—Jack Quinn outpitched Kenneth Holloway today and the Athletics won their second straight victory over the Tigers. The score was 3 to 1. Ty Cobb single handed scored one run against his for-

mer team mates. In the first inning with two out Cobb doubled to the centerfield fence. He stole third and came home when McManus' throw to catch him at third was over Warner's head.

Score—R. H. E.
Philadelphia 3 8 2
Detroit 1 7 1
Quinn and Cochrane; Holloway and Shea.

CHICAGO, May 11.—Chicago broke the winning streak of Horace Lisenbee, Washington's star pitcher, who had won three straight games, when the White Sox defeated the Senators 4 to 1 today. Alton Ward's double with the bases filled in the sixth inning gave the White Sox the game.

Score—R. H. E.
Washington 1 4 0
Chicago 4 8 2
Lisenbee, Burke and Ruel; Lyons and McCurdy.

ST. LOUIS, May 11.—Babe Ruth's eighth home run of the season off Ernie Nevers' delivery and with Koenig on base enabled the New York Yankees to take today's game from the St. Louis Browns 4 to 2.

Score—R. H. E.
New York 4 7 1
St. Louis 2 8 0
Shocker and Grabowski; Nevers and Schang.

Boston-Cleveland game postponed; rain and cold.

WILLAMETTE BEATS LINFELD ON TRACK

It took the relay yesterday to decide the track meet on Sweetland field between Willamette university and Linfield college. The Bearcats won by a score of 70 to 61, after the score had seemed throughout the entire meet.

The count stood 65 to 61 for Willamette when the relay was announced. Linfield had been touted as having a number of ten second men who would handle this event nicely, but Boothby, Thompson, and French gained a big lead for Tweedie who took the final dash against Millam, one of Linfield's fastest sprinters. Tweedie finished about 50 yards ahead of his opponent, and the meet was won.

Linfield took eight first places as against Willamette's six in the regular events. The Baptists were especially good in the short races, the hurdles, and the broad jump, shutting out Willamette entirely in the latter event. The Bearcats filled all places in the javelin throw, and the 2 mile race, in which Linfield did not enter any men. The Baptists cleaned the field in the 100 yard dash and the broad jump.

The Bearcats meet Pacific university at Forest Grove next Saturday. The Badgers hold a vic-

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tory 81 to 49 over Linfield, so the possibilities for Willamette to win are slight. Track coach Leslie Sparks predicts that Pacific will defeat the local by 20 points.

Summary:
100 yard dash—Martin, Linfield, first; Millam, Linfield, second; Warren, Linfield, third. Time 10 1-5.

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220 yard dash—Martin, Linfield, first; Flesher, Willamette, second; Warren, Linfield, third. Time 23 3-5.

120 yard high hurdles—Crump, Linfield, first; Lantz, Linfield, second; Haworth, Willamette, third. No time announced.

440 yard dash—Larson, Linfield, first; Millam, Linfield, and French, Willamette, tied for second. Time 54.

Two mile race—Hathaway, Willamette, first; Keefer, Willamette, second; Poor, Willamette, third. No time announced.

Javelin—Ruch, Willamette, first; Hawk, Willamette, second; Tweedie, Willamette, third. Distance 160 ft. 11 inches.

Pole vault—Hathaway and Emmons, Willamette, tied for first; Martin, Linfield, second. Height 9 ft. 6 in.

Shot put—Oberson, Willamette, first; McCrow, Willamette, second; King, Linfield, third. Distance 33 ft. 9 in.

High jump—Hartley, Willamette, first; Taylor, Willamette, and Bollen, Linfield, tied for second. Height 5 ft. 3 in.

Discus—King, Linfield, first; Oberson, Willamette, second; McCrow, Willamette, third. Distance 102 ft.

Broad jump—Sanders, Linfield, first; Martin, Linfield, second; Crump, Linfield, third. Distance 19 ft. 8 1/2 in.

220 low hurdles—Martin, Linfield, first; Haworth, Willamette, second; Pratt, Willamette, third. Time 28 2-5.

Half mile—Flesher, Willamette, first; Larson, Linfield, second; Zeller, Willamette, third. Time 2:08.

Relay—Won by Willamette. No time announced. Boothby, Thompson, French and Tweedie represented Willamette. Linfield runners were Martin, Anderson, Sanders, and Millam.

NATIONAL

National League Standings		
	W. L. Pct.	
New York	15 8 .652	
St. Louis	12 8 .600	
Philadelphia	10 8 .556	
Pittsburgh	10 9 .526	
Chicago	11 10 .524	
Boston	9 11 .450	
Brooklyn	9 15 .375	
Cincinnati	7 15 .318	

NEW YORK, May 11.—(AP)—Three St. Louis hurlers were unable to stop the Giants today and the New Yorkers triumphed by

10 to 1 which enabled them to supplant the world champions as leaders in the National League.

Jess Haines who had won five straight games, was knocked out of the box in three innings. The Giants scored four runs in the first inning on two passes, doubles by Lindstrom and Hornsby and Harper's triple. Later in the game Farrell and Hornsby each hit home runs with two men on base. It was Hornsby's sixth.

Score—R. H. E.
St. Louis 1 6 0
New York 10 9 1
Haines, Reinhart, Littlejohn and Snyder; McQuillan and Devorner.

BROOKLYN, May 11.—Brooklyn collected 13 hits off Donohue

and Lucas today to turn back the Cincinnati Reds by 7 to 5 in the initial appearance of the Hendrick clan here this season.

Score—R. H. E.
Cincinnati 5 8 1
Brooklyn 7 13 0
Donohue, Lucas and Hargrave; Petty, Ehrhardt and Henline.

PHILADELPHIA, May 11.—The Philadelphia Nationals scored a 5 to 2 victory over the Chicago Cubs in the second game of the series today. Alex Ferguson held the Cubs scoreless after the fourth inning.

Score—R. H. E.
Chicago 2 7 0
Philadelphia 5 9 0
Osborn, Brillheart and Hart-

nett; Ferguson, Mitchell, Purcell and Wilson.

BOSTON, May 11.—The Boston Braves and the Pittsburgh Pirates were clinched in a 4 to 4 tie today when a downpour of rain halted the battle. Two of Pittsburgh's runs, which gave them a lead, came in the fifth inning on an error by Moore.

Score—R. H. E.
Pittsburgh 4 5 1
Boston 4 10 3
Meadows and Smith; R. Smith and Taylor.

CELEBRATES WITH SUIT
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Salem, Oregon.
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