

Rollin' Along

By JERRY STONE

To bad that Salem's Roy Hutchison couldn't go back to Iowa for a crack at an Olympic wrestling berth, after having earned the right at the recent qualifying meet in Portland—too bad because Hutchison, who grapples in the 124-128 pound class, had at least a 50-50 chance of landing on the Olympic squad. That's the opinion of the guys who've watched Roy in his infrequent sessions at the Y who unanimously praise the lad's agility and toughness. As far as the coach learns, Roy passed up the payoff show because of inability to get time off from his job up Detroit way.

Remember the Sox?

Baseball comes back to Silverton. And immediately there comes to mind the glorious days of the Red Sox back around 1938. The Silverton Red Sox were not only the darlings of the burg but the darlings of the state. They had a lot of disciples in Salem and other adjacent points. For this part of the Willamette Valley was baseball starved in that period prior to the birth of the pro Senators. The '38 Sox were a great semi-pro ball club and but for a lack of pitching depth, that gang could have gone great guns in any Class B pro league in the country. Remember 'em: Johnny Pesky, Roy Heiser, Barney Koch, Babe Schwab, Bob Bonney, etc. For a number of those kids the Red Sox served as the springboard into sparkling professional careers. And now Bill McGuiness, the combined Kenesaw Mountain Landis and Connie Mack of Silverton, who built the Sox, is out to do it again—to organize a club approaching the standards of that sterling crew of 1938. Full speed ahead, Bill.



JACK RUSSELL

Oh, That Weather

The weather offered a frightful greeting to the linksters in the opening round of the Elks tourney Saturday and the most common complaint was the nasty habit the wind had of carrying pills into the woods. Defending champ Jack Russell's defeat by Harvey Quintana was of course, the big news of the first round and Jack's upset could probably be attributed more to his long layoff than to the ill-humor of the weather gods.

Tough life: Stearns Cushing, a sports enthusiast from away back, had just that over the span of the last few days. Saturday: Stearns is nipped by Tom Stacer, 1 up, in 22nd flight action in the Elks meet, with the crusher for Cushing being a four-punt green. Monday: Cushing's defeat by Harvey Quintana was a better than a 4-3 series in Commercial league pin action at Capitol Alevs. Tuesday: Mr. Cushing formally opens his service station, which he'd purchased a few days before, and while closing up that night he is confronted by a determined young man—the determination being apparent in the gun poked at Cushing's middle. Cost to Stearns: 40 bucks. Watta life!

Steve O'Neill, Detroit's chief, proclaims that George Vico is the best fielding first-sacker to be around the Briggs stadium ballwick since the days before Hank Greenberg. And that's going back a long time. Joe DiMaggio, the Yankees' respectably rapped #15 last year, which is a smart figure for the average gent but very lean indeed for one of Joe's talents. But closer observation makes that .315 formidable even for DiMaggio considering that he was plagued by the following during the '47 campaign: Pulled muscles in right and left shoulders, torn neck muscle, bone chips in elbow of throwing arm, torn leg muscles, trick knee, lame back, strained instep, and unhealed operation scars on heel. Joe has miraculously rid himself of this multitude of miseries as the current race winds into high which makes one wonder just how much damage a perfectly well DiMaggio will accomplish with his warclub.

M-P Ball 'Jam' Tonight

The first of its kind for Salem, the opening of a series of Marion-Polk league baseball jamborees will be held tonight, starting at 7:30 o'clock, at Waters field. All six league teams will take part in three games of three innings duration each. Jefferson, Stayton, Independence, Monmouth, Sacred Heart academy and Salem academy are the entries. It will be a Marion vs. Polk setup, as the total score compiled by schools from respective counties will go toward winning the trophy. The first game sends Jefferson against Independence. Then the strong Salem academy tackles Stayton. The finale pits Monmouth with Sacred Heart. Jeff. Sacred Heart and Stayton form the Marion league. Pitching will undoubtedly play a prominent part in the show. Lefty



BOB FUNK

Bob Funk of Salem academy, Jack Stung of Sacred Heart, Junior Wickersham of Jefferson, Duane Wagner of Stayton, Bud James of Independence and Bud Baker of Monmouth all have twirled well so far this season in league play.

Valley Leaguers In Three Games

WOODBURN, April 29 (Special)—Willamette Valley league baseball teams collide in three games Friday, but not one will have a bearing on the undefeated status of the leading Silverton team. Silverton is idle Friday, with a bye. The three games, all set for afternoon play, find Sandy at Dallas, Mt. Angel at Woodburn and Estacada at Canby.

Grid Beavers in Game Today at 4

OREGON STATE COLLEGE, April 29 (Special)—Coach Lon Stinner's spring football practice session Friday with the Oregon State Beavers will be devoted to a full-scale game between the "Orange" and "Blacks." The game will start at 4 p.m., and will be the first of three such tilts set for the next three Friday afternoons.

Today's Pitchers

National league: Boston at New York—Sain (0-1) vs. Poat (1-0). Brooklyn at Philadelphia (night)—Hatten (0-1) vs. Simmons (0-2). St. Louis at Cincinnati—Pollet (0-0) vs. Fox (0-1). Pittsburgh at Chicago—Sewell (1-0) vs. Ruth (0-1). American league: New York at Boston—Reynolds (2-0) vs. Harris (1-0). Philadelphia at Washington (night)—Marchildon (1-1) vs. Masterson (0-0). Chicago at Detroit—Wight (0-0) vs. Newhouse (1-2). Cleveland at St. Louis—Feiler (2-0) vs. Garver (0-0).

Duck Pins

Heider's 3, B & B Courts 1; Blue Lake Cannery 4, Kelly Farquhar 0, and Serve Rite Grocery 4, W. C. Dyer 0 were the results of Commercial league bowling at B & B Duckpin alleys last night. Bill Neimeyer had a 231 single game for high and Lee Jaccard rolled a 51 high series for Blue Lake.

State's Anglers Wait Saturday 'Go'

Fully equipped and equally loaded with the enthusiasm that only fishing season can bring each spring, Oregon's thousands of anglers are poised for the 1948 "go" at dawn Saturday morning, the state game commission predicts the number of licensed sports fishermen this year will at least equal the number of any season in the past. The general season on trout opens Saturday and ends September 30. The commission calls attention to the opening of trout season in freshwater areas, on June 15, not on Saturday. In Lake county the general opening is May 22.



Forecast for stream conditions in most areas is practically the only saddening thing for the angler. The continuous rains of late have tended to make many streams high and muddy. Consequently, the "conditions only fair" sign has been hung out.

Other exceptions, listed by counties, are in the official synopsis of the angling laws, obtainable at nearly all local sporting goods stores.

Even-Steven, Still in Third Senators, Jackets Split Doubleheader

ROOSEVELT FIELD, Bremerton, April 29 (Special)—Salem and Bremerton broke even in their Western International league double-header here tonight, Salem taking the first game, a wild one, 9 to 7, and Bremerton coming from behind in the nightcap to win in 10 innings, 3 to 2. The split left Salem in a tie for third place in the standings with Victoria, at a 500 level. Tomorrow night Salem goes over to Tacoma to open a four-game series with the vastly strengthened Tacoma Tigers.

Lefty Cal McIrvine won the opener for Salem but had to be relieved in the final frame by Frank Lazor when the Brems threatened. Lazor retired the side. In the nightcap Roy Pitter went into the ninth with a 2-1 lead, but a triple by Bob Samcoff, driving in a run, tied it. Then in the tenth Al Maul, a batting sensation all night, clouded another triple and Vir Nelson drove him in with a single to win the game.

Box score for Salem vs Bremerton game 1

Box score for Salem vs Bremerton game 2

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Dusette-Jones Rematch Made

Their slam-bango of this week being interrupted by a referee's disqualification, the villain Rowdy Rufus Jones and George (Atlas) Dusette have been rematched for the main stand on Matchmaker Elton Owen's weekly mat production at the army next Tuesday night. Riotous Rufe, still the gent to stir up the customers and bring the cops into action, was loser to Dusette in the first meeting when he insisted in not only head-butting George out of commission, but also the referee.

The retake will find a new arbiter on hand, plus a Dusette who figures he has perfected a defense for the negro's vicious butts. Three prelims, to be read later, will support the mainer.

Jeff Tracksters Dump Sweet Home

JEFFERSON, April 29 (Special)—Coach Pat Beal's Jefferson Lions copied 10 first places and the relay to swamp the Sweet Home team in a meet at Albany Wednesday night, 92 to 42. Jack Grimes led the win with 114 points. Other Jeff winners were Crenshaw, high hurdles; Jim Grimes, mile; Sparks, 440; Rollie, 880; Crenshaw, vault; Pogue, discus; Crenshaw and Morton, tie in high jump; Hardwick, javelin; and Freitag, Weddle, Sparks and Jack Grimes, relay.

Oregonians In the Majors

Table listing Oregonians in the majors with stats for Pesky, Red Sox; Doerr, Red Sox; Gordon, Cleveland; Whitman, Dodgers; Vico, Detroit.

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SIX: Boudreau Hot With Hit Wand Cards Lost in 14th; Riddle Winner Again

The Cleveland Indians ran up their sixth straight American league victory stuns a loss Thursday, this one a 5-2 victory at St. Louis over the Browns. Manager Lou Boudreau's four straight hits, including a double and home run and three runs batted in, were too much for the losers. The New York Yankees crept into second place behind Cleveland with a 5-4 win in 10 innings at Washington. The Joe DiMaggio-Joe Page combination was a big factor, DiMaggio driving in Bobby Brown with the winning run and Page hurling runless relief after replacing Frank Shea. The Chicago White Sox beat Detroit 5-4, as Catcher Aaron Robinson had a 3-for-3 day at the plate, including a homer. The Red Sox were out by the Athletics, but won 11-5 on the strength of four homers, went eight runs, Ted Williams, Sam Mele, Joe Dobson and Jake Jones each biffed one, each with one on. Williams' was his third of the season.

The St. Louis Cardinals went 14 innings before losing to Cincinnati in the National league. Johnny Wyrostek doubling and coming in on Hank Sauer's single for the win. Both homered earlier. Home runs by Dick Sisler and Harry (The Hat) Walker helped the Phillies pull out a 4-2 win over the Braves. Both homers were flukes, inside the park. Old Elmer Riddle scattered seven hits to pitch Pittsburgh to a 4-2 win over Chicago. It was the second straight win for the 31-year-old. The Ebets field jinx and 20 Dodger hits smacked the New York Giants, 17 to 7 at Brooklyn.

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PHILADELPHIA 000 010 130-4 8 1 Boston 000 010 010-2 8 1 Rowe and Semneck; Bierley, Hogue (9) and Mast. Totals 38 13 25 13 Totals 24 11 27 17

OREGON STATE COLLEGE, April 29 (Special)—Ralph Coleman's rain-plagued Oregon State baseball team will play Portland university here Friday at 3 p.m., the last home game before the OSC's take to the road into Washington and Idaho next week. The Beavers have broken even in their only two northern division games thus far, with Washington, Top hitters on the team to date are Al Anderson, third baseman, with 500; Carl Gustafson, outfielder, with 418; Dick Kohler, outfielder, and Ray Oberst, shortstop, both 300. Leading fingers for the Coleman has proven to be Charley Sauvain, Don Bedford and Fred Siri.

Silverton Holds Sports Banquet

SILVERTON, April 29 (Special)—The annual Silverton high Letterman club banquet was held here tonight. Club president Carl Wickham was toastmaster and guests introduced, many of whom spoke, included Jerry Lillie and Johnny Lewis, Willamette U coaches; Guy (Pop) DeLay, retired Silverton coach; Al Lightner of Salem; Bill McGinnis, longtime Silverton baseball enthusiast and member of the teams, faculty and school board. Movies of the 1947 world series and football play of last fall were shown later by "Hack" Hillier of the faculty.

Santiam Ski Dope

SANTIAM LODGE, April 29 (Special)—With a little snow falling each day for the past week, and a total of 114 inches on the ground today, skiing conditions at Santiam lodge and Hoodoo Bowl are still considered very good by Lodge Manager Art Boeschon. All but a thin layer today was packed and granular. Last year at this time only 30 inches of snow was on the ground. Skiing is expected to last until May 20, or later, under present conditions.

Marion B' Sched Gervais, April 29 (Special)

The Marion county B league baseball schedule for Friday afternoon, all games starting at 1:30 o'clock, embraces two teams in southern Oregon and the rest in northern Oregon.

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WI LEAGUE: W L Pct. Tacoma 7 2 785 Wenatchee 5 6 488 Vancouver 6 4 867 Bremerton 4 5 435 Salem 10 5 566 Yakima 8 7 429 Victoria 6 8 300 Spokane 6 10 343 Last night's results: At Bremerton 7-3, Salem 9-2 (second game) 10 innings. At Yakima 7, Tacoma 10, At Victoria 5, Wenatchee 2. At Vancouver 4, Spokane 2.

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Goodman Signs On with Canby. Marv Goodman, Little All-Wilamette in 1946, all-around athlete at the school and the past year freshman athletics boss here, has taken a job as head coach at Canby high school, in the Willamette Valley league, according to WU Athletic Director Jerry Lillie. Goodman will go to Canby next term.

Baseball's BIG SIX. Edwards, Dodgers 6-20 4-11 350 Boudreau, Indians 6-27 4-14 519 Niarhos, Yankees 6-26 1-16 500 Robinson, Indians 6-28 1-12 482 Gustin, Pirates 9-31 2-14 452 Westlake, Pirates 5-29 2-12 414 Home Runs: National league—Sauer, Reds; 3; Cooper, Giants; 4; Vaughan, Dodgers; 2; Gibson, Cubs; 2; Phillips, 3; American league—Ketner, Indians; 5; Vico, Tigers; 4; Williams, Red Sox; 3; Robinson, Indians, 2.

BELLS SLAPPED. PORTLAND, Ore., April 29 (AP)—The Pacific Coast Professional Basketball league today fined the Bellingham, Wash., team \$400 for failing to finish the season.

Molalla Wins WVL Go; Two New Records Made

CANBY, April 29 (Special)—Molalla high won the 1948 Willamette Valley league track and field meet here today by scoring 79 1/2 points. Silverton was second with 33 1/2, Woodburn third at 30 1/2, Estacada fourth at 24, Dallas fifth at 16, Canby sixth at 15 1/2, Mt. Angel seventh at 8 and Sandy last at 3. Two new records were set. Woodburn's Bob Hall unfurled a javelin toss of 185 feet, 10 1/2 inches to erase his own mark established last season. Silverton's Jack Sherman leaped 27 feet in the broad jump to ring up another new mark.

John Wells of Molalla led individual scoring, with wins in both hurdle races and a second in the broad jump. Klang of Silverton was a double winner in the shot and discus, as was Irv Zastopli of Woodburn in the sprints. Molalla copped five firsts, Woodburn and Silverton three each, Estacada two and Dallas one. Summary: HH: Wells (M), Borenkamp (M), Schiewe (M), Hall (W), Seaton (W), 16.0. 100: Zastopli (W), Speights (M), Lanyon (D), Owens (M), Lynch (SIL), 16.7. Mile: Haldor (D), Lamb (Est), Sawyer (M), Olson (M), Rose (Can), 4:27.5. 440: Hill (M), Miller (Est), Meyer (SIL), Christian (Can), Reisch (M), 3:47. LH: Wells (M), Schiewe, Blomekamp (M), Lanyon (D), Irwin (D), 24.2. 880: Collins (Est), Bennett (M), Thompson (D), Irwin (Can), Jensen (Can), 2:12. 220: Zastopli (W), Speights (M), Melvin (Est), Sherman (SIL), Wilcox (San), 23.4. Shot: Klang (SIL), Penner (MA), Judd (Can), Sherman (SIL), Jewell (W), 45' 6". Vault: Glace (M), Gibson (W), Lewis (SIL) and Ellis (M) tie and Hampton (Can) and Stewart (San) tie, 9' 6". Discus: Klang (SIL), Krueger (Can), Hamilton (M), Hall (W), Penner (MA), 112' 6". HJ: Carter (Est), Blomekamp (M) and Staudinger (M) tie, Gibson (W) and Sutton (San) tie, 20' 0". Javelin: Hall (W), Schneider (M),

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