

Senators Bust Camp to Come Home for Opener

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Flags at Half Staff in Rites For Sutherland

Pittsburgh, April 13 (AP)—The city's flags flew at half-mast today as Pittsburgh paid its last respects to one of the greatest football teachers of all times, Dr. John B. (Jack) Sutherland.

The body of the 59-year-old coach lay in state at Calvary Episcopal church. It remained there until late this afternoon when members of the Pittsburgh Steeler football team—men he coached last fall—carried it to Homewood cemetery.

His brilliant career, transferred from college to professional football, was cut short by death early Sunday morning in West Penn hospital, following a brain operation.

WEBFOOTS NAME SIX

Eugene, Ore., April 13 (AP)—A six-man team was named today by University of Oregon Golf Coach Sid Milligan as the Ducks prepared to swing north against Washington State and Idaho this week-end.

The Oregon tee squad will include Al Crosby, Lou Stafford, Dom Provost, Red Taylor, John Prince and Al Riebel.

Skits and Scratches

BY FRED ZIMMERMAN, Capital Journal Sports Editor

Declaring that "the fight racket is the swill barrel of sports," Jimmy Cannon takes a blast at prize fighting in a recent issue of Esquire. "It is a suburb of the underworld and the money handlers of this foul game are often despicable scoundrels who will do anything that brings in a buck." But Cannon does see at least one bright spot in the otherwise gloomy picture. "In all the time that Joe Louis has been fighting I have never heard one of his contests denounced as a frame-up although many of them have appeared strange due to the curious deportment of his opponents. It is Louis alone without the aid of anyone else who has made himself immune from the disease of greed which infects almost every other guy in the fight racket," claims Cannon. "Not once in the time Joe has been champion has he abused the office."

Cannon may be right in those sections where he has had an opportunity to do a bit of investigation. But he takes in a lot of territory when he charges that everybody associated with the game should be regarded with suspicion. We have often wondered why a youngster wants to take a crack at the beak busting business, but to say that they were participants of a "racket" is accusing them of something that is far from correct. There are individuals who will do most anything if there is a dollar involved, regardless of the activity. The fight game is far from being an innocent pastime but Joe Louis isn't the only man who has a clear slate by any means.

The annual tournaments of the National Baseball Congress do not just happen and an immense amount of spade work has to be done before the state champions assemble each year at Wichita, Kan. Ray Dumont, president of the congress, started his preparatory plans earlier in the month for the big event which is scheduled for August 13-25. The winning team will get a cash award of \$10,000 in addition to travel expenses. Experience has shown that 80 percent of the participating teams will represent towns of 5000 or less population.

Presence of Coach Alonso Stagg in Oregon should be given recognition in some manner if at all possible. Perhaps the "grand old man" of football would not care to receive any recognition, but if he could be persuaded to spend a few hours in Salem before going back to his home something should be arranged. An appearance before Willamette students, the Salem Breakfast club or one of the several service groups might be worked out.

Manuel Ortiz, the world's bantamweight champion, will be featured in the next show of the National Boxing club in Portland the night of April 27. Ortiz was on hand in 1942 when the club launched its program and will return to meet Joey Dolan of Spokane. The scrap will be a non-title affair with Dolan agreeing to make 126 pounds.

No one should get too badly excited over the defeat of the Salem Senators by the Oregon State Beavers. Manager Jack Wilson is forced to do considerable experimenting in order to test his material. Had he cared to do so, he probably could place nine men on the field who would give a good account of themselves. On the other hand, the collegians feel they gain considerable prestige by knocking off a Class B club and act accordingly.

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Injured Infielder May Be Replaced by Bevo Rookie

The Salem Senators broke their Oregon State college campus spring training Tuesday, and, if the perverse weather man lives up to form, this may be the signal for clearing skies.

The Solons will complete their preparation for Friday night's initial performance at the local park. Mel Nunes, struck on the knee by a thrown ball, may be compelled to rest for 10 days or two weeks. With the regular third sacker sidelined, a hunt has been inaugurated for a temporary replacement. The Portland Beaver parent organization has been asked to forward a relief performer if possible.

Joe Gedzius, shortstop, will probably be shifted to third and there is a possibility that Bud Peterson may take over since he is currently riding the Beavers' bench.

Cold, wet weather has been a handicap in rounding the pitching staff into condition and Manager Jack Wilson is not expected to name a starter for the opener against the Tacoma Tigers until Friday. Vince Lazor, No. 1 right hander from last season, was not among those attending the Beaver camp in California and hence is not yet in shape for a nine inning whirl. Hank Anderson hasn't been able to shake his wildness. Cal McIrvine, 23 year old southpaw, might possibly get the call.

Reserved seat tickets for Friday night's contest are being sold at Maple's. General admission pasteboards will go on sale at the ball park at 10:30 Friday forenoon.

Unionvale Team Wins

Unionvale-Unionvale school won from Hopewell, rural schools, here Thursday afternoon. The score was 8 to 24.

Handball Players Open YM Tourney

The YMCA sponsored handball tournament opened competition Monday night in Class A and B singles. Preliminary play will continue throughout the week.

Monday night's results:

A singles—Don Duncan beat Joe Devers, 21-15, 21-16; Norman Winslow beat Bob Smith 21-13, 21-21; Gus Moore beat Jerry Mulkey, 21-17, 21-15; Lee Shinn beat Emerson Tesgue, 21-18, 19-21, 21-19.

B singles—Russ Bogart beat John Payne 21-11, 21-13; F. Jacobsen beat Jim Dimit, default; Leo Margosian beat Chet Goodman, default; Don Dubs beat Frank Masell, 21-17, 21-20; Ned Burris beat Lee Weins, 21-14, 21-11; Chet O'Brien beat Wayne Handley 21-1, 21-3; Abe Steinbock beat Bob Hamilton, default; Warren Doolittle beat Ken Manning, default.

Y Volley Squad To Play Central

The YMCA volleyball squad will meet Central Y of Portland on the latter's court Tuesday night. The Portlanders plan to enter the western state invitational tournament in San Francisco and Tuesday night's program will be in the nature of a benefit for them. A group of Hawaiians from Willamette university will provide vocal and instrumental entertainment.

Scores In the Alleys

Broadway Appliance 2, Dick Meyer 1; Hoffman Construction 0, First National Bank 3; Hartwell Electric 1, Nicholson's 2; Friesen's 0, Eagles 3.

CANUCKS GRAB THIRD GAME OF ICE PLAYOFFS

(By the United Press)

The Vancouver Canucks last night capitalized on a third period San Diego penalty to score three goals in three minutes and take the third game of the Pacific Coast Ice Hockey league final playoffs. The score was 7 to 5.

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Cambridge Leads The crew of Cambridge university (foreground) leads Oxford on the Thames in the 94th race between the two British schools. Cambridge won the 4 1/2 mile event in a record time of 17 minutes and 50 seconds for its 50th victory. The winning crew had supplemented their austerly diet with surplus milk during training.

Lardy Louis Returns 'Thinks' He'll Catch Jersey Joe This Time

New York, April 13 (AP)—A wide grin, Joe Louis was in chilly afterdeck of the mighty ship as he stepped ashore after his victory over the Statue of Liberty.

Back home again after eight weeks abroad in which he gave exhibitions in London and made a trip to Paris, the champ even was undisturbed by a \$500,000 alienation of affections suit filed against him in Chicago.

"Pure nonsense," he grinned. "My lawyers will take care of that."

His famed dead pan split by high spirits as he stood on the Queen Elizabeth while she sailed.

But then somebody mentioned Jersey Joe Walcott.

And the smile disappeared. "I think I'll catch him this time," Joe grunted, tugging vigorously at his jaunty green hat. "I won't name the round, yet, but I'll get him." You could see that his split decision victory last December 5 had made a deep wound in the Louis pride.

Jackets Have Youth, Speed

(Western International League Teams)

Bremerton, April 13 (AP)—Rebuilding with youth and speed, the Bremerton Bluejackets are new this year all down the line but Manager Alan Strange believes he has another winning club.

The Jackets were in the title race last year right down to the wire, finishing third after spending more time in front than any other Western International league baseball team. Vancouver and Spokane edged them out in the stretch race. They'll be out for early revenge this season, meeting the Canadians here Friday in the season opener.

Missing from the team this year are such Willy league warhorses as Pitcher Hub Kittle, Catcher Frank Volpi, Shortstop Joe Gedzius and Outfielders Hooks Devours and Bill Barisoff. Gedzius was sold to Salem and the others are on the voluntary retirement list. Almost the whole 1947 outfit has scattered.

Strange started the rebuilding job with Pitcher John Marshall, a 16-game winner, and Catcher Al Ronning, formerly Volpi's understudy. First Baseman Allan Maul dropped in after completing the basketball season with Bellingham's Firecrackers.

Right now hurling and catching are the main worries, but seven players are to be sent the team by Oakland before the opener and there

may be battery help in the group. Early optionees from the Oaks were John Conant and Gene Chelji, the former a 19-game winner from Phoenix last year and Chelli doing the same for Stockton, Calif. Don Ward, 19, tall right-hander from Port Orchard, has been the leading prospect among the rookies. Pitching six innings in two practice games, he gave up one hit and struck out 10 men.

Veal Moore, signed off the North Idaho College of Education team, is working at second base and Jimmy Brown, an Oak chattel, is at short. Roy Bishop of Seattle has been under-studying Maul.

The outfield has gigantic Ken McInnes in center, Dale Markert in left and Jay Ragni in right. Markert clouted .355 with Idaho Falls in the Pioneer loop last year and Ragni had a .311 season with Stockton.

Strange has hopes that Ed Murphy will return from Oakland for more seasoning. He also has his eyes on Billy Martin, a .393 hitter with Stockton, and Ed Samcoff, stand-out second baseman. Both are in the Oak camp. There is a chance, too, that Kittle and Volpi will return to the fold at the last minute.

Trainer Wayne Anderson has returned after one season with Sacramento. He has opened his own business in Bremerton but will be the team trainer.

Beavers Open Home Series with Stars

Portland, tied with the Oaks in seventh place, makes its home bow this week. The series opener, against Hollywood, was postponed until Wednesday afternoon.

At least 10,000 are expected for the Beaver-Stars opener in Portland.

The Seattle Rainiers, submerged deep in the Pacific Coast league cellar, make their first home bow of the 1948 season today with the seventh place Oakland A's furnishing the opposition.

Despite the lowly standing of the two teams, a good crowd is expected to be on hand when Kewpie Dick Barrett takes the mound for the opening pitch. Barrett is one of the few bright spots in the Rainier fold to date, winning two of the Seattle nine's three games.

Other series this week, both opening tonight, send San Diego against San Francisco and Sacramento against Los Angeles, the last named teams being hosts.

The top-place San Francisco team is only four and one-half games ahead of the bottom-rung Seattle entry. And there is only one game separating the Seals from San Diego with Sacramento another half-game behind. It is only two and one-half games from the top of the heap to the seventh-place Portland and Oakland clubs.

Chess Master to Show Skills Here

Weaver W. Adams, chess master from Massachusetts, who is making a tour of the United States, playing a number of leading clubs, will be the guest of the Salem Chess club Thursday night at 7:30.

Adams will show his skill during a program arranged for Saint Paul's Episcopal parish house. All persons interested in the game will be welcome. Adams created quite a sensation when he stopped off in Eugene last year and played a number of University of Oregon chess experts.

Bobo Signs This Time He's To Be a Giant

New York, April 13 (AP)—Louis "Bobo" Newsom, late of the New York Yankees, Washington Senators, Philadelphia Athletics, Brooklyn Dodgers, St. Louis Browns, Detroit Tigers, Boston Red Sox and Chicago Cubs, has sold his talents to still another major league baseball club—the New York Giants.

The latest transfer adds to Bobo's record as baseball's most traveled major league player. He's been involved in 15 sales or trades involving at least \$100,000 in cash and 20 other ball players. He's had more terms in Washington than many congressmen—four—and is the only active player to play with all three New York clubs.

Washington Ring Group Toughens Laws on Boxing

Seattle, April 13 (AP)—New regulations, drastically tightening the state boxing rules, were disclosed today by the Washington State Athletic commission.

Most stringent of the regulations requires a fighter who has been knocked out to go on the shelf for 30 days. A thorough examination will be required before he can fight again.

Any boxer knocked out six times in a row or within six months' time will be suspended, said Commission Chairman Don McPhee.

Other changes call for an automatic count of eight after every knockdown regardless of how soon the fighter regains his feet; a complete physical examination, including fluoroscope, every 90 days for all fighters licensed in the state; less tape on fighters' hands; better ring padding; and a closer check of managers, trainers and seconds.

McPhee said commission doctors at ringside have been authorized to stop a fight when a contestant is in no shape to continue.

Aquatic Show Is Planned for 'Y' Tank Team Fund

An aquatic show for the benefit of the Salem YMCA swim team will be held in the Y pool Wednesday night at 7:15 o'clock. The team, approximately 18 members strong, expects to take part in the northwest tournament scheduled for Seattle Saturday.

Wednesday night's show will consist of demonstrations of the various strokes used by the team in their contests, life saving, diving and bit of clowning.

Most of the YMCA squad performed for the high school during the recent interscholastic season. The majority of them will enter the 15 to 18 year age group in the Seattle program.

Don Ross Leads Coast Sluggers With .477 Hits

San Francisco, April 13 (AP)—Third Baseman Don Ross of Hollywood, slugging an impressive .477 in twelve games, led full time workmen through the first two weeks of the Pacific Coast Baseball league. Mickey Rocco, San Francisco first baseman, topped the circuit in runs batted in with 16 in ten games.

The league leading Seals had four regular players hitting in the upper brackets, including Rocco at .395; Shortstop Roy Nicely, .386; Centerfielder Gene Woodling, .432 and Second Sacker Hugh Luby, .457, and handyman Ray Orteig, in four games, pounded the ball at .500. San Diego's Right Fielder Jack Graham was a big help to his second place club with six home runs and 15 runs batted in for 14 games.

Batting averages, including games of April 11 included:

Player	G	AB	H	HR	RBI	Pct.
Wenner, Port.	7	18	8	2	4	.450
Mayer, Sea.	5	12	6	1	2	.500
Summerville, Port.	4	5	2	0	0	.400
Smith, Port.	9	31	8	1	4	.358
Reich, Port.	13	49	17	1	7	.342
Kucker, Port.	7	20	10	1	3	.344
Beard, Port.	8	18	6	0	2	.333
Cassidy, Port.	7	15	5	0	3	.333
CFRANK, Sea.	8	9	3	0	0	.333
Novikoff, Sea.	11	41	13	2	10	.317

Duckpin Bowling Card

Elva Schroyer's 573 series and 251 game took individual honors last night in duckpin pitching in the Ladies' City league.

Results: George's Electric 4, Wooden Shoe 0; Memorial Hospital 1, Highland Market 3; Geiger's 2, Master Bread 1; Oregon Flax won a forfeit match from Maudies.

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