Chitwood Thrill Circus to Show Despite 'Sabotage'

By AL LIGHTNER
Statesman Sports Editor

This 'n that:

The Joie Chitwood Auto Thrill Circus, the same one that has packed Hollywood Bowl the last two times it has appeared there, will produce a double performance at the big Salem speedway next Sunday, June 15, despite someone's efforts to personally erase the show's local outing. Window display cards, advertising the thrill circus, were seen around town for about a week. Then they disappeared.

A gent who claimed he was front-runner for the Clyde Beatty Circus, which is to show in Salem June 16, went around the town tearing down the Chitwood cards, telling store owners, etc., he was authorized to do so inasmuch as the Chitwood circus had been cancelled.

But the fellow made one mistake, and may be hauled into court because of it. He invaded the Valley Sports office at 2134 Fairgrounds Rd., and pilfered its Chitwood ad, giving employees the same false tale he had given the others. The Valley Sports outfit, promoters of auto racing in Salem, is working with the Chitwood people in putting on the big thrill show, and employees can identify the culprit who has been on the crusade to wreck its placard advertising.

Incidentally, the Chitwood circus is the one in which Clark Gable helped make the moving picture, "To Please a Lady." It will make both afternoon and night appearances at Hollybowl June 15, window cards or no window cards . . .

Bill Beard at Wicklund's Sporting Goods Store says he needs only three more sponsors for Class C League junior baseball teams, and but one for the Class B (he hopes the Four Corners merchants will get on the ball for this one). A host of coaches is needed, however, to tutor the various teams, and anyone interested should contact Beard right away. As things look now, there will be eight teams in each circuit this Summer, Which means that around 200 kids between the ages of nine and 15 will be playing baseball.

Although he had to siphon it from a turnout of over 50 aspirants, Coach Vince Genna of the Capital Post No. 9 American Legion team figures he has his starting lineup set for Sunday afternoon's opener at Woodburn. This is it: Lowell Pearce, p; Wayne Osborn, c; Phil Jantze, 1b; Twink Peterson, 2b; Larry Springer, 3b; Chet Schmidt, ss; Clyde Flatwood, lf; Mike Campbell, cf; and Dave Brunkel, rf.

Elks Tourney Finals Sunday

Hunt, Brande to Mix Over 36-Hole Route

The big and climactic match of the 1952 Elks Mid-Willamette Valley Golf Tournament comes Sunday at Salem Golf Club as Jim Hunt of Salem and burly Jack Brande, walloper from Lebanon, battle in the 36-hole finals of the Championship flight.

Brande will be gunning for his second Elks crown and Hunt will be after his first when the pair tee off at 9:30 Sunday morning on the first leg of their crucial scrap. Hunt reached the finals with a lop-sided win over Roger Putnam in the semi-finals and Brande advanced into the title round after nipping Bob Burrell.

The payoff clash was postponed until this week to avoid collision with last weekend's big Shrine Tourney.

The steady Hunt is rated one of the coolest competitors in the area. Brande, a terrifically long hitter, is a hard man to beat if on top of his game.

Other Matches Due

Finals clashes also are on tap in other flights. Bob Sederstrom will meet Bert Victor in the first flight crown duel and in the second Dick Church already has wrapped up the title at the expense of Wendell Miller.

In the third Bob Albrich earlier iced the toga by topping Chris Christiansen and in the fourth Jack Russell disposed of Allen Wood in the finals.

Ken Gallagher and Clay Egelston clash this weekend in the finals in the fifth flight and Del Gwynn and Cliff Ellis are the opponents in the sixth. In the seventh it's Hugh Ivie against Clyde Prall, in the eighth Harland Burns faces Oscar Specht and in the ninth Norman Campion is the champ after having beaten Charles McDevitt.

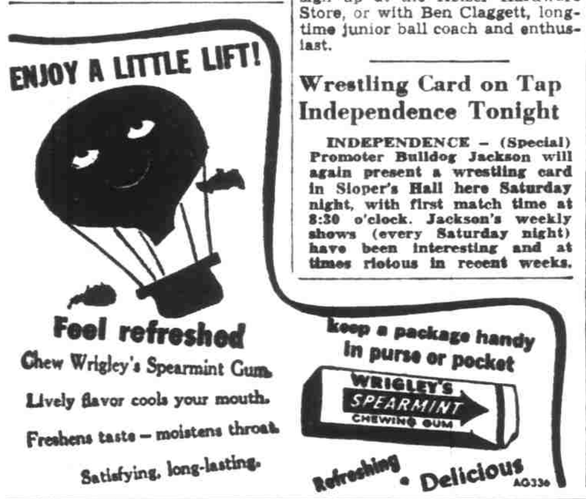
Look and Learn

By A. C. Gordon

1. Who is considered the greatest backstroke swimmer that ever lived?
2. What are the comparative and superlative forms of "little"?
3. What mytholigical character cleaned the Augean Stables?
4. Biscuits in England are what in the United States?
5. Who said, "Fully many a flower is born to blush unseen?

ANSWERS

1. Adolphe Keifer, who won his first U. S. championship in 1935 when he was 16 and was unbeaten until 1943, during which span he competed in more than 250 races throughout the world and won them all.
2. Less and least.
3. Hercules.
4. Crackers.
5. Thomas Gray, in his "Elegy."



They'll Do It Every Time — By Jimmy Hatlo

Deadline June 10

Kids Sign at Fast Clip For Junior Ball Action

Prospective Salem Junior League baseball players are registering at Wicklund's Sporting Goods store at a fast clip (the deadline is June 10), and 12 of the necessary 16 team sponsors are now signed up, according to Bill Beard, president of the B and C circuits who is handling the registrations at Wicklund's.

There is a heavy need for coaches, however, and Beard urges anyone who is interested in tutoring a kids' team to please get in touch with him immediately.

Boys from 9-12 are to play in the Class C "Pee Wee" League, and those from 13-15 will play in the Class B loop.

Class B league sponsors thus far are West Salem Lumber for District 1; Bishop Electric for District 2; Salem Laundry for District 3; Berg's Market for District 4; Keizer Merchants for District 5; Vista Market for District 7 and Orchard Heights for District 8. A District 6 sponsor is needed, and Beard is hoping that Four Corners merchants will get behind one of the junior teams for their area.

Class C sponsors are (1) West Salem Lions, (4) Berg's Market, (5) Keizer, (8) Orchard Heights. Inmates of the Oregon State Prison have offered to sponsor the District 6 (Four Corners) team in the C League, but other sponsors are needed for Districts 2, 3 and 7.

All boys in the Keizer area can sign up at the Keizer Hardware Store, or with Ben Claggett, long-time junior ball coach and enthusiast.

Wrestling Card on Tap Independence Tonight

INDEPENDENCE – (Special) Promoter Bulldog Jackson will again present a wrestling card in Sloper's Hall here Saturday night, with first match time at 8:30 o'clock. Jackson's weekly shows (every Saturday night) have been interesting and at times riotous in recent weeks.

Red Sox Sign Milwaukie Ace

PORTLAND (AP)- Jerry Zimmerman, prize high school catcher from Milwaukie, signed Friday with the Boston Red Sox. The amount he was paid was not disclosed.

A dozen major league scouts watched the 17-year-old catcher belt home runs for his high school and for a semi-pro team. They could not sign him, however, until after graduation last week.

Portland newspapers speculated that he got around $50,000 for signing. He is to be sent to San Jose of the class C California State League.

Lineup Listed For Staytons

STAYTON – (Special) – The lineup for Stayton's American Legion Junior Baseball team has been announced for Sunday's opening play in the district race. Stayton plays Mt. Angel Sunday at 2:30 p.m., on the Cascade Union High School diamond.

Back from last year's squad are Pitcher Dan Feller, Outfielders Howard Speer and Gerald Waldrop and Catcher Clancy Hinrichs.

Others in the lineup are Bill Brown, 2b; Larry Gower, ss; Richard Gilbert, 3b or c; Don Wipper, 1b; Don Olmstead, 3b or ss; Wayne Minten, 2b or ss; Dave Neitling, of or c; Harold Bitterman, p; Roger Neilson, p or of, and Wayne Feller, of.

WALTERS PICKED

BOSTON (AP) — The Boston Braves Friday named Bucky Walters manager of their Milwaukee farm club in the American Association.

Walters, who will assume command of the Brewers in Louisville Saturday, will succeed Charlie Grimm who replaced Tommy Holmes as Boston manager.

Wools Defeat Teamster Club

The Campbell Rock Wools, sparked by a pair of homers, racked their first win of the City Softball League campaign Friday evening at Olinger Field as they pushed over the Teamsters 7-4. It was the Teamsters' second straight loss.

Al Wickert opened the scoring for Rock Wool in the first inning as he socked a four-master with a mate aboard. The Campbells banged the Teamsters' Frank Michel for five tallies in the second, four coming via a grandslam circuit smash by Eddie Salstrom. The Teamsters registered a pair in the seventh when Clarence Richards homered with one on off Bob Parton. Two walks and Howard Barnwell's double produced the losers' other runs in the fourth frame.

In Industrial action the Bears topped 1st Christian 8-7.

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Kemper and Stewart; Archer and Gwynn.

Yanks Sign Up Twins From Trojan Campus

BINGHAMPTON, N. Y. (AP) — Stanley and Harold Charnofsky, 20-year-old twins of Los Angeles, Calif., Wednesday were signed to contracts with Binghampton, New York Yankee farm club in the Class A Eastern League.

The club announced that each twin received a bonus, but the amount was not disclosed.

The brothers graduated from the University of Southern California this week. They were co-captains of the University's baseball team. Stanley plays second base and Harold, shortstop.

Table of Coastal Tides

Tides for Taft, Oregon, June, 1952 (compiled by U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, Portland, Ore.).
Pacific Standard Time

	HIGH WATERS		LOW WATERS	
June	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
7	12:45 p.m.	4.6	6:04 a.m.	-1.5
	11:17 p.m.	7.4	5:14 p.m.	2.8
8	1:33 p.m.	4.8	6:48 a.m.	-1.8
			6:02 p.m.	2.8
9	12:02 a.m.	7.6	7:33 a.m.	-1.9
	2:39 p.m.	4.9	6:54 p.m.	2.8
10	12:49 a.m.	7.5	8:18 a.m.	-1.8
	3:08 p.m.	5.0	7:50 p.m.	2.8
11	1:39 a.m.	7.2	9:06 a.m.	-1.6
	3:57 p.m.	5.2	8:53 p.m.	2.8
12	2:35 a.m.	6.7	9:53 a.m.	-1.2
	4:46 p.m.	5.4	10:03 p.m.	2.6

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