baseball vintages yet," was the general opinion being handed about following the Oldtimers' clash with the Bearcats Thursday aft, speaking of and about the oldsters who held the 'Cats to a 2 to 1 win in 10 frames. Of course, railbirds point out, 'tisn't quite cricket to tab a guy like "Spec" Keene, who can get out there and make the nugget do a will-o'-the-wisp, an oldster, "The big bruiser has been traveling under false sails," Bearcats who faced his dipsy dew slants belligerently broadcast. -0-

Strictly a "Sail" Pitcher.

Whether Keene took the mound flying a false sail or not isn't here nor Czekos-s-, you spell it. But the way the big guy sailed the shiny apple up there for his own neophytes to nonplussedly poke at would create the general impression that "Spec" isn't as old as he would sometimes have us believe, I say "sail" for an explicit reason, "Spec," that is, Spec" the pitcher, doesn't have a straight bell in his flinging repertoire. Not him. For the "one finger" signal the ex-Coast league star invariably wafts in a pitch that "sails" in to a righthanded batsman and away from a lefty. In fact, not that I would for an instant belittle "Spec's" hook, I believe he has more on his fast one than he does his curve.

#### Scouts Go Berserk.

And there you have the reason why those collegians weren't pasting Keene's slants. Every pitch had plenty of spin on it, and the boys just weren't meeting it on the nose. In fact, Keene sent two of his youngsters back to the" bench wondering what they had thought they had seen to swing at. After Keene had given over the mound to Squeak Wilson, not wanting to take all the glory, it that practice was until he got is rumored that no less than six here. big league scouts hurried into the dugout (?) and hammered one to get an interview with "Spec" to encircled by a throng of admirgoon squad to clear a path.

-0-Hauk "Tickets" One.

Not all the glory was gobbled up by Keene. Not by a jugful. Or, I should say, not by a pair of Girodfuls. The manner in which Zeke and Loufe Girod handled the keystone situation between them would make even McCarthy forget about his Crossetti - Knickerbocker - Gordon difficulties, Those two guys must play baseball in their sleep, and sleep as much as Joe Louis. At first base Dwight "Smoke" Adams couldn't have looked more at home if he'd been playing a game every day since April, with a doubleheader on Sundays. While Hauk had a little trouble in getting the "gate" down at the bot corner, he showed more power with the stick than anyone else on the lot. He hit one so high and far along about the fifth stanza that everyone figured he must have given it a Western Airlines ticket to at least as far as Silverton, but a guy named Southard appeared out of nowhere to lure it out of the blue into his glove. He must have used a deflator. -0-

His Swing Terrific.

Older oldtimers, ensconced in the bleachers, were overheard to say that never, never in all their days had they seen prettier cuts at a ball than George Scales was Portland ......30 24 taking. "As Frisco Edwards would put it if he were here," they said. "he stands up there nice, he takes a beautiful swing, so the only alternative is that the guy must be blind." Scales, when asked to speak for himself, said: "I've been hearing a lot about 'dead' balls and 'live' balls in this newfangled baseball, but I didn't know until today that they had cut down the size of them." As for Representative Steelhammer, perhaps you won't believe it, but the guy upset all precedent by attempting to turn his appearance in a purely amateur baseball funfest into a vote-getting adjunct. Having heard, probably from some well-meaning sports scribbler, that it is always the player on any team who wears something startlingly different from the rest who gets the notices, Steelhammer went into the tilt garbed not unlike a maypole. He couldn't help but be noticed. -0-

Gags on Politics.

Don Messenger's work behind the plate and his rifle arm were seyond criticism. The only hing that marred Don's game was that he was forced to keep an eye on the bull pen, where throughout most of the game L. H. Gregory, Oregonian sport boss, was warming up. Greg, scheduled for second spot in the Oldtimers' pitching parade, took one look at Steelhammer and remarked that whenever politics were allowed to mix with baseball it let him out.
As for Sport Sparks, he was
amply cared for by one blistering remark he overheard: "For heaven's sake, WAS that guy a pitcher?"

#### Cougars Stay in Race

PULLMAN, May 27,-(AP)-The Washington State Cougars stayed in northern division coast conference baseball race by scoring their third victory of the season over the University of Washington, 8 to 3, beday.

# Yates Reaches Final, Favored to Win

### Ewing Foe for **British Crown**

Birdie on 19th Is Scored by American, First to Reach Final 'Cold'

By SCOTTY RESTON TROON, Scotland, May 27-(A)-One hundred yards from the sea and nine feet from glory, Charley Yates of Atlanta stood on the 19th green of the old Troon course this evening and made golfing history as 10,000 Scots surrounded him.

Hector Thomson, his rival in this semi-final match of the British amateur golf championship, stood aside and twitched nervousstroked his ball across those nine the Active club's city tournament. green feet and into the cup for a

round of the British amateur the first American ever to get cessive sub-par nines, 34-35-35. there without previous competi-

gained the first of his two victo- clude: ries right down the shore at Prestwick in 1934, but before that he had played in the Walker cup matches at St. Andrews and knew what to expect from the Scottish

Is Well Prepared But Yates came in cold. He

practiced punching low iron shots under the watchful eye of George Sargent at East Lake, in Atlanta, but he didn't know how valuable

Tomorrow in the 36-hole final he meets Cecil Ewing, conqueror another into scout pulp in an ef- of US Walker cup. Capt. Francis fort to get the Bearcat mentor's Ouimet on Wednesday and of C. name on a contract. Generally Ross (Sandy) Somerville of Canspeaking, you can hear anything ada, 2 up, in the other semi-final around a ball park, so that rumor | this afternoon. The gigantic Irish may be just that. I vainly tried insurance agent, one of the longest hitters in the game, is a deverify it, but he was so tightly termined, and for this week at least, a lucky golfer. But he is ers that it would have taken a given only a 1 to 2 chance of beating the Atlantan.

There may be a record crowd for tomorrow's match. At the end Silverton, which starts at 8:30 of today's play, the mob was so o'clock, should be a natural with great that spectators completely George Windsor, Willamette encircled some of the longest par pitcher, on the mound, probably 4 holes, and they made such a opposing Bill Hatch, large left mad dash for the greens that the hander who has been noted for players never had a chance to see his good pitching. Manager Mctheir balls land.

# Seniors Win out

By just one tally did the Seniors yesterday establish their su- Roberts, one of the league's top periority over the Sophomores in hurlers, and "Squeak" Wilson a softball clash at senior high, the upperclassmen winning 8 to 7.

Congdon Wins Title

TACOMA. May 27.-(AP)-Alternately hot and cold, Chuck Coag-don, Tacoma Country and Golf tryout with the Portland Beavers club professional, toured his home and has been working out with course in 74-72-146 today to them this week. Neill Sater, regwin the northwest professional ular first baseman, who was ingolfers closed tournament.

#### League Standings

COAST LEAGUE

(Before night games)

The state of the s	10.75	10.77
Sacramento30	24	.5
Seattle29	25	.5
San Francisco 28	26	.5
San Diego28	26	.5
Hollywood26		.4
Los Angeles25	29	
Oakland21	34	.3
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Cleveland22	11	.6
Poston19	12	.6
New York17		.5
Washington 19	17	.5
Chicago13	13	.5
Detroit	18	.4
Philadelphia10	20	.3
St. Louis 9	22	. 2
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ADD BASEBALL BOX HED. WESTERN INT'L LEAGUE Tacoma 9. Wenatchee 5. Yakima 7, Spokane 1. Vancouver 6, Bellingham 2.

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#### Beardsley Is Junior Champ

Defeats Nicholls, Scoring Sub-Par 143; More of **Finals Completed** 

Orville Beardsley is Salem's new junior golf champion as the ly at his putter. Then Yates, with result of his 3 and 2 victory over a tug at his cap and scarcely a Fritz Nicholls in the finals of glance at his line, walked up and the junior championship flight in

This 36-hole battle was one of the best in the history of junior When the ball vanished into the competition here, Beardsley iecup, Yates took off his cap. One gotiating the route in 143, one American let out the southern under par. Both h and Nichol's rebel yell. Charley looked around were shaky on the first nine and and smiled. He was in the final scored 39s. Beardsley settlad down and turned in three suc-

Bert Victor and Glen Lengren tive experience in the gusting, will meet in the senior championveering winds of these sea-side ship finals over the 36-hole route Sunday. Some other flight finals Lawson Little of San Francisco played since last weekend in-

> Fifth flight, Kitzmiller beat Mickelson 2 and 1. Sixth flight, Jennings beat Thirteenth flight, Toomb best

> Ashby 2 and 1. Fourteenth flight, E. Busick beat Gottfried 2 and 1. Sixteenth flight, Fish Steele 2 and 1.

#### Windsor to Hurl Saturday's Game

Play Start at 8:30; Sunday Tilt Is Scheduled for 2:30 p.m.

SILVERTON-Managers report that Saturday nights game at Ginnis of Silverton will use his right hand hitters in the outfield against Hatch. They are Duke Marlow, Ike Eisminger and Rod Oster, the latter a Silverton high Over Soph Squad school boy who is hitting the bail exceptionally well.

Sunday's game, beginning at 2:30 p. m., will no doubt see Fred who has been in rare form so far this year, in action.

John Pesky, former Bend and Sophs ...... 7 9 5 Reliable Shoe infielder, will sign Weldt and Clark; Long, Harms with the locals this week and will be in uniform Saturday night. Pesky is a flashy infielder, playing either second or short and a good hitter.

Salstrom With Beavers jured in the first game is working out again this week and will likely be back in the lineup during the weekend.

The probable lineup will be Sater at first; Pesky at second; Zirmer, short; Salstrom, third; Marlow, Wodeage, Baker or Eisminger in the outfield; Chick .556 Hauser, catching, and Wilson .556 pitching.

The large parking space is adjacent to the park and there is no extra charge for parking.

#### Welter Clash Is Postponed Again

NEW YORK, May 27 .- (AP)-That stubborn fellow sometimes known as Jupiter Pluvius gave the Bar ney Ross-Henry Armstrong world welterweight title fight its second consecutive setback today and caused Promoter Mike Jacobs again to postpone the 15-round battle, this time until Tuesday .629 night. Not only was the big Madison

Square Garden bowl on Long .484 Island thoroughly soaked from heavy rains yesterday and this morning, but more showers were forecast for tonight. Both gladiators hustled back to

the training grind in the same mid-town gymnasium. They went through their paces this afternoon and will continue through Suaday. Neither will work Monday

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# Faster Than Lightning!



R ACING against death! Speed demons in the Indianapolis auto classic next Monday real daredevil to face such risks time after time without losing his Other former winners who are will be doing just that, gruesome as it sounds. The ghostly figure of the Grim Reaper hovers over the speedway every Memorial Day, when the annual classic is run.

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Morbid statisticians have figured that Death bats about .300 in these breathtaking speed tests. The per-ilous turns, taken at the terrific pace maintained by the racers, are a con-

Salem's Knights of Columbus

ball club, at present tied with

Monday the aggressive Kaysee

play St. Paul, at present in second

spot in the Sunset league. Mon-

Yankees Trounce

Lone Elder for second spot in the

in the standings.

#### Knights Team to Greenberg Swats Play Lone Elder Record Home Run

Hansen-Liljequist

CHICAGO, May 27-(A)-Vernon Kennedy, wiry Detroit screwball trial league last night, clouting US Bank .... Cascade circuit, moves to Lone burler, came back today to the either a notch up or a notch down diamond he called home for three Kay Mills.

Stockwell and Bertelson; John-by towns. The commission hopes to sign up a new promoter soon. years and, with the aid of a timely supporting offense that included a 440-foot park record homer day's tilt will begin at 2:30 at by Hank Greenberg, defeated his old White Sox mates, 5 to 2, on six hits for his seventh consecutive victory.

Greenberg's homer, his 11th of Their Farm Boys the season, was the first ever hit into the dead centerfield bleachers since the stands were erected BINGHAMPTON, N. Y., May 27 in 1927. The drive, at the expense -(A)-The New York Yankees to- of Frank Gabler, former National day defeated the Binghamton leaguer making his home debut Eastern league "farm team" 10 as a Chicagoan, cleared the 15 to 2 in an exhibition game foot wall 440 feet from the plate watched by an overflow crowd of and landed in the front rows.

crowd got out of control and Chicago ...... 2 6 0 swarmed onto the diamond seek- Kennedy and Tebbetts; Gabler, Rigney (8) and Sewell.

The victory boosted the Tigers The game was called at the end into fifth place. of the seventh inning when the Detroit ...... 5 10 0

### Lillard Stops **Ducks Handily**

Allows Only Four Blows; Suds Go on Rampage to Defeat Seals

PORTLAND, May 27-(AP)-Gene Lillard blinded the Portland Beavers with his smoke ball tonight and Los Angeles won an easy one,

Lillard fanned 11 Portlanders, nine strikeouts coming in the first six innings, and held them to only The Angels hit Darrow hard, but three Portland errors con-

tributed to the size of their score. for each club. Los Angeles ...... 6 11 Portland ..... 1 4 3 and Dickey.

San Diego ...... 4 2 Hollywood ...... 7 11 0 Humphries, Tobin (4) and Ho- and College of Idaho 4. gan; Babich and Brenzel. Potelho (7); Hutchinson and

#### Polk Ball Crown Is Won by Dallas

Dragons Make Hay Early, Later Innings Even; Hurlers Do Well

MONMOUTH-Pounding Inde endence's starting pitcher, Hartman, for 14 runs in the first three innings, Dallas here Friday won the Polk county prep championship by overwhelming Independence 16 to 6.

It was nearer an even battle after Burch relieved Hartman in the fourth, with Dallas pushing across three in the seventh and one in the eighth, while Independence scored three in the fourth. two in the seventh and one in the eighth. The Hoppickers got one in the first, also.

The two top Polk county high school nines had previously won one game each so the deciding game was moved here to the Oregon normal diamond.

Peters; Hartman, Burch and

#### Bank Softballers Defeat Foresters

Defeats Kay Mill Although outhit they were also outbooted, and the US bank sof:-Hansen-Liljequist bounded back Foresters 14 to 10 in an Indus- the fight game, with emphasis on into winning stride in the Indus- trial league tilt.

### Whitman Wins In Track Meet

Linfield Second, WU Gets Fourth Place; Three Records Smashed

WALLA WALLA, May 27-(A)-The Whitman Missionaries proved themselves good mudders and successfully defended their Northwest conference track championship tonight, rolling up a rainsoaked 73 points to 53 for Lin-

field, the nearest competitor. Running conditions were made laughable when a downpour swamped the stadium with the meet less than half over. Finals were run with water between four and five inches deep on the track. Three records were broken, be-

fore the rain-two by Whitman -when Callsen ran the 100 in 9.8 and Gib Norris the 440 in 50.5. The third new mark was established by McFadden of CPS who tossed the javelin 196 feet The series is even at two games 5 inches. The old marks were 9.9. 51.2 and 192 feet 10 inches re-

No finals were run off in the Lillard and Collins; Darrow javelin or broad jump-contest-nd Dickey. ants and officials accepting the results of afternoon trials. Other team totals were: CPS 20 14. Willamene 13. Pacific 12 1/2

# 2 Games of Top

Defeat Revamped Pirates: Cincinnati Wins Its First Night Game

PITTSBURGH, May 27 .- (AP) -Bill Lee's right arm and Gabby Hartnett's big bat sank the revamped Pirates 5 to 0 today and carried Chicago's Cubs to withia two games of first place in the National league.

Chicago Pittsburgh Lee and Hartnett; Klinger, Swift, Sewell and Todd.

Reds Win at Night CINCINNATI, May 27 .- (A)-The Cincinnati Reds won a brilliant pitching duel between Johnny Vander Meer and Bill McGee, 2 to 1, tonight in the tenth inning successive doubles. It was the first night game of the season. McGee and Owen; Vander Meer

#### Wilson Accepted

and V. Davis.

The Salem boxing commission, meeting yesterday noon, decided to accept as official the public resignation Jack Wilson recently made in a Salem newspaper as promoter for the commission.

It is the intention of the comball crew last night bested the mission to continue sponsoring cards of the semi-pro calibre, which provide an outlet for local

