

Seattle Rainiers Tie Portland for Lead in League

(By United Press)
 Manager Bill Skiff's Seattle Rainiers, showing power at the plate and fair-to-middlin' pitching, have gone on the warpath.

After getting bumped off by the Los Angeles Angels in the first two games, the Rainiers came back to crack the Seraphs four times in a row, win a 4-2 series and, incidentally, climb back into a deadlock with the Portland Beavers for first place.

The all-around play of the Rainiers highlighted a week-end of "underdog" baseball in which the tall-enders whacked the leaders around to a considerable extent and further scrambled the infant standings in the 11-game-old Pacific coast league.

The Seattle club won yesterday's double-header, 6-3 and 8-3, after winning Saturday afternoon, 5-4 in 10 innings. The Sunday game attracted 18,000 fans.

Win Twin Bill
 The Sacramento Solons, recovering from four straight thumpings by Portland, won a twin bill yesterday, 6-1 and 5-1 after taking a 7-5 beating Saturday.

The San Francisco Seals won two out of three over the weekend from the San Diego Padres, taking Saturday's slugfest, 13-12 in 10 innings, and splitting yesterday, 11-1 and 1-2. San Diego won the series, 4 to 2.

The Oakland Oaks continued their domination of the Hollywood Stars winning Saturday 6-3 and dividing Sunday between 7-5, 1-8 and 5-4 in two extra innings. The Stars salvaged only one game out of the six-tilt series.

Carl Dumler, a "busher" of 28 summers who was able to win only three games all last year with San Diego, appears to have found the road to success this season. With only 11 games played, of which the Padres have won five, Dumler is credited with three victories.

Gets Four Hitter
 His best effort was a four-hitter yesterday in which he bested the Seals' Elmer Orella in a 2-1 seven-inning game. The mound battle came after the San Francisco club had pounded out 11 and 13-2 victories in two previous games. Hank Sweeney won the game for Dumler with a homer in the sixth after the score was deadlocked at 1-1.

The Oakland nine, manager Dolph Camilli and the fans of the city are riding high on the crest of a 17-year-old Vic Pecci's sensational early-season batting. Vic ran his consecutive hitting streak to 11 straight yesterday by getting two safeties in the first game and one in the second.

The nightcap with the Stars went to two extra innings and was broken up when outfielder Tom Hafey sizzled a single into left field with the sacks loaded.

Hicks Defeated
 Ken Hicks, the 18-year-old Los Angeles southpaw who pitched a 2-1 15-inning victory on the second day of the season, wasn't quite as hot on his second trip to the mound. He was baited from the box by the Rainiers—although he didn't get charged with a loss in the Saturday tilt.

In yesterday's games, the Rainiers pounded out 25 hits in the two tilts of seven Seraph hurlers. Shortstop Bill Lyman and first baseman George McDonald led the attack. Doc Greene and Roy Easterwood homered for the losers.

Guy Fletcher tossed a four-hitter for the Solons in the game tilt against Portland yesterday after Earl Potter had scattered eight hits in the opener. Roy Younker hit a homer in the first tilt.

Baseball Briefs

(By United Press)
 Wilmington, Del., April 9 (AP)—The news from the Philadelphia Phillies' training camp today concerned Bill Nicholson, national league homer and runs-batted-in champion who is working out with the Phils instead of his own club, the Chicago Cubs, to be near his war plant job. Nicholson's home run over the left fence yesterday produced two runs to give his side a 10 to 6 victory in a training camp squad game.

Washington, April 9 (AP)—Two Boston Brave "cripples," outfielder Carden Gillenwater and infielder Frank Drews were receiving treatments today from the club physician at Boston. They were sent home yesterday after their injuries failed to respond to treatment.

Baltimore, April 9 (AP)—Timely long distance hitting by George Kell and Charley Metro plus efficient relief pitching by Russ Christopher stood out today in the Philadelphia athletics' training camp. Kell and Metro hit homers to produce a four run rally in the eighth inning yesterday which gave the A's a 7 to 5 victory over Baltimore.

Bear Mountain, N. Y., April 9 (AP)—Unless the Brooklyn Dodgers do an about face quickly, their chances in the national league pennant race may be almost nil. They dropped their third exhibition game in a row yesterday to the Montreal farm club, 4 to 2.

Atlantic City, N. J., April 9 (AP)—The Boston Red Sox claimed the "seashore" championship today with five victories and three defeats in their training camp series with the New York Yankees. The Red Sox utilized heavy hitting to win again yesterday, 10 to 5, in the final.

Newark, N. J., April 9 (AP)—The New York Giants, apparently taking their exhibition schedule as seriously as if it were the world series, will be hard to hold down in the national league race if they continue at their present clip. Bearing down all the way, they drubbed the Newark Bears, 20 to 1, yesterday.

Out Our Way



Today's Sport Parade

By Leo H. Peterson
 (United Press Sports Editor)
 New York, April 9 (AP)—It's been another "rainy" season financially speaking, by Byron Nelson.

He found plenty of gold along the 1944-45 winter golfing trail and when they came to the end of the road at Atlanta, Ga., yesterday, Nelson was in a familiar spot—at the head of the money winners.

In the long haul which began on the Pacific coast last November, Nelson won eight titles and a total of \$22,615 in prize money, most of it war bonds. His first place in the iron lung tournament at Atlanta was worth \$2,000 and marked his eighth tournament and 13-12 victories in two previous years. He was defeated by Jimmy Demaret in the 1939-40 season.

Rain has been important in the life of Nelson, but not as important as golf. When he is not burning up the fairways around the nation, he is an umbrella manufacturer in Toledo, O. And if it didn't rain or if the sun's rays weren't becoming exceedingly warm — there wouldn't be much of a market for his umbrellas.

That rainy or hot weather on the beaches is fine with Nelson so long as it doesn't bother his golf game.

And from the way he has performed since last November it is pretty obvious that it took more than weather to bother Nelson's game. Sammy Sneed came in 4-1, closest to upsetting the winning six tournaments after being discharged from the navy. But just

when it looked like Sneed was going to challenge Nelson for the lord of the links crown the Toledo sharpshooter buckled down and won going away. He did it by winning the last four tournaments on the winter tour—Durham, Greensboro, Charlotte (after a two round playoff with Sneed) and Atlanta. Before that he had taken the Portland, Phoenix, Corpus Christi and New Orleans opens.

His eight victories and those six of Sneed's didn't leave much for the other golfers on the winter tour for there were only 18 tournaments in all. But because there were only about 20, compared with the usual 75 who used to make the "golden" swing, the others didn't fare too badly.

Back of Nelson, who started out as a caddy at Fort Worth, Tex., and soon after turning pro, became known as the "crisis kid" because of his ability to make tough shots when they counted, came Sneed. His earnings totaled \$16,861, quite an increase from what he made as a sailor the winter before.

Harold (Jug) McSpaden, who paired with Nelson to win the Miami four ball, came third with \$13,264. He was followed by Sammy Byrd, who won one of the four tournaments Nelson and Sneed were unable to garner. Byrd's total was \$10,579. Ky Laf-fer was next in line with \$4,383 and Jim Ferrier, also a winner in one tournament, was sixth with \$4,565.

Babe Zaharias Leads Jameson

Los Angeles, April 9 (AP)—The mighty drives of Babe Didrickson Zaharias today gave her a 4-up advantage over Betty Jameson, deft golfer from San Antonio, Tex., at the halfway mark of their scheduled 72-hole challenge match.

The second half of their "match of the century" will be played April 28 at San Antonio.

Mrs. Zaharias gained her 4-up lead yesterday by touring the Los Angeles country club course in 148 strokes to 156 for Miss Jameson.

A dazzling two under men's par 31 that put her 4 up at the end of the morning nine gave Babe the victory for the plodding Betty played even golf the rest of the way.

CHARGES ARE FILED
 Two Bend residents today faced appearance before Municipal Judge H. C. Ellis, following their arrest over the week-end on charges of allowing their dogs to run at large. Both posted \$5 bail.

Cited were Emma Grimes, 31 Minnesota avenue, and Mrs. C. Aulman, 213 Riverside boulevard.

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By J. R. Williams

Restocked Lake Holds Some of Oregon's 'Best'

By Will Lindley
 (United Press Staff Correspondent)
 Portland, Ore., April 9 (AP)—Will the thousands of dollars spent to make each fighting man an expert with a gun be wasted during the post-war era?

Not if the returning serviceman likes the taste of venison steak or roast Chinese pheasant, according to state and national fish and game experts. These men are, at the present time, planning to make the northwest a post-war hunting and fishing paradise outshining even its high pre-war standards.

At the present time nearly every man who formerly worked for the Oregon state game commission or the U. S. fish and wildlife division of the department of the interior is in the armed forces. The jobs they were doing before they were drafted have not been finished; but they will be.

Lake Is 'Poisoned'
 Before the war lake and stream surveys throughout Oregon were beginning to get started. Then they had to be discontinued.

Out in the upper Deschutes country south of Bend is an example of what these surveys can accomplish.

One of the Twin lakes had been, for many years, a fine fishing spot but some anglers who preferred to use live bait brought in small trash fish from other areas. Soon these fish, prolific but not very edible, had increased until they were eating up too much marine vegetation.

Biologists of the state fish and game commission were aware of this trouble, but a survey of the lake was made to ascertain whether it was advisable to kill off all life. This check revealed that such a measure was necessary. The lake was poisoned, then left without any marine life until the effect of the deadly chemicals wore off. The lake was then restocked, and now contains some of the finest fish in Oregon.

During the post-war era it will again provide limitless delight for the anglers of the state.

Planting of fish in lakes has been almost discontinued since most field biologists were drafted, but scientific advances in the profession are being followed, and plans are being made at the present time to restock many lakes after the war which, because of transportation difficulties, are little-used at the present time.

The sportsman who can't get gas today had better save his fishing rod and his rifle for the post-war era. There'll be plenty for him to shoot at then.

Nelson Is Hailed King of Golfers

Atlanta, Ga., April 9 (AP)—Byron Nelson, finishing his greatest season appropriately with a new all-time tournament record, had the word of the old master, Bobby Jones himself today, that no golfer of the "golden era" could have approached him.

It was Nelson's succession of sub-par rounds which gave him a 72-hole total of 263 and first money of \$2,000 in the Atlanta Iron Lung golf tournament, that prompted Jones, the one-time king of the links to speak up.

"When I was at my best, I never came close to the golf Nelson shot in this tournament," said Jones, whose best was good enough for him to win the "grand slam" of four major titles in 1929. Jones, generally regarded as the greatest of all American golfers said that he had never seen anything to equal Nelson's consistent brilliance.

Wins Eight Tourneys
 Victory by a nine-stroke margin over second place Sammy Byrd of Detroit, who had a 272 total, gave the Toledo, O., stromkaster his eighth major tournament in 18 this season and total winnings of \$22,615.

Shooting his third sub-par round of the tournament yesterday, he finished with a 65, four below regulation figures to break the previous tournament mark of 264 set in 1940 by Craig Wood of Mamaroneck, N. Y., at the Forest Hills course in Bloomfield, N. J.

Byrd's score netted him second prize of \$1,500. The money was awarded in war bonds.

Nelson, who had the added handicap of some 5,000 well-wishers, at times almost was fenced in.

Santa Clara Plans Big Time Sports

Santa Clara, Calif., April 9 (AP)—A return to big-time sports participation "as soon as war conditions allow" was announced for the University of Santa Clara today by George Barsi, graduate manager.

Barsi said he had been given assurance by the board of athletic control that Santa Clara, "the biggest little school in U. S. sports," would return to major gridiron and basketball competition.

Barsi said that basketball, which he coaches, would lead the way, going back on the intercollegiate sports agenda next year. However, he doubted that football could return for the 1945 season—even if V-E day arrives in Europe this spring.

"There just wouldn't be enough men mustered out of the service by fall to re-start our grid schedule," Barsi said.

Santa Clara now has an enrollment of about 125. This compares with 500 to 600 in peace times.

Modern locomotives now have a tractive power 34% greater than those of 20 years ago.

Third Life Lost In Sandy River

Portland, Ore., April 9 (AP)—The lure of the heavy smelt run in the Sandy river has taken its third life, this time that of a spectator who slipped into the stream, reached the shore then slipped a second time and disappeared.

The latest victim was Kenneth C. Burke, 30-year-old foundry worker, one of the estimated 25,000 persons who visited the stream Sunday to fish or to watch others fish. His body had not been recovered today.

Burke slipped into the stream about a mile north of Troutdale, reaching shore, he removed his shirt and sweater. Upon slipping a second time and being unable to recover his balance he deliberately dove into the stream and disappeared.

Portlanders Beat Boston Olympics

Portland, Ore., April 9 (AP)—Showing the effects of their journey westward, the Boston Olympics hockey team fell easy victim to the Portland Eagles, 12 to 3, in an exhibition encounter here last night.

The Olympics, Eastern amateur league champions, met the Seattle Ironmen, Pacific coast hockey league titlists, in a national championship series starting Thursday at Seattle. Portland was runner-up to the Ironmen in the regular season.

Portland played rings around the easterners through two and a third periods, scoring four goals in the first period, three in the second, and two more in the last period before Boston gathered power to tally three times in succession, making the score 9-3, but in the last 10 minutes, Portland scored three more goals.

Conn is Star
 Portland's fast-breaking offensive and swift back-checking mainly held the Olympics at bay throughout. Joe Conn of Portland tallied three counters, while Eddie Shamlock, Andre Bouvrette and Johnny Millard each got two.

Hamel got two of Boston's trio of goals, with the third being credited to Schmidt.

The two teams will play another exhibition match here Wednesday.

The army's new jet-propelled plane was tested in California under hot desert conditions and in northern Alaska under cold conditions.

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- 5:30—Tom Mix
- 5:45—Night News Wire
- 6:00—Gabriel Heater
- 6:15—Real Life Stories
- 6:30—The Better Half
- 7:00—Soldiers of the Press
- 7:15—Lowe Ranger
- 7:30—Treasury Salute
- 8:15—Del Courtney's Orchestra
- 8:30—Michael Shayne
- 9:00—Glen Hardy News
- 9:15—Cecil Brown
- 9:30—Lew Diamond's Orchestra
- 9:45—Mutual Musicales
- 10:00—Fulton Lewis Jr.
- 10:15—Sherlock Holmes

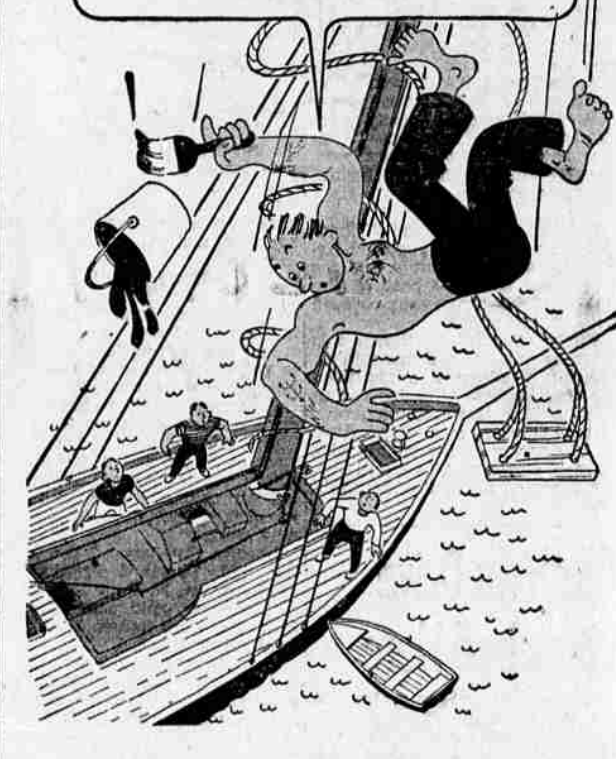
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- 7:00—News
- 7:15—Auctioneer
- 7:30—Maxine Keith
- 7:45—Morning Melodies
- 7:55—News
- 8:00—Henry King's Orchestra
- 8:15—News
- 8:30—Take It Easy Time
- 8:45—Today's Bulletin Board
- 9:00—Organ Treasures
- 9:15—Lanny and Ginger
- 9:30—William Lang
- 9:45—Songs by Morton Downey
- 9:50—Rationing News
- 9:55—Old Family Almanac
- 10:00—Glen Hardy News
- 10:15—Luncheon With Lopez
- 10:30—Paula Stone and Phil Brito
- 10:45—Redmond Victory March
- 11:35—Love Notes
- 11:40—News
- 11:45—Lum 'n Abner
- 12:00—Clyde Lucas' Orchestra
- 12:10—Sport Yarns
- 12:15—Music A La Carter
- 12:30—News

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By V. T. HAMLIN