

Giants Drop 31-24 Nod in Last Minute of Play

White Sox Lose, Fall Farther Behind Tribe

Chicago Sunk By Kuenn Fly

Washington Whacks Boston, Vernon Stars

By JACK HAND
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Chicago lost valuable ground in the American League race Saturday when Detroit rallied with two out in the last of the ninth to trip the White Sox 9-8, scoring the winning run on Harvey Kuenn's sacrifice fly.

Washington hopped the Boston Red Sox 18-9 with Mickey Vernon hitting a grand slam homer to drop the Sox further behind the league-leading Cleveland Indians. It was a scheduled doubleheader but the second game was rained out and rescheduled for Monday night.

The New York Yankees' doubleheader at Baltimore was completely washed out and rescheduled for Monday afternoon.

Rain and wet grounds forced postponement of two National League games, Philadelphia at Brooklyn and Pittsburgh at New York.

Milwaukee broke a four-game losing streak to down the Chicago (Cont'd next page.)

Ready to Ramble in 8th Annual Shrine All-Star Game



This pair of familiar Salem prep football stars expect to see plenty of the action Saturday night at Portland in the 8th Annual Shrine Benefit All-Star football game. At left is Neal Scheidel, outstanding halfback for South Salem High's state co-champions last season, and at right is Terry Salisbury, North Salem's booming

Senators Lose in 10th Inning, 5-4

SPORTSLIGHTNER

by Al Lightner

Sunday sorties:
Vern Gilmore, major domo of the city schools athletic and recreational ventures and owner of a vast background of commissions, chairmanships and what-have-you, is to be the new chief of the officiating program involving the high schools of the immediate valley area. To Vern goes the unenviable responsibility of providing the always popular whistle tooters for games played in the new Capital Conference, the Willamette Valley, Yamana and Marion B Leagues and for those in which the local prep schools participate. The expenditure for aspirin will triple in the Gilmore household, but Mr. G. will still do a good job. Speaking of commissionerships, we admit that we have been approached by Pacific Coast Conference men as a possible successor to Frank McCormick as supervisor of PCC basketball officials. But to put a foot on the thing before it runs away with itself, we have not accepted the job and won't do so unless the stipen for same becomes much healthier than it is. There isn't much sense in being shot at unless one is well paid for it. Basketball officiating in the PCC should be much more rosier for the tooters from here in, after the way in which the conference daddies recently hung stiff fingers on those members whose coaches made with too much verbal mayhem at the striped-shirted last season. The assessments came as a surprise jolt to the guilty, and were severe enough to make 'em simmer down considerably. A quiet coach can do much to keep a vibrant rooting section in a peaceful mood. A yaker, which is a term for a mentor who wants to referee as well as coach during a game, does more to stir up the helping animals than a hotfoot. It now costs him when he does it in the PCC. Final Lone Oak Track event during the State Fair this year will be a full-scale motorcycle racing program, the first held at the oval as a feature of the extravaganza. Auto racing us-



VERN GILMORE
New boss of officials.

Don Kuhn Wins Stock Hard Top Race at Bowl

Don (Georgie) Kuhn won the 50-lap feature race for Stock Hard Tops at Hollywood Bowl Saturday night.
A huge field of 30 cars timed in for the meet, sponsored by the Capital Auto Racing Association, and some of the best action of the night came in the heat races. A flurry of collisions thinned the ranks of the big field that started the 50-lap race.

leaving six cars on the track at the finish.

Kuhn won the race after spinning out of control on the final turn, backing around, and crossing the finish line ahead of Jack Provost who was second. Stan Dietz was third; Dencil Wilson, fourth; Fay Ladd, fifth, and Gene Schultz, sixth.

Kuhn and Provost also finished one-two in the fastest seven-lap heat which saw Merl Bost finish third and "Duffy," fourth. Kuhn finished fast to grab the lead late in the race from Provost, and Fay Ladd moved into second on the last lap, only to spin out of control on the final turn.

Other heats were won by Rich Lawrence, Val Jones and Bert Krager, while "Duffy" won the fast trophy dash and Val Jones the "B" dash. The 25-lap Class B Main was won by Val Jones with Glen Shwedby placing second.

Prall Keeps Golfing Lead

VANCOUVER, Wash. (Special) — Bob Prall's putter misbehaved Saturday, but the Salem youngster overcame his difficulty to maintain a one stroke lead after the second round of the annual Oregon Golf Association medal play championship.

Prall turned in identical cards of 37 for a two over par 74. With his first round 69 on Friday, Prall's 143 was one stroke ahead of George Harrington, Medford, and Roy Atkins, Portland.

Prall will be a sophomore at the University of Oregon this coming fall.

The tournament closes Sunday with a final 18-hole round.

Dials Balks In Final Run

SALEM (Special) — The Lewiston Broncos downed the Salem Senators in 10 innings here Saturday night as Pitcher Bill Dials of the Salems committed a balk with the bases loaded.

Dials, fifth hurler of the game for Salem, was about to pitch to Pinch-hitter Ralph Rose. He apparently caught his spikes in the pitching rubber and stumbled before he could throw the ball. That ended the game.

Salem had been working on a four-game winning streak. Lefty Marion Cowdell opened for the Senators but lasted only one inning. Lewiston got three tallies off him in the first on three walks and two hits.

Dials got a run in the third on Jack Dunn's single and Don Fralley's double, off Bob Wadsworth who went all the way for the Broncos to rack his 7th win. Lewiston scored again in the fifth, off Bill Walsh, on Raul Dieppa's double and a single by Manager Hill's Layne.

Salem got two in the eighth on a couple of walks, an error, Bill Whitson's sacrifice fly and Mel Krause's right field. Whitson was playing right field for the Senators.

Agostia Ties Score

Fralley's single and Tommy Agostia's double brought about the final Salem run in the ninth to tie the score at 4-4.

John Wortham pitched the sixth inning for Salem after Falch hurled four. Krause twirled three more and Dials took over in the 10th. Layne's single, an error by Agostia, a sacrifice and an intentional walk to John McNamara set it up for the balk.

The teams play a night doubleheader Sunday.

Salem..... 001 000 021 0-4 7 1
Lewiston..... 300 010 000 1-5 6 2
Cowdell, Walsh (2), Wortham (6), Krause (7), Dials (10) and King, Wadsworth and McNamara.

Oswego Trips Salem Lasses

KLAMATH FALLS (Special) — The Salem Merchants, girls softball team, bowed Saturday to the Lake Oswego girls team here in the state women's softball tournament, 1 to 0. It was a no hit, no run effort for Oswego's Jackie Rice.

The Salem team nevertheless has third place in the tourney cinched and will play Oakridge Sunday at 2 p.m. at Gem Stadium here to determine the second place winner.

The winner of this one will meet the Oswego team again Sunday night in the closing tilt of the three-day tournament. Eleven teams took part.

Lake Oswego's only score was disputed vociferously by Salem, an argument that held up the game for several minutes. Salem maintained that a hit by Oswego's Monick Whetton to Salem's shortstop should have resulted in Miss Whetton being called out at first base. She was ruled safe.

Then Miss Whetton stole two bases and scored when Joan Saffery hit and was called safe at first base in another disputed decision.

Salem..... 000 000 0-0 0 0
Oswego..... 100 000 1-1 6 1
Hurley and Duncan; Rice and Lindsey.

49ERS WIN GAME

SACRAMENTO — The San Francisco 49ers defeated the Pittsburgh Steelers here Saturday night, 60-14.

Shrine Stars Exhibit Form

PORTLAND (Special) — State and Portland-area football all-stars sprinted through rugged game-type scrimmage sessions Saturday as both squads closed the first week of practice.

The annual exhibition game, matching the top seniors of last season's Oregon high school teams, is scheduled next Saturday night at Multnomah Stadium. Proceeds go to the Shrine Hospital for Crippled Children here.

Metro coach Tom DeSylvia staged a regulation game for his week-end practice at Lewis and Clark College, dividing his squad in half. DeSylvia said he was pleased with the overall performance in the intrasquad game.

The Staters also held a long scrimmage, giving coach Lee Gustafson a fair idea of his probable starting lineup. The State team is training at Portland University.

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'Bo' Snares Golf Lead at Chicago

By JERRY LISKA
CHICAGO (AP)—Francis (Bo) Winger, slick swinger from Oklahoma City, surged from seven strokes behind to move into the 54-hole lead of the \$100,000 "World" Golf Tourney by one stroke Saturday.

The third, or "choke-up" round of the high-pressure quest for the \$50,000 first prize, saw halfway leader Bob Rosburg blow sky-high for an 80 and a 54-hole total of 213.

Winger, whose largest previous prize in three previous seasons was \$2,200, came roaring up from a fourth-place tie at 36 holes to carve a 36-33-69 third round out of Tam O'Shanter's 36-36-72.

Tied for second at 210 were Wally Ulrich, who shot a 75, and Gehe Litter, who dropped an eight footer on the last hole for a 70.

It was a windswept day and a tough one for the 105 pros who went tramping after Rosburg. Par was extremely elusive as a tricky wind and hard, bumpy greens teased the players.

Rosburg's horrible 80 after two opening rounds of 66 and 67 was the biggest blowup in Tam history.

Marred by Bogeyes

After staggering to an opening 39, marred by four bogeys, the unorthodox swinger from Palo Alto, Calif., rolled to a closing 41 as he committed six more bogeys.

Winger and Julius Boros, 1952 World champion, were the only ones of the entire field to better 70. Boros, like Winger, fired a 69 to capture fourth place at 211, two strokes behind.

The whole complexion of the tourney changed at the 50th hole when the hard-pressing Winger took command by moving two strokes ahead of Rosburg and Ulrich.

15-Year-Old Lass Cops 2 Swim Crowns

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Three champions were dethroned, two records broken and a 15-year-old Ridgewood, N. J., girl emerged from comparative swimming obscurity Saturday night to become a double winner in the Women's National AAU Swimming and Diving Championships.

156 U. S. Olympians—all possible representatives—were crowned in the 100-meter backstroke, the 400-meter freestyle and the 800-meter freestyle in which a new American record was established. An American citizens' mark was set in the 200-meter breaststroke.

The blonde New Jersey teenager, prettily blue-eyed Carin Cone, became the meet's first double winner when she splashed to a narrow victory in the 100-meter backstroke over Cynthia Gill of Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

Only Friday night, Miss Cone tied a world record in winning the 200-meter backstroke in 2:45.6.

A comparative newcomer on the national swimming scene, the smooth-stroking teenager shot into the lead at the start, and held it all the way, staying off a belated bid by Miss Gill, who was clocked in 1:16.1.

Miss Cone's time was a tenth of a second off the American record set for a 50-meter course, 1:15.5, by Shelley Mann, Walter Reed Swim Club, Washington, D. C. Miss Mann, the defending champion in the event, wound up fourth in the field of eight with 1:16.3.

Mary Jane Sears, Walter Reed, successfully defended her 200-meter breaststroke championship, establishing a new American citizen record of 3:01.4. Earlier Saturday in a preliminary heat, she covered the distance in 3:04.3 which also bettered the citizen's record of 3:07.4 she herself set at Indianapolis last year.

Olympic diving champion Pat McCormick, an upset victim Friday in the platform diving competition, bounded back Saturday to retain her title in that event.

Doughie Gray, another Walter Reed standout, upset defending champion Carolyn Green of Fort Lauderdale, Fla. (Cont'd next page.)

Honors Won By Guglielmi

CHICAGO (AP)—Ralph Guglielmi of Notre Dame, who directed and passed the College All-Stars to victory over the Cleveland Browns, was acclaimed Saturday as the game's most valuable player.

Two-thirds of the 110 sports writers who covered Friday night's 30-27 thriller picked the former Irish quarterback as the standout of the cast of 1954 collegiate seniors who turned back the National Football League champs.

L. G. duPre of Baylor, whose long runs were vital to the Stars' attack, was the runner-up to Guglielmi. DuPre was the choice of 38 writers.

The other 80 Stars to receive votes were tiny Tad Weed of Ohio State, who kicked three field goals and two extra points, and Mel Triplett, Toledo fullback. Weed received nine votes; Triplett one.

E. L. (Curly) Lambeau, the All-Stars' head coach, topped the writers' selection by turning Guglielmi's work "the greatest job of quarterbacking I ever saw."

While Coach Paul Brown of the Browns blamed the pro champs' defeat on his belief that "our defense broke down," it was obvious to the crowd of 75,000 in Soldier Field that the All-Star offense was razor sharp.

Guglielmi, who will play pro ball for the Washington Redskins, kept the attack rolling by calling every play.

Tussle Faced By Little Tad

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Little Tad Weed, who booted the College All-Stars to victory over the Cleveland Browns Friday night, must still win his job with the Los Angeles Rams.

The local pros signed the former Ohio State placekicker earlier this week before he kicked three field goals and a couple of extra points in the Stars' 30-27 victory.

That performance pleased Ram Coach Sid Gillman, yet he was cautious when asked if the 145-pound specialist will be carried through the season. He said that "depends on the condition of the squad at the time the cut has to be made."

Elaborating, Gillman continued: "By that I mean several things. The physical condition of certain players, which men, if we lost to the draft, how our balance is at the time, and whether or not Weed continues to kick field goals and conversions like he did Friday night.

WU Season Tickets Go on Sale Monday

Season tickets for the 1955-56 athletic year at Willamette University will go on sale Monday, it was announced Saturday by John Lewis, WU athletic director. A season ticket for the four home football games the Bears will play is priced at \$8 (single admission tickets \$1.80). An all-sports season ticket, for football and 12 home basketball games is priced at \$16.

Tickets can be secured by mailing checks to Dave Lewis, Business Manager, Willamette University.

Packers Take See-Saw Game

Tobin Rote, Howton Team to Spill NY's

SPokane (Special to The Statesman)—The Green Bay Packers broke a 24-24 tie in the last minute of play here Saturday night to take a 31-24 victory over the New York Giants in their first National Professional League exhibition football game before a slurr crowd of 14,000. There were but 45 seconds left to play when Quarterback Tobin Rote fired a 16-yard pass to End Gary Knefel for the winning touchdown. The ball eluded Defender Wayne Berry and dropped into Knefel's hands for the score.

Fred Cone, who had earlier brooded a field goal and three conversion points, made good with the placement for the final score.

Carmichael in Runback

The clash was a see-saw thriller almost throughout, and it was a spectacular runback of a kickoff by Al Carmichael, former Southern Cal star that set up the winning TD. He took Ben Agajanian, a kick off on his five-yard line, dropped it, picked it up and started to scoot. He was finally brought down on the Giants 22, a 73-yard romp. Rote passed to Knefel for the score three plays later.

The Packers scored the first touchdown with but 1:47 played in the game. Frank Gifford fumbled on the first scrimmage play and the Packers took over on the New York 22. A pass, from Rote to End Bill Howton scored from 24 yards out and Cone made it 7-0.

Tunnell Nabs Fumble

The New Yorkers started a drive late in the period after Joe Johnson of the Packers fumbled on the Green Bay 40. Em Tunnell recovered and just before the quarter ended Don Heinrich passed to Gifford for 12 yards.

Eddie Price bulled for five more yards, Gifford made nine at right end and Kyle Rote, cousin to the Green Bay quarterback, crashed for two more. Then Heinrich passed to Gifford for the one-yard line from where Price stomped over for the TD. Agajanian tied the score with a placement.

With 12:10 played in the period Fullback Bobby Epps, who was an offensive standout for the Giants along with Price, ripped off a 38-yard run for a touchdown to give the Giants a 13-7 lead. Agajanian made it 14-7.

14-14 At Halftime

E. I. on the next kickoff the dangerous Verli Switzer, noted in the NFL for his runbacks on kickoffs, broke loose for 64 yards. Tobin Rote then passed to Johnson to the Giants 28. Howie Ferguson ran to the 25 and Rote followed this with a 25-yard pass to Howton for a score. Cone tied the count at 14-14, which was the score at halftime.

A 27-yard field goal by Agajanian, one of the top scorers in the pro loop for the Giants last season, and who joined the squad in Salem shortly before it left for Spokane, put the Giants ahead 17-14 with 2:35 gone in the third period. The score was made possible by a 46-yard runback of an intercepted pass by Johnny Williams, the former Southern Cal flash, who only recently joined the Giants also.

Cone Ties Score

Green Bay launched a long drive near the end of the quarter, one that gave Cone a chance to tie the score again, at 17-17, with 2:15 played in the fourth period. Cone's field goal effort started from the 17-yard line.

Shortly thereafter the Packers tallied again, with Rote passing to Carmichael for 62 yards, Cone's placement made it 24-17 for Green Bay.

At this point Quarterback Conerly, the "Old Pro" charley for the Giants, made his initial appearance in the game, replacing Heinrich who had gone all the way. With the ball on their own 42 the Giants started rolling.

Conerly passed to Kyle Rote for 10 and then to Bob Scheinler for 37, to the Green Bay 10. Another aerial, this to Ken MacAfee, scored the TD, and when Agajanian kicked tied the count was again tied at 24-24.

There were only one minute and 35 seconds left to play.

'Aggie' Tries, Fails

Agajanian, trying to keep the next kickoff away from Switzer, booted out of bounds on the Green Bay 5. His next try, from the Giants' 35, was a low boot that bounced over the linemen up front and eventually got to Carmichael. He did the rest, advancing the ball to the New York 22 from where Quarterback Rote took over with his expert pitching.

The Giants entrusted for their Salem training camp shortly after the game, and will Monday begin practice for their next clash, at Seattle on Saturday afternoon with the San Francisco 49ers.

Ems Waylay Yakima, 16-1

YAKIMA (AP)—League-leading Eugene put on its batting togs Saturday night and walloped Yakima 16-1 in a Northwest League clash. Pitcher George Storti held Yakima to five hits.

George Matile gathered four singles in six trips to the plate for the visitors.

Eugene tallied three times in the first inning on a walk, a double by Art Preston, and singles by George Huffman and Matile. In the third, singles by Matile and Bill Gardley, a walk, an error and a double by Ron Jackson accounted for three more.

The seven runs in the fourth came across on a accumulation of three singles, a double, triple, walk, hit batsman and an error.

Eddie Zander doubled to drive in Herm Reich, who had singled, for Yakima's only run, in the second inning.

Somebody in the stands counted the pitches at Wenatchee Saturday night and he said that veteran righthander John Marshall only needed 36 of them as Wenatchee defeated Tri-City, 8-1.

Besides holding the Tri-City Braves to five hits, Marshall poked a 2-run double to climax Wenatchee's four-run second inning.

Wenatchee catcher Joe Rossi hit a triple and home run and drove in three runs.

Tri-City..... 000 000 100-15 8 9
Wenatchee..... 092 000 20-31 3
Hopp, Arthur (3) and Martin; Marshall and Rossi.

Eugene..... 303 200 100-16 36 1
Yakima..... 010 000 000-15 8 8
Storti and Dupper; Edwards, Dexter (3), Young (6) and Zander.

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