

# CRACK PORTLAND SOFTBALL CLUB COMING TONIGHT

## GOLDEN GLOW MILKMEN WILL MEET HOGG'S

The "Great Calhoun," who ranks along with Mickey Berland and Biff Jorgensen in Portland softball pitchers, will display his books and slants on Sweetland field tonight for the edification of Hogg Brothers batters and several hundred fans. Calhoun will do mound duty for Golden Glow, a team which has had a winning record of 13 straight games. Golden Glow is tied with Rotary Bread for second place in the American league.

## SCOT BEATEN BY CLINGMAN

Salem devotees of the wrestling racket went home satisfied last night after watching Otis Clingman deal out a wide variety of punishment to Scotty McDougall in the main event of the weekly grappling exhibition. Clingman was handed the first fall by referee Elliott when the Scot failed to follow instructions and discontinue the use of his illegal choke hold. Clingman won the second round on his own account by tearing into McDougall and finally planting his knees under the Scot's chin.

The Black Panther, after taking the first fall, lost the second and third to Andy Tremaine in the 45-minute special event. Bob Cummings lost two out of three to Danny Russo in the 30-minute preliminary.

## Mungo May Be Through; Yanks Rating Feller as Sixth Speed Merchant

New York, July 21 (AP)—Van Lingle Mungo, fireball ace of the Brooklyn Dodgers, fears his pitching days are over. . . . His mighty right arm is almost numb from elbow to shoulder. . . . Best doctors in New York are x-raying and diagnosing. . . . Mungo was batted from the box in less than an inning by the Cubs Sunday. . . . New York Evening Post says Mike Jacobs and Jimmy Johnston, both tops in flight promoting, will announce a partnership soon. . . . which is page "sun" news—if it's so. . . . From London comes word Don Budge will jump to the pros the minute the United States wins the Davis cup.

It will be reunion in California when Indiana and Southern California play basketball in Los Angeles next winter. . . . The entire Indiana squad will be home here while eight of California's first ten players will be Hoosiers. . . . Add rags to riches: Harold Litman, who used to hustle peanuts at Ebbets field, has just signed a contract for his Parkways football team of the American association to use the Dodgers' field this season when the Brooklyn football Dodgers are playing abroad.

That youngster doing the battle practice catching for the Boston Bees is the son of Ziggy Sears, national league umpire. . . . Tommy Farr, Marcel Thill, et al. arrive on the Berengaria today. . . . Tommy is quoted as being "convinced" he will whip Joe Louis. . . . Col. John Red Kilpatrick, president of Madison Square Garden, flew to Los Angeles to sign up Souja Heine, the skate queen—also a few fighters. . . . Hope Feller doesn't feel hurt, but the Yankees (who should know) rate him no better than sixth as a speed merchant. . . . They place Van Mungo, Tommy Bridges of the Ti-

## CHICAGO CUBS, DETROIT CHASE FLEEING YANKS

(By Associated Press) Trying to catch the galloping Yankees these days is about as hopeful as trying to keep up with Gar Wood in a one-lung outboard, but you can't rule the White Sox or the Tigers off the track for trying.

The Sox have won six in a row to maintain their place as runners-up to the champions, now six and half games in front after drubbing the Browns in both ends of a double header yesterday.

The Tigers, encouraged by the promising recovery of Manager Mickey Cochrane, who for the first time since his injury put on a uniform during morning workout yesterday, have won five straight since handing the Yankees the lone setback of their current road trip.

Both have been fairly easy picking the last few days. The Sox caught first the Red Sox and now the Senators in the throes of a losing streak, making it ten defeats in a row for the Nats yesterday with a 4-3 triumph in ten innings.

The Red Sox aren't proving too tough for the Tigers, either. The Hub crew was up in second place last week but has hit the skids again, that ten inning, 10-9 licking by Detroit being its fifth in a row.

Even the fact that Jimmy Fox chinned in with his nineteenth and twentieth homers and Colonel Mills and Eric McNair came up with one each couldn't save the Sox.

Tuesday's games: National—Brooklyn 2, Pittsburgh 1 (10 innings); New York 3, Cincinnati 3 (10 innings); Boston 5, St. Louis 3; Chicago at Philadelphia, rain.

American—Chicago 4, Washington 3 (10 innings); Philadelphia 7, Cleveland 5; New York 5-9, St. Louis 4-6 (first 10 innings); Detroit 10, Boston 9.

## Ducks Nose Out Solons 3-2; Oaks Move Into 6th Position as Indians Skin

The Oakland Acorns miraculously moved into sixth place in the Pacific coast league today, relegating their customary seventh place berth to the skidding Seattle Indians.

Playing errorless ball and hitting hard, the Oaks defeated the San Francisco Mission Reds, 7 to 1, last night, while big Jim Chaplin gave the league-leading San Diego Padres a 4 to 0 shut out over the Indians.

The Padres' lead was increased to a game and a half as Portland won its 14th game in 16 starts, defeating the second-place Sacramento Solons, 3 to 2.

Although wild, "Sailor" Bill Poseidel won his sixth straight for the larruping Portland Beavers. An unearned run was blamed for "Gentleman" Dick Newsome's defeat. In the eighth inning first baseman Dutch Prather lost a throw from third base in the lights. A sacrifice and a double by Johnny Frederick caused the run home.

A wild pitch and too many walks cost Wesley Flowers and the Los Angeles Angels a 5 to 4 defeat at the hands of the San Francisco Seals in 10 innings. Flowers, recently released by the Seals, limited his former mates to five hits, but saw two runs scored in the second inning when he forced in one tally with a walk and let another come home on a wild pitch. The Angels out-hit the Seals 15 to 5.

Merrill May, third baseman and recent Oakland addition, led the Acorns' assault on the Missions with a triple and three singles and drove in three runs. It was the Oaks' seventh consecutive victory.

Chaplin virtually won his game single-handed. The big Padre hurler's victory was his 16th for the season. He hit a homer in the seventh and also bagged a double. Harold Patchett of the Padres also hit for the circuit in the seventh.

MRS. BENNETT HOME Falls City—Mrs. M. H. Bennett has returned from California where she spent the past six weeks with relatives and friends.

toppled Farr falls to state. Since there have been few really successful negro heavies, it is probable a majority of the boys beaten by the Britisher were unknowns. One or two experts who saw the bout between Farr and Max Baer a few months ago, expressed the opinion that the play boy could have polished off Farr if he had stepped in and really put his heart in it.

Golden Glow, a squad of milk fed softball artists from Portland, will show how it is done in the metropolis Wednesday night on Sweetland field. Those fans who have been asking for something different should respond to the efforts of the management to bring new faces into the local program. Golden Glow will play Hogg Brothers at 9:30.

Because he has fought and defeated nine negroes in his time, Tommy Farr, British heavyweight champion, predicts he will hand Joe Louis a beating when they clash in Yankee stadium the night of August 26. Just who the colored boys were that he

## SILVERTON BALL PARK OK SAYS SHOE MANAGER

They can leave the fences of the Silverton baseball park right where they are, as far as Verne Harrington is concerned.

Harrington, manager of the Oregon championship Reliable Shoe team which opens its interstate series against Johnson Paint of Tacoma at Silverton Thursday at 8:30 p. m., is all for having a deep outfield.

"Ball games are ruined in parks which have close fences where lazy fly balls go for home runs all the time," he said.

"Furthermore, the outfielders don't really learn how to play the outfield. They learn to play balls off the fences, but when they get into major league ball where the parks are large they have to learn how to chase them.

"The Silverton park is big enough that outfielders have to turn their backs at times and race toward the fences to catch fly balls.

"It also puts base running and throwing at a premium. A triple can easily be stretched into a home run unless the outfielders show speed and make a good relay of the ball.

"I think it would be a mistake to shorten the field."

The fences of McGinnis field at Silverton are 365 feet from home plate on the foul line and 390 feet distant in centerfield, considerably farther than at Portland's coast league park.

Not a ball was smacked over during the entire 30-game state tournament, but there were several home runs within the park and one terrific drive bounced over for a home run.

The Reliable Shoe players are working out daily in Portland to be in top shape for their best three out of five games series with Johnson Paint. Manager Harrington predicted that his charges will be in even better shape for the playoff than they were for the tournament itself.

ARRIVES FOR SUMMER Silverton—Dr. A. J. McCannel and Mrs. McCannel have as their house guest for the summer a niece of Dr. McCannel, Miss Edna McKechnie, of Sedro-Woolley, Wn.

HORNBY RELIEVED OF MANAGER'S JOB St. Louis, July 21 (AP)—Donald L. Barnes, president of the St. Louis Browns, announced today that Manner Rogers Hornsby had been relieved of his duties effective today.

OCCUPIES PULPIT Falls City—Frances Wise of West Salem filled the pulpit at the Methodist church Sunday morning.

## Berkeley's Fire Trucks Garbed in University Color

Berkeley, Calif., July 21 (AP)—And now for a siren that will screech "Ziss, boom, ah!"

The football season will find all the fire trucks in this city, home of the University of California, garbed in coats of blue and gold, the colors of the Golden Bears.

"Red is no longer a distinctive color for fire equipment," observed City Manager Hollis Thompson in disclosing the order for new paint jobs for the trucks. "There are more red pleasure cars than fire trucks."

Red is the color of Stanford, California's traditional rival.

## COOPER FAVORED CHICAGO GOLF

Chicago, July 21 (AP)—Anyone who can turn out a 72 hole total of 284 strokes over the Medinah Country club's number one and three courses Friday, Saturday and Sunday, says Harry Cooper, can win himself the \$3,000 prize in Chicago's \$10,000 open golf tournament.

"Light Horse Harry," a terror in big money tournaments who has won around \$3,000 since the first of the year, should have a pretty good idea of what it will do for the Medinah layouts are among his favorites. He never has lost an official competition over the courses and figures 284 should be good enough.

Cooper is the wagering favorite, at 8 to 1, to keep his Medinah winning streak alive. The national open champion, big Ralph Guldahl, is listed at 10 to 1, with Sam Snead who finished runner-up to Guldahl in the open, and Henry Picard quoted at 12 to 1.



VAN LINGLE MUNGO—Dodgers' pitching ace, suffers with an ailing throwing arm and believes his mound days may be over. Mungo became temperamental in spring training when he refused to pitch to Babe Phelps.

## Streamlined Ball Speeds Up Contests

Gainesville, Fla., July 21 (AP)—There was plenty of debate today on the merits of "streamlined" baseball, but no one questioned that it proved its speed in its professional debut.

Gainesville defeated Leesburg, 2-1, in a Florida state league game last night with only one hour and 19 minutes required for the play. Average length of six other games played by the same teams this season was two hours, 23 minutes.

Ninety-one out of 154 ballots turned in by fans were classed as unfavorable and 63 as favorable, but managers and umpires were unanimous in their approval.

"Streamlined baseball proved itself," said Manager Bob McShane of Gainesville, "and professional baseball will do well to look into it."

Frank S. Wright, University of Florida public relations man, drew up the new rules, which forbid the between-outs "throw around," eliminates preliminary pitching, puts balls and strike penalties on stalling, calls for inning changes at double-quick and provides for immediate substitution of pitchers and catchers when they become base runners.

Pitchers warm up before the dugout, but there is no preliminary pitching from the mound.

BANKERS LOSE The Bankers team of the industrial softball league lost to the Paper Mill Mechanics last night, 13 to 9.

Machinists 13 13 3 Bankers 9 12 4 Craig and DeCeer; Rees and McCune.

## JUNIOR BALL RACE DOWN TO 8 TEAMS

Woodburn—The race for the American Legion Junior baseball championship of Oregon has settled down to eight teams, four of which will enter the finals to be held at Legion park here August 7 and 8.

Corvallis and Roseburg will meet in a two-out-of-three game series to determine the entrant from that section. Corvallis defeated Newport and Eugene to enter the sectional finals while Roseburg swept through all southern Oregon teams. Hood River will meet Ontario with the winner of two out of three games entering the tournament. The race in Portland has narrowed down to two teams, El Rey and Postoffice Pharmacy, who are deadlocked for the top rung. El Rey entered the tourney here last year as the Portland representative and won the state title, but was eliminated by the Washington state team. Woodburn, Marion county and district champ, will meet Estacada this week-end for the Willamette valley championship, with the winner entering the state finals.

Woodburn represented this section last year but was eliminated by El Rey in their first game and went on to take third place with a smashing victory over The Dalles.

Tickets for the state series are now on sale by the Woodburn Legion pool.

## THE STANDINGS

TEAM	W	L	Pct.
San Diego	68	45	.602
Sacramento	65	45	.596
San Francisco	62	49	.563
Portland	58	51	.532
Los Angeles	54	54	.500
Oakland	48	60	.443
Seattle	47	64	.423
Mission	45	72	.387

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Chicago	30	39	.433
New York	31	31	.500
Pittsburgh	48	35	.577
St. Louis	42	37	.532
Boston	37	44	.457
Brooklyn	35	45	.438
Cincinnati	31	48	.393
Philadelphia	29	52	.366

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
New York	34	39	.467
Chicago	30	32	.484
Detroit	47	31	.603
Boston	42	34	.553
Cleveland	37	38	.492
Washington	33	45	.426
St. Louis	25	32	.438
Philadelphia	23	38	.375

Chuck Bond Signs With Redskin Club Washington, July 21 (AP)—The Washington Redskins football team announced today that Charles Bond of the University of Washington had been signed to play with the professional team at the start of next season. Bond, named as an all-Pacific coast tackle last season, will report here for training August 25.

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Left—Six Lelands; Above—Cotner Trio; Below—Betty Willis and pal

The "zrattest of ease" with which the much-touted daring young man flies through the air, which in fact characterizes all the alluring feats which take place under a circus tent, is the result of the very antithesis of ease, namely: hard work and much of it, to the accomplishment of equal portions of patience and perseverance.

This fact will bear testimony of any of the performers and trainers with Russell Bros. circus which is billed to exhibit in Salem on Tuesday, August 3.

It may be disillusioning, but circus performers do not get that way by some magic gift. True, there must first be a natural aptitude. But beyond that are endless hours of practice, blistered palms, aching backs, and frayed nerves, yet underlying all of these, the pride that comes from true achievement.

Roger T. Babson, world famed financial expert, has found inspiration in the circus and writes of it in these terms: "If every industry were operated with the same intelligent organization and strict discipline as those of a great circus, would there be any business depression? If every young man developed the courage and exactness of those performers, would there be any unemployment? If we all in our daily work showed the persistence and patience of those animal trainers, could we help being successful? Of course these people require character, health and intelligence as a foundation on which to build. . . . The secret of circus success continues to be those old fashioned qualities of industry, courage, good habits, and thoroughness."

This comes from Dame Laura Knight, England's foremost woman artist: "Circus performers are the hardest working, cleanest living people I have ever met, with a pride in their bodies, an ideal of attainment and an infinite capacity for endurance." And to this, another famous Englishwoman, Lady Eleanor Smith, the novelist, adds: "The performers of the circus are neither savages nor magicians, they are charming, normal, industrious people, whose private existence might well set an example to us all."