

Mighty Mites Show Off Their Racing Skills



Part of the action in yesterday's quarter-midget curtain raiser held at Paradise Islands. Shown is the second heat race as the boys are rounding one of the turns. (l-r) Mike Gregg, third place finisher, Eddie Okamoto, who won the heat, Larry Serbick, second place and Darrell Boyer, fourth place. The cars are manned by youngsters from 5 to 12 years of age. Plans are taking shape to hold another card in three or four weeks.

Donovan Tosses 1-Hitter

Quarter-Midgets Stage First Salem Show

By BOB SCHWARTZ
Stateman Sports Writer
King size thrills from pint size drivers:
And so it was as the first quarter-midget racing in Salem took place yesterday afternoon at Paradise Islands. Ramping off with the feature trophy and high point trophy was 10-year old Larry Serbick of Portland. He swept the 20-lap main event on the 1/20 of a mile dirt track with the time of 4:00.3. The time was slow because

the yellow caution flag went up in the 10th lap due to the roughness of the new track.
Placing second in the main was Susan Bachelder, the only girl in the 11-car field. Third place went to Larry Mosher and fourth to Windy Rickland.
However, it was 8-year old Bob McLeod who stole the show. He won the 6-lap trophy dash and a gasoline powered model airplane for his driving skill. Young Bobby also took first place in the 15-lap novice main event in the time of

3:13.5, and won the first heat race of the day.
A total of 18 drivers timed in for the afternoon of racing. Ages ran from 5 to 12 years and the kids showed they were dead serious about the up and coming sport. The cars themselves are built like regular midgets and have 1 1/2 to 2 horsepower engines.
In total points, Salem's Eddie Burrell, 8-years old, came out with a second place tie and since it was his first try at racing, it was considered quite a feat. Eddie had 27

points to the winner's total of 31. The races were put on by the Quarter-Midget Association of Paradise Islands. Another card is planned in about three or four weeks.
The track was very rough as it was new. One of the Portland officials was down earlier in the week and laid out a track, but it was found to be 15 feet too short and a new oval had to be pressed (Cont'd. page 12, col. 8)

Milwaukee, Bums Win; Yanks Bow

By DON WEISS
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Dick Donovan's second one-hitter of the season stopped the Chicago White Sox' American League no-deuce Saturday while Milwaukee and Brooklyn both won to stay a game apart in the National League's scramble.
Ted Williams' fourth inning single was the only hit off Donovan in Chicago's 4-0 victory over the Boston Red Sox. The White Sox picked up a game on New York's AL leaders and trail by five after Cleveland's 4-2 decision over the Yanks. Washington edged Detroit 4-3 on Herb Pless's sacrifice fly and Gus Zernial's three-run pinch homer in the ninth enabled Kansas City to stop Baltimore, 6-3, in other American League games.

Clubs Cubs



DUKE SNIDER Wallops 300th Homer

Minneapolis 'Scrambling' For Giants

(See story page 12, col. 1)
MINNEAPOLIS, July 20 (AP)—Minnesota is still in the midst of a "wide open scramble" for the New York Giants, Sports Editor Charles Johnson of the Star and Tribune said today.
Johnson, a leader in the campaign to bring major league baseball here, said Minneapolis baseball interests have been negotiating with owner Horace Stoneham of the Giants for months on the possibility of a "Giant move here."
"Negotiations which have been going on for months have been in secret," Johnson wrote in his column appearing in the Sunday Tribune.
"When Stoneham declared that Minneapolis was under consideration, he lifted the veil of secrecy that has covered all negotiations between the two parties," he said.
Stoneham said this week the Giants are playing their last season at the Polo Grounds and that San Francisco probably will be their new home. But he indicated he is still willing to listen to a Minneapolis offer.
"This has been a great big poker game for months and there is no sense trying to kid anyone that it isn't," Johnson said.
The answer to two questions, he said, will settle the issue. These, according to Johnson, are:
"Will the Giants go to the city offering the best concessions on financial arrangements now or will they go to the city offering the greatest potential over a long period."
Johnson has placed Minneapolis in the second category.
He said Minneapolis has made one presentation on rentals, concessions, parking and other financial matters. Negotiations will be resumed, he said, "when Stoneham gives the signal."

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Brooklyn, with Duke Snider slugging his 300th homer and eighth in his last 10 games, stayed a game behind Milwaukee by defeating the Chicago Cubs, 7-5. St. Louis held third place, two games back, with an 18-hit spurge that routed Pittsburgh 9-4 and Stan Lopata slammed a pinch three-run homer in the ninth as Philadelphia regained fourth place and showed Cincinnati back to fifth with a 7-3 victory over the Redlegs.

Wildness also cost Detroit's Frank Lary his fifth straight loss and 13th in 16 decisions. Pless delivered the Senators' winning run in the seventh after Lary walked two batters. Bud Byerly walked (Cont'd. page 12, col. 6)

Major League Leaders

NATIONAL LEAGUE

AAON, Milwaukee	87	269	71	130	328
Minn., St. Louis	87	243	58	118	344
Great, Pittsburgh	81	213	29	82	324
Brooklyn	81	213	29	82	324
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AMERICAN LEAGUE

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Senators Win Again, 7-3

Salem Legion at Woodburn Today Climb Near Loop Lead

With the Area Three Legion baseball playoffs taking a day of rest, the only Legion game on tap locally is Bill Bevens' Salems against Woodburn in a 3 o'clock game on the Woodburn diamond.
Albany and Yamhill were slated to have it in the second round battle for a state berth but it turned out Yamhill, Oregon City and McMinnville are still doing battle for the District 31 title and the right to meet Albany. The winner will be known tonight and the game will be scheduled for Monday with Albany traveling to the District 31 King's home field. Silverton, which has already beaten Albany in a first round battle, will meet the winner of Monday's tilt.
For today's game at Woodburn, Bevens says he will use as much of his entire team as possible. He intends starting Doug Ritchie on the hill and will have Pat Kelley, Dean Westling and Jim Shires cranked up to work a share of the tilt.
Woodburn coach Pete Dequire will go with his ace right hander Roger Moore. Al Vohland will handle the backstop duties. For Salems it will be either Forrest Darling, Jerry Goertzen or Jim McCaffery back of the dish. At first will be Kent Lammers or Paul Parise, with Whitley Brunel or Hal Cowan at second, Jim Reimann at third and Mike Kelley at shortstop. In the outfield will be a combination of Val Barnes, Gary Vestal and Harv Haller or Gene Gilbertson.

Chiefs Trim Yakima 4-1

WENATCHEE, July 20 (AP)—Wenatchee squeezed out a 4-1 Northwest League baseball victory here tonight over Yakima although Wenatchee pitcher Jerry Johnston was in hot water most of the night.
With two on in the eighth and none out Pete Carrillo came in to save the game for the Chiefs. He handcuffed the Bears.
Wenatchee got their first two runs in the first inning on a two-base hit, a wild pitch, three walks and a single. The other two came in the seventh when Chico Alvarez doubled with two mates aboard. Yakima's lone run came in the fifth when Chuck Elson singled, went to second on a sacrifice and scored on Whitley Phillips' single.
Yakima 000 000-1 11
Wenatchee 200 007-4 11
Carrillo 81 and Lundberg 10
Lewiston 000 000-1 11
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Carrillo 81 and Lundberg 10

SPORTSLIGHTNER

Sunday sorties:
Other than the whopping fines it's costing the participants, there's one thing very noticeable about baseball brawls this semester: The ballgamers are really fighting when they get into 'em. Torn shirts, bruised noses, cut lips and skinned knuckles have been common. Usually in the past a baseball field was of the "hold me back" type and few really good wallops were landed. Much different now, and may be 'tis because the athletes want to show the TV audiences they're really tough hombres. Or perhaps the hostiles know the best way to get a big crowd out to the park is to have big fight.
If the rascal's Donovans—Dirty Doug and Roughhouse Red—haven't slipped, watch theirs rev up at the Armory now that they're back. Either would wear the nickname "Riot" very well. Incidentally, Dirty Doug says he'll fight that \$25,000 damage suit filed against him by a 70-year-old Albany woman, as he can prove she started the whoopee by sticking him with a pin—a long one.



R. C. OWENS He's trying with others.

Owens Trying For End Spot With 49ers

Listed among the SF 49er rookies this summer is R. C. Owens, the all-around athletic whiz at College of Idaho the last four years. The big colored lad is trying out for an end position. He was the 49er's 14th draft choice in 1956, you may recall. By the way, our New York Giants football friends won't be up this way at all this year for an exhibition game, but will be in San Francisco for a pre-season clash with the 49ers on Sunday August 18. You'll get to see the Giant sooner than that, however, for they'll be TV'd in their August 9 classic with the College All-Stars at Chicago.
A San Francisco writer's description of Bill Posedel and his Portland Beavers: "Sailor Bill Posedel, the very good Portland manager with the very bad baseball club."
Were the scribe to visit the Rose City these days, he'd get an argument from quite a few folks.

Dancing Can Help A Lot, Kiddies

Local Pee Wee and Midget Leaguers who look upon the (Cont'd. page 12, col. 1)

Koch Grabs Mid-Season H-B Event

By MERVIN JENKINS
Stateman Valley Editor
Ernie Koch of Vancouver had the hottest thing on wheels last night at Hollywood Bowl, taking the 75-lap main event for the mid-season championship for "souped-up" hardtops.
Starting from last position in the starting field of 22 cars, Koch worked his way up in gear ahead on the 15th circle around the paved quarter mile oval and was never headed.
A pair of Seattle drivers, El Skilling who placed second, and Ron Weiskind third, never were more than 100 feet behind until the 72nd lap when Weiskind lost

Mason 17th In Tourney

McKendrick, 2 Others Tied For NWO Lead

FIRECREST COUNTRY CLUB, Tacoma, July 20 (Special)—Oregon Professional Golf Association champion Bob McKendrick, of Lake Oswego, and two others carded opening round 68s here today as the 1957 Northwest Open got under way.
Tied with McKendrick were pro Al Feldman, of Tacoma, and amateur Ken Storey, of Seattle.
Dick Haskell, Seattle professional, and Bob Pratt, a Tacoma youngster now registered from Renton, Wash., and the University of Houston, Tex., carded 70s and were the only other par breakers in the 25-man field.
Two Tied at 71
Next in line with 71s were Baty, Tacoma city amateur champ, Gordon McKennie, Vancouver, B.C., amateur and member of the Seattle University team, and Bob Pinnell, veteran pro from Sunny-side, Wash.

Salem Golf Pro Bunny Mason, runner-up to McKendrick in the OPGA tournament two weeks ago, finished in 17th place today after shooting a 75. Mason got off to a bad start, with a double bogie on the first hole after hitting out of bounds, and bogies on the next two holes. After the rugged beginning, the lanky Salem veteran shot even par for the next 15 holes.
Another 18 holes will be played tomorrow, and the field will then be cut for the final 36 holes on Monday.
Mason's card for today is as follows:
Par. Out: 84 64 124-20
P. In: 84 64 124-20
Mason: 84 64 124-20

BETHEL PARK, Eugene, July 20 (Special)—The surging Salem Senators again bounded the Eugene Em's tonight, 7-3, knocking Uncle Hugh Luby's outfit from the top rung in the Northwest League standings and closing to within 2 1/2 games of that lead, now held by Wenatchee.
After taking their second straight from the Em's, and fourth win in the last five games, the Salems are now just two games behind the second place Emeralds. The Senators can wipe out that margin entirely tomorrow, when they oppose Eugene in two afternoon games, and have the 13 members of their pitching staff—Chuck Lybeck (15-3) and Vern (Pappy) Kindfather (12-8)—ready to work in the important twin bill.

Seals Blank Portland 3-0

PORTLAND, Ore., July 20 (AP)—Harry Deriah scattered nine Portland hits as first-place San Francisco clipped the Beavers 3-0 in a Pacific Coast League baseball game here tonight.
In the other PCL games tonight: Letty Morrie Martin picked up his 10th pitching victory of the season with a five-hitter as the Vancouver Mounties blanked the Los Angeles Angels 7-0.
San Diego snapped its three-game losing streak with an 11-hit attack, including a three-run homer by Earl Averill and five doubles, to defeat Hollywood, 10-1.
Larry Jansen pitched his third shutout of the season in seven wins as Seattle defeated Sacramento, 7-0. Jansen struck out five men and didn't issue a walk.
San Francisco was out in taking its 14th win in 15 games with the Beavers this season. But two of the eight hits the Seals got were home runs.
Catcher Hayward Sullivan, who hit safely his four times at bat tonight, slammed a homer over the left field fence in the third inning for San Francisco's first run.
Ken Aspromonte dumped another home run over the left field fence in the sixth.

Orlich Wins PITA Crown

RENO, July 20 (AP)—Dan Orlich of Reno, captain of the All-American team, scored the day's only perfect 300 today to win the Pacific International Tapsporting Assn championship.
Curt Walters, Payette, Idaho, was second after winning a shoot-off from A. A. Acheson of Bend, Ore., W. E. Fisher, Wedderburn, Ore., Baxter Moore Jr., Tillamook, Ore., and J. O. Chilton of San Clemente, Calif. All had tied at 198.
Moore won class AA and Chilton class A.
R. Hornby, Cloverdale, B. C. won class B and Carl Bennett, Corvallis, Ore. class C after a shoot-off from A. J. Ashfeld, San Mateo, Calif.

City Tennis Test to Start

Tom McDonald, a member of last year's championship duo, will join with Leo Finney, a newcomer to Salem, in seeking Salem men's tennis doubles championship which opens play this afternoon at 2 o'clock on the Willamette U. courts.
Director of the tournament, Del Rammedel reminded that it is still not too late for last minute entries. They may sign up at the courts.
In addition to the McDonald-Finney tandem, three other duos have been rated highly as possible tournament winners. The tourney will run over a period of two or three weeks.
Among the top contenders will be a team of John Paulus and Jack Frost, both Willamette U. professors. Tim Campbell, the Willamette River Days singles champ, will team with John Mimif, Oregon State netter, and state high school doubles champions, Roger Stewart and Roy Stangeby from South Salem High.

Going Up:

Salem (1)	BHOA	BHOA	
Dunlap	2 2 2 2 2	Keller	4 1 1 3 4
Johnson	2 2 2 2 2	Johnson	4 1 1 3 4
Keller	2 2 2 2 2	Hull	4 1 1 3 4
Bauer	2 2 2 2 2	King	4 1 1 3 4
Dunlap	2 2 2 2 2	Pralley	4 1 1 3 4
Dunlap	2 2 2 2 2	Stacy	4 1 1 3 4
Middle	2 2 2 2 2	Gauthier	4 1 1 3 4
Campbell	2 2 2 2 2	Acker	4 1 1 3 4
Walby	2 2 2 2 2	Tanner	4 1 1 3 4

Finsterwald, Hebert to Clash for PGA Crown

Overcomes Heat, Pressure . . .

DAYTON, Ohio, July 20 (AP)—Dew Finsterwald, hailed by some fellow pros as the "new Ben Hogan," and long-time Lionel Hebert, who never has won a tournament, overcame searing heat and gripping pressure today to gain the final round of the PGA Championship.
Finsterwald, 27, of Athens, Ohio, one of the leading money winners for the past two years, refused to be shaken by a phenomenal comeback on the part of young Don Whitte and defeated the little-known Alameda, Calif., pro 3 up. He chunched with a great iron shot four feet from the pin on the final hole for a birdie three.
Whitt, five holes down at the end of 13 holes, knocked in the finishing holes of the morning round to square the match. But Finsterwald, one of the most poised of golf, the new breed, held firm to win the bitter, afternoon struggle, three times tied, on the 36th.
Berkenme Boston
Hebert, 28, the younger of a brother combination from Louisiana's Bayou, scored an upset 3 and 1 victory over former champion Walter Burkemo of Franklin, Mich., clinching the match with a birdie duce on the 36th hole.
There the paunchy Hebert (pronounced A-Bear) lofted his tee shot on the 170-yard hole two feet past the pin. Burkemo, his bulldog face showing signs of weariness, drove to the green 25 feet away, missed the putt and conceded.

Standings

NORTHWEST LEAGUE

W. L. Pct.	W. L. Pct.
Wenatch 14 4 260	Lewiston 10 11 216
Eugene 14 4 260	Yakima 11 10 233
Salem 12 9 217	Tri-City 11 10 233
Saturday's results: At Eugene 1, Portland 4; at Portland 4, Salem 1; at Lewiston 1, Tri-City 1.	

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

W. L. Pct.	W. L. Pct.
San Fran 31 20 240	Seattle 24 27 213
Vancouver 24 27 213	Lo. An. 24 27 213
Salem 24 27 213	Portland 24 27 213
Saturday's results: At Eugene 1, San Fran 4; at San Diego 1, Hollywood 2.	

AMERICAN LEAGUE

W. L. Pct.	W. L. Pct.
N. York 25 20 207	Detroit 24 27 213
Chicago 22 24 200	Baltimore 24 27 213
Philadelphia 24 27 213	St. Louis 24 27 213
Cleveland 24 27 213	Washington 24 27 213
Saturday's results: At Cleveland 4, New York 2; at Chicago 4, Boston 0; at Detroit 1, Washington 4; at Kansas City 4, Baltimore 1.	

NATIONAL LEAGUE

W. L. Pct.	W. L. Pct.
Milwaukee 27 20 213	St. Louis 24 27 213
Brooklyn 24 27 213	St. Louis 24 27 213
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Saturday's results: At Philadelphia 1, St. Louis 1; at New York 1, Milwaukee 1; at Brooklyn 1, Chicago 1; at Philadelphia 1, Cincinnati 1.	

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