

Beavers Increase Lead in League By Beating Solons

(By United Press)
Yesterday's Scores
Portland 11, Sacramento 6.
San Diego 2, San Francisco 0.
Oakland 9, Hollywood 7.
Seattle 8, Los Angeles 3.

The Portland Beavers increased their Pacific coast league leadership to two games today. They scored their seventh win in eight starts last night by defeating the Sacramento Solons 11-6.

The San Francisco Seals lost their third game to the San Diego Padres by a score of 2-0 as their northern rivals, the Oakland Oaks, chalked up their third straight victory over the Hollywood Stars by a 9-7 score. The Seattle Rainiers snapped off a four-game Los Angeles winning streak by taking an afternoon game 8-5.

Third of Series
The win over the Solons gave the Beavers their third of the series. The Beavers clinched the game when they scored seven runs in the fifth, climaxed by Frank Shove's homer with two aboard. Jasi Landrum featured the Solons' batting with a double and a single in three trips to the plate. Clarence Federmeyer was credited with the win.

Del Ballinger set the Padres up for their victory over the Seals when he singled to right field in the last of the eighth. A few moments later Vern Reynolds singled to center with Willie Eaves following up with a two-bagger to left field which brought in the winning tallies.

Errors Costly
Four Holywood errors and 14 Oakland bloopers helped the Oaks win the ball game. Newt Kimball, who started on the mound for the Twinks, was belted out of the box in the seventh. Manager Dolph Camilli got credit for the victory though he was relieved in the sixth. Bob Cantell hit four singles for the Stars.

Ted Norbert, Rainier outfielder who played last year for the Angels, clinched the Seals' victory in the sixth when he banged out his fourth home run of the season to bring in two tallies. The Angels had their biggest inning in the first when they scored twice on a walk and three hits. Lou Novikoff led the batting for the southerners with three hits in five times up.

Suarez Is Victor In Portland Fight

Portland, Ore., April 7 (UP)—Johnny Suarez of Portland today looked for new worlds to conquer after a 10-round decision here last night over Harold (Snooks) Lacey, a negro from New York.

The 138-pound Suarez now has seven straight wins. He belted Lacey, 133, for seven rounds and three were even.

But the crowd went for three unsmiling marines from the Klammath Falls issue who knocked the stuffings out of Portland fighters. A real Indian, wearing a blanket in the best tradition of his forefathers, plastered John L. Sullivan for six rounds. He was Johnny Gates, 175, with Sullivan tearing off at 173.

Lito Perez, 147, knocked out Jimmy (Frenchy) Chenuault, 139, in the first round. Middleweight Lee Sherlock, 156, went to the canvas in the second round before marine Charley Harris, 162.

Norman Finch of Vancouver scored revenge over Kelly Jackson with a fourth round knockout. It was only a week ago that the 148-pound Jackson won a T-K-O over Finch, 155.

Baseball Briefs

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Cape Girardeau, Mo., April 7 (UP)—Spring training for the St. Louis Browns in this southeast Missouri town was just a muddy memory. The American league champions packed up early to head for St. Louis where they

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Out Our Way



Coasting Along in the Sport World

By Leo H. Petersen (United Press Sports Editor)

New York, April 7 (UP)—The "binder twine kid" is doing his spring planting now among the hills somewhere around Clinton, S. C., for he is in the middle of his hill-billy season.

He will continue in that role until August when he will come down out of those hills to go to the training camp of the Green Bay Packers, National professional football league champions. And in a football suit—or in the store clothes he wears when he leaves his native hearth—he is anything but a hill-billy.

For Larry Craig leads two lives. In the fall months he's "Don Hutson's muscle." The rest of the year he's the directing head of the farming operations of the Craig family. And if it wasn't for football there probably would be no Larry Craig homesteads.

To the people around Green Bay, Wis., and Clinton, S. C., Craig is pretty well known. But to the average football fan he is known as a workmanlike player—one of the best in the league—but you don't hear much about him because he lacks what they call color in the sport. But that color isn't lacking to anyone who knows Larry very well.

As soon as he leaves those mountains every fall he goes back to wearing shoes, suits, shirts and ties and you won't find many arguments among the pro football players if you call him the best looking guy in the bunch and one of the best dressers. And when the Packers go into a hotel in some league city the pretty

meeting the world champion Cardinals today in the opener of the spring "world series."

Terre Haute, Ind., April 7 (UP)—Two left handers, veteran Thornton Lee, and rookie Johnny Johnson, were slated to pitch today for the Chicago White Sox in their second exhibition contest against the Detroit Tigers. The White Sox won the first game, 8 to 0.

Norfolk, Va., April 7 (UP)—The Washington Senators indicated today they might be a team to make use of every hit. The Senators got only eight hits yesterday 16 for the Norfolk naval training station nine, but the teams played to a 9 to 9 tie in 10-innings. Walt Chippie hit two homers for the Senators and George Case connected for one.

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Seattle Firemen Win Ice Honors

Portland, Ore., April 7 (UP)—Seattle's Ironmen today looked forward to a national championship playoff with the Boston Olympics after trimming the Portland Eagles, 4 to 1 last night to win the Northern division title of the Pacific coast ice hockey league.

The deciding playoff game ended the series at 4 victories to two. The Portland team plays the Olympics in exhibition games here Sunday and Wednesday, after which the Ironmen and Boston play a three out of five series for the national amateur crown.

The Ironmen won the regular division title while Portland had eliminated Seattle's Stars in the semi-finals.

The crucial game was close until the final minutes, when manager Frank Dotten of Seattle whacked in three quick goals to clinch the victory.

Al Rollins played a spectacular game at goalie for Seattle to keep Portland scoreless until the last five minutes, then diminutive Bob-Morin got a goal with an assist by Red Carr and Phil Dagleish.

Byrd Moves Up, But Nelson Leads

Atlanta, Ga., April 7 (UP)—Sammy Byrd, who traded in his baseball bat for a bag of gulf clubs, moved into runner-up position today in the \$10,000 iron lung tournament by Byron Nelson, the winter champion, still was the man to beat.

Nelson's two day 36-hole total was 133, five strokes par and six strokes less than Byrd's second place total of 139. The Toledo sharpshooter had an even par 69 yesterday to go with his brilliant 64 of the opening day. He is trying for his eighth victory of the season.

Byrd, the one time New York Yankee outfielder, was the "hot man" yesterday. He made four birdies, didn't go above par on a single hole and dropped puts from all distances.

Run of Smelt Is Setting Record

Portland, Ore., April 7 (UP)—An all-time record is being set by the continued heavy run of smelt in the Sandy and nearby rivers, veteran fishermen said today.

The run started last Sunday night and there seems no letup, despite hundreds of fishermen scooping out the fish wholesale.

Friday's run on the fifth day was the heaviest of the week. Banks of the Sandy were lined for 10 miles from Troutdale and seven clerks were kept busy selling non-commercial fishing licenses.

The average fishermen took about 10 minutes to scoop up his 30 pound limit with whatever utensils he had available, including buckets, nets, sacks and bare hands.

Millions of the fish have come up against Bonneville dam and

Pro Grid Teams Pick Service Men

New York, April 7 (UP)—A new policy by national league professional football teams in their annual player draft was evident today because of the inclusion in the selection for the first time of stars from the army and navy military academies.

Three players, Jack Green, captain and guard on army's 1945 team, George Barney Pool, a dependable cadet end, and Bob Jenkins, bone crushing backfield star from navy, were included in the 330 players named yesterday in the long and involved selection bee.

Green, a brilliant football tactician, was selected by the Chicago Bears. Pool by the New York Giants and Jenkins by the Washington Redskins.

Selection Unusual
Selection of the academy players was unusual for several reasons. Each of the three has from one to three seasons left to play. Each is outstanding not only as an athlete but in his academy career and none of the three is likely to leave military service to take over in the professional gridiron realm.

In normal times, the pro clubs made it an unwritten rule not to draft players from the service schools because the odds were long against the players being of any use to them.

In This Corner

By Mickey Myrick

Best story of the fishing season so far concerns an extra-bold member of the bait-stealing rainier clan of Thompson reservoir in Lake county.

There an unnamed fisherman propped his rod on a stick and walked up the bank to warm his hands by a fire. While he was enjoying the heat a big trout was enjoying his salmon eggs. But the trout didn't stop at that—he swallowed the bait and swam away, taking line, rod and reel into the deep waters of the reservoir.

Other Lake county anglers were more fortunate, for while a few were "skunked" many made fine catches. Rainbow were taken weighing up to six pounds.

Stories of these catches have local fishermen on edge for next Saturday, which brings the opening of the season in the Deschutes river.

Meanwhile George Childs hardware company announces a fish story contest, offering weekly cash prizes for the best fish stories, based on experiences in Central Oregon—but you don't have to prove your yarn!

It isn't often that a track meet is cancelled on account of mumps—and especially when only one man has them.

But when the man is Claude Cook, coach of the Lava Bears, and the team shy on experienced men and without benefit of coached spring training, that was

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5:00—Word of Life
5:30—Detroit Symphony Orch.
6:30—Calling All Detectives
7:00—Sammy Kaye's Orchestra
7:15—Enoch Light's Orchestra
7:30—Red Ryder
8:00—Chicago Theatre of Air
9:00—Glenn Hardy News
9:15—Lew White at the Organ
9:30—Henry King's Orchestra
9:45—Don Reid's Orchestra
9:55—News
10:00—Ted Straeter's Orchestra

SUNDAY, APRIL 8
8:00—Wesley Radio League
8:30—Voice of Prophecy
9:00—Pilgrim Hour
9:30—Lutheran Hour
10:00—Glenn Hardy News
10:15—Silver Strings
10:30—Sweetheart Time
11:00—Baptist Church
12:00—Moonbeam Trio
12:15—Voice of Dairy Farmer
12:30—Hooky Hall
1:00—Your America
1:30—What's the Name of That Song?
2:00—Let's Face the Issue
2:30—Ave Maria Hour

MONDAY, APRIL 9
7:00—News
7:15—Madison Singers
7:30—Maxine Keith
7:45—Morning Melodies
7:55—News
8:00—Sonny Dunham's Orchestra
8:15—News
8:30—Take it Easy Time
8:45—Today's Bulletin Board
8:50—Cote Glee Club
8:55—Lanny and Ginger
9:00—William Lang
9:15—Songs by Morton Downey
9:30—Rationing News
9:35—Old Family Almanac
10:00—Glenn Hardy News

the only thing to do with the Bend-Redmond-Prineville preliminary tussle scheduled for here last night.

Bend track prospects for this year grow slimmer by the day. With the departure yesterday of Phil Brogan for service with Uncle Sam, only three lettermen remain—Don McCauley, George Rasmussen and Dick Maudlin. And training of rookie members depends on Cook's recovery.

Good fortune of Oregon, with emphasis on this section, in securing the services of Dr. Paul Needham as biologist and spark plug for the state game department, became increasingly apparent this week when, with growing enthusiasm Dr. Needham inspected local waters.

Dr. Needham is an authority on fish culture, thoroughly qualified in training and experience. His remarks to local sportsmen lead to the belief that he will not only be able to produce more fish for Oregon waters, but that he will also apportion more of the total to this section.

Yesterday he, with Don Peoples and Ralph Crawford, visited the proposed hatchery site at Wizard falls on the Metolius, and expressed his determination to make a test hatch of rainbow and a rearing test of fingerlings there at the earliest possible season—possibly this year.

FIGHT RESULTS
(By United Press)
New York—(St. Nick's arena)
—Tony Janiro, 140, Youngstown, O., knocked out Humberto Zavala, 137½, Mexico City, (4).

Worcester, Mass.—Timmy Hayes, 127, Boston, stopped Sammy Montani, 128, Pittsburgh, (3).

Providence, R. I.—Dulford Reed, 170, Newark, N. J., outpointed Jerry (schoolboy) Berthelme, 179, Montreal, (10).

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BY GETTING A FIX ON EITHER ONE OF OUR TIME-TRAVELERS, WE'RE ACTUALLY SEEING INTO THE PAST? THAT'S RIGHT!
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