

Bearcats Open 2nd Week Work

Time Running Fast Toward Inaugural

With time running fast toward their opener at Moscow with Idaho September 17, Willamette university's 80-man football squad will return to practice this morning at 9 a.m., thus opening the second week of drills. Only one-a-day sessions are planned by Coach Chester Stackhouse this week, as the gridgers will be employed afterwards and nights at the State Fair.

The morning sessions are expected to be on the heavy side, however, as the business-like Stackhouse intends having all hands in tip-top shape for the expected rugged opener with the Vandals. Stackhouse has offered no semblance of a "first" team this far, and probably won't until sometime next week, after he has had a long look at his aspirants in action. Such letters as Bill Kukihiko, John Sianchik, Keith Clabaugh, Art Beddoe, Al Minn, A. Blacic, Burnell Ambrose, Bob Hall, Roy Harrington, Chuck Bove, Bill Ewalliko and Chuck Patterson are virtually cinches to be regulars again, however.

Vikings Start More Workouts

With hustle and determination a dominating feature of their first week of work, Salem high's Vikings return to Leslie field tonight to open the second week of practice labors under the direction of Coach Loren Mort and Assistant Hank Juran.

Salem has only a scant few days in which to trim up for the opening game of the season Friday, September 16, at Vancouver, Wash.

At least two scrimmage sessions are on the books for this week. The Salmons scrimmaged for the first time Saturday night, and reports from Mort afterward were on the cheerful side.

Mort has not yet selected what he considers a first eleven. He probably will not decide on a starting unit until sometime next week. A number of aspirants, all with a chance in Mort's opinion, are battling for each position.

Meanwhile, new Coach Ken Brophy, at St. Paul last season, has taken over a 40-man Jayvee squad, lopped off the entire turnout of over 80 last week.

Ready to Do More Scooting



Roy Harrington was one of the top scorers in the Northwest conference last season for Willamette U's Bearcats, but suffered a broken leg at the end of the season. He's back again this fall under Coach Chester Stackhouse and is tuning up to have another big year on the grid turf. The Cats commence their second week of practice today.

Salem Boots Opener Of Twin Bill 6 to 5

YAKIMA, Sept. 4—(Special)—Bob Hedington's error at third base in the seventh inning gave Yakima the winning run of a 6-5 Western International league ball game here tonight.

Gene Peterson, who came on to relieve Jim Olsen, was credited with the loss, his 15th of the season built up six wins. Yakima built up a 5-0 lead in the third inning of the seven-inning doubleheader opener off Olsen. The Senators scored one.

TO TACKLE RECORD BONNEVILLE SALT FLATS, Utah, Sept. 4—(P)—Noel Pope, British cyclist, plans to assault the world's motorcycle speed records Wednesday on this western Utah racing course.

OAKLAND LEGION WINS OMAHA, Sept. 4—(P)—Oakland, Calif., edged Cincinnati 6-5 tonight in the American Legion Junior Baseball Little World series.

of the Oregon Webfoot in the pending season is quite a personal tribute to Norm Van Brocklin, who, incidentally has a corking good chance of being the Los Angeles Rams' first-string quarter back in the upcoming season. Fact is the attitude of some of the California scribes toward the



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Yank Edge Clipped; Cards Gain

Fair's Lone Oak Hoss Meeting Opens Today

Labor Day Cap No. 1 Feature

High Fog, Pass Count Loom as Favorites

They'll be off and running today at Lone Oak track, starting at 1 p.m., as the 1949 Oregon State Fair's six-day horse racing meet gets underway. A full card of 10 running races, highlighted by the \$1000 Labor Day Handicap, will greet the expected 10,000 fans.

At least eight horses will go postward in all 10 races, according to racing officials, and quinnella betting will be allowed on all races also. The track is in tip-top condition after days of preparation, and the betting machine beneath the stands has been enlarged this season to accommodate more swiftly those who will be risking theiroubles.

Officials also estimate that the handle for this year's card, barring bad weather, will top last year's \$366,124, which stands as an all-time record.

Railbirds already have selected their two favorites for the handicap. High Fog, owned by Mrs. Carl Steen and a winner this year at both Portland Meadows and Longacres, will draw his full share of support. So will Pass Count, owned by H. Conley. The Count last year won all three big handicaps here.

Others entered in today's 'Cap are Adam W., Sejanus, Guerrilla War, Dean Dee and Royal Parade. The race will be at one mile and one-sixteenth.

There will be no harness racing during the fair this year. A few quarter horse races will be added to the daily programs starting Tuesday.

Following the six-day hoss meet the midget auto racers will take over the oval next Sunday afternoon for a closing speed program. Much anticipation resides in the roaring runts also, inasmuch as they will be operating on a half-mile dirt track for the first time in Northwest history.

Victoria Swats Tacoma Twice

TACOMA, Sept. 4—(P)—Victoria's Athletics swept a doubleheader from Tacoma here today, 9-4 and 2-1, to eliminate the Tigers as contenders for fifth place in the final Western International baseball league standings.

After bowing to the Tacoma club in three out of four contests in Victoria, the Athletics were but a game and a half in front of the Tigers, but today's double triumph increased the edge to three and a half games with only the Labor Day double-headers remaining—Vancouver at Tacoma and Bremerton at Victoria.

"Bob Johnson Day" ceremonies in honor of the Tacoma manager attracted a gathering of some 2,000 fans, and the Tiger pilot received several hundred dollars worth of gifts.

At Bremerton, Vancouver kept the Blue Jackets in the WIL cellar with a 5-3 victory in a doubleheader opener. Anderson came on in the sixth to protect a five run Capilano lead.

Vancouver 005 000 6-5 8 1
Bremerton 000 000 0-3 8 1
Victoria 003 600 00-9 15 0
Tacoma 010 020 061-4 10 1
Ward and Day; Fortier and Gardner.

Vancouver 000 000 000-0 6 0
Bremerton 001 100 01-3 13 0
Castello and Sheely; Marshall and Neal.
Cotton record for Marshall, 22-14.

Harrington Joins Quarter Finalists

MEDFORD, Sept. 4—(P)—Medalist George Harrington, Medford, was still in the running Sunday as 13 players completed the men's quarter finals of the southern Oregon golf tournament.

Harrington defeated Dr. Ralph Odell, Medford, 3 and 1. Other quarter-final victors were Karl Bennett, Grants Pass; Ed Simmons, Medford; Pete Watts, Medford.

Men's matches and the women's medal play will be completed tomorrow.

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Fishin' Derby In Last Day

Today is the last one for the kids' trout fishing derby sponsored by The Statesman. Open to all kids, boys and girls alike from 12 years old on down, the derby closes at 7 o'clock tonight. Contestants must have checked in their trout not later than that hour. Also, the trout must have been caught in Mill creek only, which is open only to junior fishermen this season for the first time.

To the boy or girl bringing in the longest trout by deadline time will go a rod and reel worth \$20. Only one prize will be given and it is reminded that it will go to the possessor of the longest trout, not the heaviest. A number of fish have been checked in so far, but none have been very long.

Eugene Softies Game Victors

BOISE, Sept. 4—(P)—Portland's Calico Cats, municipal runner-up, were knocked out of the Pacific Northwest Regional softball tournament by Skyroom Grill of Seattle, 5-3, tonight.

Rubenstein Furniture of Eugene, Ore., continued its winning ways with a 2-1 victory over Friberg Electric of Portland.

The Idaho Girl's State champions, Western Bearings of Boise, were eliminated in today's rugged round. They bowed to Jantzen Mills of Portland.

Both Olson for Jantzen Mills of Portland and Anderson for Western Bearings hurled four-hit ball, but a two-run Portland rally in the ninth dropped the Boise squad, 4-2. The game went into extra innings after one Boise run in the sixth tied the count at 2-2.

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Place Horse Breaks Down

SEATTLE, Sept. 4—(P)—A second-place winner broke down today at the second disqualification of the meeting was posted as Longacres racetrack completed its next-to-last program.

Reminder of the featured Washington futurity, paying \$4, \$2.30 and \$2.90, Tuff Soos, after taking second to pay \$2.50 and \$2.70, broke down in the left front leg and was carried from the track. Whang Bang was third in the two-year-old event, paying \$2.90.

Rollaway finished first in the eighth but interfered with two other horses and was knocked back to third by the judges. Nisi Prius was awarded first place and Count Gino second.

The \$7,500 added Governor's handicap will feature tomorrow's getaway day program. Estimated attendance today was 5,960 and the 10-race mutuel handled totaled \$267,258.

Tides for Taft, Oregon, September, 1949 (compiled by U.S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, Portland, Oregon).

Sept.	HIGH WATER	LOW WATER
	Time	Time
9	12:02 p.m.	5:24 a.m.
10	11:23 p.m.	6:18 a.m.
11	12:29 p.m.	6:51 a.m.
12	11:50 p.m.	7:37 a.m.
1	12:29 p.m.	8:03 a.m.
2	11:23 a.m.	8:38 a.m.
3	11:13 a.m.	9:13 a.m.
4	10:55 a.m.	9:53 a.m.
5	10:30 a.m.	10:33 a.m.
6	10:00 a.m.	11:13 a.m.
7	9:26 a.m.	11:53 a.m.
8	8:53 a.m.	12:33 p.m.

Harris Rumored for Sox Job

CHICAGO, Sept. 4—(P)—A rumor that Bucky Harris would replace Jack Onslow as Chicago White Sox manager tonight was denied by Sox General Manager Frank Lane. Harris, former major league pilot, now is manager at San Diego.

Lane asserted that Onslow will finish the season at the Sox helm, but left a question mark over 1950.

"After the season is finished," Lane said, "Charles Comiskey (club vice-president) and I will make up our minds on next year's manager."

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'Big Two' Pound Out Wins

Gonzales, Schroeder Reach Tennis Finals

FOREST HILLS, N. Y., Sept. 4—(P)—The "big two" of American tennis, Pancho Gonzales of Los Angeles and Ted Schroeder of La Crescenta, Calif., pounded through to two memorable victories before 12,000 howling fans today and will clash, as scheduled, in what should prove a memorable final tomorrow for the national tennis title.

Gonzales, the big defending champion, was forced to fight his heart out in the first two sets before he gained the upper hand on gallant Frankie Parker, two-time former champion, and won out after nearly two hours of dazzling tennis, 3-6, 9-7, 6-3, 6-2.

Schroeder, Wimbledon king and No. 1 seeded star of the tournament, was for the second straight day carried to the bitter limit of five sets in overcomcom Billy Talbert of New York, 2-6, 6-4, 4-6, 6-4, 6-4.

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The Standings

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W. L. Pct.	W. L. Pct.
Yakima 96 49 667/3	Victoria 66 64 449
Vancouver 90 56 516/6	Bremerton 52 96 419
Spokane 77 50 524/2	Tacoma 62 87 416
Wenatchee 76 72 514	Bremerton 60 87 408
Sunday results: At Bremerton 3-2; at Spokane, Wenatchee (rain); at Tacoma 4-1, Victoria 9-2.	

COAST LEAGUE

W. L. Pct.	W. L. Pct.
Hollywood 92 72 564	Seattle 85 80 515
Oakland 90 75 545	San Fran 78 85 452
Sacramento 87 78 527	Portland 76 88 463
San Diego 85 80 515	Los Angeles 64 101 388
Sunday results: At Portland 3-1, San Francisco 4-6; at Seattle 11-6, Los Angeles 1-1; at Oakland 4-3, San Diego 3-1; at Hollywood 5-4, Sacramento 4-3.	

AMERICAN LEAGUE

W. L. Pct.	W. L. Pct.
New York 79 48 622	Philadelphia 67 63 515
Cleveland 74 54 585	St. Louis 68 64 508
Boston 72 64 524	Chicago 62 75 436
Washington 68 64 508	Sunday results: At Boston 4, Philadelphia 3; at Cleveland 5, St. Louis 6; at Washington 5, New York 2; at Philadelphia 5-8, Boston 6-7.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

W. L. Pct.	W. L. Pct.
St. Louis 81 62 622	New York 65 64 504
Brooklyn 79 51 608	Pittsburgh 57 71 445
Philadelphia 68 63 519	Cincinnati 51 77 386
Boston 67 64 511	Chicago 51 81 388
Sunday results: At Chicago 11, Pittsburgh 7; at New York 2, Brooklyn 5; at Philadelphia 6-11, Cincinnati 4-2; at Philadelphia 9-8, Boston 6-7.	

Labrador Wins Retriever Trial

PORTLAND, Sept. 4—(P)—A black Labrador retriever named Duke The Nattator owned by F. P. Stokes, Santa Rosa, Calif., won the open all-age stakes today at the Oregon retriever trials.

The owner handled the winner in the event. Second dog was Freehaven India, owned by S. B. Spellman, Seattle. Third was FTC Gilmore's Peggy, owned by Dr. L. M. Evans, Sauk Rapids, Minn. Bingo of Yelme II, owned by H. F. Bond, Sunnyside, Wash., was fourth.

In the amateur stakes, Joboddy's Gypsy, owned by J. W. Bryan Jr. of Bremerton, Wash., was the winner.

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Rookie Mike Garcia pitched the American league's third place Cleveland Indians to a four-hit 5-0 triumph over the St. Louis Browns. The victory pulled the defending world champs to within four and one half games of the Yanks.

The fourth place Detroit Tigers shaded the Chicago White Sox, 5-4, on Hoot Evers' two-run eighth inning homer. The Tigers trail the Yanks by six and one half games.

Stobbs worked hard to earn his 11th triumph. He allowed 10 hits and twice escaped without yielding a run after the A's had loaded the bases with only one out.

Harris, mainstay on Boston's 1946 champions, also had his work cut out for him in Washington. Harris was solved for 11 hits but the veteran Telfy stranded nine Yanks.

Garcia walked only one Brownie and fanned nine in gaining his 12th triumph for Cleveland. The Indians nicked Ned Garver and Dick Starr for only five hits but three St. Louis errors gave the Indians three runs in the third inning. Mickey Vernon ended the scoring with his 18th homer in the eighth.

Evers' homer off former Tiger Billy Pierce gave Detroit's Hal Newhouser his 15th victory. Gus Zernial homered for the White Sox in the fifth for Chicago's final run.

Max Lanier and Freddie Martin, the returned Mexican leaguers, pitched the Cards to their double triumph over the Reds. Marty Marion batted in four runs in the first game on a home run, double and single.

The Red Birds exploded for eight runs in the third inning of the nightcap, four arriving on Tommy Glaviano's grand slam homer off reliever Bud Lively.

Barney limited the Giants to six hits but couldn't let up until the eighth inning when the Dodgers scored three unearned runs to clinch the game. Carl Furillo's homer drove home the tainted tally.

Home runs featured the Phillies' triumphs over the Braves. Willie Jones socked a homer with two out and one on in the ninth inning to win the opener. Gran Hamner and Del Ennis previously had homered for the Pirates and Tommy Holmes for Boston.

Dick Siesler drove home three runs in the finale on a homer, double and single to highlight the Phillie drive. Marv Rickert, Connie Ryan and Bob Elliott socked four-baggers for the Braves.

The Cubs overcome the Pirates with an eight-run fourth inning uprising that featured a grand slam homer by Andy Pafko and one with two on by Rookie Wayne Terwilliger. Ralph Kiner barged two out of the lot for the Pirates to boost his major league pacesetting total to 42.

Egyptians Give Up On Channel Try

FOLKESTONE, Eng., Tuesday, Sept. 5—(P)—The second of two Egyptian swimmers who tried to conquer the English channel as a team gave up early today.

The British Press association said Fahmy Attallah, a slow powerful stroker, was hauled from the water at 3:50 a. m., a mile and a half offshore in St. Margaret's bay. His team-mate, Abdel Moniem Abdu, had given up earlier just two miles short of the goal after a 16-hour battle.

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