

# Phillies Continue Upward Climb in National Circuit

### Quaker Team Now Only 3 1/2 Games Behind Bums; Record Ascent Noted

**By Paul Scheffels**  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

New York, May 21 (AP)—The front-running clubs in the National league today had an unexpected difficult problem to contend with in the unlooked-for potency of the Philadelphia Phillies.

The Phillies have never been taken seriously by anybody in the senior loop, but Bill Cox's army now is staging a march toward the top of the National league that has been gathering speed at an almost fantastic pace. Right now the Brooklyn Dodgers lead over the Phils stands at only 3 1/2 games.

**Five Games Won**  
Cox's club has won five in a row, a feat unique in the Quaker city's National league history, but yesterday the Phillies performed in a fashion almost without parallel in the dismal annals of these perennial doormats by whitewashing the Chicago Cubs, 3-0 and 2-0.

Charley Fuchs and Al Gearheuser fashioned twin four-hitters as the Cubs got only one man as far as third in 18 innings. Not a single Bruin reached third, and it was Pinky May's long double—one of nine hits off Bill Lee—that provided the deciding run in the opener.

Only Stan Hack hobbled as far as third in the nightcap as the phillies combined two of their four hits off Dick Barrett with a walk and Ed Stanky's wild heave to garner their two runs in the third inning.

**Dodgers Beat Cards**  
The Dodgers defeated the Cardinals, 5-2, for an even division of their four-game series and kept a game and a half ahead of the idle Boston Braves. Rube Melton who defeated the Red Birds in the opener of the set, came back to hamstring St. Louis with seven scattered safeties for his second victory. Mort Cooper was nailed for eight blows, Billy Herman solving him for a pair of doubles that sent three runs home.

The Boston Red Sox sliced out a pair of victories over the Cleveland Indians, 2-1, in 10 innings and 7-4.

The weather man again hacked a wide swath in both leagues, wiping out Cincinnati at New York and Pittsburgh at Boston in the National league and double-headers between Washington and St. Louis, Philadelphia and Chicago and a single twilight game—New York at Detroit.

**SKUNK'S INSULTED**  
Los Angeles, Calif. (AP)—Alexander O'Schickelgruber, a deodorized Brazilian skunk, belonging to Desmond Slattery, on the occasion of its first birthday, which happened to be the 54th birthday of its namesake, was shown a large picture of Adolf. Slattery affirms that the skunk displayed an air of great distress on thus encountering the portrait of another.

## Out Our Way



## Angels' Winning Streak Broken

**(By United Press)**  
The record victory series of the Los Angeles Angels was at an end today as the Los Angeles club continued its cross-town series against Hollywood, the team that stopped the Angels after 20 successive wins.

Hollywood, winning 4 to 2 yesterday, scored three runs in the fourth inning, enough to beat the Angels, then picked up another in the ninth. Los Angeles scored both runs in the third.

The Portland Beavers left 15 men on bases in their game with Seattle and the Rainiers won, 5 to 3. A three-run rally in the fifth put the Seattle club in front, 4 to 3, followed by another score in the eighth.

San Francisco strengthened its hold on second place, eight games behind Los Angeles, by edging the Oakland Aacorns 5 to 4 in an 18 inning game.

Sam Gibson of the Seals and Jack Lotz of the Oaks both pitched 17 innings, but Kleinke replaced Lotz for the Aacorns and let in two runs.

Sacramento dropped San Diego 5 to 4 in 11 innings.

**TRACK NOT TO OPEN**  
Providence, R. I., May 21 (AP)—The OPA ban on non-essential driving will prevent opening of the half-mile Pascoag horse racing track, scheduled for May 29, Gov. J. Howard McGrath said today.

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## By J. R. Williams

## Oregon Favored To Win Meet

Seattle, May 21 (AP)—Eighty-seven track stars from six Pacific northwest colleges assembled here today and took light workouts on the stadium oval at the University of Washington in preparation for the Northern division championship track and field meet tomorrow.

On the nomination list of the track jamboree is a 22-man squad from Idaho and 24 entries from Washington. Both teams, however, will have to taper down to the conference limit of 18 men by tomorrow. The University of Oregon has entered 15 cindermen and Washington State and Oregon State nominated 12 each. Only three tracksters will represent the University of Montana.

The season record of victories and defeats favors the Oregon Ducks, but either the defending champions, Washington, or the tough Washington State squad may easily upset the appraiser and cop the 1943 title. The Cougars are virtually certain to take first place in several events, but the finely balanced Husky team can make up points on second and third places.

**Army Men Ruled Out**  
Oregon State's chances for the crown went flying when the army ruled that juniors and senior students in the reserve officers training camps could not travel for off-campus athletic events.

Idaho is the only team to nominate men in all 15 events, but despite their overwhelming representation, Coach Mike Ryan's squad has not shown any power in competition. The three cindermen from Montana would have to be as speedy and versatile as they come to eke out anything but the cellar spot.

## Crane Prairie Free of Snow

The South Century drive is open within a half mile of Deschutes bridge on the upper Deschutes, according to J. O. Lammi, ranger for the Bend district of the Deschutes national forest.

Lammi drove to that spot this week and from there on found the road blocked by heavy drifts, indicating that it would be several weeks yet before automobile travel to Elk lake would be possible.

However, opening of the road to near Deschutes bridge brings Big and Little Lava lakes within walking distance, between three and four miles.

Crane prairie is free of snow and fishermen may drive within one or two miles of Big Cultus lake, which opened yesterday for fishing.

**More Lakes Open**  
The Deschutes river above Deschutes bridge does not open until June 1. The river from Deschutes bridge down to Sheep bridge, about two miles below Crane prairie dam, is closed the entire season.

Deer, Big Cultus, Little Cultus, Winnepose, Green, Maiden and Hidden lakes were in the group which opened to fishing yesterday, May 20, but Big Cultus is the only one available without a long walk over snow.

Limit catches have been reported from the lower Deschutes near Madras this week. Catches from North Twin lake have ranged from nothing to limits. Fish have been rising to flies on the Deschutes this week.

Latest reports were that the Paulina creek road to Newberry crater would not be opened before Memorial day.

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**TONIGHT'S PROGRAM**

5:00—Don Allen Orchestra  
5:25—Trade Time  
5:30—News  
5:45—Your Defense Reporter  
5:50—Artie Shaw Orchestra  
5:55—Sports Yarns  
6:00—Treasury Star Parade  
6:15—Dyana Gayle  
6:30—Uncle Sam  
6:45—Talking Drums  
7:00—Bob Crosby Orchestra  
7:30—Cub Reporters  
7:45—Emery Deutsch Orchestra

**Saturday, May 22, 1943**

7:00—Morning Varieties  
7:30—News  
7:45—Trade Time  
7:50—Morning Varieties  
8:00—Mischa Russell, Violin  
8:15—Pat Friday  
8:30—Ted Rito Orchestra  
9:00—News  
9:15—Harry Owens Hawaiians  
9:30—Marching to Music  
9:45—Main Street Varieties  
10:00—Escorts and Betty  
10:15—Organ Treasures  
10:20—Henderson and Lavere  
10:30—News  
10:35—Redmond Victory March  
11:30—Interlude  
11:35—Today's War Personality  
11:40—Glenn Miller Orchestra  
11:55—Central Oregon Bulletin Board

12:00—Soldiers of the Press  
12:15—One World  
12:20—Two Kings and a Queen  
12:30—News  
12:45—Farmers Hour  
1:00—Musical Potpourri  
1:30—Concert Hall of the Air  
2:00—Alvino Rey Orchestra  
2:30—Peggy and the Boys  
2:45—Western Serenade  
3:00—Abe Lyman Orchestra  
3:15—Tune Tabloid

**Sunday, May 23, 1943**

8:00—Songs of the Week  
8:15—Ivan Dittmars, Organ  
8:30—Missionary Baptist Church  
9:00—Devotional Hour  
9:30—Mation Merrick Strings  
9:45—Jimmy Cash, Tenor  
10:00—Alvino Rey Orchestra  
10:30—Sunday Symphony  
11:00—Baptist Church Services  
12:00—Lud Gluskin Orchestra  
12:25—Camera Club  
12:30—Matty Malneck Orchestra  
12:45—Songs of Dyana Gayle  
1:00—Henry Busse Orchestra  
1:30—Victor Arlen Orchestra  
2:00—Stanley Kenton Orchestra  
2:30—Dinning Sisters  
2:45—Cal Shrum and His Rhythmic Rangers  
3:00—Three Sleepy Heads  
3:15—Zion Gospel Singers  
3:30—Galla Rini, Accordion  
3:45—Will Osborne Orchestra  
4:00—Al Perry Hawaiians  
4:15—Pentacostal Mission  
4:45—Excursions in Science  
5:00—Old Fashioned Revival Hour

Pantothenic acid, of the vitamin B complex, is essential to the normal growth and development of young pigs.

## Coasting Along in Sport World

**By Buford Sommers**  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Portland, May 21 (AP)—The energy-producing value of horse meat is undergoing a scientific test. They're trying it out on the dog.

In charge of the laboratory is Prof. Cotton Davis, racing secretary of the Multnomah Kennel club, who gets his mail under the name of Rufus Davis. His experiment comprises more than 500 greyhounds, accustomed to living off what's now the fat of the land—hamburger.

Prof. Davis will begin to submit his report on this nutritive experiment May 31, when the 60-

day dog racing season opens at the Multnomah stadium. Two months from that date he will have the answer to the question: is a dog as gay a high-stepper on 7-cent horse meat as he was on two-bit hamburger?

Of course, there be pundits and seers who, looking up from their Freud and Adler and John Brodus Watson, say any dog who runs his legs off after a phoney bunny is a silly critter anyway and no fit subject for a scientific test. But don't be fooled about man's best friend. He knows that mechanical rabbit is a come-on but, like the blind horse that ran smack into the tree, he doesn't give a darn.

For that's the way with these happy beasts. They run, to give it a polite term, just for the helluvit. Up at their school, where the dogs are learning the fine points of running, a couple slipped their leashes today. One took off inside the track fence and another lit out after him, on the track outside. They sped clear around that quarter-mile track and when they were finally collared and tucked into the barrier they ran off the trial heat and won it.

Up at their dirt-track classroom these dogs, gathered mostly from winter camps in Florida, are learning how to be good dogs. The marks of a good dog are few. He must: 1) be fast. 2) Not be a quitter. 3) Not take umbrage if his competitor is almost as fast. This last qualification means he can not, by the rules of the game, turn around and make a dirty face at the lucky dog that threatens to step ahead of him. He hews to the line and lets the divots fall where they may.

When he passes those tests he's ready for Prof. Davis' seminar opening May 31. That, in short, will be his day.

They've got a few interesting wartime touches to this year's ceremonies in the canine Phi Beta Kappa. Starting at 5:30 p. m., they hope to have the races run off before dark. But if they don't... There will be infra-red flood lights for the photograph of the finish. And the odds board will tell its succinct story in red lights to fool any enemy bomber that might be looking for a last dog to hang.

While all the dogs are enrolled in this school, it's really for freshmen. The old dogs are not taught new tricks. They know 'em. They have to learn fast because the average dog is in the running only three years. Figuring, as they do, 10 years of human life to every dog's one, a dog who began 18 months old, is through at four and a half years of age.

Fancy a man running around in circles 25 miles an hour when 45 years old. They do, we know, but not at that speed.

## Madigan Hopes To Open Track

Oakland, Calif., May 21 (AP)—Slip Madigan, who quit the gridiron after coaching the Galloping Gaels of St. Mary's into national prominence, today planned to bring the Golden Gate rave track out of insolvency if he can get permission to operate it.

Madigan has applied to Lt. Gen. John L. DeWitt, head of the western defense command, for a permit to hold a meet. But in addition he must also obtain an okay from the California racing board, holders of liens against the plant, and the Santa Fe railroad, which owns the property on which the \$2,000,000 track is located.

Electric fan replacement parts will be available, WPB announces. To obtain a new part, a similar used part must be turned in to the dealer.

## Fishing Streams Still Improve

Portland, May 21 (AP)—Steady improvement in streams and fair to good catches from rivers over Oregon was predicted today for week-end fishing by the state game commission.

Excellent catches were already being taken in Curry, Douglas, Josephine, Lake, Crook and Harney counties and majority of coast and mountain waters were falling and clearing, the report said.

Both Paulina and East Lake in Deschutes county were still closed from the road, the commission said.

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## Gomez Receives Boston Release

Boston, May 21 (AP)—Lefty Gomez, veteran major league southpaw, today was among baseball's unemployed for the first time since he came to the New York Yankees in 1930, but the slender Californian confidently predicted he would "land a job soon."

The Boston Braves handed Gomez his unconditional release Wednesday. He had not played in any regular games this season.

## Tennis Playoffs Set for Saturday

Corvallis, May 21 (AP)—Leading tennis players from the Northern division Coast conference were to play preliminary matches at Oregon State college this afternoon in preparation for tomorrow's league championship playoffs.

University of Washington netmen were heavily favored to take the singles but were promised stiffer competition by Beaver players for the doubles crown.

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