

### Jubilant Cats Back to Work

Thoroughly jubilant after their 9-6 upset win over Portland U. Willamette U's Bearcats yesterday went to work again on the practice field to make ready for their second game of the season, here Friday night with the highly-rated Central Washington college Wildcats.

Coach Jerry Lillie's crew came through the Portland mix in fine shape, other than for usual bumps and bruises. Barring injury in this week's workouts, the WU's will again be at full strength for the Friday night. Willamette's punting department, an A-1 feature of the Portland game in the person of Quarterback Bobby Douglas, will be even stronger this week, as Johnny Slanichik has returned to school and grid action. He was one of the top punters on the coast last season.

The Wildcats present a rough task for the Methodists, as Coach "Shorty" Luft has 18 lettermen in his squad of 64 aspirants and has been picked as one of the stronger outfits in the classy Evergreen league.

### Oliver Takes Tacoma Event

TACOMA, Wash., Sept. 20 (AP)—The man mountain from Seattle, Ed (Porky) Oliver, jammed down an eagle three to win the Tacoma Open golf championship today on the first hole of a sudden death playoff against Cary Middlecoff of Memphis, Tenn. The two had tied at 69 in an 18-hole playoff round with three other golfers — unofficially the first time in history there has been a five-way tie in a major tournament.

### Graham Named Most Valuable

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 20 (AP)—Jack Graham, San Diego's man with the big stick, was named today the Pacific Coast league's most valuable player for 1948. He was the first choice of nine out of 20 sports writers in Coast league cities, President Clarence Rowland of the league announced. The award carries with it \$1,000 cash and the Charles H. Graham plaque.

## SPORTSLIGHTNER

We hope you took particular notice of the number of games won and lost by Spokane in its up-'n-at-'em battle to the WIL pennant wire. Actually, what Dolph Camilli did with the Spokane is amazing. They won 45 of their last 56 games, which is astounding .804 percent winning baseball. You'll not see anything like that in a stretch drive for a long, long time... From the looks of what Oregon State picked up from the prep football whirl—Sammy Baker, Carlos Houck, Pete Palmer, Bill Sheffo, Virgil Webb and Gene Morrow, to name a very few—one wonders just who the Oregon Ducks spared. Chances are some of the touchdown minded yearlings headed for Corvallis instead of Eugene when they figured Jim Aiken already is well fixed for talent and that they would have a tough time breaking in... More than a few eyebrows went up in these parts when it was learned that the parent Portlanders didn't recall either Al Spaeter or Mel Nunes, and that Eddie Barr, Cal McIver and Jim Wert, three of the four the Bevo did pull in, aren't to report until next spring. Only Dick Sinovic gets a chance to show his stuff with Jim Turner's PCL'er's the balance of this season. Nunes and Spaeter, incidentally, remain the property of the Senators... Shortstop Buddy Peterson, who played the season with last-place Beaumont of the Texas league, hit only .218 there. Upon coming back to native Portland he grinned, "The pitching is a bit rough in those Double-A leagues."

Biz Boss George Emigh is of a mind to move the Waters park fences nearer home plate next season, and if it will help him accomplish it we'll list the number of too-few homers hit in the orchard this season. There were 29 all told, in 81 ball games. Which is terrible. Of the 29, Salem players collected a scant 13. Those 13 were distributed thusly: Eddie Barr 4, Dick Sinovic 3, Bill Borge 2, John Johnson, Paul Halter, Jim Wert and Ralph Samhammer one each. Power is a prime requisite on any ball club, but danger if power can be accentuated in a Class B league when the athletes must play in a park the size of ours. So if Emigh is planning on pulling in those fences to give both the players and customers a better break, one great big hooray comes from this corner...

### Albina All Hepped Up

Joey Albina is so enthused over his Wednesday night date with Jack Snapp at the armory that he's up and paid Matchmaker Tex Salkeld a cool \$72 for 20 ringside seats. Joey either wants 20 of his buddies to band by and cheer him when Snapp lowers the boom, or he wants 'em up close to watch him upset the Klamath Falls comer. At any rate, he's shelled out for the choice seats, and knowing Joey as we do it was a move of confidence. He is really all primed to beat Snapp, something he swore he could do ever since the Ginger Boy began his rise to fistic prominence along the Coast. It should be an interesting bout at any rate... Incidentally, Salkeld already has rigged up a mix for Wednesday's winner. Bobby Volk and Bobby Ward are to collide in Portland next Thursday night, and the winner of the one gets the winner of our armory scrap Wednesday...

### The WIL All-Star Team

Our selection for the 1948 WIL all-star team, as sent in to Prexy Bob Abel some time ago, is as follows (disagreement strictly permissible): Outfielders—Dick Sinovic, Archie Wilson of Victoria and Bill Wilson of Wenatchee. Pitcher—Frank Nelson of Spokane. First base—Vic Buccola of Victoria. Second base—Al Spaeter. Third base—Mel Nunes. Shortstop—Leo Thomas of Spokane. Catcher—Jack Warren of Vancouver. And oddly enough (no put-up either), the selections are on an exact duplicate of those by Jack Wilson...

### Report on George Vico

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### Table of Coastal Tides

Tides at Taft, Oregon, for the month of Sept., 1948. (Compiled by the U.S. Coast & Geodetic Survey, Portland, Oregon.)

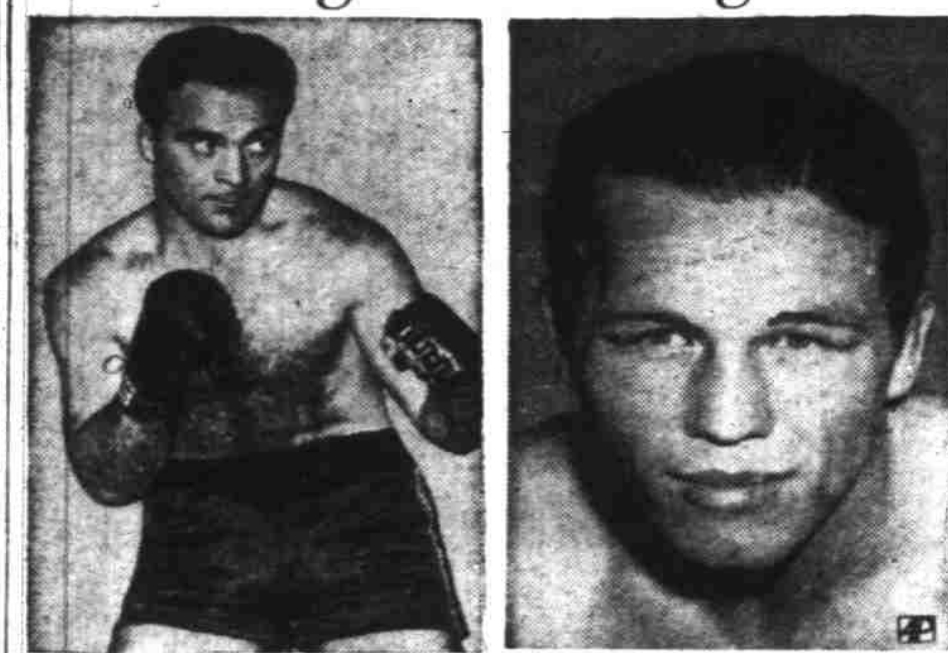
Sept.	HIGH WATER	LOW WATER
	Time	Time
21	8:50 a.m. 5.4	7:45 a.m. 1.1
22	1:33 p.m. 6.1	8:31 p.m. 0.6
23	2:47 a.m. 6.9	8:13 a.m. 2.1
24	2:18 p.m. 7.2	7:15 p.m. 3.4
25	3:40 a.m. 6.7	8:44 a.m. 2.6
26	2:31 p.m. 6.3	10:05 p.m. 0.2
27	4:29 a.m. 6.4	8:52 a.m. 2.2
28	3:23 p.m. 6.2	11:06 p.m. 0.3
29	5:31 a.m. 6.2	10:12 a.m. 3.3
30	7:15 p.m. 6.2	0:15 a.m. 0.3
1	8:43 p.m. 6.2	11:25 a.m. 3.5
2	9:29 a.m. 4.9	1:28 a.m. 0.1
3	8:25 p.m. 4.2	12:36 p.m. 3.4
4	9:24 a.m. 4.5	2:33 a.m. -0.1
5	8:13 p.m. 6.3	3:20 p.m. 3.9
6	10:07 a.m. 5.3	4:31 a.m. -0.3
7	9:23 p.m. 6.5	3:28 p.m. 2.4
8	10:47 a.m. 5.8	4:17 a.m. -0.3
9	10:28 p.m. 6.6	4:28 p.m. 1.7

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- Red Hunting Hats 98c
- Red Hunting Shirts \$2.29
- Red Ballplayers Cap \$1.25
- Hunting Knives \$1.98 (Cattaraugus - Marine Surplus)
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- 9x9 Umbrella Tent \$39.95
- 9x9 Pyramid Tent \$24.50

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### In Big Battle Tonight



Marcel Cerdan (left), European champ and Tony Zale (right), king of the middleweights, tangle tonight in New Jersey for the world championship. Experts predict a whale of a battle.

### Fistic Notables to Be Here

Joey Maxim, the high-ranking, dleweight boxing title bout, Cleveland heavy who battles Bill Peterson in Portland next week, and his manager Jack Kearns will be special guests at the armory Wednesday night for the Jack Snapp vs. Joey Albina state mid-

### Mat Bigs Set for Bell

Matchmaker Elton Owen's "top card of the year" commences tonight at the armory at 8:30 o'clock and features on top the Rene LaBell vs. Frank Stojack, Coast junior heavy title "natural". The rugged Stojack, who has long held the coveted belt, this time collides with an out-and-out sensational operator in LaBell, one who has yet to lose a single fall since coming into the local hostilities a month ago. LaBell has dumped Baldy Knox, Rufus Jones and The Phantom in that order to gain his title belt try. Former All-American footballer Stojack is getting a \$350 guarantee for putting up the belt.

The prelims are main eveners in themselves. In the opener Gray Joe Dorsett, earings and all returns to local warfare to meet the mustachioed Tiger Nenofo, top nasty. Dorsett himself is no dandy. The special toasts talented Billy Fox in with Rowdy Rufe Jones for what will be a lively Joe Dorsett scramble also. Owen or Jack Kiser will referee, and there will be no advance in admission prices.

### Local Links Aces Advance

The championship chase in the annual Salem Golf club tourney boosted more casualties over the weekend as contenders in the championship flight reeled off round No. 2.

Defending champion Jimmy Sheldon cleared one more obstacle in his quest for further laurels as he topped Pat Mikila, 2 and 1. Jack Russell, another seeded swinger, nosed out Ned Ingram, 1 up on the 20th but only after a last-ditch rally. Wiff Needham smashed the hopes of the veteran Glen Lengren with a 4-2 victory and Lawrence Alley surprised the dopsters somewhat by whipping Harold Olinger, 5-3. Other title flight results: Sab Osterstrom beat Jim Johnson, 3-2; and Leo Estey get over Bunny Mason, 2-1. The Harvey Quistad-Bud Waterman and Frank Shafer-Frank Albright matches have not yet been played.

First flight results: Baxter over Goodwin, 2-1; Painter over Putnam, 3-2; McBurnett over Harris, 1 up; Burrell over B. Scherer, 4-3; Mares-Fowell, unplayed; Michaels over Wise, 3-2; B. Johnson over Cline, default; Hug over Peck, 1 up.

Late list round results, other flights: Second—King over Potts, 1 up; Johnson over Phillips, 3-2; Fourth—Clark over McCallister, 3-2; Medford over Phillips, 6-4; Parker over Nash, default.

### Cardinals Set For 2nd Game

The Sacred Heart Academy Cardinals, their narrow 12-6 losing opener with Molalla under their belts, this week play the second game on their football schedule, at Dallas next Friday night. Coaches Father Linshen and Hank Excollin have 11 lettermen to work with, but most were not regulars last season. The squad as a unit is considerably light.

The SHA vets are Clement Wiemals, Tony Davey, Jim Lancaster, Ron Tanzer and Bill Nelson, backs, and Jack Godlove, Jim Colleran, Ray Dvorak, Bob Sundborg, Doug Dougherty and Clark, Ecker, linemen.

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### Zale, Cerdan Slate Title Duel Tonight

\$300,000 Gate Predicted; Jacobs' Two-Feature Show Billed Wednesday

NEW YORK, Sept. 20 (AP)—The biggest fight week the East has seen since the Civil war draft riots opened today with two rival promoters issuing verbal broadsides every hour on the hour.

The tournament of champions, lusty newcomer to the promotional field, declared that fully \$300,000 worth of clients would witness its middleweight title fight tomorrow night at Jersey City between Tony Zale of Gary, Ind., and Marcel Cerdan, the French Moroccan. From Mike Jacobs' old firm, the 20th Century Sporting club, came a counter-blast to the effect that its Thursday night punch fiesta at Yankee stadium, starting two pugilistic champions, would make boxing history.

The T. of C. announced breathlessly, that Zale was confident of knocking gold-toothed Marcel kicking within seven rounds.

A voice from the 20th Century pointed out that Ike Williams, the lightweight champion, will become the first 135-pound king ever to defend his crown three straight times within four months when he faces Jesse Flores of Stockton, Calif., on Thursday night. Also, the voice insisted that Welterweight Champion Sugar Ray Robinson, who tackles Kid Gavilan of the stadium twin bill—a non-title go, incidentally—could murder both Zale and Cerdan on the same night.

### Phoenix Wins Softball Title

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 20 (AP)—The defending champion P. B. S. W. Ramblers of Phoenix, Ariz., again coming through with a big inning, defeated Portland's Lind-Emeroy 3 to 0 to win their third women's title of the Amateur Softball association.

The Ramblers, who previously won in 1941 and last year, scored all their runs in the fifth inning when they collected three hits off Portland's Betty Evans and she contributed an error of her own.

In first-round men's action Marion, Ind., beat Beth Page, N. Y., 1-0 in 13 innings. Brea, Calif., topped Bismarck, N. D., 5-1, and Stockton, Calif., ousted the Vancouver, B. C., entry 5-3, Houston, Tex., became the first team to hit the second round via a 4-0 win over Seattle.

PORTLAND HELD (Sept. 20 (AP)—A man held here in connection with a \$15,000 Seattle robbery was identified by Lt. C. E. Sanders today as the former welterweight boxer, Jimmy Garrison.

Commercial League No. 1: Star Fruit Products (3)—Byers 323, Carlson 522, Lengren 510, Powell 500, Allen 548, Master Bread (0)—Mattson 448, Priem 401, Newcomb 467, M. Powell 492, Farmer 515, City Electric (1)—Valdez 462, Price 548, B. Valdez 482, Brunson 487, Br. Valdez 487, Lodge—Crawford 514, Zeller 492, Korb 512, Nuber 507, Peterson 514.

Walton Brown Electric (1)—Gallagher 515, Silke 526, Singer 480, Riffery 435, Riches 567, Lutz Florists (2)—Up-203, Pater 384, Price 457, Lutz 619, Kitzmiller 520.

Acme Auto Wreckers (3)—Merrill 584, Albinch 531, Dulitz 472, Nagley 520, Court Street Radio (0)—Cady 528, Braden, 505, Witsey 431, DuBury 494, Bolton 444.

Cal-Pak Cannery (0)—Schneiderger 528, Sloan 481, Strum 432, Friesen 510, Marion Creamery (3)—Parker 550, McMullen 474, Pekar 493, Davenport 533, Gustafson 554.

Good Housekeeping (0)—Simmons 453, Duncan 556, Cherrington 438, Zoner 487, Mirick 530, Goldie's of Silverton (3)—Spenar 564, Howell 460, G. Herr 464, Herr 453, Benton 567.

High series of 619 by Don Lutz of Marion Creamery and the same of 247 also by Lutz. Acme Auto Wreckers team rolled total of 3123 pins.

GREYS LOSE ONE The Penitentiary Greys finally lost a ball game Sunday at the prison, their fifth of the season as against 18 wins, a 5-3 tilt to the tough Ames-Willamette club of Portland. Both teams had 12 hits and played errorless ball.

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- ★ Wool Shirts \$8.95
- ★ Cream Cords \$4.95

### Red Sox, Indians, Yankees Nab Wins

Bosox Hold to Half-Game Lead; DiMag Hits 39th; Brooklyn Gains

The three front-runners in the American league race kept pace with one another Monday as the Red Sox became more frenzied in the last stages. The top-place Boston Red Sox clung grimly to their half-game one-game margin with a 7-2 win over the Detroit Tigers as Lefty Mickey Harris held the Bengals to four hits. Hard on the Bosox' heels were the fast-coming Cleveland Indians who grabbed their sixth straight with a 6-3 decision over the Philadelphia Athletics. The result left the Tribe in second-place, one-half game above the New York Yankees who edged the St. Louis Browns, 8-7, with the aid of Joe DiMaggio's 39th homer and single which knocked in three runs.

In the National league the Brooklyn Dodgers broke their runner-up tie with the idle St. Louis Cardinals and moved within 3 1/2 games of the also-idle first place Boston Braves by downing the Chicago Cubs, 4-2. Preacher Roe set the Cubs down with eight blows. Del Ennis powdered his 29th and 30th homers to lead the Philadelphia Phils to 5-2 and 7-4 wins over the sliding Pittsburgh Pirates.

The main event will of course be the middleweight biggie between Jack (Ginger) Snapp and Joey Albina. Jimmy Gooding of Portland and Jerry Strutz of Fort Lewis, featherweights, clash in the six-round special. The other two four-rounders, one of which will open the show, find welterweights Pat Bruno of Portland and Don Roberts of Hood River in together, and featherweights Bob Calloway, Portland, and Joey Edmonds, Fort Lewis, also tied up.

The advance sale of tickets opened yesterday at Maple's, and the first day of business indicated a capacity crowd for the Wednesday party, easily one of the top productions offered in Salem by Salkeld in recent years.

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### Brown-Robinson Scrap Fills Card for Armory

Chuck (Kid) Brown, classed as one of the better lightweights in the northwest, and Cal Robinson, a hard-hitting negro operator who has had some dandy fights in Portland, will collide in one of the four-rounders on Wednesday night's boxing show at the armory, Matchmaker Tex Salkeld announced Monday. The addition of the Brown-Robinson scrap completes the booking for Salem's first fistic card of the new season.

### The Standings

COAST LEAGUE

W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.		
Oak	108	73	597	Port	87	93	483
San F	107	73	294	San D	81	100	448
N Y	98	84	533	Holly	79	103	423
Seattle	91	90	303	Sacry	74	108	407

Sunday results: At Portland 4-9, San Francisco 14-12; At Seattle 2-5, Los Angeles 1-4, At Oakland 9-2, San Diego 8-7; At Holywood 6-3, Sacramento 1-1. Last night's results: Oakland 8, Sacramento 1. Games this week: Portland at Los Angeles, Seattle at San Francisco, Holywood at San Diego, Sacramento at Oakland.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.		
Boston	90	54	625	Detroit	71	71	500
Cleve	90	55	621	St. L.	56	86	394
N Y	89	55	618	Wash.	51	95	349
Phila	78	64	549	Cinca	58	82	414
Pitts	75	67	528	Chi	57	84	404

Monday's results: At St. Louis 7, New York 8; at Detroit 2, Boston 7; at Cleveland 4, Philadelphia 3; 2 only games played.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.		
Boston	84	58	592	N Y	74	68	521
Brook	79	64	552	Phila	63	81	438
St. L	78	64	549	Cinca	58	82	414
Pitts	75	67	528	Chi	57	84	404

Monday's results: At Brooklyn 4, Chicago 2; at Philadelphia 3-7, Pittsburgh 2-4; only games played.

### Vikings Work For Pel Tilt

Salem high's Vik footballers, determined to make a better showing than they did against the Seals at the top of the Pacific coast last Friday, began preparations Monday for game No. 2 of the campaign against Klamath Falls on the Pelican field Friday night. Coach Loren Mori reported that his lads came out of the tough Vancouver fray free of injuries, other than for a few bruises.

Mori is concentrating on polishing his clubs' offense, which never got going against the heavier and more experienced Vancouver eleven. The Salem coach is also making efforts to bolster the center of the forward wall.

Bright note in the locals' initial tilt was the occasional flashes of speed displayed by Halfbacks Jim Jensen and Dale Olson, but the Viks' passing game was not effective. Mori is counting on more aerial activity against the Pelicans, with Quarterback Buzz Covalt and Gene Garver doing the tossing.

The Vik skipper is pessimistic about his crew's chances with K-Falls, for the Pels have another high-geared outfit. But Mori feels that every game his green charges play will have taught them that many more lessons.

Another prospect for the Salem backfield is late-comer Leonard Milligan who looked good at a halfback post Monday.

### Oakland Club Back on Top

OAKLAND, Sept. 20 (AP)—Oakland's Aacorn gained a half-game edge over the idle San Francisco Seals at the top of the Pacific Coast league standings here tonight by whipping Sacramento, 6-1.