

Sportslightner

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what and what has who as the takeoff bell rings.

One thing for sure, all members will be less strong than they were a year ago, thanks to the needed anti-veteran legislation during the winter. But just how much less remains to be seen.

From what reports we've been able to gather, Vancouver will again be tough with a good ball club despite having to rebuild much of it. Bill Brenner's Lewistons are reportedly on the rough and ready side also. We saw Yakima, and although Dario Lodigiani's Bears didn't frighten anyone in California, they aren't to be taken lightly. Tri-City is supposed to have only a so-so outfit to start with, and Spokane isn't nearly the potent championship crew of 1951 in spite of retaining such holdovers as Eddie Murphy, Mel Wasley, John Marshall, John Conant, Gordy Palm, Bob Roberts and Dick Bishop. Victoria doesn't have much in the way of impressive strength so far, and Wenatchee is supposed to be in the same boat.

These reports are for the most part based on hearsay, and any one of those mentioned as being in need might suddenly blossom forth with a hellish outfit.

Luby Won't Pick 'Em, but We Will

As for the town Senators, Boss Luby likes the outfit but withholds any comment as to where he figures on finishing in the race which gets under way tonight.

"Anyone who risks such a prediction is crazy," surmises the Senators' bossman.

With this in mind, we predict that the Luby's won't be boobies and will finish second this trip, one jump better than they did last time. We pegged 'em for third a year ago, and third they were the new boys for second, with the hope that we miss by one notch. The upper one, of course.

Lots of young blood on the Salem club this year, youthful, hustling lads in whom the fans can become downright interested. We think you'll like the way such newcomers as Bob Collins, Jim Deyo, Tom Galli, Dick Edmunds, Bob Nelson, Larry Mann, Pete Estrada, etc., go at it. . . .

Cat Cindermen Host Portland

Victors by Margin Friday at Linfield

Willamette University's track and field squad, decisive winners over Linfield in their initial dual meet outing of the season, take on the tough Portland University Pilots on McCulloch field this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The forces of Coach Chester Stackhouse looked impressive as they piled up a 95½ to 37½ score over the Linfields at McMinnville last Friday. The win was their eighth straight, carrying over from an undefeated 1951 season.

Feature of the meet with the Wildcats was a record-smashing javelin toss by Stan Neperud, Willamette junior. Neperud, from Silverton, hurled the spear 206 feet, four inches to establish not only a new meet and Willamette marks, but also a new Northwest Conference standard.

The former mark of 203 feet, 6 inches was made by Neperud's teammate, Bob Hall, who placed second to Stan Friday.

B-Club Toasts Salem Players

The Salem Breakfast Club Monday morning welcomed home the hoidover members of the Salem Senators Baseball team, the highlight of the weekly meeting of the SBC's at the Senator Hotel. A capacity crowd turned out for the occasion.

Principal speaker was Manager Hugh Luby of the Senators who told of the team's prospects as it enters the 1952 Western International League race. Luby also introduced the six members of the squad who were with the Senators last year. They are Pitchers Ray McNulty and Curt Schmidt, Catcher Dave Dana, infielders Gene Tansell and Glenn Tuckett and Trainer Pete Chinn.

Following the regular meeting Luby answered numerous questions asked by those in attendance.

The meeting was under the direction of President Hunt Clark.

Cascade After 5th Straight

Cascade's Cougars come to Salem today to play the Sacred Heart Cardinals in a Capitol League baseball clash on the Cardinal diamond, and will be after their fifth consecutive victory. Coach Bob Stewart's potent Cougars have a perfect 4-0 league record and are one full tilt ahead of second place Salem City.

The Academy Crusaders also are booked for action today, at Stayton with the Eagles who have won once in four tries.

ARMY GETS SADDLER

NEW YORK (AP)—Featherweight Boxing Champion Sandy Saddler was inducted into the Army Monday. The lanky, 25-year-old New York negro was sent to Camp Kilmer, N. J. If precedent is followed, Saddler will be permitted to retain his title until he leaves the Army.

Look and Learn

By A. C. Gordon

1. How many square feet are there in an acre?
2. What is fiduciary?
3. For what country is Hibernia an ancient name?
4. What is a levirate marriage?
5. What is the diameter of a U. S. Penny?

ANSWERS

1. 43,560 square feet.
2. One holding a position of trust or confidence.
3. Ireland.
4. The practice of marrying a brother's widow.
5. Three-fourths of an inch.

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Willamette Net Victor

Willamette University's varsity tennis team Monday defeated Oregon College of Education by winning all but one singles and one doubles match.

Charles Carter def. Ken Alberts 6-2, 6-2; George Watts def. Ver Buchler 6-2, 6-1; Dave Wisnom def. Charles Pinion 6-2, 6-0; John Ambler def. Bon Benson 6-2, 6-0; Jim Morgali def. Dave Summers 6-1, 6-3 and Phil Brown lost to Doug Nelson 1-6, 0-6. Doubles, Watts-Morgali def. Alberts-Buchler 6-2, 5-7, 6-0; Bell-Morrison lost to Pinion-Benson 6-2, 6-8, 3-6; Packwood-Laswell def. Summers-Nelson 6-4, 6-3.

Beavers Host Los Angeles 9

By The Associated Press
The Pacific Coast Baseball League enters its fourth week of play Tuesday with Los Angeles at Portland, Oakland at Seattle, Sacramento at San Francisco and San Diego at Hollywood.

After three weeks of play the San Diego Padres, skippered by Lefty O'Doul, are out in front with 15 wins, 8 losses. One full game behind are Stan Hack's Los Angeles Angels. Hollywood holds third and Oakland fourth. Portland is in a fifth place tie with the San Francisco club.

Table of Coastal Tides

Tides for Taft, Oregon, April, 1952
(compiled by U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, Portland, Oregon)

Pacific Standard Time			
HIGH WATERS		LOW WATERS	
April	Time	Time	Time
22	11:16 a.m.	5:4	5:11 a.m.
23	11:07 p.m.	6:9	5:00 p.m.
24	12:11 p.m.	5:4	5:57 a.m.
25	11:41 p.m.	7:0	5:38 p.m.
26	1:02 p.m.	5:2	6:40 a.m.
27	12:14 a.m.	7:0	7:23 a.m.
28	12:32 p.m.	5:0	6:33 p.m.
29	12:48 a.m.	6:9	8:04 a.m.
30	2:40 p.m.	4:9	7:33 p.m.

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YAKS SWEEP SERIES

YAKIMA (AP)—Yakima took a doubleheader from Vancouver 5-3 and 3-0 Sunday for a sweep of their three-game Western International League exhibition baseball series. Yakima won the opener Saturday 8-5.

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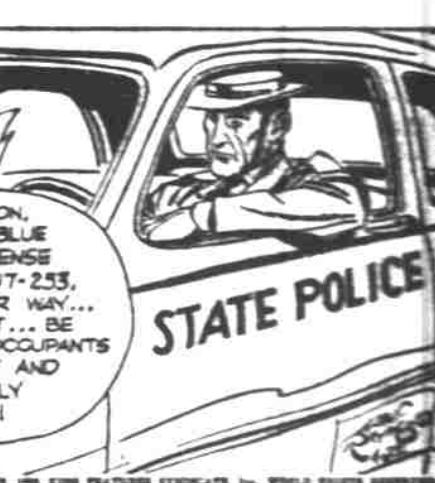
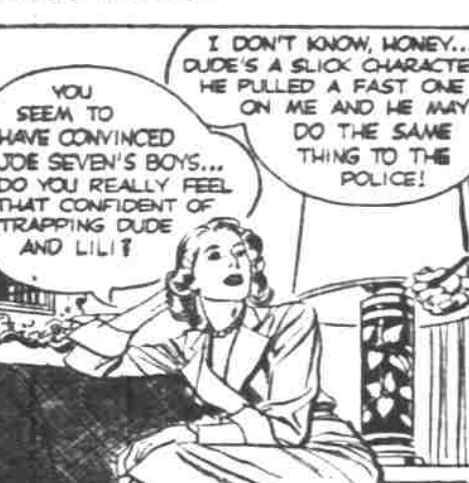
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