

Trying to Catch Up on a Little Sleep?



One look and you will agree these two amateur boxers take the prize in this department. Clayton Field (left) of the coast guard throws a left and at the same time closes his eyes as Jack Titus lets go with a right and also shuts his peepers. The battle was a furious semi-final in the Pacific association finals in San Francisco. (P. S. Titus won.)

From the BLEACHERS

How'd you like to go out to the ball games at George E. Waters park via the old-fashioned hay ride this summer? Don't be surprised if you're offered that perfectly logical and unique but funsome way of attending WIL games, and free, too.

In chewing over the possible ups and downs of the coming season with Business Manager Maple, he hit on the timely idea—to have possibly two, three or possibly more, dobbin-drawn wagons, comfortably equipped, on regular before and after game runs, picking up and depositing fans at regular stations. For instance, say one coming from the Hollywood district down Capitol, swinging into State, thence to 25th and on across to the park. Another coming north on Commercial, turning park-ward on Mission, and possibly a third coming into the business district from North Commercial, turning into State and on out to the park.

'Tis truly an idea that rates recognition and would no doubt cause national conversation in baseball circles. Would in a small way comply with our country's wish that we save gasoline and rubber too.

Too much time wasted en route, you say? Not necessarily. True it wouldn't be like hopping into the old gas-buggy for a quick spin and parking trouble, but it would be a golden opportunity to talk over what you and your neighbor have planned in your Victory gardens, or even the war for that matter, and coming home you'd have lots of company to help you replay the game so that the Senators could have won had they done it your way.

Frisco Now a Hitter

Salem's Frisco Edwards, a fair to middlin' semi-pro ball player in and around town before turning artist, got the urge to take his act to the plate again in a recent pre-game practice in California. About 20 San Francisco Seals, shagging flies and flitting about their workout, spotted the avoirdupois Frisco about to attempt to knock the fences down and proceeded to haw-haw and sit down to a man.

Our Frisco, not accustomed to being made target of such ballplayers' buffoonery, angrily lunged at the pitch and smashed a tremendous drive—the pitcher caught it on the way down.

Amazing Brazil Nuts

How about those amazing Portland Beavers! Sure, it's a long way to September and a lot of games can be lost between now and then, but who would have ever thought the old boys had it in them to win as many as they have so far. Four wins and two losses and it could just as easily be five and one. Whitley Hiltcher had the Padres on his hip until a bad eighth inning last week or it would be five and one.

According to reports, Manager Frank Brazil has the "sachyderms" really hustling, something they didn't know or seem to care much about the last couple of years. Certainly would be a boon to the Rose City if their Beloved Bevos would make all the would-be wise guys eat all those words like "cinch to finish last."

Victory Volley Fete Slated

A Victory Volleyball luncheon will be held Thursday noon, honoring the winners of the tournament just completed at the Salem YMCA.

The victors include Rev. Paul Petticoat, Rev. C. O. Goodman, Paul Deuber, Dr. Waldo Zeller, Larry Rich and Paul Acton. Losers were Don Douris, Rev. Eric Johnson, Bob Boardman, Dr. C. A. Downs, Everett Lisle, Lloyd Gregg and Carl Greider. Another luncheon will be organized and play will begin in the near future.

National Wildlife Week To Reflect Motives of Defense, Patriotism

(The following story was submitted by the Oregon Wildlife Federation in conjunction with National Wildlife Restoration week.)

"National Wildlife Restoration Week, which will be held April 12-18, this year will more than ever reflect patriotic and defense motives," said Mr. E. J. Church, president of the Oregon Wildlife Federation, who is now engaged in perfecting plans for its observance.

"President Roosevelt in 1938 set aside the first Wildlife week for the purpose of focusing the attention of the American people on the restoration of the environment, not only of wildlife but of all living creatures. Conservation of soil and water is essential to the growth, development and life of all plants, mammals, birds and fish," said Church.

"Wildlife and National Defense," said Church, "are linked together in many ways little known to the general public. The conservation of timber, its wise utilization and management at this time, is important and vital to hundreds of defense activities. Fur bearing animals are needed for the manufacture of clothing and in dozens of other defense needs. Pure water is essential to the hundreds and hundreds of cantonments and concentrations of enrollees and enlistees in the armed forces of this country."

Church stated that there are between eight and nine million sportsmen in the United States who annually take out a hunting license and who are for the most part skilled shots and trained in the use of guns. "Those sportsmen who are not called to the colors may well be the first line of our home defense," he said.

During National Wildlife Restoration week a number of meetings are held at which speakers, who are well known in conservation circles, tell the story of the wildlife restoration movement. This year there will be an added feature in the program which will recognize the defense needs and the tie-up between defense activities and conservation not only of wildlife resources and its environment but the inorganic: natural resources such as essential metals, oils and ores.

The committee in charge of Wildlife week is composed of your local sportsmen's organization officers, who are to have charge of observance of Wildlife week.

Not only did the National league champions lose the ball game but in the sixth frame Pete Reiser, their star sophomore centerfielder, was injured as he crashed into the fence while making a futile effort to catch Charlie Keller's triple.

He wasn't seriously injured but he left the lineup immediately under his own power. Brooklyn (N) 200 000 002—4 11 5 N. York (A) 206 305 00x—15 13 1 Fitzsimmons, Kehn (5) and Dapper; Brewer, Borrow (8) and Dickey, Robinson (8).

Cardinals Again Defeat Detroit

DURHAM, N.C., April 7-(AP) The St. Louis Cardinals defeated the Detroit Tigers, 6 to 0, for the sixth time in seven starts, and this time the hustling National leaguers produced victory on a single pitch.

Frank "Creepy" Crespi, Cardinal second sacker, blasted Paul "Dizzy" Trout's first pitch for an inside-the-park home run. Detroit (A) 000 000 000—6 0 0 St. Louis (N) 302 001 00x—8 0 0 Trout, Rowe (4) and Parsons; E. White, Beasley (7) and Mancuso.

Ho Hum—Looks Like the Yankees Again

probably will be cleared out, but the race in the junior league again shapes up on the familiar pattern of the New York Yankees sweeping to victory and the other seven clubs scrambling to make the best out of what is left. The war may be the decisive factor in how the teams eventually line up behind the Yanks. The draft already has reached into baseball's ranks for various key men and seems certain to take others during the summer. Just

Viks Are Victims of No-Run, No-Hitter; 'Cats Clipped for 3rd in Row by OSC

Keenemen Clout in Ninth But Rally Falls Short

Willamette university took its third straight loss from Oregon State Tuesday at Corvallis, falling before the nine-hit Beaver attack, 5 to 4. State football star Warren Simas was on the hill for Coach Ralph Coleman's Orange and fired a six-hit performance at the Keenemen, holding them to but one run in eight innings.

Anglers Will Meet in New Hall Tonight

The Salem Hunters and Anglers club, which for several years has held its monthly meeting in the Eagles hall on North Commercial, will meet tonight at 371 North High street where the Eagles club has recently moved. An interesting program has been arranged and will include showing of several reels of colored motion pictures by Joe Land. Part of the showing will portray an interesting trip taken in Cuba several years ago. Other reels to be shown include a fishing trip in the famous Wallows mountains of Oregon.

Considerable merchandise of interest to sportsmen will be distributed and a free fishing license will be a special incentive to someone who expects to open the trout season on the 18th.

Members are invited to bring guests and refreshments will be served at the close of the meeting.

Mass Boxing At Schools Is Proposed

SAN JOSE, Calif., April 7-(AP) Mass boxing instruction programs at all high schools and colleges throughout the nation, to toughen up the youth, were proposed here Tuesday.

Dr. W. H. Porter, San Jose state college boxing coach and secretary-treasurer of the National Boxing Coaches association, said his organization was offering its services to all secondary schools and colleges in the country to institute such a move.

Porter declared the program had the backing of military leaders who recognized the value of boxing as a physical training foundation for building a military machine.

Three Are Top Trapshooters

J. B. Troeh, R. Welty and Ernie Doerfer were top guns in Salem Gun club trapshooting competition Sunday, Troeh winning the 16-yard event, Welty winning a leg on the Welty Trophy and Doerfer hanging to a Hillbrand handicap first.

Class B winner was R. V. Stember, class C first went to Charles Fellers and class D to Jake Redekopp.

Results: Jim Bird 38 40 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75 76 77 78 79 80 81 82 83 84 85 86 87 88 89 90 91 92 93 94 95 96 97 98 99 100

Foxes Win 3rd Straight Game

SILVERTON—Coach Guy DeLay's Silver Foxes won their third straight Big-9 league game here Tuesday, running up an easy 12 to 2 win over the Chemawa Indians.

Big John Day was on the hill for the winners and was in rare form, whiffing ten during his tenure. Shortstop Seelye took over late in the game and proceeded to fan five himself. Seelye was also the hitting star for the fray, garnering three hits in five times.

Silverton's next game will be against Molalla at McGinnis Field on April 10.

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Nats 14, Phillies 1

AUGUSTA, Ga., April 7-(AP) The Washington Senators swamped the Phillies Tuesday, 14 to 1, as they stopped off on their way home to play an exhibition game.

Washn'ton (A) 514 003 03x—14 14 0 Phillad (N) 000 010 000—7 7 2 Melton, Beck (4) and Livingston; Hudson, Carrasco (6) and Early.

In US Service



Former British amateur golf champion, Charles Yates, the Atlanta golfer, now is an ensign in the US navy. Yates was called to duty in the communications office at Charleston, SC.

Jackson and Piluso Win Main Events

Bulldog Jackson, the Klondike Kid, and Ernie Piluso, Portland, emerged winners of the double main event in last night's wrestling card at the Armory, which turned out to be another slambang mat session much to the delight of a larger than usual crowd.

Milt Olsen, St. Paul Swede, and Speedy Jack Kiser, St. Johns dockworker, battled to a 30-minute curtain-raiser draw. Kiser won the only fall in the clean match, that coming after Olsen missed with a Sonnenberg and fell victim to a flying mare after 17 minutes of hot action.

Piluso took two of three falls from Buck Davidson, mean Montana miner. He grabbed the first after both had flopped out of the ring three times. Davidson came back in the second and literally slugged Piluso into submission.

The third was a near-riot, culminated by Davidson being the target of a well-aimed chair while outside the ring. Prone on the floor, the rough and ready grappler was counted out. He regained his senses near the end of the count but hadn't sufficient time to re-enter the ring. The large crowd really went for this match.

Old favorite Bulldog Jackson used an equally old trick to win his match from Tex Hager in the other thrilling main event. Hager won the first after becoming infuriated with Jackson's persistent eye-gouging, cut loose with terrific flying tackles until the Bulldog was flattened.

Jackson came back with a crab hold after wearing Hager down with more eye-gouging, hair pulling, biting and flying rights.

Both boys were tied up in a double leg hold and agreed to let go during the third heat. They commenced unslugging, only Jackson didn't unslunge as agreed and turned the much surprised squirming Hager over for the winning fall. Because the referee played no part in the unslungement, it was still part of the contest and ruled a fall.

Another Beaver Grigger Joins

PORTLAND, Ore., April 7-(AP) A sixth member of Oregon State's Rose Bowl football squad enlisted in the marines Tuesday.

Orville Zielaskowski, sophomore tackle, was signed as a private first class in the reserves. Later he will go to Quantico, Va., for officer's training.

Ducks Down Pacific In 14 Innings, 9-8

FOREST GROVE, Ore., April 7-(P)—John Bubalo's double in the 14th inning won the University of Oregon an 8-7 decision and spoiled Pacific university's opening baseball game Tuesday.

Oregon scored twice in the fourth inning and once in the ninth. Pacific earned two runs in the fifth and tied the score with two more in the ninth. In the tenth each tallied four times, and in the eleventh each scored one more.

Albany's Kennell Turns In Sparkling Hill Job

A burly right-handed pitcher named Earl Kennell, of Albany high, rammed a no-run no-hit ball game at the Salem high Viks Tuesday out on Olinger field, Albany winning, 2-0. Along the way he mowed 14 Vik swingers via the strikeout route displaying an exploding curve and an effective high hard one.

The game was only a seven-inning affair, by agreement, but at the rate the huge righty was wheeling he could have done it in nine just as well. Only two hard-hit balls were garnered off his slants, a long fly to right in the first inning by Gordy Morris, and a hot bouncer to short by Glen Marioka in the second inning that had an easy handle on it.

Sidesman Dick Highburger, Vik letterman junior, flipped a four-hitter himself, but a boot and his own wild pitch let in the winning runs. The Bulldogs scored one in the fourth inning, First-Sacker Bud Long leading off with a shot to center for three bases as Lang over-ran the ball. Highburger whiffed Thompson and Merrill but Shortstop Louis Hough fumbled Hermans' easy roller to let in the run.

Coach Dwight Adams' boys came back in the fifth for their other tally. Bud Fortier lacing his second single into left to start it off. Sharp moved him to second with a sacrifice and he slid into third after Toombs recovered a passed ball. Highburger then wild-pitched him home.

The Viks threatened in the sixth, Hough leading off with a base on balls, one of the three doled by Kennell, and Highburger, who incidentally was the only Vik not to strike out, forced him at second and went to second himself when the double play throw went wild. Kennell cut loose a wild pitch to place him on third but he died there as Lang went down on strikes for the third time and Toomb grounded to second.

The win does not count in No-Name league standings, as due to a new ruling Salem is in the northern half of the league and Albany in the other bracket.

Albany (2) A B R H P O A E Fortier, s 4 1 2 2 2 1 1 Sharp, s 2 0 0 0 1 0 0 Miller, l 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 Jacobsen, m 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 Long, l 3 1 4 0 0 0 0 Thompson, r 2 0 1 0 0 0 0 Merrill, r 3 0 0 0 3 0 0 Hermans, c 2 0 1 14 0 0 0 Kennell, p 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 Totals 25 2 4 21 6 1

Salem (6) Lang, m 3 0 0 1 0 0 0 Toomb, c 3 0 0 8 1 0 0 McMorris, l 3 0 0 6 0 1 1 Marioka, s 2 0 0 2 0 0 1 Whittemore, t 2 0 0 3 2 0 0 Ault, r 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 May, r 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 Inlah, l 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 Herman, l 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 Hough, s 1 0 0 2 1 0 0 Highburger, p 2 0 0 0 1 0 0 McDowell, l 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 Total 20 0 0 21 6 3

Batted for Highburger in 7th. Struck out by Kennell 14, Highburger 8. Bases on balls, off Kennell, 3; Highburger 2. Hit by Pitcher, Thompson by Highburger. Left on bases, Albany 7, Salem 2. Three base hits, L. O. N. Two-base hits, Hermans. Sacrifice, Sharp. Stolen bases, Fortier, Thompson. Double plays, Merrill to Fortier to Long.

Time: 1 hour 40 minutes. Umpire, Tom Drynan.

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Seattle Stops Padres

At San Diego: Seattle 000 001 103—7 14 8 San Diego 000 001 000—1 7 0 Turpin and Beard; Hebert, Oliver (7), Malman (8) and Salkeld.

Sacs Win in 11th

At Sacramento: Hollywood—020 000 002—4 8 6 Sacramento 000 030 010—5 11 2 (11 Innings) Joiner, Erautt (9) and Atwood; Donnelly and Mueller.

Brownies Win

ANDERSON, SC., April 7-(AP)—The St. Louis Browns defeated Atlanta of the Southern association, 7 to 6, in an exhibition game featured by three home runs Tuesday but the minor leaguers gave them a rough afternoon.

The line (score): St. Louis (A) 102 030 001—7 9 1 Harris, Auker (6) and Ferreri; Nowak, Mertz (6) and Richards.

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Amazing Bevos Do It Again—Smack Angels

LOS ANGELES, April 7-(AP) With First Baseman Frankie Hawkins leading the attack, Portland took charge of the opening of the Pacific Coast league baseball season in Los Angeles Tuesday in bumping the Angels, 7 to 4, in a 10-inning battle.

Hitting 3 for 4, Hawkins broke a 4-4 deadlock in the extra frame with a long fly against the left field wall that scored a run. The Beavers added two more tallies on Rube Thompson's poke to right field to clinch the contest.

Hawkins' homer with a man on base in the eighth put Portland ahead, but Los Angeles tied it in their time at bat.

Submarine-Hurler Ad Liska went the route until he retired for a base runner in the tenth, while Ed Heusser, Red Lynn and Peaches Davis took turns on the hill for the Angels. Byron Speece, another underhand thrower, finished out the tenth for Portland.

Portland 000 200 020 3-7 11 0 Los Ang. 010 110 010 0-4 11 1 (10 Innings) Liska, Speece (10) and Castro, Leavith (10); Heusser, Lynn (8), Davis (10) and Campbell.

Oaks Edge Seals, 5-4 in Opener

OAKLAND, Calif., April 7-(AP)—Hugh Luby's sharp single to centerfield driving home Billy Rigney from second base gave the Oaks a 6-5 victory over the Seals this afternoon in the local opening of the Pacific Coast league season. Rigney was on second as the result of a double high against the left field fence.

Larry Jansen, young Seal right hander, sailed through the first three frames but ran into trouble in the fourth. The Oaks bunched five hits including Wally Westlake's double which were good for four runs and sent Jansen to the showers. Al Epperly relieved and was charged with the defeat.

Approximately 4000 persons attended the game, which was marked by brief opening day ceremonies. A navy band and a company of army men appeared on the field before the game.

San Fran 301 010 000—5 10 3 Oakland 000 400 101—6 10 2 Jansen, Epperly (4) and Osgro-dowski; Chelini and Glenn.

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So Why Take It Out On Basketball Players?

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