



Curley Hopper, the Creek Indian lightweight who has yet to lose a fight in a Salem ring, takes on Eddie Bailey in the six-round semi-windup of the Proctor-Trambitas card at the armory Wednesday night.

Sport Sparks

By RON GEMMELL

A remarkable record, that five-year pitching mark of Henry Singer's. And, the way he's been chucking the oversized agate this year, he'll better his all-time mark rather than depreciate it.

In the five years of Salem night softball, 1934, '35, '36, '37 and '38, Singer lost only 17 games while winning 52 and had a five-year earned run average of 1.92. Add to this the fact he leads all five-year men at bat, with a .316 average for league play, and Singer automatically becomes the number one Salem softball player of all time.

His five-year league pitching record, together with innings pitched (IP), runs scored off him (R), hits off him (H), bases on balls allowed (B) and strikeouts (S), is:

Year	IP	R	H	B	SO
1934	618	208	440	160	421
1935	688	17	230	9	30
1936	60	15	230	22	43
1937	53	20	377	32	29
1938	55	16	291	16	21
1934-38	1374	116	1568	239	142
Totals	2814	166	3005	222	160

For this season (up to last night) Scaler is leading the hitters with a .375 average, and has been having his best season at third base since your correspondent has been around the local softball digests. Should he grab the loop batting championship it will, however, be for the first time. Despite his top five-year average, he has never been able to finish higher than 12th in the yearly races.

Who'd a think some 1100 would pay two-bits each to see a girl's softball game in Salem? And, say five years ago, who'd a think gals could play well enough to send 1100 customers home entirely satisfied with the performance they saw for two-bits per?

The answer to both questions is, of course, no one, including nobody. But it happened last Saturday night, and the calibre of ball presented by both the invading Canadians and our local Phad-el-Barricks was a femininely phenomenal, not to mention well worth the quarter asked.

Those hustling Sparring gals never let down an instant, and were by far the peppiest, heads-up girls' team to ever visit here. Although we like to glory in home town wins as much as the next, we really would have liked to have seen them win one of the titles.

Had they worn gloves, instead of playing barehanded, they probably would have taken at least the first tilt of the doubleheader at that. Why they don't wear the conventional glove is a mystery, especially since they represent a sporting goods store and as such are an advertising medium.

Surprisingly, not only is Gilmore's five-year earned run average lower than George Roth's four-year earned run average, 2.64, but his five-year batting mark of .256 tops Roth's stick-work record of .253.

King of the chuckers who have paraded by in the five years is, however and of course, Percy Crofoot. In the two years the ex-Kansan wheezed his windmill pitch over he established an earned run mark of 1.24 while winning 18 league games and losing but four Crofoot's record:

Year	W	L	Pct.
1938	12	3	.800
1937	6	1	.828

Scaler's Top Infielder. Considering the number of times at bat and the number of innings played, the best all-around infield performance turned over the five-year period has undoubtedly been that of George Scaler. Scaler has, despite

Dealers and Waits Both Winners

Everyone Errs In Loose Tilts

Dealers Defeat Kennedy's 9-6; Waits Wallop 'Makers 12-2

League Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Square Deal	10	2	.769
Waits	9	3	.727
Schoen's	7	4	.636
Pheasants	6	5	.545
Kennedy's	2	10	.167
Paper Mill	2	11	.154

Games Tonight
Schoen's vs. Pheasants.
Kennedy's vs. Paper Mill.

Error-filled softball at Sweetland last night left the Salem Softball association standings unchanged insofar as the top and bottom of the circuit is concerned.

For the night there were a total of 23 errors, as Square Deal beat Kennedy's, 9 to 6, and Waits' walked on the 'Makers, 12 to 2 in seven frames.

Brothers Dick and Bill Gentskow turned in five of the 10 Dealer boots between 'em, but also contributed six blows, including a homer by Brother Dick. Four of the Dealer errors came in the last inning, as the Kids pushed forward across with their hits and Atterbury's double and Olseth's infield single.

Up to then Kennedy's, with the exception of the initial inning in which they scored twice on three bingles and two boots, had been subdued almost in order by Hurlin-Hittler Hank Singer. Singer gave up but six hits and two earned runs.

Eight Scores Earned
Eight of the Dealer tallies were earned, coming in bunches of three in the first, two in the fifth and four in the eighth.

Waits' bunted and smacked Mickenham for eight runs in the first three innings and in the seventh drove four home off French, who relieved in the fifth. Bucknum and Pickens drove in three each, Bucknum collecting a double and brace of bingles in five trips and Pickens singling twice in four.

The 'Makers, who didn't get a hit off Roth until Lefty Lenaburg crashed through with sharp single in the fifth, scored twice in the final frame on two errors, Claggett's sacrifice fly and I. Lenaburg's hit to center.

Tonight the middle and the bottom of the league fights it out, with the coveted third place very much at stake in the Schoen's-Pheasant opener, and the cellar at stake in the Papermaker-Kennedy's nightcap.

Waits (12) B R H A O
Bucknum, 1 5 1 3 0 8
Kitchen, 2 4 1 2 4 3
Salstrom, 2 4 1 0 4 4
Scalen, 2 2 1 2 0 0
Drynan, 1 2 3 0 0 0
Nicholson, 1 1 1 0 0 0
Pickens, 1 4 0 2 0 2
McCaferly, 1 3 0 1 2 2
Roth, 1 4 3 2 0 0
Risano, 1 1 0 0 2 2
Totals 35 12 14 9 21

Papermakers (2) B R H A O
Claggett, 1 2 0 0 0 1
I. Lenaburg, 1 4 0 2 0 7
Dunn, 1 3 0 1 2 2
Schueller, 1 3 0 1 3 3
Dick, 2 2 0 0 3 6
Serditz, 3 3 0 0 4 1
Kelley, 1 3 1 0 1 1
E. Lenaburg, 1 3 1 1 0 0
Mickenham, 1 0 0 0 0 0
French, 1 2 0 0 2 0
Totals 26 2 4 14 21

Errors, Dunn 2, I. Lenaburg, Claggett 2, Schueller 2, Bucknum 2, Serditz, Dick, Scaler, 8 hits 8 runs off Mickenham in 4, 6 and 4 off French in 3, 4 and 2 off Roth in 7. Losing pitcher, Mickenham. Runs responsible for, Mickenham 5, French 4, Struck out by Roth 4, Mickenham 2.

Bases on balls, off Mickenham 2, Roth 3, Stolen base, Salstrom, Scaler, Drynan. Three base hit, Nicholson. Two base hit, Roth, Kitchen, Sacrifice, Claggett. Runs batted in, Drynan, Nicholson 2, Pickens 3, Bucknum 3, Claggett, Lenaburg. Left on base, Waits 5, Paper Mill 7. Passed ball, Schueller. Time of game 1 hour 5 minutes. Umpires Girod and Orave.

Kennedy's (6) B R H A O
Bennett, 2 4 2 1 7 4
Atterbury, 2 5 2 2 2 3
Salstrom, 3 5 0 1 2 0
Freeman, 1 5 1 1 2 0
Cave, 1 5 0 0 0 11
Olseth, 1 3 0 1 0 2
Satter, 1 5 0 0 0 3
Comstock, 1 4 1 0 1 1
Smither, 1 2 0 0 1 0
*Slebens 1 0 0 0 0 0
Totals 39 6 13 27

Square Deal (9) B R H A O
D'Arcy, 1 4 1 1 0 1
L. Singer, 1 5 1 1 0 8
W. Gentskow, 2 5 1 2 4 3
R. Gentskow, 2 4 2 4 1 2
B. Gentskow, 3 5 2 4 1 2
McRae, 1 5 1 1 0 0
Weisner, 1 5 0 0 0 2
Alley, 1 2 1 0 0 7
H. Singer, 1 4 1 0 0 7
Totals 39 9 14 9 27

Errors, R. Gentskow 3, Salstrom, W. Gentskow 2, Alley 2, Atterbury, Olseth, Bennett, McRae, D'Arcy, Weisner. *Hit for Smither in 9th, 14 hits 9 runs off Smither in 8, 6 and 6 off Singer in 9. Runs responsible for, Singer 2, Smither 8, Struck out, by Singer 5, Bases on balls, off Singer 4, Smither 2, Stolen base, B. Gentskow. Home run, R. Gentskow. Two base hit, W. Gentskow. Sacrifice, R. Gentskow. Runs batted in, R. Gentskow 2, B. Gentskow 2, Atterbury 3, McRae, H. Singer 2, Olseth. Double plays, Smither to Bennett to Atterbury to Cave, Bennett to Cave. Left on

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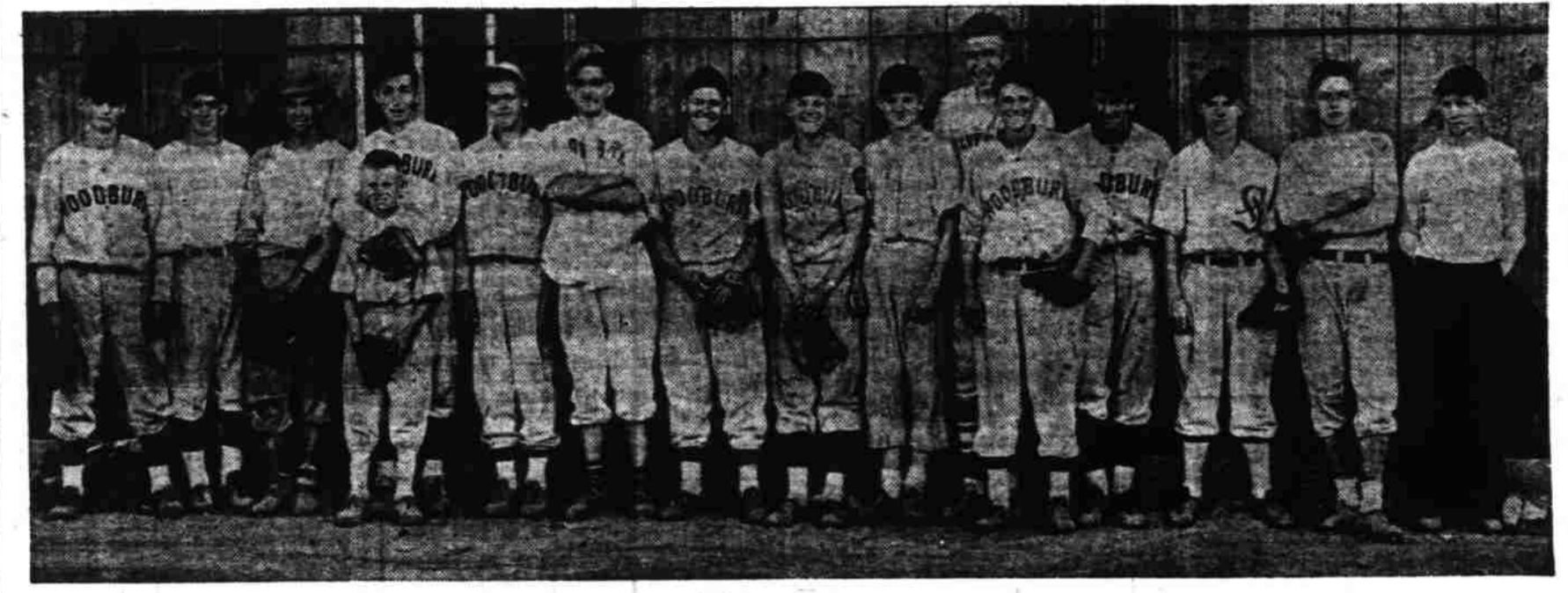
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Woodburn Juniors Get to Final



Reds Calculate Pennant's Won

Team Figures They Could Play .500 Ball on in and yet Win

CINCINNATI, July 31.—(AP)—A National league pennant for Cincinnati appeared almost "in the bag" today as the Reds, 12 games in front, looked at the record and figured they could play .500 ball from here out and still stand more than a good chance at the payoff.

And if there was a club among seven capable of holding the current pace-setters to that low mark, it didn't show in the July averages.

Despite absence from the lineup most of the month of Ival Goodman, their extra-base slugging outfielder, Bill McKechnie's men went through July at a .759 clip, winning 22 and losing only seven games to boost their margin eight full games and their standing 44 points to a 90-game average of .667.

The only team that approached them in effectiveness was Pittsburgh—and the Pirates had to be content with 19 wins and 11 losses, an average of .633 that lifted them from sixth place on July 1 to a precarious third place rating of .522 where they virtually were tied with Chicago, 13 games off.

Last year's champions, incidentally, played only .483 ball from July 1 when they had undisputed possession of fourth place with a record of 35-20—.538.

Resting with other clubs today after a record-tying victory—stretch of four double-headers lumbered among 10 straight wins, the Rhinelanders had it figured out this way as they looked ahead to 64 remaining games:

An even break would give them a season's percentage of .597 on 92 games won and 62 lost, the identical figure by which the St. Louis Cardinals and Cubs won pennants in 1930 and 1936, respectively.

Boston played .567 ball in winning 17 of 30 contests but would have to raise the figure to .781 in the final 64.

Swanson Will Be Mentor For Albany High Squads

ALBANY, July 31.—(AP)—Tommy Swanson, former athletic coach at Milwaukie high school, will arrive here August 15 to become coach at Albany high. Lennard Robertson, former University of Oregon end, will succeed Swanson at Milwaukie.

base, Kennedy's 10, Dealers 7, Balk, Smither 2. Time of game 1 hour 20 minutes. Umpires Orave and Girod.

League Baseball

COAST LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
Seattle	72	50	.590
Los Angeles	70	54	.565
Sacramento	61	55	.526
San Francisco	63	57	.525
Portland	53	64	.453
Oakland	56	68	.452
San Diego	54	66	.450
Hollywood	54	69	.439

Sunday's Results

At San Diego 3-0, Portland 2-3. At Sacramento 5-13, Seattle 7-0. At Hollywood 7-4, Oakland 16-3. At San Francisco 1-2, Los Angeles 0-0.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
New York	66	26	.717
Boston	56	34	.622
Chicago	52	40	.565
Cleveland	47	42	.528
Detroit	48	46	.511
Washington	38	58	.396
Philadelphia	34	56	.378
St. Louis	26	65	.286

Sunday's Results

At Washington 5, Cleveland 2. At Philadelphia 0-3, Detroit 14-5. At New York 4-1, Chicago 3-5. At Boston 6, St. Louis 4.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
Cincinnati	60	30	.667
St. Louis	48	42	.533
Pittsburgh	46	42	.523
Chicago	49	45	.521
Brooklyn	44	45	.494
New York	44	46	.489
Boston	42	48	.467
Philadelphia	26	60	.303

Sunday's Results

At Cincinnati 9-5, Philadelphia 9-1. At Chicago 1, New York 3. At St. Louis 5-5, Brooklyn 2-2. At Pittsburgh 5, Boston 7. Boston 5, Pittsburgh 3.

NEW SILVERTON TEACHER

SILVERTON—Richard Brass of Corvallis, graduate of Oregon State college and an ex-reporter of the Baltimore Sun has been named to teach the social sciences at the Silverton schools.

Red Sox Have 3 More Games

Regional Semi-Pro Champs to Leave August 7 for Wichita

SILVERTON—Baseball fans will have an opportunity to see the Red Sox in play just three times more before they leave, around August 7, for the national playoff at Wichita, Kansas.

Two exhibition games are being arranged for next Thursday and Saturday nights. All proceeds will go toward paying Wichita expenses. The third game will be the regular state league game with Hills Creek here August 6.

Edwards to Show
One of the exhibition games will be with the original Edwards Furniture company, last year's champions, and will include a selection from such men as Lahti, Harkins, McFadden and Gianni in the pitcher's box; with Leovich and Leptich as catchers, and Art Parker, Monroe Dean, Riley Richards, Stelzer, Faust, Biancone and Heiser in the field.

The other exhibition game will be against an all-star team selected from this year's tournament play.

Piney Woods, the negro players, will be matched against the Silverton Bees. The Bees have been considerably strengthened by the addition of players whose clubs have disbanded for the summer.

Silverton Players in

Batting averages of the recently completed regional play-offs.

Player	B	R	H	RA
Kirsch	10	7	6	.600
Peaky	33	4	6	.402
Swaban	4	0	1	.250
Hursey	15	4	6	.462
Boney	16	6	7	.538
Harman	15	1	5	.333
Silverster	15	1	5	.333
Frantz	12	2	2	.250
Heiser	4	0	1	.250
Mills	4	1	1	.250
Heller	7	1	1	.149
Heiser	3	0	0	.000

Red Sox Defeat Marine Electric

(By the Associated Press)
Marine Electric, Portland, was on the short end of a 6-4 score Sunday in a state league baseball game with Silverton's unbeaten Red Sox, north west semi-pro champions.

Glenn, Marine Electric made an error that let in two runs in the fifth, breaking a 2-2 deadlock.

Other league games included the Portland Babes' 2-1 victory over Eugene and the Bend Elks' 4-1 win over Albany.

Scores:
Marine Electric 4 8 5
Silverton Red Sox 10 10 1
Yacker, O'Donnell and Fieske; Fredericks and Houser.
Portland Babes 3 7 1
Eugene 1 7 1
Peaky, Fenter and Bishop; Wiltshire and Cloninger.
Bend 4 7 2
Heist 1 4 2
Farmer and Kremers; Elliott and Leptich.

Templeton Rapped On Noise Charge

SANTA MONICA, Calif., July 31.—(AP)—Robert L. (Dink) Templeton, 42, Stanford university track coach, pleaded guilty today to drunk and disturbing the peace charges. He paid a fine of \$50 in the Malibu justice court.

Justice John L. Webster also levied a suspended \$25 fine against Templeton. The payment was for the peace disturbance count, the suspended fine for the drunk charge.

Templeton, who gave his address as 666 Lausen street, Stanford university, admitted stopping before the home of Robert Weber in Topanga canyon, whom Templeton did not know, and creating a disturbance at 2 a. m. by honking his automobile horn, banging on the front door and shouting. Weber called police.

First Night Tilt Set in Windy City

CHICAGO, July 31.—(AP)—Chicago baseball fans will see their first big league night game here Aug. 14.

Harry Grabner, vice president of the White Sox, announced today the team would inaugurate night baseball on that date in a game with the St. Louis Browns under the newly-installed \$140,000 lights in Comiskey park.

FROM MIDWEST
SILVERTON—Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Solum have as their guests Mrs. O. C. Casperson and daughter Alice of Wolcott, ND. They formerly lived here until 10 years ago. Alice is a teacher in the mid-west state.

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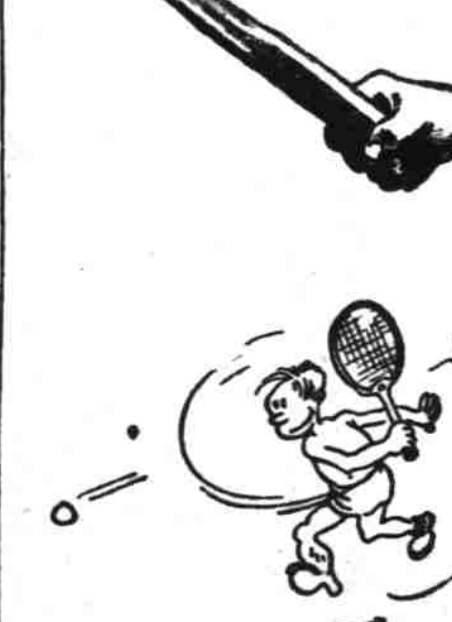
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Portland Lads Davis Cup Hopes



Wayne Sabin and Elwood Cooke
Once teammates in Portland, Ore., Wayne Sabin, left, and Elwood Cooke are among those favored to gain places on the U. S. Davis Cup team. Cooke recently was a finalist in the Wimbledon tourney, losing to Bobby Riggs in the final.