



Wobbling type lure with single Siwash hook replacing treble hook on back end and with additional single hook on front of lure. This will often prove a cure for missed fish that strike at front end of lure.

By DON HARGER

We tried our hand at angling last weekend, for the first time this season. Having graduated from crutches to a cane, we thought it might be possible to whip a fly on the water. We finally gave it up as a bad job after our "walking stick" sunk a few inches into the stream leaving us with a tilt that would shame the Tower of It was enjoyable, however, to get out into the fresh air of the central Oregon country and absorb some nice warm sunshine. We watched Mrs. Goin After 'Em disappear around a bend in the river and fully expected her to return with a few trout. Nothing doing. The fish would not cooperate. Only one trout came to her fly and she missed that one. Anyway, the steak we had in Redmond was much more palatable than a trout would have been.

A letter from our good friend Ray Stose of 1090 Cascade Drive, Salem, complains bitterly about not being able to hook cutthroat trout on the Salmon river with treble hook spinning lures. According to Ray there were lots of fish and lots of strikes but nothing doing on the hooking. Many of the spinning enthusiasts have long since discovered that the hooking and holding of fish with spinning lures will be greatly improved by the changing of the treble hook to a single Siwash hook.

Addition of Smaller Single Hook Helps Too

There is another method of hooking those annoying fish that keep on smacking a wobbling spoon to no avail. In addition to replacing the treble hook with a single Siwash, a smaller single hook is fastened to the head end of the lure. It may be fastened directly to the little safety snap swivel as pictured in the sketch at head of this janitorial

Very often from will strike at the front of the lure as it is their normal habit to swallow a minnow head first. This is especially true of black bass but occurs frequently among the various trouts.

Many of the Eastern anglers who use streamers a lot in fishing for small-mouth bass as well as for Eastern brook trout and landlocked salmon, quite often will have their streamer flies dressed with a short shank hook fastened to the top of the regular long shank hook, only with the point facing upward. This shorter front hook will on many occasions, be responsible for hooking better than 75 percent of the fish that are taken.

We would also like to point out that in using the fine monofilament lines for spinning, there is quite a lot of stretch in the line night, the Chiefs polishing off when the angler strikes to set a hook. It takes just three times the force to set a treble hook as it does to set a single hook. Too, there is good chance for leverage on a treble hook that will enable a fish to throw a lure once he may be hooked. Take a tip from the off- pitch the Chiefs to their win, fan- before he left in the third inning, shore commercial fisherman. You will rarely see him use anything ning seven. Wenatchee took the yielding to Righthander Ted Edbu a single Siwash hook.

Siltcoos Lake Yielding Bass and Crappie

We bow our heads in embarrassment over our "slight" error in last week's column on the mention of bass and crapple in Tenmile Lake. We hasten to correct the mention and change the name of the lake to Siltcoos. Otherwise, things stand as stated. Just toss a fly out and expect a crappie or a bass to snatch it

As a parting thought, your fishing janitor was quite surprised game on page one.) on the final outcome of the case of the ammoniated salmon in the Santiam River last year. Lack of evidence caused the charges to Spokane

We feel that it is not so much the loss of the salmon due to "accidental" discharge of ammonia into the Santiam as it is the continued pollution of the waters which started long before the salmon incident. The continued pollution of the Santiam river with the milky and slimy silt from cement washings is.. causing far greater damage than the loss of a few salmon. Miles of river bed that used to produce acquatic insect life are now barren of "bug" hatches. Seemingly, no one is responsible for this suitation. It just keeps on with no one knowing a thing

Angels, Sacs, Seals Win . . .

Hollywood Captures 6-4 Decision Over Beavers | Solution | Green | Gr

Hollywood got off to a three-run lead in the first inning Thursday night and never was stopped as it defeated Portland 6-4 in a Pacific Coast League baseball game at Portland. Hollywood now leads the

Sacramento got an eight-hit pitch-ing job from Lefty Glenn Eilliott to down Oakland 3-2, San Francisco nipped Seattle 5-4 and Los Angeles took San Diego by the same 5-4 count. In the latter game a home run

In other games Thursday night

by Ron Northey, recent Los Angeles acquisition from the Chicago

Portland, one by Ted Beard and the other by Chuck Stevens, both of Hollywood. The winner was Mel Queen and the loser was Lyman Linde. Portland got 10 hits, Eddie Basinski, Herm Reich and Clint Conatser each getting two. (4) Portland B H O A Hollywood (6)

Austin.s Eggert.3 Stevens.1 0 Brovia,r Stringer,3 5 Conatsr.n Basinski.2 Cole,s Sandlck,c Robison.c Bernier.l Linde.p Queen.p Drilling p Shepard.p 0 a-Russell

Lynn.p Totals 38 13 27 7 Totals 35 10 27 a—Russell fanned for Drilling in 7th.

Barr fanned for Lynn in 8th.

Hollywood 301 110 000—6

Portland 001 000 120—4 IP AB R HER BB SO

Queen Shepard ... Linde Drilling ... Lynn _____ 1 3 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 De Biasi ____ 1 4 0 1 0 0 1 Winner—Queen. Looser—Linde. Errors — Austin, Basinski, Stevens, Runs batted in — Beard 3, Stevens, Tipton, Robinson 2, Queen, Eggert 2-base hits — Conatser, Austin, Eggert 3-base hit — Beard. Home runs — Beard. Stevens. Double plays — Basinski, Reich, Austin, Basinski and Austin; Cole, Handley and Stevens; Handley, Cole and Stevens: Conatcer and Reich, Left on bases Lynn ens; Conatter and Reich. Left on bases

— Hollywood 10. Portland 10. Hit by
pitcher — By Linde — Handley. Umpires — Silva, Mutart and Somers.
Time — 2:40. Attendance — 3,180.

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Malloy, Bowman (8) and Kerr, Perry (8); Spicer, Zick (6), Hamner (8)

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Senator Swat:

(Statistics are up-to-date)
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Francis 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 Double plays, 30 Won at home, 3. Lost at home, 6. Won on road, 7. Lost

Bud Shirtcliff, right field. is the largest in the world, more than 450 ships of more than 1,000

Stackhouse Cats Rated Team To Beat for NW Track Title

Already possessing the Northwest Conference dual meet championship for 1952, the Williamette Bearcats amount to the team to beat for the conference meet laurels at Walla Walla Saturday. All league teams converge upon the Whitman College arena for the annual meet, and the outfit expected to give Coach Chester Stackhouse's Methodists the stiffest argument is the Lewis & Clark Pioneers, the Portland aggregation the Bearcats bounced in their dual conclave here last

Saturday's meet will mark the end of Stackhouse's coaching career at Willamette. His resigna-

tion takes effect shortly after.

Expected to come through for valuable points for the Cats in the big meet at Bob Hall and Stan Neperud in the javelin, Wally Boe in the mile and two-mile, Darrell Corkery in the hurdles, Bill Van Horn in the sprints, Ray Fretheim in the pole vault, Ralph Adams in the mile, Jim Hitchman in the shot and Layton Gilson in the discussion of Layton Gilson in the discus.

Conference officials in summing up the advance dope on the meet feel that Willamette may not win too many of the favored, as usual, to walk off events, but should score heavily with the Northern Division tennis enough with other places to cap- play-offs championship here Satture the title.

charge of the annual Oregon High the Vikings are expected to finish and the main races at 2 p. m.

School Track meets here Friday far down the list this year. and Saturday predict a wide open Stayton. High jump, Hagen and Stayton. High jump, Hagen and Stayton. High jump, Hagen and District 7-B showed power in winpossible double winners in the letes who will participate in the Horton of Molalla. Pole vault, and Patchpe of Chemawa. 880-B championships. Medford's Black ning their district title last week, Class A division loom as Spring- weekend meet, and their events, Berkey of North Marion and Lim- Pearson of Gervais and Poe of

to make it five in a row here. at 12:30 p. m. Field events will be 100 and 220. Newport's 1-2 punch Salem and Krupicka of Molalla. poff of Gervais. 100-McCall of Shot, Farman of Mill City and Grants Pass could win it here. disposed of first and running e- of Cloe and Wilkins could bring Low hurdles, Murray of Cascade Gervais and Fleetwood of Mill Nosack of Gervais. Javelin, Far-

carrying a list of free household

gifts for the more fortunate among

Lefty Bob Collins, who hurled

14 innings of hitless ball against

Lewiston last Sunday in his most

ing self, was the starter and loser.

Vancouver picked DeGeorge for

Righthander Bud Guldborg. He

gave a single to Boss Hugh Luby, and Gene Tanselli was safe when

an error was made on a bouncer

Then up stepped Andy (Roches-

him to do-bust one out of the

arena. He did it, a towering smash

off a Guldborg screw ball that

disappeared far over the Roberts

Ad in deep right-center. The wal-

lop, good for three runs, was the

first Senator homer of the season,

driving it in with a sharp single.

But the Solons were still 8-4 be-

hind at this point as the Caps

made merry with the local pitch-

ing.
It was still 8-4 in the lower por-

Locke was greeted by a scream-

DeGeorge helped end his stint

So Close, But - -

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Vancouver ___ 112 301 000— 8 14 3 Salem ____ 300 001 003— 7 10 2

Winning pitcher: Gulborg, losing pitcher: DeGeorge, Balk: Edmunds.

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Locke 25 3 1 0 0 1 0
DeGeorge 215 10 8 4 4 0 3
Edmunds 335 16 6 4 1 1 3

Hit by attacks.

PULLMAN, Wash. (AP) - The

University of Washington will be

HUSKIES FAVORED

urday.

Total 36 14 27 5 Total 36 10 A—Fanned for Edmunds in 6th.

2 Schmidt.lf

Dario Lodigiani's visitors.

those who attend.

14 Hits for Caps

a double play.

in 23 games.

Nelson Drives in Run

was all for Guldborg.

OREGON STATE COLLEGE, sant Hill. Salem finished second for both divisions Saturday, with ed to make a strenuous bid for 880—Glasgow and Knapp of Sa-Oregon School for the Deaf and Corvallis - (Special) - Officials in to Medford in Class A in 1951, but field events starting at 12:30 p. m. the title also, after beating Med-lem. Broad Jump—Paulus of Sa-Oregon School for the Deaf and Corvalis. On the strength of their per-

Tornado has won the Class A title and could conceivably make a field's Bill Dellinger in the 880 are as follows: (Class A listed bocker of Salem. Shot—Fehlen of Chemewa. Broad jump—McCall the last four straight years. But strong bid for the B championship and mile, Newport's Don Cloe in first):

Stayton and Meyers of Salem. and Paulson of Gervais. Dscus, the last four straight years. But strong bid for the B championship and mile, Newport's Don Cloe in first): last week Medford was defeated by Grants Pass in their district finals, and the Tornado doesn't appear to have manpower enough

ford.

Union's Bobcats won the Class vents are scheduled to start at 2 the Cubs many points toward the and Shaw of Silverton. 220—Viele City. Mile, Pearson of Gervais and man and Fleetwood of Mill City. B title last year, beating out Plea- p. m. The finals get under way team title. Grants Pass is expect- of Salem and Ficek of Woodburn. Poe of Chemawa. 440—Martin of Relay—Gervais and Mill City.

lem and G. Small of Stayton. McCall of Gervais and Chase of Discus, Fehlen and Van Handle of

Hurlers Tough

In Major Sked

First Inning Pair

Help Dodgers Win

By The Associated Press

You would have thought the hite ters bats had holes in them of

Thursday so far ahead were the pitchers. The master of them all was Virgil Trucks of the Detroit

Tigers, who tossed a no-hitter, the

first of the season in the majors

Washington Senators, but not be-fore Vic Wertz hit a home run with two cut in the ninth inning

That wasnt the only 1-0 result.
The Boston Red Sox whipped the Chicago White Sox by the same score in Chicago. The Red

Sex managed to collect only thre hits off Ken Holcombe, before h

They scored their run when

Holcombe walked Faye Throne

berry, who stole second and went

to third on catcher Phil Masi wild throw into center field. Tec Lepcio then slashed a single to

left, storing Throneberry. Ray Scarborough was the wine

Billy Loes, a 22-year-old bonus

pitcher of the Brooklyn Dodgers

made his first start a good one by knocking down the lowly Pitte-burgh Pirates, 2-0, on six hits.

The Brooks' bats weren't over-powering, and they scored both

their runs in the first inning of

singles by Pee Wee Reese, Jacks

Robinson and Roy Campanell

along with a walk and an out-

Loes had won three games in relief earlier in the season and the start was his reward for the

good rescue work. His record now

phia Phillies downed the Cincing

nati Reds, 5-1, for Roberts' sixth

triumph in seven decisions. Rob-

erts allowed one less hit than Loes

-five-but he was deprived of

whitewash by Joe Adcock's home

Alex Kellner pitched a four-

hitter, shutting out the Brown

for the second time in eight days,

as the Philadelphia Athletic

scored a 6-0 victory over the

Kellner hit safely three times,

drove in two runs and scored two

in making it a personal triumph,

In the National League the

scheduled games between Chicago and New York and St. Louis and

Boston were called because of becweather. In the American, the

New York at Cleveland game was

put back because of the elements

Vik Juniors Whip

Salem High School Jayvee blasted out three homers, a triple

and three singles in the third along with homers by Gordy El

wood, and John Wilbur, Jerr

Gregg came through with a home

in the fourth inning.

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Norris and Garnero.

Pawley and Pingel, Stryffler

National League

Dickson and Garagiola; Loes and

Cincinnati _____ 000 001 000—1 Philadelphia _____ 120 008 00*—8 Blackwell, Blake (7) and Rossi; Rob

Chicago at New York postponed,

St. Louis at Boston postponed, rain

American League

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Washington _____ 000 000 008-6 0

Porterfield and Kluttz; Trucks and Ginsberg.

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Woodburn, 18-0

run in the sixth inning.

Kellner Blanks Browns

his third of the season.

Noberts and the Philadel.

ner. He yielded only four hits. Want more shutouts?

was lifted in the eighth.

Throneberry Steals

Singles Pay Off

stands at 4-0.

Louis Browns.

That was how it wound up, 1-0.

Trucks and his mates licked the

Tigers' Trucks Fires No-No Against Nationals; Rally in Ninth Falls Short, Senators Lose 8-7

Wide Open Battles Expected for State Track Titles at Corvallis

Anderson Clouts Homer; New Yak Boss Yak Bears Here Tonight

Statesman Sports Editor

An outburst of three runs in the bottom of the ninth inning last night by the town Senators wasn't quite enough at Waters Field, and the resident nine dropped their series finale with the Vancouver Caps, 8-7. The tieing and winning runs were on the sacks, but Negro Relief Pitcher Eddie Locke whiffed Dick Bartle to douse a fire that had threatened to bring the Salems a sweep of the two-game stand.

Now dropped back into the second division after another brief visit to the sunnier side of the standings, the Senators tonight open a fresh series, one of four games, with the Yakima Bears. The Bears play here tonight, Saturday night and twice Sunday in a 2 p. m. dou-Tonight is to be the Salem Police Department's "Third Base

Club" night for the kids (they get in for free), and Saturday night Chiefs Again is to be "Family Night," designed for all members of the family and Top Spokanes; Yaks Victors recent outing, will be on the mound tonight against Manager

Both Wenatchee and Yakima again won Western International League baseball games Thursday Spokane 8-5 and the red-hot Bears George, again not his real pitch-

rolling over Lewiston 7-1. Frankie Dasso went the route to He gave up four runs on five hits series 2-1. Frank Chase was the munds. Larry Mann twirled the loser, his first loss after four final three frames, all scoreless. straight wins.

Yakima swept the three-game a single run in the first inning, series with Lewiston. Dick Stites but Salem wiped that out but pitched Thursday night's win, Ar- quickly in its half of the heat off tie Wilson driving in the only run off him in the ninth. Only 487 watched the game.

(Result of the Tri-City-Victoria

_____003 201 011— 8 11 1 110 020 001— 5 9 3 Wenatchee Dasso and Pocekay: Chase, Palm (6) Salem fans have been waiting for

OSC-Webfoot Series Near

OREGON STATE COLLEGE . (Special) - A four game baseball series that very likely will determine the 1952 northern division tion of the ninth when Luby douchampion will get underway here bled to left with one out. Tanselli Saturday afternoon when the Ore- was hit by a pitch and Anderson gon Webfoots invade Coleman walked. Johnny Moore lined a Field to meet the defending cham-

is slated for Eugene next Mon-day afternoon with the final pair Schmidt, good for two more runs,

on May 23 and 24. and "The Thrush's" third bingle Going into the final series, of the game. This put Moore on Ralph Coleman's Orange club second. Nelson grounded hard to holds a half-game lead over the Jim Wert at first base, and Wert Ducks with an 8-4 mark compar- forced Schmidt at second, leaving ed to Oregon's 7-4 mark. Just a runners at first and third. But half game behind Oregon and still Bartle as next hitter couldn't conin strong contention is darkhorse nect and the rally died. Washington at 7-5. However, all four of the Huskies remaining when in the second inning, as he contests are in the Inland Empire was trying to bunt, he fouled a

against Idaho and Washington pitch against his shin. The blow State. In a two-game pre-season series when he was relieved by Edthe old rivals broke even with Ore- munds. gon State posting a 4-1 victory at Eugene and Oregon coming back strong to trounce the Beavers, 12-5, at Corvallis.

Don White, senior left hander, probably will be Coleman's mound by smacking a single along with choice for the series opener while his double. Schmidt's three blows Don Siegmund, also a southpaw, led the Solon attack, however, is likely to hurl for the Ducks. Remainder of the Orange lineup will be John Thomas, catcher: Jay Dean or Jim Ruggles, first base; Danny Johnston, second VANCOUVER (8) base; Cub Houck, third base; Bobby Buob or Chuck Fisk, shortstop; Dwane Helbig, left field; Captain Ritchey, 2 1 6 0 Tanselliss 3 0 8 4 Peter Goodbrod, center field; and Brswck,cf 4 2 2 0 Andersn,rf

The U. S. fleet of tanker ships



This is Dario Lodigiani, longtime native of Birmingham, Ala, had that could have been turned into Pacific Coast and major league lost previous starts to Cleveland, second sacker who is now in 7-5, and Philadelphia, 10-6, and his first season as a manager had failed to finish any of his ter) Anderson to accomplish what with the Yakima Bears in the four previous starts. Western International League. four-game series with the Sa-lem Senators. The smallest crowd of the sea-

Trucks Did It In Art's Shoes

Salem got to Guldborg for a loner in the sixth, Bob Nelson DETROIT, (A) - Just 19 days ago righthander Art Houtteman of the Detroit Tigers almost pitched a no-hit, no-run game. But Harry Simpson of the Cleveland Indians singled with two out in the ninth inning to spoil it.

Just before Thursday's game, Tiger pitcher Virgil Trucks complained of his tight-fitting shoes. Houtteman offered his and Trucks slipped them on.

"Feel much better." he said. Three hours later Trucks struck out Mickey Vernon of the Washington Senators to record a no-hit, no-run victory. "You've just lost a good pair of baseball shoes," shouted Trucks to Houtteman in the clubhouse after the game.

Silversox Win 7-2

took its toll in the next inning, fourth netted three unearned runs for the Caps, two walks and two hits coming after the boot which tory over Molalla here Thursday in McCall and a sacrifice by Novak NATIONAL LEAGUE would have been the third out . . .

10-The Oregon Statesman, Salem, Ore., Friday, May 18, 1952

Control Turned Trick . . .

Trucks' No-Hitter First For Detroit Since 1912

the seasons first no-hit no-run game in the major leagues Thursday and did it mostly with control

And just when it looked like Trucks might have to go into extra innings against Washington, hulking Vic Wertz blasted a dramatic Mr. No-No two-out home run in the last of the ninth inning to beat the Son-

ators, 1-0.
As Wertz rounded the bases Tiger teammates started backslapping Trucks, who hadn't won game this season and gave up 13 hits in his last trip.

Loser Bob Porterfield, who had pitched no-hit ball himself for nearly six innings, sobbed as he told the story of the games losing pitch: "It was a fast ball, knee high on the inside." Trucks, beaming in the club-

house at his first no-hit game in 11 seasons in the majors, said, 'Control, that was the story, I used my fast ball sparingly. It was a dramatic comeback for Trucks, who had looked miserable this year after winning his last six games of 1951. The 192-pound

Only one no-hitter had ever "Lodi will herd his Bears into been pitched by a Detroit hunler. Waters Field tonight to open a George Mullin did it in 1912, beat-

> son, 2,215 saw the game. It was the second straight victory for the last-place Tigers and equalled their longest winning streak of the scason.

Trucks walked one runner in the eighth inning and hit two batters with pitched balls in the third and sixth. In the second, Gil Coan reached first safely on second baseman Jerry Priddys wild

Only two Senators reached second base and both through errors

Gervais Wins Tourney Berth

CLATSKANIE - John McColl

in drain. Gervais won District 2B. Angeles 5, San Diego 4. McColl who's error on a mis- AMERICAN LEAGUE judged fly in the first inning gave Judged fly in the first inning gave
Westport, District 1B champions, Cleveland 18 9 667 Chicago Westport, District 1B champions, Cleveland 18 # 507 Engle 13 14 481 their only run, came back in the Washigth 14 10 583 St Louis 13 14 481 their only run, came back in the Boston 15 11 527 Philadelp 10 14 417 7 18 280 silverton Silversox scored three on a bunt by Harry Nosak. Again in the eight to pound out a 7-2 vicor the Caps, two walks and two scored Schmidt.

Molalla 000 000 002-2 1 7 tight game, striking out five Cou- Chicago Younts, Reed (5) and B. Reed; Gervais 000 102 0-3 5 1

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WESTERN INTERNATIONAL

Victoria 13 6 684 Lewiston 913 Spokane 13 6 684 Salem 1013 Vancouvr 10 8 556 Yakima 1013 Wenatch 1012 455 Pri-City 914 Wenatch 10 12 455 Tri-City 9 14 391 Thursday results: At Salem 7. Van-couver 8. At Spokane 5. Wenatchee 8. At Lewiston 1, Yakima 7. At Tri-City-Victoria (Score on Page One).

COAST LEAGUE

W L Pct. W L Pct. San Diego 28 16 .636 San Fran 20 23 .465 put together a double and a single Oakland 24 17 585 Portland 18 22 450 as he sparked his Gervais team Hollywod 24 19 588 Seattle 18 24 429 mates to a hard-won 3-1 victory over Westport for the right to enter the state tournament next week 4; at Sacramento 3, Oakland 2; at Los

W L Pet. Westport' Culbertson hurled a New York 17 5 773 St. Louis 12 14 482 Brooklyn 16 7 696 Philadelp 11 13 458 ght game, striking out five Cou-Chicago 14 11 560 Boston 10 14 417 Silverton ... 103 000 03x—7 9 3 gars, although giving up five hits. Cincinati 14 12 538 Phtisburgh 5 23 179 Pittsburgh Vounts Bood (5) and B Bood. Compaign 000 102 0—3 5 1 Thursday results: At New York, Chi- Brooklyn

Layne flew to Portland alone. Mary Jenson, his manager, drove in from Salt Lake City. The fight, which has stimulated nation-wide interest, will be at the

Pacific International arena.

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PORTLAND (AP) - Harry (Kid) Thursday to complete their trainfight here Monday. Matthews and his manager, Jack Chicago

Hurley, arrived by automobile.

New York at Cleveland postponed, ATTENTION

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JOHNNY LONGDEN

next 1,000.

rect offspring of Count Fleet, the colt Longden rode to the triple crown of American racing in 1943. To further dramatize the event,

vious mounts Thursday afternoon,

The only other 4,000-plus winner is Longden's friend, Gordon, Richards of England, who is well ahead with 4,431 victories as of Thursday.

INGLEWOOD, Calif. (P)-Jockey Johnny Longden hit the 4,000th win goal of a distinguished riding career Thursday. Forty-two-yearold Johnny, reaching another mile- Matthews of Seattle and Rex Lavstone in a brilliant career in horse ne of Utah arrived in Portland racing, attained No. 4,000 in the third race at Hollywood Park and ing for the scheduled 10 - round Moss. became the second man in history to do so. Friday he starts on the

The goal was attained in dramatic fashion aboard a heretofore unraced filly, Fleet River, a di-

Fleet Diver was bred and is owned by Mr. and Mrs. John D. Hergz, close friends of the jockey and for whom he rode to fame in the Kentucky Derby, the Preakness and the Belmont Stakes aboard Count Fleet. Longden missed out on two pre-

but he smashed in by five lengths on the favored Fleet Diver, and the crowd set up a terrific roar of applause.