

Beavers, Seattle Tie for First in Pacific League

COAST LEAGUE STANDINGS

Team	W	L	PCT
Seattle	9	4	.692
Portland	9	4	.692
Oakland	8	5	.615
Sacramento	7	6	.538
San Francisco	5	8	.385
Los Angeles	5	8	.385
San Diego	5	8	.385
Hollywood	4	9	.308

(By United Press)
The Portland Beavers, scoring a 9-3 win over the San Francisco Seals, today were tied for first place with the Seattle Rainiers in the Pacific coast league baseball race.

The Rainiers dropped a 9-8 decision to the last-place Hollywood Stars last night, their first loss in six starts. In other games, the Oakland Oaks trimmed the San Diego Padres 11-6 and the Los Angeles Angels lost to the Sacramento Solons 15-11.

The Beavers crashed through with five runs in the second frame as Marv Owen, Johnny O'Neil, Eddie Adams, Don Pulford, Larry Barton and Frank DeMaree singled. Pulford, who went the route for the Beavers, was touched for 14 hits but all were scattered. The series stands at one-all.

Johnny Intlekofer pitched the Twinks to their upset victory over the Suds, allowing 14 hits to Joe Demoran's 12. The winning run was scored in the ninth when outfielder Ken Richardson doubled to score Jim Hill.

Oaks Win Again
The Oaks blasted three San Diego pitchers for their second straight series win. In the first inning, a well-placed triple by Vic Fiebert set the pattern for three runs off Vic Trand, Padre hurler. In the fourth, the Oaks scored six runs on five hits and two errors. Jim Caulfield led the batting with three hits and two doubles and made four runs. Del Balinger scored four of six runs for the Padres.

The Solons and the Angies staged a free-hitting contest marked by eight errors. Jess Landrum, Sacramento second baseman, paced the batting parade with three doubles and two singles in six times at bat while pitcher Jim Attanzio scored a triple and two singles. The Los Angeles batters were held in check with Roy Viers, Rip Russell and Jim Tyack getting two singles each. The Solons lead the series 2-0.

Out Our Way



THE PARTNERSHIP

By J. R. Williams

Migratory Birds Present Problem

(United Press Staff Correspondent)
Portland, Ore., April 12 (AP)—Millions of interstate travelers are crossing borders without any regulation by the interstate commerce commission.

They're the migratory birds, especially ducks and geese which provide such hunting opportunities for the northwestern nimrod.

Unfortunately, there is a lack of interstate cooperation in this matter which is sorely needed, according to the state and national game experts. These men claim that postwar hunting is going to find hunters firing more ammunition and getting less birds if the condition is not alleviated.

Situation Presented
There are enough bird refuges now to take care of existing flocks; there will be more land bought for this purpose both during the war and shortly after its conclusion. But there are too many selfish hunters.

The birds come into one state and hunters, with a large limit guaranteed, bang away for days at a time, getting large bags. Their idea is to shoot as many of them as possible, because soon the migrators will have moved into a neighboring state, and there they will be shot away. Therefore, the nimrod reasons, why not get the birds before they get away.

Or, "If I don't, somebody else will."

Set By State
Wildlife experts explain that such is not the case. Bag limits are set by the state, although the federal government may lengthen the season or increase the bag limit allowed per day. However, states have been too lenient and the federal government is reluctant to take steps for fear that legal action may be impending.

The states, on the other hand, don't like to put check reins on the hunters.

There are three possible solutions:

1. Get the states to put a tighter limit on seasons or bag limits.
 2. Raise the price on federal duck stamps.
 3. Purchase more refuges so that propagation may be speeded and shelter areas spaced a shorter distance apart.
- All three are being seriously considered. All three hit pretty hard at the hunter—or at the ducks.

8 Teams Listed In New League

Vancouver, Wash., April 12 (AP)—Eight teams have been included in the new Evergreen baseball league in southwest Washington to start May 27, it was learned today.

Teams will be Vancouver, Kelso, Longview, Woodland, Winlock, Toledo, Rainier and Cathlamet. Chehalis and Centralia might enter. Games will be played Sundays on a round-robin schedule.

LEAVES RATION BOOKS

Butler, Pa., (AP)—Mrs. Dorothy Jean Young discovered that a sense of patriotism exists among some thieves. Someone stole her pocketbook from a counter in the G. C. Murphy Co. store but left her ration books in the rest room.

Today's Sport Parade

By Leo H. Peterson

(United Press Sports Editor)
New York, April 12 (AP)—At the risk of incurring the displeasure of Ford Frick and William Harbridge, who don't like to hear the word gambling in connection with baseball, the crystal ball came up today with:

Another all-St. Louis world series in 1945.
The betting lines will form to the left and if they run very long the presidents of the national and American league aren't going to like it a bit. But we thought it was only fair to give the people who want to get down a little green an inside track on what teams not to bet on.

Maybe our perfect record is in jeopardy, but we see the red birds winning their fourth straight national league pennant and the Browns their second consecutive American league flag. To keep that record perfect, they will have to lose for our last selections were the Browns over the Cards in the 1944 world series

and navy over army in football, and you know what happened! So if you want to wind up behind a ball other than crystal here is the way not to bet 'em:

The national—St. Louis, Pittsburgh, Chicago, New York, Cincinnati, Boston, Brooklyn and Philadelphia. Looks pretty much like the 1944 finish except for New York and Cincinnati switching places.

The American—St. Louis, New York, Detroit, Cleveland, Chicago, Boston, Washington, and with apologies to Connie Mack, Philadelphia.

Why?
The Cards have the closest thing to a pre-war ball club, even if the draft should gobble up Walker Cooper, Johnny Hopp and Max Lanier. It still would leave such performers left as Mort Cooper, Martin Marion, Ray Sanders, and George (Whitey) Kurowski. Enough said.

For the other national league clubs—the Pirates may run short on pitching and hitting; the Cubs could do it if the hurling holds up and their leading slugger, Bill Nicholson, who is in I-A, isn't called up; the Giants lack speed with such men as Ernie Lombardi and Phil Weintraub and may be short on pitching, too; Cincinnati has Bucky Walters, who can't do it alone; the Braves have pitching, little else; Brooklyn has Branch Rickey and that Branch won't become a tree; and Philadelphia has hopes and only a couple of ball players.

The Browns have everything they had last year except Denny Galehouse, who was their Clipse-down guy in their drive to the pennant. But they still look good enough. The Yankees, if they keep Johnny Lindell and if they should get Jeff Heath from the Indians, could do it; the Tigers have Hal Newhouser and Dizzy Trout and that's a pitching staff alone but will miss Dick Wakefield; the Indians are short of infielders; it's still the "hitless wonders" with the White Sox; haven't much of anything and easily could slip in the cellar; Washington has pitching and somewhat less than "40 thieves" (George Case and George Myatt being their chief base stealers); and Philadelphia has Connie Mack. Unfortunately, Connie is past 80 and his dugout score card wagging doesn't promise to be enough.

So don't say we didn't warn you.

Baseball Briefs

(By United Press)
Boston, April 12 (AP)—It's getting to be a very desirable habit for the Boston Braves—winning baseball games in the late innings. For the fourth straight game yesterday, a late rally gave the Braves a triumph, this time a 3 to 1 win over the Boston Red in the opener of the city series.

St. Louis, April 12 (AP)—The St. Louis Browns won their third victory in four games with the Cards, 10 to 3, yesterday. Home runs by George McQuinn and Don Gutteridge sparked the 14-hit offensive. The game was called after six innings because of rain, with the Browns getting six runs in the final time at bat.

Plainfield, N. J., April 12 (AP)—If outfielder Jeff Heath wants a

job with the New York Yankees and will play for what Col. Larry MacPhail is willing to pay him, a deal probably can be worked out, the Yankee boss said today.

New York, April 12 (AP)—The red-hot interborough rivalry between New York and Brooklyn was off to a fine start today with the Giants getting the first victory, 9 to 7, in an 11-inning battle with the Dodgers.

Bainbridge, Md., April 12 (AP)—The Washington Senators were down two games in a row today to the Bainbridge naval team. Three former major league stars paced the sailors to yesterday's 4 to 1 victory.

Chicago, April 12 (AP)—The lineup with which the Chicago Cubs will open their city series today includes Stan Hack at third base, Roy Hughes at shortstop, Ed Sauer in left field, Frank Secory in right and Mickey Livingston or Paul Gillespie catching. Hank Wyse may be the starting pitcher for the Cubs while two southpaws, veteran Thornton Lee and Rookie Johnny Johnson will work for the Sox.

Indianapolis, Ind., April 12 (AP)—The Cleveland Indians were big winners in the Indiana "O.D.T." league today, with a string of six straight triumphs, the last three over the Indianapolis Indians of the American association. Cleveland won 15 to 3, yesterday.

NO STRANGER TO FIELD

Lawrence, Mass. (AP)—E. Leslie Hall of Granby, Conn., a test-observer, was forced down on Lawrence Memorial stadium when his plane had engine trouble recently. And the mishap brought back pleasant memories. For it was on this field that Hall played football with Lawrence high school six years ago.

Welker Cochran Defeats Hoppe

Chicago, April 12 (AP)—Champion Welker Cochran whipped challenger Willie Hoppe 60 to 51 in 39 innings last night, but Hoppe still was 151 points up on the champion in their transcontinental world's championship three-cushion billiards match.

Cochran's victory snapped Hoppe's five-bloc winning streak. Cochran's high run was five, Hoppe's six.

Hoppe came within one inning of tying the world's record for best game by winning yesterday afternoon's block 60 to 36 in 24 innings. His high run was 10, Cochran's four.

Hoppe now has a total of 2,187 points, and Cochran has 2,036.

Gordon Winner Of First Stripe

Eugene, Ore., April 12 (AP)—Joe Gordon, the slugging Yankee second baseman, is wearing a private first class stripe on his army uniform at Hamilton field, Calif.

Joe's promotion came with the army air transport command. He is a physical instructor and went into service last May. His family lives at San Rafael near his field.

Fontana lake in western North Carolina, which will result from the new Fontana dam, will have a 215-mile shore line; the dam is 450 feet high, the fourth largest in the world.

Portland Icemen Defeat Olympics

Portland, Ore., April 12 (AP)—After losing two exhibition games to the Portland Eagles, the Boston Olympics were hopping mad today as they traveled to Seattle to meet the Ironmen in a series starting tonight for the national amateur ice hockey crown.

Last night's game, won 7 to 4 by Portland, ended in a free-for-all so bitter the final 11 seconds were never played. A half dozen fist fights were going on at once and a few spectators joined in the melee. The Eagles drubbed the visitors 12 to 3 Sunday.

The Eastern league champs were pitted with Seattle in the title playoff after the Eagles dropped a close series. The Eagles hung up their skates after waxing the Olympics the second time.

Gets Two Goals

Joe Conn got two goals to put Portland off to an early start, with Marcel Fillion, Olympic winger, bringing up the count to 2-1 with a goal near the end of the first period. The count was tied one minute after the second period started on a goal by Allen Ritter, who put the Olympics ahead eight minutes later with another goal. Tom Brennan got another for Boston two minutes afterward but Johnny Millard and Bobby Morin each collected a goal to tie the score, 4-4, near the end

of the second period.
The game was clinched for Portland when Art Schuman, Alf Carr and Andre Bouvrette hit the goal in the final period. It was Schumann and Fillion who tangled to start the near-riot at the close.
The first two periods were rough, with Boston getting seven of the 10 penalties.

Football League Lines Up Games

New York, April 12 (AP)—The National professional football league executives, ending a marathon meeting, left for home today after approving a 50-game 1945 schedule which includes one week-day night game and a Thanksgiving day contest.

The schedule of games begins on Sept. 23 and ends on Dec. 9, spanning 11 weeks. Following that the annual championship game will be played between the eastern and western winners for the world title.

Although the Brooklyn Tiger franchise was maintained as such after a merger with the Boston Yanks, there will be no home games in Brooklyn. All but one of the Bo-Brook home games will be played at Boston, the single exception being the game with the New York Giants at New York's Yankee stadium.

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