

Woodburn and Salem Open Legion Junior Season Today

NATIONAL CHIEF TO PITCH FIRST

Gatchell and Bevins Clash On Mound: Visitors are Favored by "Dope"

With the national commander of the American Legion, Louis A. Johnson, lending his presence with a view to emphasizing the importance of the occasion, American Legion junior baseball will be formally inaugurated for the season in Marion county this afternoon at 3 o'clock on Olney field, when the Salem and Woodburn juniors will clash.

That the amiable and renowned Mr. Johnson will pitch the first ball, with Jack Baker, Oregon department commander, behind the bat and Earl Snell, representing the governor, swinging from his heels, was about as far as Harold Hauk, coach of the Salem Juniors, would go in predicting Friday what will happen today on Olney field. His team has twice been defeated by Woodburn in practice games, which gives the visitors all the edge on the "dope."

An additional point of uncertainty in Hauk's mind was whether Francis Gatchell, his speedball pitcher from Jefferson, would be able to perform. Gatchell has not been in the best condition recently, and was not able to practice this week. He will start, however, if he is able. Paul Penny and Melvin Zwicker are the other mound possibilities.

Salem Juniors Will Face Bevens Slams
Hauk announced his probable batting order as follows: Delaney 2b, Salstrom ss, Nicholson cf, Etzel 1b, Clargett lf, Miller rf, Steinkamp 2b, Aker c, Gatchell p. Other members of the squad aside from the pitchers are Grabenhorst, Humphreys, Damon and Jones.

Pete DeGuire, Woodburn coach, is expected to start Bevins, lanky Hubbard boy, on the mound. He held the Salem boys to one hit in five innings in one of the practice games, so they know what to expect.

Others in the Woodburn lineup will be Gant 1b, Coleman 2b, Hershberger or Krause ss, Oberst 3b, Battleson, Dimick and Bonney in the outfield. Others on the squad are Redder, a pitcher, and McKee, Conyne and Adams.

Salem will have the edge on experience in Legion junior ball. Delaney, Salstrom, Nicholson, Miller, Gatchell and Penny are all members of last year's squad, while Woodburn has only Voget and Coleman of the 1932 county champions.

Silverton and Stayton will play at Stayton Sunday in the other opening game of the county series.

WOODBURN, June 2—Two baseball games are scheduled for Woodburn Sunday afternoon. The Woodburn Legion juniors will play the Postoffice Pharmacy team of Portland at the Legion park at 2:30 o'clock and the Woodburn Aces will meet the Union Athletic club on the local high school diamond at the same hour.

The Woodburn team of the Portland Valley league will cross bats with the Oregon City team at Oregon City that day.

MT. ANGEL, June 2— Graduation exercises of St. Mary's school were held in the auditorium Thursday afternoon at 2 p.m. The stage was beautifully decorated with gold and white flowers and above it was emblazoned the class motto. Mrs. Mary L. Fulkerson, county school superintendent, awarded the certificates and gave a short but inspiring talk in her own inimitable way. Rev. Father Damian delivered an eloquent address to the graduates.

Those graduating were Robert Baranum, Ivo Bauman, Jack Bittler, Francis Bittler, Harold Bourbonnais, Sylvester Gerlitz, Victor Hassing, Werner Klinglinger, Raymond Knori, Louis Koppes, Anthony Lauby, Harold Pierce, Lawrence Saalfeld, Michael Welton, Roland Webb, Dolores Annen, Laura Bartnik, Thasilla Barr, Irene Borsing, Mary Beth Brockhaus, Anastasia Buchheit, Margaret Frank, Margaret Gilles, Consuelia Gregush, Agnes Grosjacques, Madlen Krammer, Virginia Kehoe, Rose Kramer, Wilhelmina Schaffers, Dolores Ullman and Anna Wampach.

Palmer business certificates were awarded to Margaret Frank, Thasilla Barr, Madlen Krammer, Laura Bartnik, Mary Brockhaus, Anastasia Buchheit, Irene Borsing and Margaret Gilles. The following received student certificates for writing: Jack Bissel, Virginia Kehoe, Consuelia Gregush, Francis Bittler, Colores Ullman, Margaret Brockhaus, Florence Smith, Mary Ann Bochsler, Richard Hessel, John Mackie, Mary Borschowa, Evelyn Froemel and Agnes Heterscheid. Those receiving improvement certificates were: Anthony Lauby, Maxine Gilles, Elizabeth Lauby, Lawrence Saalfeld and Harold Bourbonnais.

Fifty-five students were also awarded the perfect attendance certificates.

The Master of the "Screw Ball"

By BURNLEY



HEY, HERE IT IS!
CARL'S SCREW BALL HAS THE BATTERS BREAKING THEIR BACKS!



Carl HUBBELL

GIANTS' SOUTHPAW-- HIS "SCREW BALL" IS SAID TO RESEMBLE MATHEWSON'S FAMOUS FADEAWAY!

WHEN a pitcher gets around to the s-age where sports writers bang out his name on the same line with that of Christy Mathewson, that pitcher is somebody. This year, that somebody is Carl Hubbell, the Giants' ace southpaw, who has been hanging a string of impressive victories at his belt since his first game of the season, when he beat the Boston Braves 1-0 in a startling exhibition of top notch hurling.

But it wouldn't be right to compare Hubbell with Mathewson. Hubbell is nowhere near the rank of pitcher that Mathewson was, although he may get there. There is plenty to say, however, in comparing Hubbell's so-called screw-ball with Mathewson's famous fadeaway.

Hubbell, incidentally, is baseball's outstanding freak pitcher today. He has built his success on the tossing of a freak ball, just as Mathewson did. Few moundmen have lasted long depending on that brand of delivery, but Hubbell seems to be one of the anomalies in that respect. We can recall only Cy Moore and his sinker ball in the days of '27 as a similar example.

Hubbell's screw-ball is very much like the Mathewson fadeaway. Veterans even insist that it is the same thing under a new monicker. It is true that the ball breaks the same way as the fadeaway. It dips under and away from the batter—fades out of reach of the swing.

Carl himself has described the way he manages it. Except for a certain spread of the fingers, the ball is held the same as for delivery of a fast ball; but it is the wrist action that breaks the ball at the proper time and place. Hubbell is a left-hander, and so he twists his wrist inward—towards the head—

as he lets the ball fly. A curve ball is thrown with an outward dip. Among other deadly qualities of this screw-ball is the fact that it is even more effective against right-handed batters than against south paws. When a righthander is up, the ball fades inside his swing.

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ANGEL HURLER BLANKS DUCKS

Newsome Gives Three Blows Gibson Only Four but Error Yields run

COAST LEAGUE

Port.	W.	L.	Pct.
Portland	34	23	.596
Hollywood	34	24	.586
Sacramento	33	26	.559
Los Angeles	31	26	.544
Mission	32	28	.533
Oakland	26	32	.448
Seattle	20	34	.370
San Francisco	21	38	.356

PORTLAND, Ore., June 2—(AP)—Los Angeles defeated Portland, 2 to 0, in a pitchers' battle here today. Blk Buck Newsome, Los Angeles right-hander, allowed Portland only three hits, and kept those so well scattered that Portland threatened only once, in the eighth inning.

Sam Gibson, on the Portland mound allowed only four hits in the eight innings he pitched before giving way to a pinch hitter, but Portland's lone error helped the Angels score their first run in the fifth inning. Cronin singled, Kies was safe on an error, Newsome sacrificed, and Cronin scored when Stats filed out to right field.

The Angels picked up their second run in the ninth inning when Gudat doubled, Oglesby singled and Cronin sacrificed. In Portland's eighth inning threat, Shely, pinch-hitting for Palmisano, singled, but Newsome struck out Blackersby, pinch-hitting for Gibson.

Los Angeles.....2 6 0
Portland.....0 3 1

Newsome and Cronin; Gibson, A. Jacobs and Palmisano, Shely.

Oakland.....5 16 0
Hollywood.....7 12 2
McEvoy, Fleber and Veltman;
Shellenback and Tobin.

San Francisco.....7 17 3
Seattle.....5 11 1

Stats and McIsaac; Pillette, Haid, Carter and Cox.

Sacramento.....7 15 1
Mission.....6 15 0

Gillick, Saunders and Wirts; Lieber and Fitzpatrick.

Bearcats Tie With Oregon Tennis Team

Willamette university's tennis team broke even with University of Oregon racquet swingers on the courts at Eugene Friday, despite the fact that the Bearcat team was somewhat shy of recent practice.

Bennett, Willamette, defeated Thompson 6-3; Fisher, Oregon, beat Hagemann 6-3, 6-2; Economou, Oregon, beat Goyno 6-1, 8-6; Winslow Oregon, beat Harmon 6-1, 6-1; Hagemann and Bennett beat Economou and Fisher 6-4, 6-4; Goyno and Harmon beat Thompson and Winslow 6-2, 7-5.

Willamette did not play Oregon State this year, but Oregon also broke even with the Staters, indicating there was little to choose between the three leading college teams of the state. Willamette had defeated all of the Northwest conference college teams in Oregon.

MOLALLA BUCKEROOS INVITE CELEBRANTS

Molalla Buckeroos were loose again yesterday. A squad of cowboy-birthed habitants of the Clackamas county town invaded other cities of the valley as far as Lebanon where they advertised their coming buckeroo days, July 2, 3 and 4. Pres. Hendrickson and E. R. Wallace of the cowboy town headed the party which was accompanied by a band. Stopping in Salem, the band played in front of The Statesman office, and the fellows circulated over town calling on people and inviting them over to the big buckeroo days.

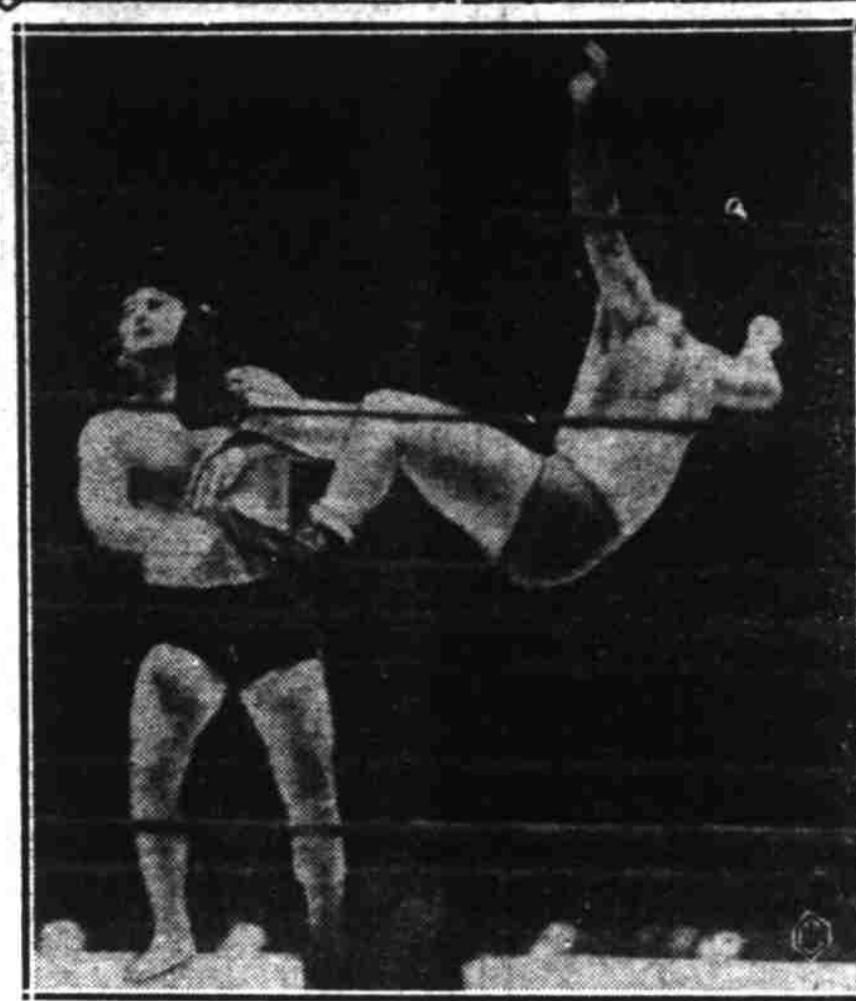
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SAVOLDI IN ACROBATIC ATTACK



They call it wrestling, and the experts ought to know. This spectacular photo shows Joe Savoldi, former Notre Dame star, as he put the quietus on Strangler Lewis with his famous "drop kick" tackle to end their bout at New York. After this kick on the jaw, Lewis was so dizzy that he could make only a feeble objection to being pinned.

Hubbard and Monitor Will Attempt to Halt Leaders; Sublimity Faces Stayton

MID-WILLAMETTE LEAGUE

Northern Marlon

Aurora	W.	L.	Pct.
Aurora	4	0	1.000
Mt. Angel	4	0	1.000
Lone Elder	3	2	.600
Hubbard	2	2	.500
Monitor	2	4	.333
St. Paul	1	4	.200
Brooks	0	4	.000

Southern Marlon

Stayton	W.	L.	Pct.
Stayton	5	0	1.000
Turner	3	2	.600
Jefferson	2	3	.400
Mehama	2	3	.400
Scio	1	3	.250
Sublimity	1	3	.250

Linn Division

Harrisburg	W.	L.	Pct.
Harrisburg	3	1	.750
Sweet Home	3	1	.750
Shedd	3	1	.750
Tangent	2	2	.500
Lebanon	1	4	.200
Halsey	1	4	.200

The big question in the Mid-Willamette Valley Baseball association, insofar as the two Marlon county leagues is concerned, has become "who's going to knock over those leaders?" In the southern division Stayton remains undefeated and in the northern division Mt. Angel and Aurora are in the same enviable position.

One reason there are two undefeated teams in the northern circuit is that they have not met; and the queer thing about that is that unless somebody else stops one of them, or unless some postponed games are played, they will remain undefeated until July 2. The reason is that May 14, when they were to have played each other, was one of those rainy Sundays when practically nobody played.

Tomorrow's opportunities to stop these juggernauts fall to Hubbard, which will entertain Mt. Angel, and Monitor, which will play host to Aurora. Lone Elder goes to St. Paul and Brooks will be idle.

In the Linn county league where Harrisburg, Sweet Home and Shedd are tied for the lead, that tie will be disrupted for Harrisburg will play at Shedd, Lebanon goes to Tangent and Sweet Home at Halsey.

Reports of some of last Sunday's games were delayed in reaching The Statesman; among them a highly exciting contest at St. Paul which Aurora won 7 to 5 in 10 innings. Oddly enough the score was 2 to 2 at the end of the ninth; Reed, Aurora chucker, and Schwabauer, first baseman, hit home runs to put their team five tallies to the good in the first of the 10th, and St. Paul scored three in its half.

Lone Elder defeated Monitor 12 to 2. Scores:

Aurora	7	12	2
St. Paul	5	8	2
Reed and J. Evans; F. Kirsch, Scheuts and Kirsch.			
Lone Elder	12	14	4
Monitor	8	11	2
Bowlsby and Kendall; Cooper, Seely and Norton.			

Too Late to Classify

WANTED TO BUY small grocery business in good center, Salem.

NOTICE!

This is to inform our customers and the public that we have just been informed that several hundred chicks that were auctioned off on the 28th of March at the auction place in West Salem, came from the Willamette Valley Hatchery. This statement is misleading.

The express company called us up and said that they were stuck with a couple thousand Leghorn chicks that were shipped from the south to a man in Polk county. He refused to accept the chicks and they wanted to know if we would water and feed them here until they could dispose of them. We arranged to do so. They were here about a week when the shipper and an auctioneer came for them, taking them all away and auctioned them off.

We do not know just where the chick came from, or the quality of the chick's parent stock.

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GROVE HURLS WILD, LETS YANKEES WIN

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	26	13	.667
Washington	25	19	.568
Cleveland	25	19	.568
Philadelphia	21	17	.553
Chicago	21	19	.525
Detroit	18	23	.439
Boston	17	28	.378
St. Louis	12	27	.303

NEW YORK, June 2—(AP)—Charley Ruffings' pinch singles with two on base and a wild pitch by Lefty Grove gave the Yankees two runs in the eighth and a five to four victory over the Philadelphia Athletics today. Lefty Gomez fanned 13.

Philadelphia.....4 8 1
New York.....5 8 1

Mahaffey, Grove and Cochran; Gomez, Moore and Jorgensen.

Boston.....3 9 1
Washington.....8 13 1

Weiland, Andrews, Rhodes and Ferrell; Weaver and Sewell.

Chicago.....1 6 2
Detroit.....14 16 0

Gaston, Kinsey, Miller and Berry; Herring and Hayworth.

Cleveland.....2 8 0
St. Louis.....1 4 1

Hildebrand and Spencer; Blalocker, Gray and Shea; Cleveland, Gray and Shea; Cleveland, Gray and Shea; Cleveland, Gray and Shea.

St. Louis.....22 16 619
Pittsburgh.....24 15 615

New York.....23 16 590
Chicago.....20 21 488

Brooklyn.....17 21 447
Boston.....18 26 409
Philadelphia.....15 29 341

PHILADELPHIA, June 2—(AP)—The New York Giants had a m-r-e-d four Philadelphia pitchers for a dozen hits and 11 runs in the fifth and sixth innings to defeat the Phillies, 11 to 3.

New York.....11 19 2
Philadelphia.....3 14 2
Hubbell and Mautsuo; Rhem, Collins, Fleckel, A. Moore and V. Davis.

Brooklyn.....1 5 1
Boston.....6 12 0

Carroll, Shaute, Ryan and Lopez, Outen; randt and Spohrer.

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Salem's Net Squad Beats O.S.C. Rooks

The Salem high school tennis team defeated the Oregon State Rooks Thursday afternoon at Corvallis, four matches to three.

Summary: George Corey lost to Moe 6-4, 6-1, Harold Beall beat Brant 6-8, 6-3, 6-4, Erwin Bahlburg beat Cox 1-6, 6-1, 6-3, Ira Wintermute lost to Baum 4-6, 7-5, 3-6, Ed Frank beat Hammond 6-3, 6-2, Corey and Beall lost to Moe and Brant 12-4, 6-4, 6-0. Bahlburg and Wintermute beat Cox and Baum 3-6, 9-7, 6-4.

Thursday's victory wound up the season for the Salem high team. It had hoped to play Jefferson high of Portland for the unofficial state championship, but Jefferson declined because of the rush of events at the close of the school year.

STENOGRS OF S. H. S. GAIN RECOGNITION

Out of 61 copies entered by Salem high school stenographic classes in the monthly contest sponsored by the Order of Great Critics of America, 60 received certificates and four of the students were awarded bronze pins signifying that they submitted the best copy in their respective groups.

Those receiving the club pins are: Margaret Ayers, Marjorie Hilborn, Hollis Martin and Rosetta Smith.

Those receiving certificates are: Betty Abrams, Margaret Ayers, Helen Maree Anderson, Frances Bean, Idris Beach, Catherine Bressler, Dorothy Bishop, Alicia Butler, Mary Cameron, Lenore Campbell, Dorothy Dahlberg, Gertrude Daley, Willa Ellis, Florence Esheleman, Ruby Esheleman, Marie Froehlich, Ann Fitzpatrick, Mary Frok, Wanda Gamble, Winston Gosser, Gladys Garrison, Ruby Greene, Elsie Grimm, Jewell B. Howell, Marjorie Hilborn, Agnes Hansen, Jean Hawkins, Melba Hodge, Evelyn Hoag, Beulah Harrison.

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SETTING THE PACE FOR THE SLUGGERS

The leading batters of a year ago seem to have slipped back to the rock and the catcher is leading the batting line with honors in the big leagues. Sam West, of the St. Louis Browns and Johnny Hodson, of the Red Sox are neck and neck with Benny Chapman, of the Yanks, a runner-up to the rock and the catcher is leading the batting line with honors in the big leagues. Sam West, of the St. Louis Browns and Johnny Hodson, of the Red Sox are neck and neck with Benny Chapman, of the Yanks, a runner-up to the rock and the catcher is leading the batting line with honors in the big leagues.

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TO PLAY RIVER RATS

SILVERTON HILLS, June 2.—The Silverton Hills baseball boys will play a game on the local diamond Sunday with the River Rats. Last Sunday the locals lost to the Silver Creek falls team.

ADDING TO RESIDENCE

PIONEER, June 2.—John Robbins of Dallas is helping his son Clyde build onto his house. They are building two bedrooms and a bath room.

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EGG PRICES CLING TO BETTER LEVEL

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Portland prices continued slightly in advance of those at San Francisco with top grade at 18c, 4c above a year ago, while at San Francisco top price was 17c, 2c in advance of this time last year.

Production, consumption and storage trends are tending to keep the trade uneasy. Production per hen is less than last year, but there are more hens per flock, while consumption is not keeping up with that of a year ago. Meanwhile movement into storage has been heavy.

April chick hatchings showed the first market increase of the year, amounting to more than 16 per cent above last season in that month.

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