Won Four, Lost Two

Carroll No. 1 League Hurler

Curve-baller Joe "Cowboy" Carroll, ace of the Salem high mound staff, emerged the No. 1 pitcher in the No-Name baseball league for 1945, according to statistics compiled by the loop publicist yesterday. Carroll's four won, two lost record in six games shaded the three-and-two boasted by swift Harold Walker of Eugene, another junior. Salem and Eugene tied for the loop title.

Walker proved to be the circuit's strikeout artist with 58 and he was least scored upon with nine runs. His control was tops also as he issued only six free passes. Welker tied with Carrol in earned runs allowed, two. Carroll had 47 whiffs, issued a dozen walks and was the most stingy with hits doled as he gave up but 19 in his six games, an average of slightly over three per tilt.

The 12 league games saw 77 runs scored, 109 hits made, 32 earned runs allowed, 61 walks issued and 210 strikeouts recorded. Strictly a "pitchers' league." The compilation:

	G	W	L	R	H	ER	W	SO
Carroll, Salem	6	4	2	10	19	2	12	47
Walker, Eugene	5	3	2	9	22	2	6	58
Kannel, Albany	4	2	2	14	18	8	13	29
Groshong, Crvls	6	2	4	28	33	11	14	33
Ekstrom, Eugene	1	1	0	0	3	0	1	12
Stekley, Albany	1	0	1	5	6	3	2	11
Gruinn, Albany	1	0	1	11	8	6	3	2

Tops in Loop

JOE "COWBOY" CARROLL
No. 1 Slabman in No-Name

Bangtails Move in

Gresham Races Draw 350 Nags

GRESHAM, Ore., May 31—(AP)—By June 5, starting date of the Northwest Jockey club's spring meet, about 350 horses will have arrived, including 76 from the meet ending at Phoenix, Ariz., the club's general manager said today.

Paul Ail said 12 jockeys also would travel from Phoenix, where bad weather cut racing short. Several owners planning to enter horses at Longacres, near Seattle, late in June will stop here en route, he reported.

As a result, the field of entries is expected to be the classiest ever offered to Oregon fans at any race meet. The meeting marks the first revival of the sport in this state since the racing ban stepped in and cancelled all horse races several months ago.

Legion Team Slates Workout at Olinger

The 1945 edition of Capital Post No. 9's American Legion Junior baseball team will indulge in a practice session tonight at 6:30 o'clock on Olinger field. Players should report promptly.

Season's Slate for Juniors Ann ounced

Opening action in the American and National divisions of Salem's junior baseball leagues will get underway Sunday with doubleheaders at Waters park and on Olinger field, according to the schedule announced as official last night by league president Oliver Huston. The complete schedule of games for the season as drawn up by Bob Keuscher, Leslie junior high school coach, calls for eight games per team and runs through Sunday, August 5. Doubleheaders are slated for Waters park each Sunday, with the prospect that they may have to be shifted, since neighboring service clubs and the penitentiary nine have first call on that park. All other Major loop games, with the exception of this Sunday's tilts, will be played on Leslie field or in West Salem. Minor league games, which start Tuesday, will be played either on Leslie field or in West Salem.

Next week's "B" games all at Leslie pit West Salem against Heavy Haulers Tuesday evening at 6:15 and Clough-Barrick against Elfstrom's at the same time on Thursday. Both games are slated for Leslie field. Yeaters' draws the week's bye. The full "B" schedule will be printed soon.

The recently improved Capitola grounds will not be used for league games lue to its distance from the city center, but will be open to all nines for practice and will probably become the home field for the American Legion team. Olinger field will be unavailable after Sunday due to the construction work planned there.

June 3 — At Waters, Blue Lake vs. V-8s at 2, Curly's vs. Shrocks at 4. At Olinger, Police vs. Mayflower at 2, Funland vs. Lions at 4.

June 10 — At Waters, Redwood vs. Police at 2, Eagles vs. Funland at 4. At Leslie, Mayflower vs. Curly's at 2. At West Salem, Lions vs. Blue Lake at 2.

June 17 — At Waters, Lions vs. Eagles at 2, Mayflower vs. Redwood at 4. At Leslie, Shrocks vs. Police at 2, Funland vs. V-8s at 4.

June 24 — At Waters, Shrocks vs. Mayflower at 2, V-8s vs. Lions at 4. At Leslie, Curly's vs. Redwood at 2. At West Salem, Eagles vs. Blue Lake at 2.

July 1 — At Waters, Blue Lake vs. Funland at 2, Police vs. Curly's at 4. At Leslie, Redwood vs. Shrocks at 2, V-8s vs. Eagles at 4.

July 8 — At Waters, Lions vs. Funland at 2, Mayflower vs. Police at 4. At Leslie, Shrocks vs. Curly's at 2. At West Salem, V-8s vs. Blue Lake at 2.

July 15 — At Waters, Blue Lake vs. Lions at 2, Curly's vs. Mayflower at 4. At Leslie, Funland vs. Eagles at 2, Police vs. Redwood at 4.

July 22 — At Waters, V-8s vs. Funland at 2, Police vs. Shrocks at 4. At Leslie, Redwood vs. Mayflower at 2, Eagles vs. Lions at 4.

July 29 — At Waters, Blue Lake vs. Eagles at 2, Redwood vs. Curly's at 4. At Leslie, Lions vs. V-8s at 2, Mayflower vs. Shrocks at 4.

August 5 — At Waters, Eagles vs. V-8s at 2, Shrocks vs. Redwood at 4. At Leslie, Curly's vs. Police att 2. At West Salem, Funland vs. Blue Lake at 2.

***Note: Last named team on the schedule is the home team. Games shifted from Waters park will be played at Leslie or West Salem.**

****Note: Blue Lake, V-8s, Funland, Lions and Eagles make up the National division; Curly's, Shrocks, Police, Mayflower and Redwood make up the American division.**

Pete Gray Can Still Learn a Trick or Two

Amputees Teach Star New Throwing Stunt

WASHINGTON, May 31—(AP)—Pete Gray learned a new trick about playing the outfield from amputees at Walter Reed hospital today.

The one-armed St. Louis Brown star was showing a class of veterans in the hospital's new gymnasium how he catches the ball, then throws it.

With Manager Luke Sewell tossing short flies, Pete caught the ball in his loosely-held glove, which he quickly dropped, then rolled the ball across his chest and grasped it for the throw.

"That's all right on ordinary flies, but how about tough ones hit into your backhand side?" the amputees wanted to know.

Pete made a few back-hand stabs . . . that wasn't so difficult for him—but the amputees were not satisfied with the way he set himself to throw. They know their baseball.

"Why don't you take a full basketball pivot and then throw?" they suggested. "It would give you more power."

Pete tried it a few times. It worked fine.

"Thanks, fellows," Pete said. "That's something I had not thought of. Watch me in fielding practice. I'm going to work on that."

Aside, Sewell explained to wide-eyed amputees that "it's all in Pete's footwork," being able to catch the ball, drop his glove and throw with little or no wasted time.

"He's like a boxer," Sewell pointed out, "always in position to make the next move.

"At the plate, his hitting power comes through perfect timing. He gets his body into the swing at the precise instant he meets the ball, like a golfer."

Sewell hopes the "terrific publicity" that Gray has received wherever he plays will "soon cool off."

"He's no side-show freak," Sewell said. "He's a fine ball player, fast, courageous, and he can hit. We use him when he can help us win, the same as any two-armed player.

"So much fuss has been made over Pete that he'd have to be a lot better than his record—as good as Ruth—to live up to what the people expect of him."

Cohen Tosses Bevos to Win Over Rainiers

Veteran Lefthander Hurls 6-0 Shutout

	W	L	Pct.		W	L	Pct.
Portland	37	22	.630	San Die	30	32	.485
Seattle	34	24	.590	Sacramn	29	31	.485
Oakland	32	29	.521	Los Ang	27	33	.450
San Fran	29	30	.495	Hollywd	21	37	.348

Thursday results: Sacramento 4, San Diego 0; Portland 6, Seatttle 0; Oakland 11, San Francisco 7; Hollywood 9, Los Angeles 8.

SEATTLE, May 31 —(AP)— Left handed Syn Cohen blanked the Seattle Rainiers tonight, 6 to 0, to widen the Portland Beavers' lead in the Pacific Coast league baseball race to two games and a half over the second-place losers. The victory also was the third in four games for Portland in the current series.

The Beavers clouted two Seattle flingers for 11 hits while Cohen was breezing along, scattering eight Rainier blows. Bill Kats solved the Portland portsider for two doubles but his mates could not furnish the punch to boost in a tally.

Portland gave its pitcher plenty of margin in the fourth inning when it cracked the scoring ice with four runs. Four singles, with a walk and sacrifice sandwiched in, accounted for the tallying.

Box score:

PORTLAND	AB	R	H	PO	A
Shone, cf	5	0	2	6	0
Nunes, 2b	4	1	2	3	5
Barton, 1b	4	1	1	13	0
Demaree, lf	2	1	0	1	0
Owen, 3b	5	1	3	0	1
Gullic, rf	4	0	0	1	0
O'Neil, ss	4	2	2	2	4
Adams, c	3	0	0	1	0
Cohen, p	3	0	1	0	4
Totals	34	6	11	27	14
SEATTLE					
Patchett, cf	4	0	2	4	0
McDonald, 1b	2	0	0	2	1
Norbert, lf	4	0	2	1	0
Dobbins, 3b	3	0	0	0	6
Gorbould, ss	3	0	0	2	2
Kats, rf	3	0	2	2	0
Sueme, c	4	0	0	5	1
Lyman, 2b	4	0	1	7	0
C. Johnson, p	1	0	0	1	3
Gill, 1b	2	0	0	3	0
Demoran, *	1	0	0	0	0
McLaughlin, p	0	0	0	0	0
Finley, **	1	0	1	0	0
Totals	32	0	8	27	13

*—Batted for C. Johnson in 7th.
**—Batted for McLaughlin in 9th.

Innings:

Portland	000 401 010—6
Seattle	000 000 000—0

Errors; Gorgould 2. Runs batted in: Owen 2, O'Neil 2, Shone, Barton. Two-base hits: Kats 2. Sacrifices: Gullic, Dobbins, Adams 2. Double plays: Gorbould to McDonald, Owen to O'Neil to Barton. Left on bases: Portland 11, Seattle 11. Bases on balls: off Cohen 5, off C. Johnson 4, off McLaughlin 3. Strike outs: Cohen 1, C. Johnson 4. Earned runs: C. Johnson 5, McLaughlin 1. Hits: off C. Johnson 9 in 7 innings, McLaughlin 2 in 2. Losing pitcher: C. Johnson. Umpires: Dempsey and Edwards. Time: 2:06. Attendance 3700 (estimated).

STATESMAN SPORTS
By Al Lightner, Sports Editor

Dodgers Grab 13-Inning Go

Cards, Reds Turn in National Loop Wins

By the Associated Press

Goodwin Rosen's triple off the right field wall in the 13th inning scored two runners to give the Brooklyn Dodgers a 6-4 win over the Pittsburgh Pirates last night before 13,126 fans. The Dodgers spiked a Pirate rally in their half of the 13th aided by their fifth double play of the game.

Walter "Boom Boom" Beck turned in a five-hit performance as the Cincinnati Reds defeated the Philadelphia Blue Jays, 8-1, to sweep a three-game series.

Bill Lee started on the mound for Philadelphia and was replaced in the third by Andy Karl. These two yielded 13 hits and all of Cincinnati's run although they were aided and abetted by four errors on the part of their teammates.

Scoring five runs in the first inning after Boston had tallied once, the St. Louis Cardinals stayed in front to defeat the Braves 9 to 4 in the finale of the series.

In making those five runs the world champions drove Al Javery from the mound in the first and he was followed by two other hurlers. One of the Braves' scores was a home run in the sixth by Tom Holmes, his fourth homer of the season.

Brooklyn	030 000 010 000 2—6 14 4
Pittsburgh	000 000 400 000 0—4 8 3

Lombardi, King (8) and Andrews, Dantonio (8); Strincevich and Lopez, Salkeld (10).

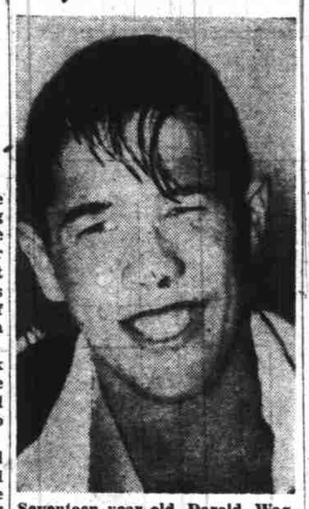
Philadelphia	000 100 000—1 5 4
Cincinnati	130 013 00*—8 13 0

Lee, Karl (3), Coffman (8) and Mancuso, Seminick (7); Beck and Unser.

Boston	101 001 100—4 10 4
St. Louis	500 120 01*—9 7 1

Javery, Schacker (1), Earley (7) and Masi; Creel and Odea.

Eyes Salem Win



Seventeen-year-old Darold Wagner of Tillamook, 126-pound Portland Golden Gloves champion, has entered the three-day amateur Gloves tourney billed for the Salem armory next week, June 6-7-8. Youthful Wagner will naturally be top favorite in his weight class. He is only one of many outside entries from Tillamook, Portland, Vancouver and Vanport who will biff on the Capital Post No 9 sponsored show.

War Vet Hurls Tiger Victory

Dischargee Allows 2 Hits, Nips Yank Lead

By the Associated Press

Les Mueller, a discharged serviceman who spent two and a half years in the army, clipped the New York Yankees lead to one game today as he hurled Detroit to a 2-0 shutout victory before about 5,300 fans at the second Yankee stadium twilight experiment.

Undefeated freshman Dave Ferhis, now hailed as "Superman" by his Boston Red Sox teammates, gained his seventh straight victory, a 6-2 affair, by giving a five-hit performance against the Cleveland Indians. Ferris now has beaten every American league rival except Washington.

Only one of the Indians' hits was clean-cut, Felix Mackiewicz' single to left center in the fourth inning. After being sacrificed by Paul O'Dea, Mackiewicz scored as Frankie Hayes got a scratch single through third baseman Jack Tobin.

The St. Louis Browns put over four runs in the second inning to defeat the Washington Senators 5-2 in a night game.

The Browns took advantage of Mickey Haefner's wildness in the second to take a comfortable lead. Two walks, three singles, Haefner's error and Mike Kreevich's double accounted for the four runs. The Browns' fifth run came in the ninth—Milton Byrnes hit a home run over the right field wall.

With two out, Bobby Estalella's eighth inning single gave the Philadelphia Athletics a 3-2 victory over the Chicago White Sox.

Joe Berry received credit for the win, relieving Don Black in the second inning. Black was forced from the game with a wrenched back, suffered in a collision with umpire Carl Hubbard, and is expected to be sidelined several days.

Detroit	000 200 000—2 7 0
New York	000 000 000—0 2 0

Mueller and Richards; Zuber and Crompton.

Cleveland	000 110 000—2 5 1
Boston	000 050 10*—6 11 2

Embree, Center (8) and Hayes; Ferris and Garbark.

St. Louis	040 000 001—5 7 1
Washington	000 000 020—2 8 2

Hollingsworth, Kramer (8) and Mancuso; Haefner and Cuerra.

Chicago	010 000 010—2 7 2
Philadelphia	101 000 01*—3 10 3

Lopat and Tresh; Black, Berry (2), Flores (9) and George.

Dragon lizards feed on deer, wild boar and water buffalo.

Silverton 9's Open Sunday

SILVERTON—Sunday's doubleheader which opens the baseball season here brings Les Palmer, Milwaukie high school southpaw who was credited with the win in the All-American boys' game in Portland Wednesday, to pitch for the Milwaukie Legion Juniors who meet Silverton's Legion nine here at 2 p. m.

Milwaukie and Silverton town teams will play the second game. Both are to be limited to seven innings. Paul Reiling and Guy DeLay are coaching the two Silverton teams.

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SPORTSLIGHTNER
by Al Lightner

Shortie sporties: "Guy DeLay, who left Benson Tech classes a few weeks ago, is credited with heaving the 16-pound shot 41 feet, 3 inches to establish a new record for the USNTTC camp in Georgia," says a sentence in a Portland paper . . . My, how you do get around, "Pop." And here we though your long suits were baseball and victory gardening . . . Piped the great Dizzy Dean when asked of his opinion of the Cardinal-Mort Cooper blow-up: "How about that! Cooper only getting $12,000 from the Cards! Why, I thought he was getting at least $17,500 and ought to have $20,000. Why, I used to talk Branch Rickey outta more 'n that, but he almost made me cry doing it." . . . Mebbe even Ol' Diz hasn't heard that the Cardinals are generally named first whenever ballgamers gather to talk about "cheap" ball clubs. . . . 'Nother job for U of O's "Honest Jawn" Warren, the coach who's been kicked from Astoria to Alabama and way points, the past few weeks. He's to coach the Eugene American Legion Junior baseball nine this summer, said Dick Strite of the Register-Guard as he watched the Salem-Eugene game Monday . . . Speaking of Monday and major leaguers, a glance at both the American and National league standings that day disclosed there could be a 1945 world series after all, and in any one of five cities. That is, if the rival league clubs in the same cities remain as neck and neck as they were in Monday's standings. The ODT says no world series unless teams are from the same city such as were the Cards and Browns last year. Monday's standings looked something like this, in case you weren't watching: Giants and Yankees both leading their leagues, Chicago Cubs and White Sox both in third place, Cards and Browns practically deadlocked in fourth place and the Boston Braves and Red Sox in another tie for fifth. Then if they wanted to turn the standings upside down, they'd have still two more same-city nines to battle, who else but the Phillies and Athletics . . . An oddity at least, wot? . . .

S1/C CHRIS KOWITZ

Southern Cal 'Went' for Oregon Grid News

AWL dept: Home between a transfer hop from San Diego to San Francisco, from where he'll ship out soon, is S1/c Chris Kowitz, durationized member of the Statesman sports family. And Chris brings news of how southern California took to the tidings that Oregon State and Oregon were returning to football next fall. Seems the Los Angeles papers outdid even the Portland sheets with big inch-thick banners. Big news for southern Californians at that, for both the Beavers and Ducks are looked upon by the natives as pushover opposition for their pet Trojans and Bruins.

Chris also tells of the potentcy of the San Diego NTS nine, the outfit on which the former Western International leaguers Clint Cameron, Pete Jones and Mel Skelley play. Although Cameron isn't hitting too well as the team's No. 2 catcher, it had won 28 and lost one up to last Sunday and 23 of the wins were in succession. Ex-Whitman Shorty Jones hasn't been defeated this season.

Our man was glad to get his transfer if for no other reason than to escape the easterners in his barracks. Chris tried his rangdest to "sell" 'em on the Portland Beavers when the Marv Owen crew was whacking the socks off the home-town Padres awhile back, but the easterners would have nothing to do with the "bush league" ball played by the Coasters. "They were major league fans," says Chris, "and talked of nothing else, the bums."

No Sports in Town? How About Monday?

"Naw, there ain't much doin' in sports 'round here these days," mumbled the gent. Same gent should have been around Monday to eat his words. Lookee: Salem-Eugene ball game at Waters, City Softball league in action (two games), three Junior league nines ripping through practice sessions, "S" club banquet at Salem high, Junior baseball league meeting, annual Bowlers' Brawl at Cdine's, Golden Gloves boxing tourney tryouts at the YMCA and the Leslie junior high athletes wading into an ice cream feed. Nope, there's nothin' doing at all, mister, but you should've tried attending everything at the same time Monday. We did, worse luck.

Back to San Francisco goes pal Charley Petersen—just why we'll probably never know unless someone reveals the Beavers and Pete couldn't hit it off—and right away Skipper Lefty O'Doul of the Seals becomes a man of his word. Two years ago after Pete batted and fielded the Seals to their post-season playoff, O'Doul himself voiced for all to hear that same Pete could play on any O'Doul team any place and any time. The accolade wasn't so many words and Pete now goes back to play for a skipper who could take over a major league club tomorrow if he wanted to.

It's a first-class second guess, but we think Bevo Maestro Owen made a bad mistake in letting our man fly the coop. If he's have played Pete in center field and let him alone—well, he didn't do it.

Leone to Vie With Katonen

It's Apeish Antone Leone against Finnish Southpaw Paavo Katonen in the mat mainer at the armory come Tuesday night, and the village crunch customers couldn't ask for many brawls which would outshine it. Especially so after the five-star thrilleroo Oyster Bay Antone made of this week's muscles meeting.

"A Leone-Georges Dusette match would be a natural if there ever was one," quoth Matchmaker Elton Owen yesterday, "but I'm gonna make Leone earn it the hard way. Both he and Katonen want a shot at Dusette's junior heavyweight title belt, so let 'em scrap it out next week to see who gets it. Dusette has promised to meet the winner for the championship."

Totally disliked Antone, who has proven himself to be easily the heel of the mat heels since his opening sortie in the circuit, will find another rough and rugged gent in Finnish Paavo. Katonen is a wrestler, first class, but it doesn't take much to make him turn to rassler, first class.

Leone signed for the match with the stipulation that Owen hire a referee other than Ivan Jones. Jones was as much a nemesis to the Eytalian last Tuesday as was Dusette, and between the three they wowed the customers no end. Owen is attempting to sign Walt "Th Sneeze" Achiu as third man. The balance of the card will be announced later.

Steve Dudas to Fight Mauriello

NEW YORK, May 31—(AP)—The veteran Steve Dudas will seek to lengthen a comeback victory string which has reached five bouts when he takes on Tami Mauriello in a 10-round boxing contest at Madison Square Garden tomorrow night.

Dudas retired in 1940 to work in a shipyard. He started the comeback trail last fall, although still employed in the yard. In his last start here he defeated Fernando (The Mighty) Menichelli.

Mauriello will be trying to string together two consecutive Garden victories. Since 1942 he has alternated victories and defeats in his appearances there.

Stars Beat Angels

LOS ANGELES, May 31—(AP)—The Pacific Coast league's seventh and eighth-place clubs—the Los Angeles Angels and Hollywood Stars—played a typical grueling contest tonight with the Stars slopping out a 9-8 win in 10 innings. The victory gave Hollywood a two-to-one edge in the series.

Hollywood	230 020 001 1—9 12 2
Los Angeles	110 000 222 0—8 13 1

Mishasek and Hill; Osborne, Balser, Phipps, Marshall and Greene.

Sacs Shut Out Pares

SAN DIEGO, Calif., May 31—(AP)—Guy Fletcher, Sacramento right-hander, scattered seven hits to shutout the San Diego Padres, 4 to 0, in a Pacific Coast league game tonight. The win gave Fletcher his 10th mound victory of the season.

Sacramento	002 011 000—4 11 1
San Diego	000 000 000—0 7 3

Fletcher and Schlueter; Tincup, Brillheart (6), Dumler (8) and Ballinger.

Angels Get Comellas

CHICAGO, May 31—(AP)—Pitcher Jorge Comellas today was returned by the Chicago Cubs to the Los Angeles club of the Pacific Coast league on option. An 18-game winner on the coast last season, Comellas came to the Cubs in a player trade. Except for one start, he has been used as a relief hurler. He was charged with two losses and no triumphs.

Curly's Practice

Coach John Taylor calls his Curly's Dairy nine to practice today at Olinger field, 6:30 p.m. All Curly's players are urged to turn out so that a lineup can be made for Sunday's opener in the Junior league.

McKee Chosen All-Star Best

PORTLAND, May 31—(AP)—Harold McKee, Woodburn, Ore., today was named outstanding player in the district all-American boys game here. He played second base for the up-state nine which defeated the city all-stars 5-4.

McKee may represent the district in the east-west game at New York in August. First alternate for the trip is Leo Keppinger, Central Catholic, Portland, third baseman. Second alternate is Don Dibble, Payette, Idaho, first baseman.

Acorns Top Frisco

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31—(AP)—The Oakland Acorns put on a hitting spree tonight to defeat the San Francisco Seals, 11-7, and record their first win of the week in the Pacific Coast league series. The Seals won the first three games.

Oakland	000 004 304—11 16 0
San Francisco	400 001 002— 7 13 4

Gilmore, Stromme (1) and Raimondi; Joyce, Buzolich (7), Piercey (8) and Sprinz.

B. Lake, C-Bs Drill

Clough-Barrick's entry in the "B" division of the junior league and Blue Lake's nine from the "A" loop will both practice on Leslie field this evening at 6 o'clock. All players on both teams are urged to be on hand.

Swim Lessons Start Today

The 25th annual learn to swim campaign sponsored by the Salem YMCA, open to boys and girls 9 years of age and older and also to adults, opens today at the local pool. Children's classes are slated for afternoon hours and adults will take lessons in the evenings—men on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday at 7:30 and women on Tuesday, Friday and Saturday at the same hour. Instruction, which is free, is under the direction of YMCA director Chester Goodman.

MAJOR LEAGUE Leaders

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.		W	L	Pct.
New Yrk	22	13	.629	Boston	16	19	.457
Detroit	19	12	.613	Clevelan	14	17	.452
Chicago	17	16	.515	Washing	15	19	.441
St. Louis	16	16	.500	Philadel	14	21	.400

Scores Thursday: At New York 0, Detroit 2; at Boston 6, Cleveland 2; at Philadelphia 3, Chicago 2; at Washington 2, St. Louis 5.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.		W	L	Pct.
New Yrk	26	11	.703	Chicago	18	16	.529
Brooklyn	21	16	.568	Cincinnt	15	18	.455
Pittsburg	19	16	.543	Boston	13	20	.394
St. Louis	20	17	.541	Philadel	10	28	.263

Scores Thursday: At Pittsburgh 4, Brooklyn 6; at St. Louis 9, Boston 4; at Cincinnati 8, Philadelphia 1; at Chicago-New York, postponed.

Cline Singes Course, Wins

City.. Links.. Champion.. Walt "Junior" Cline was hotter than the well-known two-dollar pistol yesterday, carded a course-record tying 31 on the back nine at the Salem layout and walked off with first place in the Men's club Ruddles tourney. Cline counted 23 points by virtue of his scroching round.

He carded four pars and five birdies for the nine holes, three of the birds coming on the final three holes. His card read: 443 343 334—31.

Bud Waterman was second in the meet with a one-under par 35, good for 21 Ruddles points and George Hoffman was third with a 39, enough for 19 points in the handicap affair.

Amity vs. Jeff In Title Tilt

Geo. E. Waters park is the site of another county "B" baseball playoff today as the Amity Blues, champs of Yamhill, tackle the Jefferson Lions, two years unbeaten and titilists of Marion, in a 2:30 p. m. clash. Coach George Bailey of the Blues made the challenge after Amity bested Yamhill high and Coach Pat Beal of the Lions accepted.

Jefferson has won 23 straight games in two seasons and will start Jack Skelton, who has won 20 in a row, on the mound. He beat St. Paul here last week for the Marion title. Bailey has Tall Leroy Loiselle ready for his Blues. A hurling duel is apparently in store.

Redwood-Valley Motor Practice Go at 6 P.M.

The Redwood Nurseries and Valley Motor V-8 baseball nines of the Salem Junior baseball league will engage in a practice game tonight at 6 o'clock on Olinger field announces V-8 Coach Bob Schwartz, sr. Bill Phillips bosses the Redwoods. Players are asked to report promptly.

S. Creek, Presbys Tie

Upset by First Evangelical 10 to 6, First Baptist's softball club was dropped from title contention in the City Church league Tuesday night. The losers had been tied with Salt Creek Baptists and Presbyterian before the final round of tilts. Salt Creek drubbed Salvation Army-UB 11 to 0 and Presbyterians took a forefeit from First Christian to remain tied for the top. They will play off for the title next Tuesday night at 7 o'clock at Olinger field.

Big Six In Baseball

	G	AB	R	H	Pct.
Holmes, Braves	34	147	33	58	.395
Ott, Giants	38	130	30	50	.385
Kurowski, Cards	37	139	30	53	.381
Cuccinello, W. Sx.	32	113	18	41	.363
Etten, Yankees	35	126	20	41	.325
Stirnweiss, Yanks	35	136	30	44	.324
Stephens, Browns	28	105	23	34	.324

Home runs: National league—Lombardi, Giants 12; Weintraub, Giants 8; Ott, Giants 7; DiMaggio, Phillies 7. American league — Stephens, Browns 6; R. Johnson, Red Sox 6; Mayes, A's-Indians 5.

Runs batted in: National league — Lombardi, Giants 34; Kurowski, Cardinals 33; Olmo, Dodgers 32. American league — R. Johnson, Red Sox 24; Etten, Yankees 23; Stephens, Browns 22; Schalk, White Sox 22.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Lee Mapes Sticks His Neck Out

We had a meeting at the Town Hall Friday night, and when Homer Bently spoke up for a new roof for the schoolhouse, Lee Mapes interrupts him.

"How long you been in this town?" Lee demands.

"Fourteen years," says Homer proudly.

"Then you keep quiet!" says Lee. "We can't have transients running things in our town."

I'm glad to report that all of us voted Lee down and let Homer have his say. I'm glad not just because the school did need a new roof, but because it doesn't do to let intolerance and prejudice creep into a community.

Whether a man's stayed "put" a lifetime or a year, whether he works with his head or his hands, drinks beer or buttermilk—so long as he's a good American he has a right to speak his mind, and have his opinions (however different they may be) respected.

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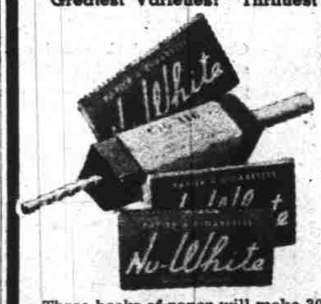

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