

Another Record! Salem Wins, 25-18

Schuble, Solons Grab 'Grid' Mix With Seven-Run Ninth Inning Job

ATHLETIC PARK, Wenatchee, July 24 (Special)—Salem's Senators and Wenatchee's Chiefs left a scruffy crowd of 3000 in the Western International League leadership battle here tonight when the Solons "out-footballed" the Chiefs and kept the lead with a 25 to 18 victory. The total runs amassed in the wild three-hour struggle amounted to another league record. Previously only 42 runs had been tops for a single game.

The clubs trotted nine pitchers to the mound — four for Salem — and it was a seven-run blast in the ninth inning that finally won for the Senators' Bill Schuble, fourth hurler to see action for the winners. Joe Vivalda, who pitched the last two innings, had eight-run innings. Wenatchee's first and second and Salem in the fifth.

About the only things Wenatchee could do in the fifth inning was hit home runs and total hits. The Chiefs banged four homers to Salem's one, but the Senators' Salomon, who pitched a perfect game, allowed 24 hits to Salem's 18. But the Chief pitchers issued 15 bases on balls to make up the difference. Salem's Eddie Wheeler, Duane Crawford and Gullik led the Senators at the plate. Dick Adams of Wenatchee hit a perfect 5-for-5 night, including two homers and two doubles.

The win hiked Salem's leading margin to a game and a half over the Chiefs.

Salem (25)	Wenatchee (18)
Wheeler	5
Wenner	5
Reynolds	2
Crawford	3
Gullik	4
Salomon	1
Summers	1
Bartolomeo	1
Fallon	0
Soderberg	0
Cummins	0
Schuble	0
Lucchesi	0

Totals 25 hits, 18 runs, 10 errors, 10 strikeouts, 10 bases on balls, 3 errors, 10 strikeouts, 10 bases on balls, 3 errors. Pitches: Salem 131, 95; Wenatchee 130, 140. Pitches summary: Salem 12, Wenatchee 10.

Beavers Upset Acorns, 3 to 1

Hesler Hurts Win, Vico, Flager Hit

OAKLAND, July 24 (AP)—Southpaw Roy Hesler hurled the Portland Beavers to a 3-1 win over Oakland here tonight and kept the Oaks from taking over first place in the Pacific Coast league. Hesler allowed seven hits while he and his mates were rapping nine off two Oak pitchers. The win evened the series at one game apiece.

Both Wally Flager and George Vico, called up from the Salem Senators recently, hit in the game. Flager drove in the first Bevo run with a triple and Vico rapped two singles in three times up.

Portland (3)	Oakland (1)
Shone	1
Flager	2
Crawford	2
Storey	4
Vico	1
Smith	0
Brown	0
Holme	0
Hesler	1

Totals 32 hits, 7 errors, 20 strikeouts, 10 bases on balls, 3 errors, 10 strikeouts, 10 bases on balls, 3 errors. Pitches: Salem 131, 95; Wenatchee 130, 140. Pitches summary: Salem 12, Wenatchee 10.

JOCKEY RIDES TWO

SEATTLE, July 24 (AP)—Jockey Walt Litzenberg, the Longacres leader, rode two winners in his first appearance in today's twilight meet after a five-day suspension.

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ROCKY RIDE: Riding the Brahma bulls will be a top feature in this year's Portland Stampede (July 30-August 4 at Jantzen Beach, Portland). Thirty-five of the stormy critters have been rounded up for the fifth annual rodeo. Noted cowboy Glen Tyler is shown above giving one of the animals a ride (or is it vice versa?) in last year's classic.

Recruiting, Subsidizing Ban Voted by Colleges

CHICAGO, July 24 (AP)—The National Collegiate Athletic Association council today directed action by its 300-member schools and affiliated athletic conferences on a recommended ban against recruiting and subsidizing athletes.

The council, concurring in condemnation of campus semi-professionalism expressed informally by representatives of 20 conferences the past two days, called for a formal declaration of principles by the individual membership.

The result of this poll will be submitted to the N. C. A. A. convention in New York next January when enforcement of strict amateur standards among all colleges may be demanded.

Curly's Suffer First Defeat

The league-leading Curly's nine tasted defeat for the first time in Junior "A" loop play last night as they bowed to the second-division Valley Motors, 6 to 4 at Capitola. Norton allowed the Dairymen but four hits while his mates, paced by Warren Valdez, were touching Rock for eight. Valdez hurrruped a homer, double and single.

At Leslie the Eagles went into a second place tie with the Shrocks by beating them 3 to 2. A two run 5th frame won the ball game for the Lodgenien as they combined two hits, two walks and an error. Moore was the winning hurler.

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America's Top Cowhands Due for Portland Stampede

PORTLAND, July 24 (Special)—The biggest names in the American rodeo world will gather here from July 30 to August 4 for the fifth annual Portland Stampede, one of the west's major wild west events, scheduled at Jantzen Beach arena on the banks of the Columbia river. All the top hands from California and Texas are entering, moving on from here to the 1946 Pendleton Round-Up.

Clark Leads Golf Bigs As 'Tam' Opener Nears

170 Pros, 45 Amateurs, 35 Gals to Shoot For Gold in Chicago Meet; Nelson Favored

CHICAGO, July 24 (AP)—Slim little David F. Clark of Galveston, Tex., who has split his time between caddying and playing in major tournaments the past ten years, today posted a 4-under par 68 in leading the professionals in the final qualifying round for the \$50,000 All-American golf classic starting tomorrow.

Eight players were grouped at 72. With most of the boys in the field of 71 taking things easy, 80 was the qualifying limit. The sixty qualifiers today brought the starting field for George S. May's extravaganza to 250 contestants —170 professionals, 45 amateurs and 35 women.

Defending champion Byron Nelson, Toledo, who has four of the five previous All-American tournaments, was being mentioned by many of the pros as a 2-1 favorite to repeat. Nelson's 3-under par 33 for nine holes today included 2 birdies and an eagle. British open champion Sammy Sneed, Hot Springs, Va., Lloyd Mangrum, Chicago, U. S. open champion; Johnny Bulla, Chicago; Harold (Jug) McSpaden, Sanford, Me., who won the open in 1943, and the current amateur sensation, Frank Stranahan of Toledo, all reported "about" even-par 72 practice rounds.

Rated the strongest threat to the women's title held by Patty Berg, Minneapolis, is Babe Didrikson Zaharias of Denver, Colo.

Brooks Back on Top; Feller in 3-Hitter

Bums Bash Cubs As Cards Bow to Giants; Bobby Whiffs Nine; Bosox, Yankees Win

BROOKLYN, July 24 (AP)—The Brooklyn Dodgers regained first place in the National League standing tonight as they noosed out the Chicago Cubs, 2 to 1, while the St. Louis Cardinals were losing to the New York Giants. Rookie Joe Hatten held the Cubs to six hits while his mates were socking Hank Wase for 11. Both Bum tallies came in the first frame.

At New York Big Johnny Mize hammered a 420 foot homer in the last half of the ninth inning to give the Giants a 2 to 1 win over the Cards. Schoolboy Rowe chalked up his 10th win of the campaign in hurling the Philadelphia Phillies to a 2 to 0 decision over the Pittsburgh Pirates. Three Boston Brave errors helped the Cincinnati Reds defeat the Beantowners, 2 to 1.

In the American loop Bobby Feller took the spotlight with a three-hit shut out win over the Philadelphia Athletics, 3 to 0. Feller whiffed nine to up his season's total to 220. Hank Edward's homer was the only run of the game. The leading Boston Red Sox, behind Tex Hughson's seven hit hurling stopped the Chicago White Sox, 4 to 1. At St. Louis (Continued on page 11)

Amerk Players Advance, Paris

PARIS, July 24 (AP)—Five all-United States teams and two other combinations in which Americans figured won their way into the semi-final round of the three divisions of doubles—Men's women's and mixed—in the French international tennis championships today. In men's play Tom Brown and Bud Platty, whipped an experienced pair of Britons, Derek Barton and E. J. Filby, 9-7, 7-5, 6-3.

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SPORTSLIGHTNER

by Al Lightner

So many befuddlements have come with the recent baseball draft that concerning George Vico, Wally Flager, et al, that a few natives have asked us to print here an explanation of just what the baseball type of drafting amounts to. Briefly, and without further entangling the explanation with the conventional wherein and whereof" quotes from a book, the draft operates thusly:

Any player in professional baseball, if he has played in three seasons of it, is eligible for drafting by a club in higher classed baseball at a fixed draft price. The draft price fluctuates in accordance with the class of baseball the player is in. For example, should one of the Senators, in Class AAA baseball, be drafted into Class AAA baseball, the payment to Salem would be \$3500.

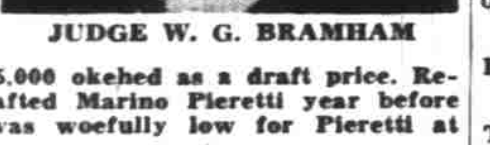
The jump from Class B to the majors brings \$4000. And if a player in the Coast league (Class AAA) is drafted by a major league club, the price is now \$10,000. Last year the AA-to-majors price was \$7500, and if you recall that was one of the big minor league squawks aimed at the majors, the minors wanted \$15,000 okeked as a draft price. Remember too when Washington drafted Marino Pieretti year before last, he went for \$7500, which was woefully low for Pieretti at the time.

The prospective drafting of Vico amounted to this: Were George playing with Salem at the time of the draft date (August 15), he could have been picked for the Class B price of \$4000. But if he is playing with Portland coming drafting time, the price will be \$10,000. So rather than lose the difference, the governing Portland club made at least \$6000 by moving popular George.

Intricacies of Baseball Tough to Savvy
The possibility still exists that Vico will be bought by some major league outfit, however. In that case he would be ineligible for the draft if his contract is purchased before August 15.

True, George has not had three years of professional baseball. This is only his second actually. But the three years he spent in the navy, according to a new baseball law inserted during the war, constitute one year of pro ball. So George is now in his third year, according to the rules.

It's little wonder most fans don't savvy these baseball technicalities. There are so dang many of 'em and seemingly every one just as intricate and complicated as the other. Even the veteran club owners, with years of experience their, stumble often over the hundreds of little mechanisms making up the pay-for-play sport. And that is one good reason why "czars" Happy Chandler of the major leagues and W. G. Bramham of the minors practically govern baseball and their jobs aren't easy in any sense and it's a miracle the late Judge Landis lived as long as he did.



JUDGE W. G. BRAMHAM

Alibi Tourney Set at SGC

The regular Thursday afternoon men's session at the Salem Golf Club today will feature an Alibi tournament over the nine-hole route.

The club has scheduled an 18-hole two-ball mixed foursome for Sunday with a dinner to follow. Clubbers, whether married or single, are invited. Play will begin at one o'clock.

DAVIDS DUMPED

PORTLAND, Ore., July 24 (AP)—The Portland Gilberts of the city Semi-pro league gave the touring House of David club a 7 to 3 drubbing here tonight.

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D. Hummel and L. Hummel; Dunn, Veagle (6) and Carlson, Wegner (6).

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Crawford	283	102	360	Schubel 27 6 222
Gullik	167	58	354	Kowalski 43 9 200
Wheeler	23	348	Baytiml 227 43 189	
Luchesi	80	26	325	Soderberg 27 4 148
Wenner	333	98	288	Fallin 35 2 107
Reynolds	232	284	Carikin 44 4 091	
Summers	241	61	253	Cook 2 0 000
Kerr	184	40	244	

KC's, Eagles Win, Softball

Before a good-sized crowd four more teams made their debut last night in summer softball league play as Mootry's defeated the Eagles wacked Golden Pheasant 7 to 5.

The Mootry nine got off to a first inning two-run lead on the Lodgenien but soon fell behind as the KCs began shelling hurler Bob Lindstrom. Al Alley started the KC barrage with a homer in the second inning and the climax of the attack came in the fourth when a combination of hits by Alley, Albrich, Innocenti, Meier and Miller produced four tallies. The winners scored three more in the ninth.

Tigers Wallop Tars in Two

Tacoma's Tigers maintained their third-place spot in the WIL last night as they split a double-header with the fourth-place Bremerton Tars, winning the first game, 8 to 7 and dropping the night-cap 3 to 2. At Spokane the Victoria Athletics noosed out the Spokane Indians 1 to 0 with Pitcher John Carpenter scoring the only run of the contest in the ninth inning.

Second round results included: Louis Stafford, Portland, Ore., defeated Tully Myer, Wichita, Kan., 6 and 5.

Pirates to Ask Pay Minimum

PHILADELPHIA, July 24 (AP)—The Pittsburgh Pirates held a locker room meeting before their National League game with the Philadelphia Phils tonight and adopted an eight-point program for their representatives to present at the players-club owners meeting next month in New York.

The Bucs instructed their representatives, pitcher Rip Sewell and third baseman Lee Hedges to stress the demand for a \$7500 minimum salary.

League Standings

WI LEAGUE	W L Pct	W L Pct	NATIONAL LEAGUE	W L Pct	
SALEM	84 35	615	Spokane	36 41	488
Oakland	77 42	650	Yakima	39 49	437
Tacoma	81 37	580	Vancouver	33 54	379
Bremerton	48 35	578	Victoria	30 63	323
Last night's results: At Wenatchee 18, Salem 25. At Bremerton 7-3, Tacoma 8-2. At Vancouver 4-0, Yakima 6-2. At Spokane 9, Victoria 1.					
COAST LEAGUE					
Portland	100 100	0-0	3 11 1		
San Francisco	000 000	0-0	3 11 1		
Sacramento	031 101	300	3 13 1		
Wenatchee	011 011	0-0	3 13 1		
Wichita	000 000	0-0	3 13 1		
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