

SENATORS DIVY VICTORIA

Locals Snatch Nightcap, 7-5

Marshall Winner 6-1; Two More Tilts Tonight

By Al Lightner
Statesman Sports Editor

The town Senators and Victoria's Athletics finally got with it last night at Waters field for the first time this season, putting an end to four consecutive rain-out dates. But the best they could do was break even in the doubleheader. The A's broke the cross in the nine-inning opener, 6-1, and the Salems came back for the split on a 7-5 nod in the seven-inning nightcap.

The games were the only ones played in the circuit last night, rain having washed out all others. So Mr. Ad Laska's club is still eight games behind the leading Tacoma Tigers this morning, and half a rattle behind the second place Yakima Bears.

Another double bill with Boss Marty Krug's Canucks is booked for tonight at seven o'clock, ending the series. For the Salems it will be Johnny (Butch) Tierney, seeking his 10th victory of the campaign in one of the clashes, and Dick Waibel, after his fourth win, in the other. Victoria's pitchers will be Joe Mishasek, the ex-Hollywood Stars capable, and "Awful" Noyes, a newcomer to the WIL.

Free-wheeling Mr. Marshall, certainly no stranger to the Waters premises with his snappy slider pitches and huge wad of chawin' terbacca stuffed in one cheek, had no trouble at all subduing the Salems in last night's opener. He gave only three hits and the lone run off his slants was unearned. Thankfully the league isn't full of Marshalls, or Salems would hardly ever win a game. Big Jaw has licked Senator teams so regularly in past years in the loop it's become a foregone conclusion that he'll win when his name is mentioned. He'd cop 30 games a year if he could face Salems nines alone.

Bill Osborn happened to be Marshall's victim this time, and fortunately enough "Oz" wasn't having one of his better nights. Had he been on the saying goes, chances are he'd have lost a heart-breaking toughie. As it was he gave up 14 hits, three by Marshall himself.

A four-run third inning, during which the A's biffed five hits, was Osborn's worst stanza.

Bob Cherry belted home Salems' only tally in the seventh with a fly-out to left after Orrin Snyder had gained life on an error and advanced to third on Mel Wasley's solid single to right.

Osborn's loss was his fourth of the campaign, against three victories. He walked only one and fanned three. Marshall walked two and whiffed five.

The game was reeled off in 1 hour and 35 minutes, exceptional for nine inning tilts these times.

Johnny Burak went the route in the nightcap to rack up his fourth victory against any losses. He was staked to a 5-1 lead in the first inning and had only to hold it. This he did despite a few storms all along the way. John was wilder than the vendor in walking nine and wild pitching twice, but had enough batting support, and the timely double plays to keep him comfortably ahead from the first inning on.

The Vics nailed him for an unearned run in the first, but the Salems bounced back with one of their best innings in weeks by pounding Lefty Jim Propst for four hits, two walks and an error for five runs. Propst is the part southpaw who was with Portland earlier this season.

Tall Ron Smith, a 16-game winner with Salems' 1942 team took over the A's hill chores in the second and gave up but one run in the next four heats as he delivered the relief stint. But it was that run and another gained off Lefty Jim Hedgecock in the sixth that proved the winning difference.

The Athletics nicked Burak for three runs in the sixth and one in the seventh.

Wally Scott, Cherry, Dick Bartle and Wayne Peterson, all with two hits led the Salems' 10-hit attack in the second game. The A's managed seven hits off Burak, but were guilty of an old Salem trick—leaving potential runs stranded on the sacks.

It was Bill Beard's bases-loaded double in the first off Propst, scoring all three runs, that provided the big wallop.

The games were attended by only 24 paid admissions, lowest of the season for Salems, but the village police-sponsored "Third Base Club" and its first night at the park threw in another 300 "free" kids to make things much more lively in the seats.

Outfielder Pete Tedeschi was

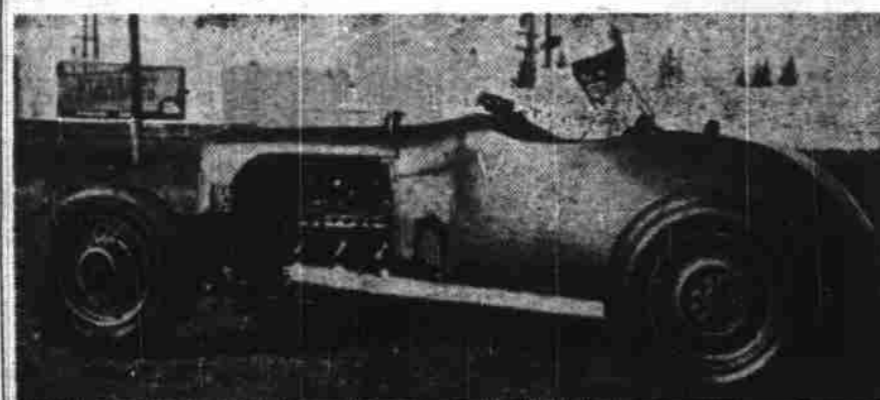
Yankees, Dodgers Regain Top Berths

They Finally Got Into Local Action



Waters field fans were beginning to doubt there were such Western International league animals as the Victoria Athletics after the A's and Salems Senators were rained out of their first four games of the season here. Just to make sure the A's existed, Photographer Don Dill sneaked up on seven of 'em Wednesday at their hotel. Sitting (l-r) are Catcher Al Ronning, Pitcher Jim Propst, Trainer George Wilkinson, Outfielder Edo Vanni and Mgr. Marty Krug, Sr. Standing are infielder K. Chorlton and First-sacker Jimmy Wert, who need to play for Salems. The A's and Salems finally got together for battle last night, rain and all, and hope to do it again tonight via a seven o'clock doubleheader.

'Rods' to Roll Saturday Night at Hollywood Bowl



KENNY BAXTER

The "hot rods" return to Salems' Hollywood bowl Saturday night for the No. 5 auto racing program of the local season and the third for the souped-up roadsters. Time trials start at 8 p.m., with trophy dash, head sprints and Class B and A main events following. The "A" main will be a 30-lapper, according to Promoter Charley Heitz.

The "rods" presented two racing programs here at the start of the season and then moved over to let the midgets have a two-week run. The two types of racers will alternate programs here throughout the season.

Salems' Max Humm won the opening program's main event but

lost out to Randy Francis in the second meet. They are expected to be among the "from 17 to 20" racers Saturday, according to Heitz. Others due for the driving action include Kenny Baxter, Frankie Osborne, Len Sutton, Dar Moore, Ernie Koch, Bill Hyde, Frankie McGowan, Crash Timmings, Jack Greiner and Corky Corcoran.

There will be a number of Salems owned "rods" in the meet. McGowan, Greiner, Heitz and Bob Pendergraft own local buzz bugs, as does Don Waters. All equipment is expected to be in tip-top racing shape following the brief layoff during which owners and mechanics have had time to work them into perfection.

Supper Clubbers Meet '12ths' Tonight; Corvallis Crew Slated

The Salem Supper club outfit is expected to continue its unbeaten march through the City Softball league chase tonight as it tangles with the 12th Street Merchants at 9 o'clock on the Leslie lot. Opposing hurlers will be red-hot Jim Rawlins for the Suppermen and Lynn McDaniels toiling the rubber for the 12th Streets who currently have one win in four starts.

The Supper clubs have racked four consecutive wins to date with Rawlins the moundsman in each instance. An exhibition tilt is set for 8 o'clock, the Paper Mills of the city loop clashing with a Corvallis aggregation.

Both Industrial league games due last night were washed out by rain. Tonight's Industrial program sees Post Office Carriers meeting the unbeaten Maple Dairies at 8:30 and the Teamsters colliding with Paper Mill at 7 on the lower Leslie diamond.

out of the local lineup and home in San Francisco to be with his seriously ill father.

All Even, But It Was a Struggle

Time: 1:48. Umpires: Lacovetti and

First Game: Handch. Attendance: 247.

VICTORIA (6)		(1) SALEM	
AB	PO	AB	PO
Vanni 1	1	0	0
Krug 1	1	0	0
Cherry 1	1	0	0
Propst 1	1	0	0
Walt 1	1	0	0
Smith 1	1	0	0
Hedgeck 1	1	0	0
Total	6	0	0

Walt pitched; Osborn, Laska bases; Victoria 9, Salems 3. Errors: Peterson 2, Dunn, Two-base hits: Kronberg, Moore 2, Dunn, Cherry. Sacrifices: Moore, Stolen bases: Vanni, Krug. Double plays: Chorlton to Marshall to Dunn, Gaviglio to Scott to Bartle, Dunn to Moore to Krug, Bartle unassisted. Time: 1:53. Umpires: Handch and Lacovetti.

SCHWARTZ FISHED

CHICAGO, June 7—(AP)—Marchmont Schwartz of Stanford University will represent the Pacific

Bombers Snap Bengal Streak

Brooklyn Rips Pitts As Braves Nip Cards

By Ralph Roden

NEW YORK, June 7—(AP)—The New York Yankees stopped the ferocious Detroit Tigers, 5-4, today and reclaimed first place in the American league. Three of the Yankee runs came on homers by Joe DiMaggio, Phil Rizzuto and Billy Johnson but it was an infield single by Yogi Berra that won the game in the seventh inning.

The triumph ended a seven game Detroit winning streak and stopped the rampaging Tigers into second place, 22 percentage points behind the Yanks. Vic Raschi went the distance for New York. Hal Newhouse, an old Yankee nemesis, suffered his second defeat of the season against four wins.

The third place Boston Red Sox won on a batting rampage and smothered the St. Louis Browns, 20-4 in their Fenway park lair. Boston pounded a trio of St. Louis pitchers for 23 hits good for 42 total bases. Among their blows were five home runs and four doubles. Vern Stephens and Clyde Volmer each socked two homers and Walt (the Whale) Droppo the other. Joe Dobson benefited from the bombardment and coasted to his seventh victory. Dobson granted ten hits including home runs by Roy Sievers and Rookie Leo Thomas.

The New York Giants romped to their fifth straight victory by polishing off the Chicago Cubs, 13-4 in the only day game played in the National league today.

The Brooklyn Dodgers regained undisputed possession of first place in the National league by beating the Pittsburgh Pirates, 9-0 while their erstwhile co-tenants, the St. Louis Cardinals, suffered a 10-2 shelling at the hands of the Boston Braves. The Cards tumbled to third place with the Philadelphia Phils taking over second, a half game back of the Dodgers, as a result of their 4-0 triumph over the Cincinnati Reds.

Big Don Newcombe limited the reeling Pirates to six hits while his mates pounded bonus pitcher Bill MacDonald and Jim Walsh for 12 safeties. Lefty Warren Spahn scattered eight hits and fanned 10 Cardinals as he coasted to his seventh victory and Boston's first of the season over the Red Birds.

The Braves banged four Cardinal pitchers for 18 blows including Sid Gordon's 12th home run of the year.

Rookie Bob Miller restricted the Reds to seven hits in turning in his fourth victory without a loss for the Phils. Little Bobby Shantz became the first Athletic pitcher to turn in a shutout as he pitched Philadelphia to a 5-0 victory over Chicago. The Washington Senators snapped their seven game losing streak by edging the Cleveland Indians, 6-4. Sid Hudson went the route for Washington to pick up his seventh victory.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	W	L	GB
Tacoma	32	15	---
Tri-City	24	25	9
Yakima	24	27	11
Salem	24	23	11
Wenatch	22	24	13
Victoria	19	25	18

Wednesday results: At Salem 1-7, Victoria 6-3; At Tri-City-Vancouver, rain; At Tacoma-Wenatch, rain; At Yakima-Spokane, rain.

COAST LEAGUE

Team	W	L	GB
Hollywd	42	28	---
Los Angeles	34	37	8
San Diego	41	31	2
San Francisco	33	37	8
Portland	34	32	6
Seattle	26	46	17
San Jose	26	46	17

Wednesday results: At Portland-Los Angeles, rain; At Seattle 6, San Francisco 3; At Hollywood 10, San Diego 1; At Oakland 9, Sacramento 3.

Portland Rained Again Twinks Widen Lead in PCL

By The Associated Press

Once again rain threw a monkey wrench into opening of the Pacific Coast league series between Portland and Los Angeles at Portland.

The teams will try to get in a single game tonight at 8:30. The Hollywood Stars stretched their lead to two full games over the second-place San Diego Padres as they whipped the runnerups, 10-1, behind the seven-hit hurling of Ben Wade. Wade fanned 11 in racking his 6th win. The up-and-coming Oakland Oaks again nipped Sacramento's cellar-dwelling Stars, 9-3. Max Surkont of the Soes suffered his third setback against 11 victories. The climbing Seattle Rainiers stopped San Francisco again, 6-3 as Hector Brown scattered nine blows.

Sacramento 900 000 008-3 18 3
Oakland 012 000 002-9 11 3
Surkont and Steiner; Groth and Noble.

San Francisco 002 000 100-3 10 0
Melton, Singleton (7) and Partee; Brown and Warren.

San Diego 000 000 100-1 7 8
Hollywood 800 000 026-10 9 1
Savage (5), Krasus (7) and Tresh; Wade and Sandlock.

Suit Against Braves Opens

WALLA WALLA, Wash., June 7—(AP)—A drive-in theatre completed its inning in court today in a suit against an adjacent minor league baseball park. The theatre claims the baseball floodlights are ruining its business.

The ball park, home of the Tri-City Braves of the Western International league, didn't get its turn today. Judge Sam Driver continued the case until later in the federal court term.

Judge Driver said he thought the case lends itself to some effort at settlement and urged both parties to make an effort to settle before testimony resumes, probably within three weeks.

The Highline Drive-in theatre asks \$29,000 damages from the Tri-City Athletic association. It also asks an injunction against the use of the lights.

Ace for Golfer In Open Warmup

ARDMORE, Pa., June 7—(AP)—Tommy Bold of Durham, N. C., sank a hole-in-one today in practicing for the national open golf tournament, opening tomorrow at the Merion Golf club. Bold dropped his tee shot on the 133-yard 13th hole, using a seven-iron.

While most of the "Sassa" pros were having difficulty solving the well-travelled layout, Doug Ford of Briarcliff, N. Y., registered a 35-32-67, three under par for the best score of the week.

Sam Snead, the pre-tourney favorite, had a 71. Ben Hogan played only five holes late in the day, saving his legs for the three-day championship grid.

Bowling

LADIES SUMMER SCRATCH LEAGUE (University Bowl)

Team No. 1 (1) Schartz 486, Stalder 483, Lemus 488, Team No. 2 (3) Smith 443, Roadman 347, Lutz 423, Upston 414, Team No. 3 (4) Rowland 444, Curtis 373, White 464, Robertson 473.

Team No. 4 (6) Thompson 454, Schieman 371, Lowry 378, Snyder 358, Team No. 5 (6) Lockman 353, Refina 314, Devey 301, Team No. 6 (4) Anzore 408, Schartz 367, Purvis 343, Jones 430.

High team series—Team No. 5 1797.
High ind. series—Bea Dayer 501.
High ind. game—Alberta Thompson 124.

coast on the college all-star coaching staff for their game with the Philadelphia Eagles at Soldier Field August 11. He joins Head Coach Eddie Anderson of Holy Cross and Bobby Dodd, Georgia Tech, on this year's staff.

LaMotta, Rocky Say They Could Lick 'Sugar'

NEW YORK, June 7—(AP)—Midweight champion Jake LaMotta and challenger Rocky Graziano both said today they would like to fight Sugar Ray Robinson and both declared they could knock out the welterweight king.

LaMotta and Graziano will meet in a 15-round title bout in the Polo grounds at Greenwood Lake, Calif., June 28.

LaMotta, who won only one

out of five bouts with Robinson in the early forties, said, "I'd like to fight him again, but in a 20-round bout. I'd knock him out for sure."

"I floored him three times in our other fights and he never dropped me," said LaMotta at his Klameshuk Lake training camp. "Every one of those fights were close. And there were no championships involved in them. With my title up—if I win from Rocky—it would be another story."

Graziano, who is working out at Greenwood Lake, said, "I'll knock Robinson stiff. I'll take

that cocky guy anytime, in a gym ring or an alley. I want to fight him more than any other guy. I'll take him on after LaMotta, win, lose or draw."

Robinson, who won Pennsylvania recognition as middleweight champion by defeating Robert Villmain in Philadelphia Monday night, said he would like to get a shot at the white middleweight championship.

The National Boxing association has given LaMotta 30 days to defend his crown against Robinson or face the loss of his title. That is if he beats Graziano.

Linksters Begin Firing Today in National Open

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The Standings

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Boston	24	18	3
Cincinnati	12	24	14
St. Louis	13	24	14
New York	13	24	14
At Pittsburgh 0, Brooklyn 9; At Cincinnati 0, Philadelphia 4; At St. Louis 2, Boston 10.			

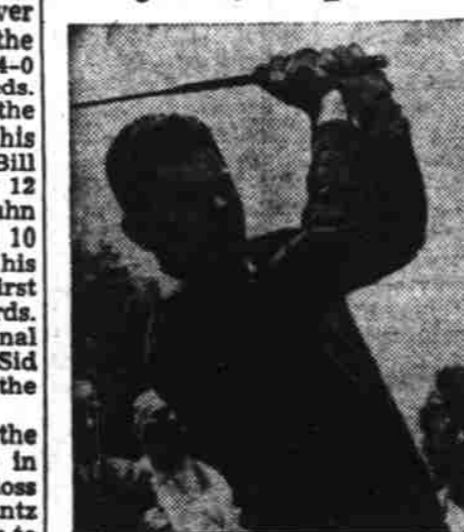
Rawls Also Victor

Riley, DeMoss Advance In Mississippi Tourney

DALLAS, Texas, June 7—(AP)—Polly Riley, the gal figured to take a third trans-Mississippi golf title, today took her first step toward doing just that—a 5 and 4 first round victory.

Victim of the smooth-swinging Fort Worth, Tex., golfer was Mrs. Gene Langkop of Dallas.

Eyes Repeat



Carey Middlecoff (above) is defending champion in the National Open which starts today at Ardmore, Pa. Middlecoff will be out to retain the title but will have competition from such stars as Jim Demaret, Sam Snead and Ben Hogan.

Golden Rose Ski Race Set

PORTLAND, June 7—(AP)—A record number of contestants—44 men and 7 women—will compete in the Golden Rose Downhill Ski race at Mount Hood Sunday.

Among the top entrants are Franz Gabl of Austria, Gultorm Berge of Norway, and last year's champion; Alan Fischer, Portland, and Sandra Tomlinson, Vancouver, B. C. The Downhill is the final feature of the Portland Rose festival.

Arcaro's Steed Takes Handicap

BOSTON, June 7—(AP)—Hustled from the start by the veteran Eddie Arcaro, the Brandywine stable's four-year-old C o h i s e clipped four-fifths of a second off the track record while humbling B. F. Whitaker's My Request by four lengths and A. G. Vanderbilt's Loser Weeper by four and a half in the \$25,000-added Massachusetts handicap today at Suffolk Downs.

Angler Wanted Big Bass Painfully Bad

ASBURY PARK, N. J., June 7—(AP)—Richard Huetth is a real fisherman.

He hooked a striped bass today while fishing from an 18-foot sea wall near here. The line broke and rather than lose the fish Huetth jumped off the wall onto a hard sand trap.

He broke one ankle and injured the heel of his other foot.

Unable to walk, Huetth crawled into the surf, retrieved the end of the broken line and hung on. Finally someone noticed his plight and helped him out of the water. He was taken to a hospital where doctors said he'd be laid up for from three to six months.

The bass weighed 19 3/4 pounds.

Table of Coastal Tides

Tides for Taft, Oregon, June, 1950. (Compiled by U.S. Coast & Geodetic Survey, Portland, Oregon.)

Time	HIGH WATERS		LOW WATERS	
	Time	Height	Time	Height
June 8	6:36 a.m.	4.2	1:36 a.m.	2.2
9	7:49 p.m.	8.9	12:59 p.m.	0.9
10	8:51 a.m.	3.5	2:41 a.m.	1.6
11	8:25 p.m.	6.1	1:46 p.m.	1.4
12	9:20 a.m.	3.9	3:34 a.m.	0.8
13	9:33 p.m.	4.0	4:18 p.m.	1.0
14	10:28 a.m.	4.0	4:18 p.m.	0.2
15	9:33 p.m.	6.4	3:17 p.m.	2.3
16	11:23 a.m.	4.4	4:57 a.m.	-0.3
17	10:48 p.m.	4.4	4:52 p.m.	2.0
18	12:14 p.m.	6.4	8:34 a.m.	-0.7
19	10:39 p.m.	4.4	4:41 p.m.	2.9

Oregonians - In the Majors-

Player	Team	Position
Pecky Red Sox	A	R
Doerr, Red Sox	A	R
Gordon, Indians	A	R
Whitman, Phillies	U	U

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Tough Course Faces Golfers

Snead Top Favorite As Classic Reworked

ARDMORE, Pa., June 7—(AP)—The Merion Golf club, with the yawning traps that make it one of the toughest layouts in the world, was fit and ready tonight for tomorrow's struggle against 165 of the nation's finest shot makers.

Thousands of dollars have been bet that the course will be crowned the victor when the last ball has been played out of its "cabbage" rough late Saturday afternoon and the 50th U. S. open championship is ready for the history books.

Seldom if ever before since the classic was begun has the playing site itself come in for such pre-tournament discussion among the players and been so fiercely backed by its supporters to repel the assault of the Sneads, the Demarets, the Hogans and the Middlecoffs.

At even money, Philadelphia's citizens and others who know Merion have wagered their rolls that the winner of the 72-hole event does not break par of 280 strokes over the course's rugged 6,694 yards. Much New York money still was saying tonight that the brilliants who shoot the 63's and 64's on the tournament trail will subdue Merion too.

There was so much talk, in fact, about the layout's skating rink greens and its so-called "death" holes that comparatively little effort was expended on trying to pick the man who will come closest to conquering its myriad hazards.

(Continued on next page)

Senator Swat:

(Figures are up to date):

Player	Ab	H	3B	HR	RBI	Pct
Wasley	185	81	10	2	38	.266
Bartle	183	48	0	0	10	.262
Tierney	89	8	0	0	7	.179
Lew	11	3	0	0	0	.273
Peterson	163	41	0	0	4	.252
Gaviglio	168	45	11	0	20	.250
Cherry	133	37	0	0	2	.279
Walt	100	4	0	0	0	.230
Burak	20	4	0	0	0	.200
Scott	125	21	0	0	0	.168
McMillan	106	28	0	0	0	.265
Snyder	108	28	0	0	0	.259
Beard	72	14	0	0	0	.194
Pedeschi	18	2	0	0	0	.111
Osborn	20	8	0	0	0	.400
Laska	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Valentine	0	0	0	0	0	.000

Pitching:

Player	G	W	L	So	Bb	Pct
Tierney	1					