Salems Blow In 9th, 9-7

Chiefs Cop Finale; Myers Hits 5

By Al Lightner
Statesman Sports Editor

The pitching heroes of last Saturday's 23-inning win at Victoria got their comeuppance last night at Waters field as both Lefty Ludwig Lew and Joe Mishasek were clobbered by the Wenatchee Chiefs for a 9 to 7 series-ending win. Sadly enough the potent Chiefs, a much better ball club than their perch in the standings indicates, copped the nod with four runs in the ninth inning, knocking stiff the earlier feeling that the Salems were well on their way to their sixth consecutive triumph.

Visibly weakening as he progressed into the late innings, Lew yielded to Mishasek with one out in the ninth and two runners aboard as a result of walks. Mishasek got another enemy batter out but then walked one himself, loading the sacks, and followed this by serving up singles to Bud Hjelmaa and Lyle Palmer, each scoring two runs. Mishasek's inability to get his "stuff" pitches over the plate forced him to groove the pitches Hjelmaa and Palmer hit.

Proving again they aren't mudders, the Salems saw their five-game win binge dashed into the slippery greensward of the ball yard. Rain fell throughout the contest and quite naturally with the way things turned out, made the gathering of 591 wish it never had been played. This makes the third game the Solons have tried in the goo here, and they've lost all three. The first two came when Tacoma was here April 29.

For eight innings last night it appeared that all was to be okeh, however. Hugh Luby's gang busted into the veteran Charley Gassoway for three runs in the third and two more in the fourth for a 5-1 lead. The Chiefs had tallied once in the third.

Wenatchee brought three more runs across in the fifth on a walk and four hits, but again Salem erased this sting with two tallies in the eighth for a 7-5 bulge.

Lew wasn't up to his challenge, however, and when he walked both Larry Neal and Lil Arnerich with one out in the ninth he was lifted.

Even though Gassoway wound up with the win, he hardly deserved it. He was belted for 13 hits and issued five walks himself. The lefty vet who pitched the Coast league opener for Oakland this season wasn't around at the end. He went out for a pinch-hitter in the Chiefs' ninth, and the pert Tommy Breisinger finished up to save the victory.

A combination of two walks, two infield errors and Richie Myers' hit brought in the three Salem runs in the third. Singles by Glenn Tuckett, Jim McKeegan, Myers and Boss Luby produced the two resident tallies of the fourth. Then in the eighth walks to Tuckett and Lew, followed by singles by Myers and Luby netted the final two Solon runs.

Myers had himself quite a night. He handled 10 fielding chances perfectly and banged out five straight hits, one a double against the distant left field fence. But while Myers and his mates were slamming the ball with glee off Gassoway, the Salem pitching that had been so terrific in the previous five games went kaput. The Chiefs rapped out 11 safeties, five in the last three innings. When they scored in the third off Lew it was the first run he had given up in 17 innings.

Glenn Stetter was back in the Salem lineup after two days off because of flu, and in his first trip at bat slashed a hard single to left. He hit another Gassoway pitch on the nose, but Palmer caught the try while backed against the left field wall. . . The Solons departed immediately following the game and play in Spokane tonight. Ray McNulty will be on the mound in an attempt to start another win streak. . . Last night's attendance, brutally butchered by the rain, brings the season total to 16,239.

Oh Woe:

WENATCHEE (9)

	Ab	H	Po	A
La.Neal,ss	3	1	6	3
Arnrich,cf	2	1	2	0
Poceky,3b	5	1	1	2
Hafey,rf	3	1	1	0
Hjelma,2b	5	2	4	1
Palmer,lf	4	2	1	1
Robrsn,1b	4	1	6	2
Le.Neal,c	4	2	5	0
Gasswy,p	2	0	1	2
x-Budin,	1	0	0	0
Bresngr,p	0	0	0	0
Total	33	11	27	11

(7) SALEM

	Ab	H	Po	A
Myers,ss	5	5	3	7
Luby,2b	4	2	8	2
Stetter,lf	4	1	0	0
Faber,cf	5	1	2	1
McDnld,1b	5	0	7	2
Tdeschi,rf	5	1	4	0
Tuckett,3b	4	2	2	3
McKgan,c	4	1	1	0
Lew,p	2	0	0	1
Mishask,p	0	0	0	0
Total	38	13	27	16

Wenatchee	001	030	014—	9	11	2
Salem	003	200	020—	7	13	1

Winning pitcher: Gassoway; Losing pitcher: Mishasek.

Pitcher	Ip	Ab	H	R	Re	So	Bb
Gassoway	8	35	13	7	5	2	5
Breisinger	1	3	0	0	0	2	0
Lew	8⅓	30	9	7	7	1	7
Mishasek	⅔	3	2	2	2	0	1

Wild pitches: Lew. Left on bases: Wenatchee 6, Salem 9. Errors: Pocekay, Hjelmaa, Faber. Two-base hits: Myers, Len Neal. Runs batted in: Arnerich, Stetter, McDonald, Luby 3, Larry Neal, Pocekay 2, Roberson, Myers, Hjelmaa 2, Palmer 3. Sacrifice: Palmer. Double plays: Luby to Myers to McDonald, Hjelmaa to Larry Neal, Tuckett to Luby to McDonald. Time: 1:55. Umpires: Behringer & Jacobs. Att: 591.

Sactos Bolster Portland Lead

By The Associated Press

The Sacramento Solons had a chance to gain a tie for the top spot in the Pacific Coast league race with the Portland Beavers Thursday night what with the Portlands rained out their mix with Los Angeles. But the Sactos failed to cash in on the opportunity as they bowed to the Hollywood Stars, 6-3. The loss dropped the Sactos one full game back of the idle Bevos.

The loss was Sacramento's first in seven games.

In other games the Oakland Oaks strengthened their hold on a first division slot with a 7-2 verdict over Seattle's Rainiers as Righthander Earl Harrist spaced six hits. The win gave the Oaks the series, 2-1.

At San Francisco the lowly Seals slapped the San Diego Padres by a 14-3 count with the aid of a 15-hit attack.

Sacramento	002	000	100—	3	8	2
Hollywood	012	101	10x—	6	9	0

Grove, Powell (7) and Hairston, Smith (7); Salveson, Maltzberger (8) and Sandlock.

San Diego	000	012	000—	3	6	3
San Francisco	190	011	11x—	14	15	1

Sipple, Jurisich (2), Santiago (6) and Naragon; Burdette and Orteig.

Oakland	030	103	000—	7	10	0
Seattle	000	020	000—	2	6	2

Harrist and Malone, Grissom, Clark (8) and Sheely.

Shinn, Moore Capture Title

Lee Shinn and Gus Moore captured the class A doubles crown in the annual YMCA Marion-Polk handball tourney Thursday, defeating Norm Winslow and Laddie Gale in the finals, 21-2 and 21-14.

Singles competition is due to start next week. Fred Cords, YMCA physical education director, announced that all interested in signing for singles can register at the Y between now and Monday.

Ferrier Leads Greenbrier Go

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, W Va., May 10—(AP)—Jim Ferrier "Didn't feel he was hitting the ball well' today but the white pellet went rolling into the cups for five birdies on the last nine holes to give the San Franciscan the first-round lead in th Green brier open.

Ferrier, second leading money winner on the 1951 pro circuit with $11,254 to his credit, scorched the back nine of the first 18 holes to post a six-under-par 64. The course record of 62 is held by Sam Snead, the host pro, who was tied for third with George Fazio of Conshohocken, Pa., and Tony Penna of Cincinnati at 67 each.

Bob Hamilton of Evansville was on the heels of Ferrier with a 65.

Four strokes away from the leader were Ben Hogan, the defending titleholder, Dutch Harrison, and Henry Uicard. Next was Seattle's Ed (Porky) Oliver with a 69.

The scores for 30 pros in the first round of the 72-hole, four-day push ranged up to 75 for Skee Riegel, second in the last masters to Hogan.

MILWAUKIE IN TOURNEY

SHERWOOD, May 10—(AP)—Milwaukie won entry to the state class A high school baseball tournament today by walloping Sherwood, 18-7. Jerry Zimmerman of the winners got four hits, including a home run.

Pin Demon

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 10 — Lee Jouglard (above) of Detroit, Mich., rolled a 775 in American Bowling Congress singles competition here to set an all-time mark. Jouglard hit games of 242, 255 and 278 during his sizzling series. (AP Wirephoto to The Statesman).

Victoria Stops Capilanos Again

By The Associated Press

The upstart Victoria Athletics took their third straight game from the leading Vancouver Capilanos of the Western International league and left the staggering Caps just a few percentage points above the Spokane Indians in the hot chase.

Ron Smith, who went 23 innings in losing to Salem 1-0 last week, pitched the route tonight, giving the Caps 13 hits. However Victoria scored six runs in the last five frames off George Nicholas to wrap up the tilt. Spokane gained by blanking the Tacoma Tigers, 3-0 behind the hurling of John Conant. Conant gave seven blows, one more than the Indians got off Tacoma's Clark and Amador.

The Tri-City at Yakima game was rained out.

Vancouver	010	012	010—	5	13	1
Victoria	000	030	021—	6	9	1

Nicholas and Ritchey; Smith and Martin.

Tacoma	000	000	000—	0	7	2
Spokane	001	010	010—	3	6	0

Clark, Amador (8) and Watson; Conant and Nulty.

Leslie Whips Giant Trackmen

Harry Mohr's Leslie Rockets took all the laurels in a dual Junior high track meet with West Salem's Giants Thursday at Leslie field. The Leslie varsity tacked up an 89½-19½ triumph, the eighth graders nabbed a 60-26 win and the seventh graders from Leslie won by a 40-19 margin.

Mike Campbell and Floyd Trussell led the Leslie varsity to victory with 14½ points each. Neil Sheidel of Leslie was tops in the eighth-grade division with 13 and LaMoyne Mapes paced the Leslie sevenths with 16¼.

Varsity summary:

H-Hurdles: Crenshaw (WS), Shaeffer (L), Glasgow (WS).

50 yd. dash: Campbell (L), Rawlings (L), MacKinnon (WS), 6.0.

100: Campbell (L), Trussell (L), MacKinnon (WS), 10.9.

220: Trussell (L), Rawlings (L), Anderson (WS), 24.9.

440: Rouse (L), Warrenberg (L), Nordyke (L), 59.7.

880: Aydelott (L), Castle (WS), Randall (WS), 2:21.5.

440 Relay: Rawlings-Campbell-Rouse-Trussell (L), 48.9.

Shot: Person (L), Scott (L), Warrenberg (L), 38'1".

Pole Vault: Williams (WS), Cameron-Chapman—tie, 8'9".

B-Jump: Trussell (L), Campbell (L), Rawlings (L): 18'10½".

H-Jump: Boyle-Johnson—tie, Castle-Carnine—tie, 4'6".

Discuss: Person (L), Scott (L), MacKinnon (WS), 75'9".

Kahut, Whittle To Battle Again

BOISE, May 10—(AP)—Joe Kahut, veteran Portland heavyweight, and Ron Whittle, West Jordan, Utah, have been signed for a bout here May 25. Promoter Tex Hager said Kahut originally signed for a May 18 bout in Boise, but it was postponed a week because of a hand injury received by Whittle.

Whittle decisioned Kahut in a recent match in Salt Lake City.

Aumsville Grade School Champion

SUBLIMITY, May 10—(Special)—Aumsville captured the Marion County Grade school baseball title today with a 4-3 verdict over Stayton behind the pitching of Beach. Aumsville was titlist in the league's Valley division and Stayton was king in the Canyon division.

Giants Nose Cards; Blackwell Muzzles Braves

Vikings, Gervais Dominate in District Meet

6 Marks Fall In B Action

Salems Qualify 14, Cougars Get 10 Slots

By Jerry Stone

Salem high school's Vikings copped the major share of the laurels and district 7 berths in the coming state meet as the annual district cinder show was run off at McCulloch field Thursday afternoon and evening.

The Vikings, who snared nine first places and split another in addition to winning the relay event, qualified 14 men and the relay team for the state tourney as they piled up a terrific 223 points in the Class A division. Gervais, which totalled 206 points to second-place Jefferson's 86, placed nine athletes plus the relay unit in the looming State B show.

Stayton's Eagles were No. 2 in the Class A division with 65, followed by Woodburn with 47½, Cascade and Sacred Heart with 36 each, Molalla with 32, Silverton with 11½ and North Marion with 4.

Stayton qualified five men for the state meet, Woodburn nabbed three positions and Sacred Heart and Cascade put in a pair each. Cascade also qualified her relayers on a 2nd place finish.

Third in points in the Class B action, which saw a total of six marks cracked, was Chemawa with 71. Next was Deaf School with 53 and St. Paul had 10. Jefferson qualified in seven positions, Chemawa in four plus her second-place relay team, Deaf School nabbed four positions and St. Paul one.

Dick Adams of Salem ran a fine 4:31 mile to capture that event and came within three-tenths of a second of the district A record set up by Ron Runyan of Salem in 1942. The Viks' Buzz Covalt came out the victor in both the 880 and 440.

Running the half-mile, Covalt staged one of the thrilling gallops of the night with Adams before barely edging his teammate at the wire. Buzz's 800 time of 2:03.5 was close to the mark of 2:01.2 set up by Salem's Bill Shinn in 1940. In addition, Covalt, running the 440 for the first time this season, turned in a very good :52.5 to take that one.

Al Bello, expected to keep up with Covalt in this one, couldn't cope with the Vik star's final kick and finished second.

Clayton Seaton of Woodburn chalked a smart 170' 2⅝ inches in winning the javelin and other good marks were hit by Bruce Mathis in taking the high hurdles in :16.4 and the highs in :22.3; Don McKenzie of Salem with a 20' 11½" broad jump and the Vik relayers who hit a 1:36.6 time.

In the B division the six marks broken went as follows: Stan Howe of Gervais with a :17.1 in the high hurdles; Floyd Dye with a 4:59.2 in the mile; Howe of Gervais with a :23.6 in the low hurdles; John McCall of Gervais via a 19' 7" performance in the broad jump; Bill Marlatt of Jefferson with a 118' 2" toss in the discuss and another record was Larry Rasmussen's 41' 8" heave in the shot.

Gene Ironpipe of Chemawa and Neil Brown of Jeff tied the high jump mark with 5' 5" efforts.

Unique feature of the A action was a five-way tie for first place in the high jump. State tourney slots went to Don McKenzie of Salem and Stan Smith of Stayton on fewer misses.

Class A Summary:

L. H.: 1st Bruce Mathis (Sal), 2nd Murray (Cas), 3rd Davis (Sal), 4th Marqaustern (Sal), 5th Titus (Sta), 6th Seaton (W). Mark: :22.3.

100: 1st Larry Paulus (Sal), 2nd Pavlicek (W), 3rd Rouse (Sal), 4th Viele (Sal), 5th Cox (W), 6th Jensen (Sal). Mark: :10.8.

Mile: 1st Dick Adams (Sal), 2nd Lowe (Sal), 3rd Artz (Sh), 4th Sailor (Mol), 5th Wettstein (NM), 6th Bowman (W). Mark: 4:31.

440: 1st Buzz Covalt (Sal), 2nd Bello (SHA), 3rd Woltz (Cas), 4th Reisch (Mol), 5th Dwa. Rankin (Sal), 6th Dwi. Rankin (Sal). Mark: :52.5.

H. H.: 1st Bruce Mathis (Sal), 2nd Seaton (W), 3rd Davis (Sal), 4th Bishop (Sal), 5th Davis (W), 6th Basl (St). Mark: :16.4.

220: 1st Larry Paulus (Sal), 2nd Artz (Cas), 3rd Pavlicek (W), 4th Viele (Sal), 5th Baggett (Sal). Mark: :23.8.

880: 1st Buzz Covalt (Sal), 2nd Adams (Sal), 3rd Bello (SHA), 4th Glascow (Sal), 8th Casebeer (Sal), 6th Van Lleu (NM). Mark: 2:03.5.

B. J.: 1st Don McKenzie (Sal), 2nd Paulus (Sal), 3rd Baggett (Sal), 4th Reisch (Mol), 5th Brotherton (Sil), 6th Cox (Sta). Mark: 20'11½".

Disc.: 1st Dick Massey (Sal), 2nd Van Handle (Sta), 4th Rice (W), 5th Messing (Sal), 6th Fehlen (Sta). Mark: 123'1½".

H. J.: 1st 5-way tie—Don McKenzie (Sal), Stan Smith (Sta), Larry Baggett (Sal), Dave Hagen (Mol), Jim Horton (Mol), 6th Beckey (Mol), Davis (Wood) tied. Mark: 5'3".

Vault: 1st Bill Frye (St), 2nd Kirsch (St), 3rd Walker (Sal) and Hastings (St) tied, 5th Lanse (Sil) and Laymann (Mol). Mark: 10'3".

Shot: 1st Darwin Fehlen (Sta), 2nd Meyers (Sal), 3rd Massey (Sal), 4th Larson (Sal), 5th Cox (Stayton) 6th Hatch (Sta). Mark: 45'10¾".

Jav.: 1st Clayton Seaton (W), 2nd Cooney (SHA), Cox (Sta), 4th Martin (Sal), 5th Hatch (Sta), 6th Baumann (W). Mark: 170'2⅝".

Relay: 1st Salem (Larry Paulus, Don McKenzie, Vern Rouse, Larry Baggett), 2nd Cascade, 3rd Molalla, 4th Woodburn, 5th Silverton, 6th North Marion. Mark: 1:35.6.

Class B Summary:

H. H.: Stan Howe (Ger), 2nd Greer (Ger), McCollen (Ger), 4th Colley (OSD) 5th Pearson (Ger), 6th Halopoff (Ger). Mark: :17.1.

100: 1st John McCall (Ger), 2nd Brown (Jeff), 3rd Banack (Gerv), 4th Hahn (Chem), 5th Hart (Jeff), 6th Colley (OSD). Mark: :11.1.

Mile: 1st Floyd Dye (Jeff), 2nd Howard (Chem), 3rd McCollen (Ger), 4th Tierce (Jeff), 5th Patchpee (Chem), 6th Ebensteiner (OSD). Mark: 4:59.2.

440: 1st Doug Hall (Ger), 2nd Specht (Jeff), 3rd Cuff (Ger), 4th Ironpipe (Chem), 5th Nelson (OSD), 6th Espey (Ger). Mark: :56.8.

L. H.: 1st Stan Howe (Ger), 2nd Colley (OSD), 3rd Greer (Ger), 4th Young (Ger), 5th Dunehew (Ger), 6th Gupp (Ger). Mark: :23.6.

220: 1st John McCall (Ger), 2nd George (Chem), 3rd Hall (Gerv), 4th Wallstrum (OSD), 5th Brown (Jeff), 6th Hahn (Chem). Mark: :24.3.

880: 1st George Howard (Chem), 2nd Dye (Jeff), 3rd Black (Ger), 4th Ebenstein (OSD), 5th Bewley (Ger), 6th Patchpe (Chem). Mark: 2:17.5.

B. J.: 1st John McCall (Ger), 2nd Hahn (Chem), 3rd Hall (Ger), 4th Ironpipe (Chem), 5th Pearson (Ger), 6th Wattenbarger (Jeff). Mark: 19'7".

Disc.: 1st Bill Marlatt (Jeff), 2nd Wallstrom (OSD), 3rd Dunehew (Ger), 4th Lisac (OSD), 5th Sampson (Chem), 6th Muth (Ger). Mark: 118'2".

H J.: 1st Gene Ironpipe (Chem) and Neil Brown (Jeff) tied, 3rd Runehew (Ger) and Paulson (Ger) tied. 5th McCollum (Ger), 6th Johnson (Jeff). Mark: 5'5".

Vault.: 1st Bob Hyatt (OSD) and Walt Tolmsoff (Ger) tied, 3rd Edwards (Ger) and Pearson (Ger) tied, 5th Adams (Ger) and Lenhart (Ger) tied. Mark: 8'9".

Shot: 1st Larry Rasmussen (St.P), 2nd Wallstrom (OSD), 3rd Marlatt (Jeff), 4th Wattenbarger (Jeff), 5th Dunn (Ger), 6th Belleque (Ger). Mark: 41'8".

Jav.: 1st Bob Banick (Ger), 2nd Hart (Jeff), 3rd Dunn (Ger), 4th Dunehew (G), 5th Howard (Chem), 6th Dye (Jeff). Mark: 131'5½".

Relay: 1st Gervais (John McCall, Doug Hall, Earl McCollom, Bob Banick), 2nd Chemawa, 3rd Jefferson, 4th Deaf School, 5th Gervais 2nds. Mark: 1:41.7.

Ted Mertz, above, Willamette U's one-man-gang track man who scored 26 points in last week's triumph over Lewis & Clark will again be the Cats' top hope Saturday when they tangle with Whitman at Walla Walla in another Northwest conference meet.

Tourneys Call Bearcat Teams

Willamette university net and links squads today seek honors in the annual Northwest conference meets at Portland.

The tennis meet is set for Irvington courts and representing the Bearcats in the singles will be Cece Conner, the Pendleton lad who also is adept on the gridiron. Coach Les Sparks has named Phil Hammond and Bob Petzoldt to carry the WU colors in the doubles.

Links mentor Sam Vokes takes six men with him to the tourney at Top 'O Scott course. They are ace Bill Wittenberg, Kent Myers, Ellis Von Eschen, Paul Southworth, Chuck Massey and Bob Schaeffer.

Huskies Down Webfoot Nine

SEATTLE, May 10—(AP)—The University of Washington Huskies overcame a 6-2 deficit to come from behind and nip the Oregon Webfoots, 7-6, in their northern division Pacific Coast conference baseball game today.

Washington put together five runs in the final three frames, capped by the tying and winning tallies in the ninth.

Oregon	102	201	000—	6	13	5
Wash.	002	000	212—	7	10	2

Aune and Sugura; Moen, Waite (7) and Lewis, Kimmerle (7).

TRACK BUSINESS ZOOMS

NEW YORK, May 10—(AP)—The horse race business is continuing its upward spiral with both attendance and betting showing a marked gain over last year, the thoroughbred racing associations said today. The attendance for the opening four months was 3,747,831 and the handle, $243,132,188.

Today's Pitchers

National League—St. Louis at Cincinnati (night)—Staley (3-2) or Boyer (1-1) vs Raffensberger (0-3). Philadelphia at New York (night)—Roberts (3-2) vs Hearn (2-2). Brooklyn at Boston (night)—Van Cuyk (1-2) vs Spahn (3-2). Chicago at Pittsburgh (night)—Hiller (2-2) vs Chamber (3-2).

American League—Cleveland at Chicago (night)—Wynn (2-2) vs Dobson (0-0). Detroit at St. Louis (night)—Hutchinson (1-0) or Trout (0-2) vs Pillette (1-2). Only games scheduled.

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Is It Legal Or Isn't It?

Congress Slates Probe Of Hot Reserve Clause

By Joe Ives

WASHINGTON, May 10—(AP)—Baseball's long time problem—the "reserve clause"—will come up once again next month, in a congressional investigation of the club owners' hold on players.

Rep. Emmanuel Celler, a New York democrat, wants settled once and for all time the question of whether the vital clause is legal. The clause, in player contracts, vests exclusive rights in the player's services with the owners.

Celler, chairman of the monopoly subcommittee of the house judiciary committee, announced today his group will conduct the investigation.

He said the inquiry will be in "the interest of the players, management and the public" and there is no intention of harming baseball.

Baseball Commissioner A. B. (Happy) Chandler is to be among the witnesses called. Players, owners and managers also will be heard.

In one of the most important tests of the reserve clause, Danny Gardella, a former New York Giant player, was banned from organized baseball for jumping to the Mexican league. He sued for re-instatement and won in the U. S. circuit court of appeals, which said the reserve system amounted to a form of peonage. However, the case was settled out of court before it reached the supreme court.

Celler doesn't go along with the peonage idea, but said it was to the interests of all concerned "to have the matter resolved — whether the reserve clause should be banned, or whether baseball should be exempted from the anti-trust laws."

If baseball should be exempted from the anti-trust laws, it would be a feather in the cap of Chandler, who has been voted out of office by the owners. He has steered baseball clear of many threatened anti-trust actions in the past.

The Standings

WESTERN INTERNATIONAL

	W	L	Pct.		W	L	Pct.
Vancouve	14	6	.719	Yakima	7	10	.412
Spokane	13	7	.658	Victoria	7	11	.362
Tri-City	9	7	.562	Tacoma	6	11	.358
Salem	10	8	.556	Wenatchee	7	13	.359

Thursday results: At Salem 7, Wenatchee 9; at Victoria 6, Vancouver 5; at Spokane 3, Tacoma 0. At Yakima-Tri-City, rain.

COAST LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.		W	L	Pct.
Portland	28	17	.595	Seattle	21	22	.488
Sacramnt	24	18	.571	Hollywd	19	22	.463
Ls Angels	22	18	.550	San Diego	18	21	.462
Oakland	2	20	.524	Sn Francis	14	27	.341

Thursday results: At Portland-Los Angeles, rain; At Hollywood 6, Sacramento 3; At San Francisco 14, San Diego 3; At Seattle 2, Oakland 7.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.		W	L	Pct.
Boston	15	10	.600	Philadelph	11	12	.478
Brooklyn	13	10	.565	Chicago	9	11	.450
Pittsburg	11	9	.550	New York	11	14	.440
St. Louis	10	9	.526	Cincinnati	8	13	.381

Thursday results: At Philadelphia 0, Pittsburgh 2; At Boston 1, Cincinnati 4; At Brooklyn 6, Chicago 1; At New York 3, St. Louis 2.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.		W	L	Pct.
New York	15	6	.714	Detroit	9	8	.529
Washngtn	12	7	.630	Boston	10	9	.526
Cleveland	11	7	.611	St. Louis	5	16	.238
Chicago	10	8	.556	Philadelph	5	16	.238

Thursday results: All games postponed, weather.

Junior Baseball Notes

All Salem Junior baseball league players of Section 4 in the city (Salem Laundry B league team), are urged to be present at the laundry itself tonight at seven o'clock for an organization meeting, Coach Bob Cole and Manager Walt Lebold have announced. The meeting is open to all boys interested in playing for the team.

Coaches Vince Genna and Brownie Valdez of the Class B West Salem Lumber team (District 1) ask that all boys interested in playing for that team attend a meeting at Olinger field Saturday at 2 p.m. The coaches hope to get an idea of what personnel will be out for the team.

Walker Action Starts Today

BIRKDALE, England, May 10—(AP)—The American Walker cup golf team played itself into top form today with final practices and went to bed confident it will at least split tomorrow's foursomes and might sweep all four contests.

Icy wind and rain which had swept the course most of the week gave way to sunshine, mild temperatures and a gentle breeze. The British, fearing they might be four down by tomorrow night, spoke unhappily of the change to "American weather."

British Skipper Raymond Oppenheimer, who is not playing on the team, offered no predictions. He would only say "we shall do our best and hope it will be good enough."

Durocher Club Helped by Flu

Pirates Blank Phils; Americans Rained Out

NEW YORK, May 10—(AP)—The National league pennant race tightened considerably today. The two bottom teams won and the two top teams lost to narrow the gap between first and last to a mere five games.

New York's resurging Giants made it nine wins in their last 11 games today, defeating the flu-riddled St. Louis Cardinals, 3-2 to sweep the three-game series. New York's victory skein, following on the heels of its horrendous 11-game losing streak, moved the seventh placers only four games behind the pace-setting Boston Braves.

The Braves fell afoul of Ewell Blackwell who pitched the last place Cincinnati Reds to a 4-1 triumph. Thus their lead was cut to only one game over the Brooklyn Dodgers who whipped the Chicago Cubs, 6-1 and vaulted past the Cards into the runner-up spot.

Pittsburgh also passed the Cards, sweeping into third place with a 2-0 triumph over the Philadelphia Phils. The defending champions are now in fifth place, three games behind the leaders and two out of the reaches of the basement.

A two-run homer by Hank Thompson in the first inning and a run-producing single by Ray Noble in the third finished the Giants with all their runs off right-hander Tom Pholsky. The 21-year-old Rookie went all the way to suffer his second loss against two victories.

All American league games were postponed by rain and wet grounds.

National League

Pittsburgh	000	002	000—	2	6	1
Philadelphia	000	000	000—	0	4	3

Dickson and Pitzgerald; Church, Konstanty (9) and Wilber, Silvestro (3).

Cincinnati	001	021	000—	4	11	3
Boston	000	000	010—	1	7	0

Blackwell and Pramesa; Sain, Nichols (8) and St. Claire.

Chicago	000	000	100—	1	7	4
Brooklyn	010	032	00x—	6	11	1

McLish, Kelly (6) and Walker; Newcombe and Campanella.

St. Louis	000	001	001—	2	7	0
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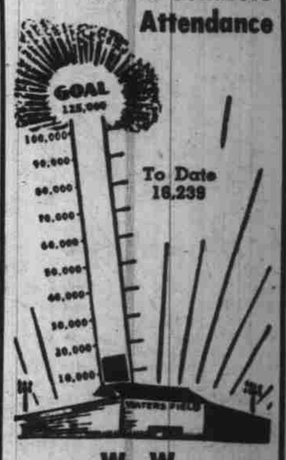

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State's Weekend Fish Prospects Expected To Be Fairly Bright

PORTLAND, May 10—(AP)—Anglers have reasonably good prospects in waters all over the state this week-end, the state game commission's bulletin reported today.

Northwest:

Salmon are still being taken in good numbers at Oregon City and downstream to the mouth of the Clackamas. Mt. Hood streams and Clackamas river are still slow for trout fishing. Angling in most Willamette valley streams is expected to be good this week-end. Some good cutthroat catches made on flies, single eggs, and small spinner lures. Excellent catches of bass reported in Willamette sloughs and lakes. Water conditions on McKenzie and upper Willamette have improved over last week and fishing is fair.

Coastal streams in Tillamook county are yielding good catches of rainbow. Worms and flies are the best lures. Cutthroat fishing is good on troll in tidewater. Fair catches, and a few limits, have been made on the Alsea. The fish were taken on Doc Shelton spinners, worms and eggs.

Southwest:

Upper Umpqua streams are clearing and falling. Salmon fishing is fair. Week-end prospects for trout fishing are good unless it storms. Smith and lower Umpqua rivers are still too muddy for good trout fishing.

Central:

Angling success has increased considerably since opening week-end. If fair weather continues, the week-end should provide good fishing. Ochoco reservoir continues to produce limit catches. Wickiup reservoir is providing more limit catches. Best catches from this reservoir made trolling with spinner and worms. Blue and Suttle lakes are fair. Metolius river reports show limit catches in the fly area, however, fishing has been difficult. Crescent lake is poor. Deschutes river above Bend is good for spinning outfits. Little Deschutes has provided many limit catches on wobble rite lures. Water is still high on Crescent, Big Marsh, and Miller creeks. Limit catches reported on Big Marsh creek.

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Auto racing fur is expected to fly Saturday night at Hollywood bowl when the stock cars produce their first Salem meet of the season. Twenty-nine of the stocks, including 12 different makes of cars, have been entered. In the above photo, taken during a race at Portland Speedway, veteran Hershell McGriff in his 1950 Olds holds the pole while Bud Emra in No. 9, another Olds, and Bill Weimann in No. 3, a 1949 Ford, battle for the lead. A track official watches the progresses on the turn. All three ace drivers will be in the Saturday night events here.