

SPORTSLIGHTNER

To most folks hereabouts, the name James Mosolf, new manager of the Salem Sears-Roebuck emporium, is assigned to some guy brought in to take over the S-R store in place of Gene Vandenberg. And they leave it lay right there. But to a few who are up on their sports, the name has a familiar ring. The same Jim Mosolf from 1929 through 1932 was an outfielder, and a good one, with the Pittsburgh Pirates. In 1933 he was with the Chicago Cubs. And later on Dallas of the Texas League sold the same Jim Mosolf to Portland, but he wouldn't report and instead went into business in 1937. That busi-

Valley Gridders Open with Jamboree

The Willamette Valley football league opens Tuesday night at Estacada in the annual jamboree, in which all eight loop members will take part. The game will be the North against the South. On the North side will be teams from Estacada, Sandy, Canby and Molalla. The South will be made up of Woodburn, Silverton, Mt. Angel and Dallas. Northern teams will oppose the southerners in each of the abbreviated games, and the total score com-

puted by both sides will determine the winner. All teams have been in pre-season action. Canby has played Toledo and Redmond, Woodburn has played Willamina, Dallas has played Sacred Heart of Salem. Estacada has played White Salmon, Wash., Silverton has played Beaverton and The Dalles. Mt. Angel has played Central Catholic and Tillamook. Molalla has played Sacred Heart and Stayton, and Sandy has played Hood River.

Regular league play doesn't begin until Friday, when all eight teams clash in four games. Those games find Charles Sherman's Woodburn at Mt. Angel to play Vince Barrett's Preps, Mary Goodman's Canby Cougars at Estacada, Muri Anderson's Silverton Silver Foxes at Molalla to play Ray Reiff's defending champion Indians and Bobby Daggett's Dallas Dragons at Sandy. Strong teams in the league loom at Mt. Angel and Silverton.

Mat Title Up Again

Rousing Rene LaBell gets another whirl at Coast junior heavy champ Frank Stojack and his coveted belt tonight in the top feature of Matchmaker Elton Owen's weekly mat party, and this time the sensational Frenchie won't be stymied by a grappling rule if he happens to spill the former WSC grid All-American again. The local commission has ordered the rematch after last week's wild but brilliant brawl, in which LaBell won the only fall in a hour but still didn't get the belt.

Coasters Set For Playoffs

The top four finishers in the regular coast league pennant races, which ended Sunday, will Wednesday open the post-season Governors' Cup playoffs. Pennant-winning Oakland plays third place Los Angeles and second-place San Francisco plays fourth-place Seattle. The winners then meet for the title and a \$15,000 pot of gold. Oakland grabbed off \$15,000 for winning the flag Sunday. In Sunday's finals the Oaks beat Sacramento twice and San Francisco took two from Seattle. Portland and Los Angeles split the Beavers taking the second game on Hal Staltrman's first PCL burling win and some timely hitting by Shortstop Bud Peterson. Hollywood ended up by downing San Diego twice.



JIM MOSOLF

ness has brought Jim to Salem as another of its many new residents.

This isn't meant to be a history on our new native. But there is a snappy yarn in which the gent is involved, as told by Jack Wilson. At the end of the major league seasons, a group of the big show stars, including Mosolf, Wilson and Boston Red Sox outfielder-sluggo Roy Johnson, were barnstorming across the country. They booked a game in Tacoma and, as he had begged and pleaded with all hands, the pitcher Johnson was to pitch against Mosolf and the National leaguers. Now it has always been the ambition of every infielder or outfielder to one day take the mound. They just know they are pitching diamonds in the couch, so to speak. So that day in Tacoma was Johnson's, as a hurler.

Roy made 12 pitches to start with and had the bases loaded. He had walked the first three batters without once getting over a strike. Up came Mosolf. He bopped Johnson's first serve for a grand-slam home run. Upon which Johnson was shorn of both his toe plate and desire to climb the little hill in the middle of the diamond.

Bing a Sports Editor

Shorties: If bucks are bagged by as many local hunters as are going out opening day next Friday, there won't be any season next year. There won't be any bucks. . . . Better take along your long-les, boys, as that white stuff we saw going to, during and coming from Klamath Falls over the weekend wasn't Super Suds. The guy does everything dept: During his brief stay in Vancouver recently, Bing Crosby was sports editor for a day on the Vancouver Sun. He wrote a column, two short stories, and the page and a took over in general. And as would be expected, the total effort was A-1—particularly his cracks concerning his own Pittsburgh Pirates and Bob Hope's Cleveland Indians. . . . From the looks of their roster the OSC Roosters spared the cream of the 1947 prep players around the state. But not all of it, after peeping at a similar roster coming in from Eugene. The Duck yearlings, under Bill Bowerman this year, will have such prominent as End Chuck Bufaro of Portland's Commerce High, Fullback Chuck Missfeldt of Milwaukie, Scabbat Tommy Edwards of Klamath Falls, Halfback Emile Holeman of Pendleton and, even more interesting, Tackle Bob Craig of Salem and Halfback Bob Funk of Salem Academy.

Marion-Polk Loop Convenes Tonight

A special meeting of the Marion-Polk athletic league members will be held tonight, eight o'clock, at Sacred Heart academy. The purpose of the pow-wow is to elect officers for the coming year and to draw up the league schedule. Schools to be represented are Sacred Heart, Salem Academy, Monmouth, Stayton and Independence. The league football schedule will open on Friday, October 15.

Bowling Scores

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE NO. I CITY ELITE (1)—P. Valdez 505, Henderson 505, Price 509, Brennan 618, W. Valdez 518, CAL PAK (6)—Lance 538, Heinke 387, Sloan 443, Frank Miller 458, Scheldiger 437. LUTZ FLOREST (2)—Upston 454, Parker 508, Price 564, Irons 502, Kitzmiller 811. ACME AUTO WRECKERS (1)—Frisen 506, Albrich 497, Duffus 497, Nisley 467, Nisley 492. COURT ST. RADIO (1)—Cady 510, Braden 482, Witney 442, McCune 528, 528, WINTERHEAD (2)—Gardner 558, Newcomb 485, Prein 534, Mattson 415, Farmer 470, Prein 534. GOOD HOUSEKEEPING (2)—Simons 517, Duncan 528, Cherrington 490, Jones 587, Mirich 457, MARION CREAMERY (2)—Kenyon 582, Parker 484, Pekar 528, Davenport 508, Gustafson 454. COLDIE'S OF SILVERTON (1)—Howell 514, Towe 492, Spencer 495, Herr 497, WATSON BROWN (1)—Gallagher 546, Silke 570, Singer 448, Holderbein 535, Riches 494. STAR FRUIT (2)—Byers 505, Seales 530, Langren 399, Powell 415, Allen 422, EAGLES (1)—Peterson 530, Conkitt 422, Zeller 423, Herb 472, Nuber 509. High series by Tom Brennan, 618, and high game also by Tom Brennan, 346. COMMERCIAL LEAGUE NO. II HIGHLAND MARKET (0)—Lindsay 464, Graham 457, Causey 377, B. Cline 568, Johnson 515, LIVINGSTON OIL CO. (3)—Vlack 451, Howell 423, HEISERMAN 368, Rogers 417, Cushing 445. WOODBURN TAVERN (1)—Reeves 445, Keenel 480, Noble 398, McMullen 423, Beal 561. MONTGOMERY WARD & CO. (0)—Irons 518, Wilkerson 455, Ringland 359, Bell 474, Phipps 417. BURKLAND LUMBER CO. (1)—Bates 451, Webb 297, Rankley 504, Johnson 335, Burkland 442. BARBS SPORTING GOODS (2)—Simons 584, Jones 569, Ringland 455, Irons 518, Wilkerson 455. DICK MEYER LUMBER CO. (3)—Brown 445, Barber 488, Shipman 531, Ringland 455, Johnson 455. LA ROCHE'S TAVERN (0)—Curtis 413, Welch 422, Straw 409, LaRoche 430, Barr 410. ENGLAND (1)—Pett 519, Clark 543, Brangland 437, DeLaney 519, Clark 543, Brangland 536, Bradere 562. HARTWELL ELECTRIC (2)—Fugle 482, Zeile 558, Cherrington 494, Schyoonoch 422, White 549. WOODBURN (2)—Shorey 462, Austin 384, Dessen 538, Hicks 478, Steele 474. ORVAL'S USED CARS (1)—Crawford 505, McClary 437, Gable 531, Ross 488, Boyce 488. High single game—527, by Braden, Ringland's Pet Shop. High series—582, by Barbs, Simons & Braden. High team score—2578, by Barbs Sporting Goods.

One must stomp a champion twice within the ring before he takes over his belt. So tonight there will be no time limit and the match will be a 2-of-3 faller.

The first prefall, opening the show at 8:30 o'clock, puts Baldy Knox and his rough-tough stuff with Canadian Herb Parks, the punishing and perpetual motionism operator who hasn't been in the local ring in months. The No. 2 tilt sends popular little Tex Hager against the colorful Gypsy Joe. Both appetizers lean to the exceptional side. Because of an injury to Elton Owen, the refereeing will be done by Mike Casey.

Champ Ousted as SGC Meet Moves to Semis

Lanky Jimmy Sheldon, plagued by some ill-luck, Sunday saw his hopes of snaring the Salem Golf club championship for the second straight year smashed as he dropped a thrilling duel to Frank Shater by a one-up count on the 19th hole.

Lillie Opens Week's Drills

Back to work, and lots of it, was ordered by Coach Jerry Lillie of Willamette's Bearcats Monday. The Cats next play Eastern Oregon's Mountaineers here Friday night. Considerable tackling practice will occupy much of the week's drills, as the Bearcat stop-'em stuff wasn't up to snuff last Friday night in the 13-7 loss to Central Washington. Also, Lillie intends spending much time in tutoring the Bearcat ends, as they appeared to be the weakest parts of the Willamette defense against the Centrals.

The Cats came through the tilt, their first loss, in good physical shape. Guard Herb Johnson was banged up considerably in the tilt, but is expected to be ready for more action against Bob Quinn's Easterners Friday.

Belmont Sets Ladies Event

NEW YORK, Sept. 27—(AP)—Conniver, the Maryland bargain filly with the misleading name, goes after her ninth victory in 14 starts this season tomorrow in the \$59,700 ladies handicap at Belmont park. Just about the hottest handicap performer in training, the four-year-old daughter of discovery heads a field of 11 prominent fillies and mares in the mile and one-half gallop.

Net Event Billed

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 27—(AP)—National Amateur Champion Richard "Pancho" Gonzales of Los Angeles and Glendale's Davis cup star Ted Schroeder head the men's single entries in the first annual United States hardcourt tennis championships, which will be played here October 2-10.

The halo around the sun, a ring colored like a rainbow, is caused by tiny ice crystals that bend light rays.

Viks Prepare For Bulldogs

Salem high's Vikings returned to practice work Monday at Olinger, a much smarter and more determined lot after absorbing their second straight loss of the campaign at Klamath Falls last week. The Viks next play the potent Albany Bulldogs at Albany Friday night, and will be heavily favored to take their third straight beating.

Coaches Loren Mort and Hank Joan were considerably pleased Monday, however, even though their young and inexperienced charges were dented, 26-0, at K-Falls. The Safems looked 100 per cent better in that game, compared to their opener with Vancouver, and for the first-half played the Pelicans on even terms. "It will take time," chimed the mentors, "but we're coming."

Orange Slate Hawaii Jaunt

CORVALLIS, Ore., Sept. 27—(AP)—Oregon State college Athletic Director Roy S. Keene said today arrangements have been completed for OSC to play the University of Hawaii in the Pineapple bowl in Honolulu on New Year's day. He said the OSC team will fly to the islands for the holidays.

Silvera Gets Yankee Call

NEW YORK, Sept. 27—(AP)—The New York Yankees announced Monday that they will call up Charley Silvera, regular catcher for the Portland Beavers this season, as a replacement for Gos Niarhos, the Yanks No. 1 receiver, who suffered a fractured hand Sunday.

Padres Sell Wells

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Sept. 27—(AP)—San Diego's Pacific Coast league baseball club today announced the outright sale of Shortstop Leo Wells to Dallas of the Texas league.

O. E. Walsh Planning Mill City Dam Talk

MILL CITY—Col. O. E. Walsh, district army engineer and in charge of Willamette valley project, including the Detroit dam, will come to here sometime in October or November as guest of Mill City Chamber of Commerce to explain the problems connected with the project as they would affect the local community.

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ATTENTION BUCK HUNTERS

SEE that real set of horns with 59 points at 4 Corners Barber Shop, just east of Salem on State Street—and don't forget to join the Buck Derby!

Yipee, Billy! She's Ours!



BOSTON—A joyous, victory-mad gang of Boston Braves swirl around Manager Billy Southworth in the Braves' dressing room after the club Sunday clinched the National league pennant with a decision over the New York Giants. Pitcher Red Barrett (left) and infielder Sibi Sisti hold Southworth on their shoulders. The flag is the first for the Braves in 34 years. (AP Wirephoto to The Statesman).

Portland Lures Links Stars

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 27—(AP)—A handful of the top golf hands due to tee off Thursday in the four day 72-hole grand for \$15,000 at stake in the fourth Portland open got in practice shots today. The field, eventually expected to total about 100, was moving south from the Canadian open and the earlier Tacoma open tournaments. Benny Hogan, who has won here so often that the Portland club course has been dubbed "Hogan's Alley," warmed up along with defending tiltist Chuck Congdon, Lloyd Mangrum, George Snelmer and Heran Keiser. Congdon, the Tacoma pro, is fresh from taking the Canadian open at Vancouver, B. C., Saturday. He won here last year with an 18 under par 270.

Hot Memphis Softball Hurler Extends Streak

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 27—(AP)—The sensational Buck Miller pitched his second shutout tonight to defeat Briggs Beautyware of Detroit, 2 to 0, and pull Standout Parts of Memphis even with the Michigan team in the playoff for the amateur Softball association championship. It was Miller's fifth consecutive shutout.

Bevo Fullback On Sidelines

CORVALLIS, Ore., Sept. 27—(AP)—A Physician's report of an ankle injury suffered by Oregon State's Fullback Andy Knudsen jolted the Beavers' coaching staff today. Dr. Waldo Ball, team physician, said Knudsen had a bone chipped during the Friday night game against Southern Cal and would be out of action at least a month. Loss of the husky junior from Eureka, Calif., will be noticeable in the coming weekend game against Washington. Coach Lon Stiner sent the Beavers through a rugged workout after pointing out that the errors that brought the OSC defeat at Los Angeles could be corrected.

Plane Crash Kills Lynam

The body of Joe Lynam, popular wrestler who has appeared in Salem many times, was found Sunday in the wreckage of his airplane in eastern Oregon. Lynam was flying from Boise, Idaho to his home in Redmond, Ore., and is believed to have encountered fog. He was reportedly alone in the plane when it crashed into a mountain. Lynam was to have appeared in Eugene Saturday night.

Deer Hunters Start Invasion

BEND, Sept. 27—(AP)—Hunters began arriving in central Oregon today for the opening of the deer season Friday. Clearing weather followed a storm that deposited two feet of snow on the higher mountains. The snow pleased hunters, for it was expected to drive deer into the valleys.

Jeff, Teddies Display Power

PORTLAND, Sept. 27—(AP)—Jefferson and Roosevelt high school football teams turned on the heat today to display the stuff that makes potential city champions as the finish of games started in the annual jamboree.

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The Standings

Table with columns for League, Team, W, L, Pct., Games To Play. Includes Coast League and National League standings.

Maxim Battles 'Pete' Tonight

PORTLAND, Sept. 27—(AP)—Big Bill Petersen is going into the ring for a 10-round mitch with Heavyweight Joey Maxim of Cleveland here tomorrow night as a Portland home-towner.

UO Prepares For Michigan

EUGENE, Ore., Sept. 27—(AP)—University of Oregon Ducks whipped through a short signal drill with zip today and Coach Jim Aiken promised full scrimmage sessions tomorrow and Wednesday.

Table of Coastal Tides

Table with columns for Date, High Water, Low Water, Time, HL. Includes notes on tide data source.

Orengo Given Gate by Sacs

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 27—(AP)—The new owners of the Sacramento Solons today released Joe Orengo as manager of the team. The decision to let Orengo go was agreed on at a meeting of majority owners Victor Devincenzi, Ed Sparks, George Klumpff and Harry Devine. No successor was immediately named.

Phils Sign Indian

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 27—(AP)—The Philadelphia Phillies of the National league today announced the signing of a full-blooded Winnebago Indian. He is Lawrence (Sunshine) Thundercloud, six-foot, 185-pound right hand pitcher who has been hurling in lumber camps.

Woolen Mill SPECIALS advertisement featuring men's suits, shirts, and slacks with prices like \$45.00, \$29.50, \$4.95, \$10.95, \$12.95, \$8.95. Includes store hours and location info.



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