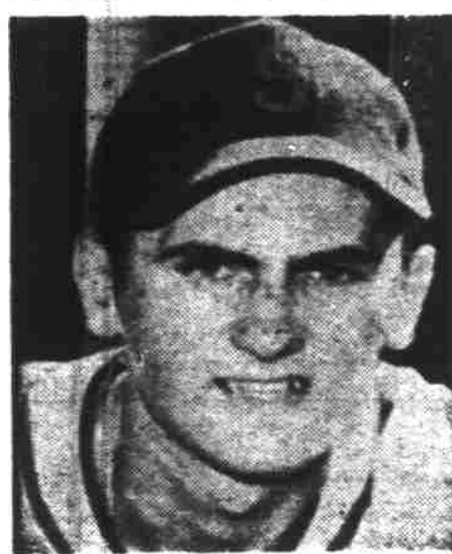


# SPORTS LIGHTNER

Great gesture on the part of George Alexander's guests—they're putting up the money to sponsor the Four Corners district entry in the Class "Fee Wee" junior baseball league. Team could appropriately be called "Crimebusters."



DICK SINOVIC  
Luby trying for him.

"name" veterans in Bobby Doerr and Ralph Buxton, however. Of the whole pack listed herein, Wenner, Burgher, Stetter, Wilkie, Shinn, Saltzman and Dierckx have played for Senator nines in the past. Storey needs no attached history. Scrivens and George are well known for their feats at Willamette U. Trichel is the former Boston Braves and Wenatchee Chiefs whizballer. Averill is the U. of Oregon slugging son of the once famous Cleveland outfielder and Gilbertson will be remembered for his sparkling basketball play of seasons gone by with the Washington Huskies. . . . Also, former OCE star Chuck Humble, now baseball coach at Myrtle Point, is shortstopper for Coquille, and young Tommy Hunt, onetime Salem junior high athletic standout who transferred to Bend with the Howard Maple family, is outfielder and hitting well for the same Coquille team. . . . We've seen nothing of where Curt Schmidt landed with one of the semipro clubs as he planned, and have the suspicion that "The Thrush" tied in with Wenatchee, on a trial basis, when the Chiefs last visited here. . . .

## Young Larry Keeps Mrs. Nelson on the Move

Busiest Waters Fielder of the season thus far isn't concessions boss Bill Strawn, or the gardener in charge of the "Third Base Club," or Bob Collins trying to get his smoker over the plate. In fact it's a she—Mrs. Bob Nelson, comely wife of the crack Senators catcher. The Nelson offspring, a little low-headed Larry, is a friendly like of about two years old who seems bent on visiting all portions of the grandstand and everyone in it, all within the span of 10 minutes each night. Mrs. Nelson is therefore compelled to spend as much energy chasing down and corralling the wee live wire as her illustrious husband is handling both the Senator pitching staff and the No. 4 spot in the batting order.

Pappa gets to rest between innings, but mamma is in action at all times. . . .

WIL fans are supporting the new deal in the circuit this season, and much more so than they did a year ago when we had Class Double-A baseball disguised as Class B. League Boss Bob Abel's compilation of attendance through games of May 31 disclosed that a 41 per cent increase has been made over the same period of a season ago. The turnstile total up to June 1 was 193,640 as compared to 137,339 for the same period in 1951. Abel feels that at that rate the coveted goal of one million customers will be reached by closing time in September.

The breakdown on the gate figures up to June 1: Spokane leading with 41,109. Victoria second at 28,859, and then in order, Vancouver 25,314 (despite record number of rainouts), Lewiston 24,704, Salem 21,401, Wenatchee 20,916, Tri-City 17,578 and Yakima 15,759.

## Boss Luby Trying to Land Dick Sinovic

Another big help this year is the fact that the pennant derby isn't a shoo-in for a couple of clubs as it was in 1951 when Spokane and Vancouver made a shambles of the chase. Victoria now owns a comfortable lead and Spokane is a distinct threat. But none of the other clubs with the possible exception of Yakima and Wenatchee, can be yet counted out of the battle.

Our own Senators might be getting real tough one of these days, for Boss Luby isn't by any means content with what he's got. The long ball hitting Bill Spaeter joins the club in a few days, and Luby has been in touch with Joe Engle at Chattanooga, object: We want to beg, borrow or steal Dick Sinovic if he's available. Rousing Richard hasn't been going too well with the Look-outs lately, and Engle promised Luby that if the parent Washington Nationals provide Chattanooga with some expected help, Sinovic will be offered to Salem first and foremost.

"With that guy in center field for us, and with Spaeter's bat in the lineup," quoth the Senators bossman, "we could become just as tough as any outfit in the league."

(Anyone having truck with Washington Owner Clark Griffith please urge that he immediately provide Chattanooga with help.)

## Charley Congdon Takes Lead In Washington Golf Tourney

CLARKSTON, Wash. (AP)—Charley Congdon, Tacoma professional, knocked four strokes off par here Monday at the Clarkston Golf and Country Club for a 67 and a two-shot bulge on the rest of the Washington State Open golf tournament field.

He toured the front nine in 31, three under regulation, and managed the back side with one under, for 68. He had a 10 on the 18th, one of two easy par-four holes on the course. His score Monday gave him a 136 at the end of 36 holes.

Eddie Hogan, Portland professional, was alone at 138, adding a 68 to his 70 of Sunday. At 139 is Bill Welch, former Lewiston pro now at Kennewick.

Temperatures in the middle 90s all but killed the most studly players, but cooler weather was promised by the weatherman for Tuesday's 36-hole final.

Duane Bergstrom of Pullman and Bud Ward of Great Falls, Mont., both pros, slipped from their first-day scores to end up in a tie for fourth at 140. Bergstrom had a 72, Ward a 71.

Bracketed at 131 are Ray Honsberger, host pro, Emery Zimmerman of Portland, the defending champion, and Harry Umbinetti, Seattle, all professionals, and Paul



AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Club	W	L	Pct.
D'Maggio, Boston	42	186	35 17 343
Rosen, Cleveland	48	180	33 60 333
Kell, Boston	48	178	35 36 336
Johnson, Brooklyn	45	145	35 49 338
Fox, Chicago	47	204	21 64 326
Robinson, Chicago	50	193	23 60 311
Mantel, New York	42	122	16 38 311
Goodman, Boston	39	118	37 311
Avila, Cleveland	50	196	36 306
Doby, Cleveland	47	174	24 311
Lenhardt, Detroit	37	133	24 40 301

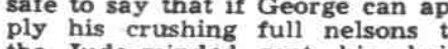
NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Club	W	L	Pct.
Sauer, Chicago	49	190	35 66 347
Lockman, New York	46	183	43 62 339
Robison, Brooklyn	45	145	35 49 338
Musial, St. Louis	50	173	29 57 330
Baumholtz, Chicago	35	134	24 43 321
Adams, Cincinnati	49	32	16 40 313
Lowry, St. Louis	42	128	16 40 313
Gordon, Boston	41	146	21 45 308
114	114	25 311	
Kiszewski, Cincinnati	38	146	19 44 301

## It's The Muscle Against The Sleeper . . .

### Dusette Tangles With Yamato on Mat

George (The Muscle) Dusette, who yows he'll put a sizeable knot in Toi Yamato's noggin if the latter tries his pet sleeper hold on the popular French Canadian, went into the tonight wades into the Jap mat nasty from Singapore in the top feature on Matchmaker Elton's weekly show at the Armory.

Never has Dusette been put to sleep by one of the dangerous but effective holds, and he doesn't intend any changes in that record tonight. He watched the Singapore Slinger put the slumber pinch on Kurt von Poppenheim here last week and immediately asked Owen for a whack at him. Dusette has always relaxed taking on the rasslin' cuprits, and the barefoot Jap certainly is a member in good standing of that fraternity.



George Dusette

## Senators Start 3-Game Road Series, Lewiston; Club to Return Friday

About as happy over their Sunday sorties with Tri-City as a kid who had just broken his neighbor's window, the town Senators departed for Lewiston Monday. They open a three-game stand with Bill Brenner's Broncs tonight, and return to Waters Field warfare next Friday night to take on the loop-leading Victoria Tyes in the start of a four-game series.

The Salems dropped three of four games to Tri-City as a climax to each of the four days of the road series. The trio of consecutive setbacks ruined what had previously been a solid surge toward the first division of the WIL standings.

All of a sudden the Solon pitching went blotto against the Braves, and Bob Collins, Jack Hemphill and Ray McNulty were recipients of the three lunkings. The only promising portion of the dates with the T-City crew was Sal DeGeorge's four-hit win in the first game. If Silent Sal has at long last regained his 1951 form, there's good reason to believe the local dandies will be a much more potent outfit than they've been in the first weeks of the pennant race.

DeGeorge likely will face the Broncs in tonight's opener at Lewiston.

Special Nights Coming  
When the club returns Friday it will run into four straight special "nights" here. Friday night is the annual and always well-attended "Salent" Y.M.C.A. Family Night, and local "X" officials are now busy selling tickets for the occasion, hoping to better the 2,272 the same sortie attracted into the park last season.

Special events chairman Gene Vandenynde has arranged to have a group of trapshooters give an actual demonstration at the park Saturday night, getting the okeh from Park Thede, Salem Gun Club official. The gun club is playing host to the Oregon State Trapshooting tournament, the latter part of the week, and Vandenynde hopes to have four or five of the Northwest's top marksmen show their skill to the Saturday night audience.

Sunday's 6:30 p. m. doubleheader will be devoted to "Father and Son Night," and prizes are to be given to dads and their boys, same including a bicycle, gloves, bats and balls.

Seattle Next Monday  
Then on Monday night the Senators take on the Seattle Rainiers here in the big exhibition game, the first time in history that a Seattle Coast League team will have played in Salem. Regular WIL admission fees will prevail for that game and tickets for it are now available at the ball park or at Wicklund's Sporting Goods store.

After the Seattle game the Salems go on the road for a 12-game trip. The Sacramento Solons are to play here in another exhibition battle Monday, June 30. (See "Senator Swat" for up to date batting and pitching marks for the Senators.)

A check of attendance figures disclosed that for the first 27 games now played here at home a total of 28,926 fans have paid to see them. The total for the first 27 games of last season, when the Salems notched a new gate record, was 24,695. The current deficit is but 3,438, therefore.

## Hogan, Burke Golf Invalids

DALLAS (AP)—Ben Hogan and Jackie Burke turned up with stiff necks Monday to meet Sam Snead's swollen knuckle, giving a hospital aspect to the National Open golf tournament which starts Thursday.

However, most of the advance arrivals for this 52nd blue ribbon championship were complaining of a pair of more common maladies: intense heat and Northwood's tough par 70.

Hogan, the defending champion seeking his fourth title in five years, and Burke, the season's leading money winner, developed cricks in their necks over the weekend, apparently from air conditioning.

## Bears Batter Parent Seals

YAKIMA, Wash. (AP)—San Francisco's Seals of the Pacific Coast League found the last place team of the Class A Western International League, too much to handle as they lost to the Yakima Bears Monday night, 7-4.

The Seals of the open one notch above Triple-A Coast circuit were outbitt by their Yakima farm club, 10-8. The hapless Seals had lost seven straight to Seattle in their last series.

Yakima stepped off to a two-run lead in the first inning off starter Bill Savage, added single runs in the fourth and fifth, a paid in the seventh and one more in the eighth. Savage was relieved by Matt Zidich in the sixth.

The Seals were scoreless until the sixth when singles by Jim Moran and Bob Thurman produced a run. They got two more in the seventh on an error, a double by Hank Biasatti and single by Will Tiesler, and finished with a solo run in the eighth on Thurman's single and Bill McCawley's double.

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Yakima . . . 200 110 21x—7 10 2  
Savage, Zidich 6 and Tiesler; Del Sarto, Donley 4, Monahan 7, Shander 8 and Meyers, Fannell 6.

## He Had Pleasant Day Off

Salem barber Maynard Drawson usually goes fishing on Mondays, off-days for the tonsorial artists, and displays above a good reason why he goes. He caught this limit of trout in a small lake above Breitenbush, the largest fish measuring 16½ inches, the smallest 10 inches.

INDIANS BUY MAJESKI  
CLEVELAND (AP)—The Cleveland Indians bought veteran third baseman Hank Majeski from the Philadelphia Athletics Monday.

# Brooks, Bosox Get Wins



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## New Elks King and Runnerup



Jim Hunt, left, of Salem in the 1952 Salem Elks Club links tournament champion as a result of his 3-2 victory over Jack Brande, right, of Lebanon in Sunday's 36-hole finale at SGC. Their match ended in a big annual par conclave.

## No Decision on Hoop Change

## PCC Rules Out Redkey As Cleanup Discussed

PORTLAND (AP)—Hopeful talk about the way to clean up college sports engrossed Pacific Coast Conference officials in their annual meeting here Monday.

Spokesmen announced at the end of the day's session that no decisions have been reached, but that the coaches, athletic directors and faculty representatives of the nine conference schools hoped to find ways to put the sports program beyond reproach.

The officials reached two decisions. One was to grant another year of eligibility for six athletes: Elias Eshara, USC baseball player; Gary Hathaway, UCLA football player; James H. Hutchinson, California track man; Douglas P. Penrose, California swimmer; Grant Spaeth, Stanford golfer; and James Stewart, Stanford rugby player.

Redkey Denied Eligibility  
They denied Bob Redkey of Oregon State the right to compete in football next fall, ruling that he had used up his eligibility. This was a blow to Oregon State, which had counted heavily on Redkey as a line-backer next season. Redkey was ruled out because he played for Oregon Tech in his freshman year.

The other was to retain the rule that boxers, once beyond the age of 16, cannot compete in any but school bouts.

No Details Given  
No details were disclosed on the sports "cleanup." H. P. Everest, acting president of the University of Washington, serving as a spokesman, said only that such matters as recruiting, subsidizing, grade standards and alumni activity were in the discussions, which will continue Tuesday.

Results, if any, will be announced later. The meeting is scheduled to continue through Thursday.

Talks also began on the proposal to have all conference teams play each other in basketball, but no decision was reached, he said. At present the conference is divided into northern and southern divisions for basketball, the division winners playing off for the title.

## Tar Heeler at Oilers

CHAPEL HILL, N. C. (AP)—Tom Scott, University of North Carolina basketball coach, announced Monday he had resigned to take over as coach of the Phillips Petroleum "66" Oilers AAU team at Bartlesville, Okla.

He succeeds Cab Renick, who will remain in the Phillips organization.

## Greyhounds June 16

PORTLAND (Special)—The 20th annual Multnomah Kennel Club greyhound racing meeting will open here at Multnomah Stadium Monday night, June 16. The 1952 meeting, scheduled for 59 nights, will include racing every night except Sunday through August 16. Then, after a one-week layoff during the Multnomah County Fair, racing will resume through August 29.

## Senator Swat:

(Statistics are up to date and official)											
Club	W	L	Pct.	Ab	H	R	BI	PI	BB	ER	ERA
Luby, 2b	174	57	12 0 0	17	323						
Nelson, 1b	142	30	0 33	42	242						
Bartie, 1b	183	50	15 2 0	26	273						
Tansell, ss	168	43	5 3 0	11	236						
Deyo, lf	142	33	3 22	35	242						
Moore, cf	137	32	4 0 0	18	234						
Galli, u	82	18	2 0 1	19	209						
Anderson, rf	164	35	5 2 1	19	215						
Tuckett, 3b	198	39	3 2 0	20	197						
Francis, p	3	5	0 2 2	1							
Thrascher, c	8	1	0 0	3	125						

Pitching: G Ip W L O S Bb Er  
Edmonds . . . 14 59 5 5 23 41 12  
McNulty . . . 14 111 5 7 37 36 37  
DeGeorge . . . 12 53 3 22 35 42  
Hemphill . . . 10 47 3 3 28 22 48  
Collins . . . 11 72 4 6 54 68 31  
Anderson . . . 3 5 0 2 2 1  
Aubertin . . . 3 0 0 5 6 2  
Total double plays, 62. Won at home, 14; on road, 9. Lost at home, 12; on road, 15.

## Pirates Edged for 39th Loss; Ex-Red Sox Star for Detroit

By The Associated Press  
Brooklyn and Boston increased their first place margins Monday, the Dodgers whipping the St. Louis Cardinals, 6-2, and the Red Sox downing the Detroit Tigers, 9-8.

The Brooks boosted their National League lead to five games over the New York Giants while the Red Sox opened up a full game lead over the second place New York Yankees. The Giants, Yankees and Indians were idle.

Trailing 2-0 at the end of six innings in a night game at Sportsman's Park, the Brooks evened the score at 2-2 when Peeewe Reese cracked a bases-loaded single in the seventh and went out in front in the eighth on two-run homers by Roy Campanella and Carl Furillo.

Former Red Sox slugger Don Lenhardt and Walter Dropo drove in seven of the eight Tiger runs against their old teammates, but an error by shortstop Johnny Pesky, another ex-Red Sox player, allowed Boston's winning run to cross the plate.

In the only other game, Boston's Braves nipped the Pittsburgh Pirates, 3-2. Rookie Ben Thorpe drove in two Boston runs to back up Jim Wilson's five-hit pitching. Ben Friend was the loser.

Rain washed out the scheduled night game between Chicago and the Senators in Washington.

## Walcott Bout With Layne Reported Near

SALT LAKE CITY (AP)—Mary Jensen, who manages a young heavyweight Rex Layne, said Monday the proposed Layne-Jersey Joe Walcott championship fight in Salt Lake City "is a lot closer to reality than most anyone suspects."

Jensen said the fight would have a dual attraction for the veteran heavyweight champ: a \$250,000 to \$500,000 gate and a chance to avenge an earlier loss to Layne.

Jensen said he had not received any satisfaction in his complaint that manager Jack Hurley had "trunk out" on a rematch between Hurley's fighter, Harry (Kid) Matthews, and Layne. Jensen said he holds a contract which gives Layne another chance at Matthews, who beat him last month in Portland.

Jensen said the International Boxing Club said it couldn't do anything about it, the New York Boxing Commission said it was powerless outside New York state, and the National Boxing Association said it couldn't do anything until the state of Washington filed a protest.

He checked with Washington and the commission said it couldn't do anything but suspend the promoter, Jimmy Fitten, who can't be found," Jensen said. "So it looks like the old runaround."

Jensen said the rematch was to have taken place in Matthews' home town of Seattle.

## Rock Wools Blast Randle

Gordy McMorris' home run in the second and Don Christanson's and Al Wickert's doubles in the sixth sparked the Campbell Rock Wools to a 7-2 victory over Randle Oil in a City Softball game Monday night at Olinger Field.

McMorris, first man up in the second for the Wools, blasted out a homer with one out, but three more runs came in on an error and a single. Another double was blasted out by Al Wickert in the sixth frame.

Dick Jones made a round tripper for Randle in the second although he got credit only for an error. He hit a home run to Christanson in center field which was muffed.

In industrial play, the Telephone workers beat out 10 runs in the fifth inning, but still fell to Commercial Seat Cover, 11-10. The covers scored on a homer by Douglas in the first and built up a 10-run lead by the sixth, when the workers tied things up. In the overtime 7th, the Covers scored four runs on two walks, two singles and a double.

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Hartzel and Fix; Arnie and Reams.

## Oakland, Solons Trade Outfielders

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP)—The Oakland Oaks and Sacramento Solons of the Pacific Coast League swapped outfielders Monday.

Johnny Ostrowski, 32-year-old right hander who has hit 10 home runs this season, moves from the last place Senators to the third place Oaks. Len Attyd, 24, swaps his Acorn uniform for that of a Solon.

## Veck Sets Out On Trading Trip

ST. LOUIS (AP)—St. Louis Browns owner Bill Veck headed East Monday night ready to "trade anybody except Satchel Paige."

This seemed to leave the way open for him to dispose of the team's pitching ace of last year, Ned Garver, if Veck can get what the club needs most—some solid hitters.

## ROBINSON IN TRAINING

POMPTON LAKES, N. J. (AP)—Middleweight champion Ray Robinson, whose main problem is to hold his weight for his June 23 title scrap with light heavyweight king Joey Maxim, confined his activities to road work Monday. Sugar Ray boxed over the weekend.

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