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# **Conference Moguls Retain Atherton**, **Approve Present Football Schedules**



Salem. Oregon, Thursday Morning, March 26, 1942

# Feder Sez 'Golfer' Joe Will Tour Simon Course Wattering the world indoor rec-**Inside Five This Time**

#### By SID FEDER

NEW YORK, March 25-(AP)-Joe Louis' par for the course the second time around any layout is something less than five rounds, and unless the mashie niblick in his right hand has lost its touch, he should have no trouble equalling it Friday night against Abe Simon.

As a golfer, Joe gets off the tee a-winging, but finds himself in trouble with his short game as often as not. When he's working at his trade in the ring, however, once he tees off he's usually right down the middle and ready to hole out in a hurry. Half a dozen times, he's play-

ed a course the second time, There were Over the Lee Ramage, Natie Brown, Max Schmeling, Bob Pastor, Arturo Godoy and Buddy Baer layouts. On each occasion, he was in the rough more than once in the first trip around, particularly when the Schmeling outfit got him in the woods. The second trip, however, he was strictly a trick-shot artist. In fact, against Schmeling and Baer he

even posted gaudy holes-in-one. These six fights went a total of 62 rounds when Joe first saw the parties involved. On their return swings, they were punched full of holes in 27, for an average of exactly 4% heats.

A year ago, Joe's drives were rode Chandler Harper, 28-year- getting distance, but he still took

## 1-Mile Mark In Navy Show

**Borican Shatters 800** Meter, Seton Hallers **Crack Two-Mile Relay** 

NEW YORK, March 25-(A) Roy Cochran, former Indiana uni-

ord for the quarter mile. Cochran jumped out in front

at the start and reached the tape in :48.2. On the way he clipped the world indoor mark for the 400 meters in :47.9.

The old mark for the quarter was held by Thomas Halpin who did :49.6 in 1918. The Boston athlete's mark was equalled by Walter Koppisch of Columbia university in 1923. The old 400 meter mark was set at the same time

by the same two at :49.6. The record breaking continued in the second event when the Seton Hall college two-mile team did the distance in 7:33.9 to wipe out every known mark for the distance.

That placed the same foursome's own indoor mark of 7:39.8 establishedat Madison Square garden

**Monte Stratton** during the winter and exceeded the time of 7:34.5 by a University of California quartet last **To Try Real** 

To compile their record breaking effort, Anthony Luciano did his half mile stint in 1:55.1, Frank Fletcher was caught in 1:52.2,

GREENVILLE, Tex., March 25 Robert Ranier hurried around in 1:55.2, and Chester Lipski scorch-(AP)-Monty Stratton hits baseed the boards in 1.51.4. ball's comeback trail next month traveling on one leg.

John Borican of Asbury Park, NJ, kept up the tempo by wiping out the world indoor mark for the half mile which he and Lloyd Hahn of Nebraska shared by hitting the tape in 1:50.5. Hahn established the old mark at 1:51.4 back in 1928.

Gregg Rice, the tiny former Notre Dame star with the big

Cochran Clips Commissioner Gets One Year Pact at Less Pay; **Beaver-Cal Game Moved** 

By GAIL FOWLER

Rehired

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**Ball Comeback** 

The former Chicage White

Sox pitcher, whose big league

career ended in tragedy on a

bleak fall day in 1938, says he

still can throw that old horse-

shoe down the middle-and

what's more he's going to do it

"I won't be able to do much

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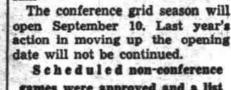
again.

PORTLAND, March 25-(AP)-Pacific Coast conference mogula

retained Edwin Atherton as commissioner, approved football schedules and wrapped up their four-day meeting Wednesday with other actions stemming from wartime conditions.

Wartime physical fitness brought an approving resolution and member schools were authorized to provide up to 3000 free

seats at each football contest for members of the armed forces this fall.



games were approved and a list of open dates submitted to military authorities for games with service teams. The California-Oregon State game October 3, scheduled for Corvallis, was transferred to Berkeley to avoid conflict with final examinations at California that week-end.

Atherton's reappointment, which he accepted, carried a provision for a curtailed budget but the amount of the slash in his present \$20,000 fund was not decided.

Peter Condliff, California skier, was declared eligible for conference competition although he had not completed the required 10 hours because of illness.

Stanford's Peninou was ruled eligible for track although he has only 8 instead of 12 hours of credits.

Transfer of two students from North Pacific Dental college, Portland, to Oregon State was approved, making J. Hirschberger eligible to compete in swimming and J. Moody in boxing and track.

Among matters which did not come up were controversial issues such as dividing the football league into northern and southern divisions; kicking Idaho and Montana out of the round robin-a move

which was in the making before Stratton lost his right leg

Grom the BLEACHERS

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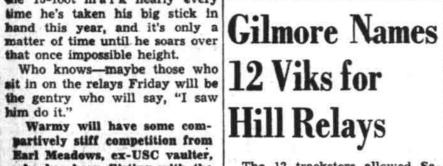
HACK, THE ONLY . 300 HITTER THE CUES COULD BOAST OF IN 1941, MAKES THE CHICAGO WHELD

They may have to raise the roof of Portland's Pacific Livestock Exhibition building Friday night, as Cornelius Warmerdam, the California school teacher who has a habit of doing big things with a pole in hand, will be there attempting that oh, so close but yet unmade and unheard of 16-foot ceiling in the pole vault event of the Hill relays. Warmy has lofted his 185-pounds over

the 15-foot mark nearly every time he's taken his big stick in hand this year, and it's only a matter of time until he soars over that once impossible height.

the gentry who will say, "I saw him do it."

partively stiff competition from Earl Meadows, ex-USC vaulter, who has been flirting with the 15-foot mark regularly this sea-Meadows is the curlyheaded boy who hopped over the 14-foot-11 inch mark with Bill Sefton, also of SC, back in 1937, that mark seting ant alltime high at that time. Les Steers, Oregon's high jumper, will also be there, and Les holds the No. 1 slot of this troubled world in his event. "Gloomy Gus" Gilmore's Salem high tracksters will embark on their first competition in the high school end of the huge carnival, proceeds of which will be turned over entirely to the USO.



The 12 tracksters allowed Salem's high's entry in the Hill Rewere chosen by Coach Vern Gilmore yesterday. Those chosen to represent the Viks in the sprint relay event, and the distance they will run. are as follows: Ray Page, 596; Jack Bosch, 440; Art Parkes, 290; Bob Warren, 145. Viks in the distance medley will be Darrell Lewis, 290; John Wehrli, 440; John Copenhaver, 880 and Floyd Runyan, three-quarter mile.



lays at Portland Friday night old Portsmouth, Va., veteran, who 13 rounds to tour Simon. Now has been in the money in every he has his clubs all polished up Hogan, the leading money win-ner of the year, had posted 67-68 he will fail to equal par or even for the early lead. Back of them came phenomenal Lester Kennedy, the Lynn, Mass., youngster, who made his big bid with a 66 Tuesday. Wednesday Kennedy carded a



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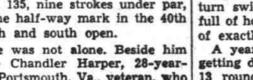
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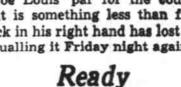
At Half-Way Mark; **Kennedy Still Close** 

Blazin' Benny,

By FRITZ LITTLEJOHN PINEHURST, NC, March 25-P)-Belting Ben Hogan, who engineered a clean sweep of the Carolina golf tournaments two years ago, was back in the driv-

er's seat again Wednesday night with 135, nine strokes under par, at the half-way mark in the 40th north and south open. He was not alone. Beside him





summer.

It's worth the wear and tear on those precious gems on the gas- men. buggy to contribute to something like that. The entertainment provided will be by far the biggest of the best seen in the state in some

----What's Doin' at Home

A flash from Melbourne, Australia, says "A roundup of United States sports-including results of exhibition baseball, boxing, track, hockey and racing-appeared for the first time recently in Australian newspapers, and American troops rushed to newsstands to learn how their favorites were doing."

That's just another example of the good old American spirit. Unlike the German and Jap guineapigs, our boys still want to know what's cookin' in the things they were a big part of back in the USA.

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#### **Kids** Feted

Upwards ~f 250 turned out for the Dad's ... banquet in honor of state champion runner-up Corvallis high and its mastodonic eeach, Frank Ramsey, Tuesday night in the cantonment center. The kids, who weren't conceded as having a ghost of a chance in the recent hooperee, but who nevertheless fought their way into second place, picked their all opponent team before the ceremonies, and Bud Coons, Vik guard, landed on the first team. Dutch Simmons got a second team spot on the pick, which included season and tournament games. Red-headed all-state forward

Jason Widmer was elected honerary captain of the Spartans, Allen Anderson their most valuable player, and Tom Shaw, the lanky guard who teamed with Big Bob Rieman to haul in backboard bounces so regularly, was named the most improved tosser.

#### Koehler Returns

At least one of the four clubs left in the WI is sure of having the same skipper it had last year at its helm this season-Horace "Pip" Koehler has decided to come out of the Tacoma shipyards to herd the Tacoma Tigers for '42. Haven't heard whether or not

Don Osborne will be back with

Rex Hardy, Bob Barber, Lloyd Griffiths and Max Bibby form the Red and Black mile relay

into Thursday's 36-hole final The Relay meet will be the for \$5000 prize money, \$1000 to first competition for Gilmore's the winner. 1942 tracksters. All but two are Two shots further back, at 188, returning lettermen from either

the cross-country or track aggregations of last season, those two being Bob Warren, sophomore, and Art Parkes, junior.

Main attractions at the carnival Friday will be the world's greatest pole vaulter. Cornelius Warmerdam, and likewise great high jumper, Les Steers, University of Oregon. Earl Meadows, another of the better vaulters, will also compete against Warmerdam.

### Multnomah H&A Club **Files Forest Protest**

Definite objection to any general forest closure or restricted forest use during the coming summer has been voiced by the Mult-

nomah Anglers and Hunters club **Red Sox to nine hits Wednesday** as the Senators won a 6-2 ball in a resolution received recently by State Forester Nels Rogers. An accompanying letter said the resolution was a dopted by 600 nembers of the club. quest.

Copies of the resolution also Boston (A) were sent to the United States Washington (A) forest service, state civilian decial organizations.

winter meet this season. Harper for a second crack. He's not makfired a startling 66 Wednesday to ing any flat prediction, but there climb into a tie for the lead after was nothing in the training he

steady 70, two under par, for

136. This made him the only

outsider still among the leaders

as the low 60 survivors turned

added a 71 to his starting 67.

They were considered the strong-

est contenders in the group with-

in striking distance back of the

leaders. Also at 138 were Lloyd

Of 16, Bopping Boston

OR 1NDO, Fla., March 25

(AP)-Sid Hudson and Alejandro

Carrasquell held the Boston

for his sixth birdle.

Evans (7).

lop a few strokes off it.

This corner of the greenskeeper's shack figures it about the same way. Despite the fact that Simon is in better shape now than he was a year ago in Detroit, that the ailing right hand he couldn't use that time is ready to go and that he probably can take a punch better than any man in the ring today, this department rides with Joe to finish the match inside of five rounds.

#### were Craig Wood, the national Ample Abe Mad-Can't open champion, who posted his **Have His Strawberries** second straight 69, and defending Champion Sammy Snead, who

SUMMIT, NJ, March 25-(AP) Abe Simon has a bad case of strawberry shortcake and pickles. They are his favorite delicacies and he's irked no end that he can't have them as long as he's in training.

Mangrum of Chicago, who had 69-69, and Jimmy Hines of Which is as good a way as any Great NNeck, LI, who cracked of explaining that the large Long out a 67, chipping in at the 18th Islander is just about the most unconcerned challenger Joe Louis To Woodburn ever has had the pleasure of meeting. Washington Wins 12th

Putting the finishing touches on his preparatory work for Friday's army emergency relief fight in Madison Square garden, Ample Abe is as afraid of the bomber as he is of that strawberry shortcake. Which is to say, not at all.

And when someone mentioned game, their 12th victory in 16 having seen Louis hit his training Grapefruit league starts. Four peak yesterday with all his old double plays figured in the condisplay of house-wrecking machinery, Abe just shrugged it off 6 11 0 with: "Well, all I know is that Wagner, Ryba (6) and Conroy; the last time I met Joe I had only fense coordinator and other offi- Hudson, Carrasquel (7) and Early, my left hand and lasted 13 rounds

JOE LOUIS

which was broken then, is okay, so I figure I'll win."

West Virginia Wins Tourney

NEW YORK, March 25-(AP) West Virginia, the last seeded team, came from behind in the final half to win the National Invitational basketball tournament Wednesday night, defeating Western Kentucky State 47 to 45 before

a crowd of 18.250 at Madison Square Garden. Three free throws in the last 45 seconds of play gave West Virginia the decision after Western Kentucky led 32-24 at the half and remained in command until the Mountaineers knotted the count at 40-40 with eight

minutes to play. Creighton won third place with a 48-46 decision over To-

**Gervais 9 Bows** 

GERVAIS-Gervais high school baseball team lost 8 to 6 in a game with Woodburn high played Monday. Gervais did not score until the seventh inning. Playing for Gervals were Damewood, Bonn. Ronge, Jungwirth, Mandenhall Jorgensen, Brown, Koenig, Cutsforth, McCullough, Eggers, Mc-Call, Matlock, Andreas.

At The YMCA Final plans for the city wrestling tournament is slated to be discussed today noon at the week-

Among other things, the department will discuss plans for an area aquatic meet, a possible gym show and a physical department retreat. Various members will report on their respective di-

The second game of the three same series for the B Church and Major league championships will Major league championships will be played tonight at Lealle jun-ior high starting at 7:30 p.m. Mennonites will play Court Street Christian in the B game, while Bishops Clothiers and the Besperich will technic to the the Bearcubs will tangle in the Major vent

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stride, lumbered through a slow first mile and then galloped through a speedy second to win

#### Washington Gun Head Sees No 'Priority' **On Trapshoot Loads**

SPOKANE, March 25.-(AP)-Guy Chiesman, in charge of trapshooting for the state under the department of physical fitness of the office of civilian defense, said Wednesday he did not believe there would be any freezing of trap loads by the government.

"My guess is if it becomes necessary to cut down anywhere you'll find they'll shut down on the supply of field loads," said Chiesman. "The government wants the trapshooters to get in as much practice as they can, so naturally they won't cut off the supply of ammunition needed to give them this practice."

Pearl Harbor put an end to last hunting accident at the height December's Palm Springs meetof his career. He stayed with the Sox as a coach but wanted to ing; and any action on the army's ban on crowds of more than 5000

in the western military areas. Baseball experts and physicians aid he couldn't do it. The conference decided on But now he's manager of the "business as usual" in the case Lubbock team of the West Texas-

of Southern California's inter-New Mexico league; so he'll 'try sectional tilts with Tulane and Notre Dame. Coach Jeff Crav-As he departed for Lubbock ath had said recently that the Tuesday, Monty declared with games might be transferred to confidence that he would pitch New Orleans and South Bend. Ind., respectively,

fielding on an artificial leg," he said, "but if I can keep them from doing much hitting there won't be any need for fielding." Stratton thinks he can get his share of hits but says somebody will have to do the base running. Monty has been doing some throwing and former semi-pro teammates who have seen him work declared he still has plenty of speed and hop on the ball.

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### and this time my right hand, ly meeting of the Y physcial department. **Master Mel Worried - - His Giants Remind** Him of Grapefruit Loop They're in -- Sour

By WHITNEY MARTIN Wide World Sports Columnist no matter who was bossing the NEW YORK, March 25-Mel Ott team. If we were Mel we wouldn't worried about his New York Giants. The flowers that bloom worry too much about the showing in those cheese-cake exhiin the spring, tra-la, have just

league. Everything is sour.

over a baseball team's inability to win pre-season games comes under "so what?" classification right now, but worry is comparative and subject to circumstances and Mel's worry right now is just as real to him as that of a lad in a rookies make the established stars

been blooming nightmares as far as he is concerned. He knows now why they call it the Grapefruit

Naturally the grave concern

bition contests. Rather, wo'd be a little relieved, as it too often happens that the teams which burn up the citrus cir-cuit start a fire with a blow-

torch after the season starts. Exhibition "A", the Phils. We've seen too many 2 o'clock

Bataan foxhole trying to change look like last year's hat, but when his cramped position without mak- the regular season starts how do couver, or Ray Jacobs with his cramped position without mak-ing a shooting gallery out of him- most of these ambitious young

Giants to make a good showing to cite performances in spring games. They know they can deiver, or hope they can, when the chips are down, and don't see too much sense in killing them-

selves when it doesn't count. The strain runs through all

sports. There are certain individuals who just can't get steamed up over what they consider unimportant matters. If they considered spring training so important guys like Buck Newsom and Whit Wyatt would be down there bright and early, money or no money.

So maybe the gentlemanly Mel shouldn't be too concerned because his Giants aren't looking like champions. Somet

What's Doin'

