

Upper Umqua is Listed Best Fishing in State



Right on the Target Sugar Ray Robinson, Welterweight champion, connects with a solid left to the nose of Steve Belloise during their non-title bout in Yankee Stadium, New York. Robinson was awarded a seventh round knockout because Belloise was not able to answer the bell starting the eighth frame. Now Robinson wants a shot at the middleweight title. (AP Wirephoto).

Kids Take Over Polo Grounds for Own Game

New York, Aug. 26 (AP)—The "City of Little Men" was about ready today to take the baseball play away from the pennant races. The kids from Boys Town are on their way to New York where, on Sept. 8 at the polo grounds they'll tackle an all-star orphans' team.

Some of these little big leaguers will be getting their first look at a major league park. For most it will be their first trip in an airplane on a chartered flight from Nebraska. Many of them also will be staying overnight in a hotel for the first time.

It is the kind of stuff which has nurtured the elusive dreams of kids who started off with two strikes, and who now have high hopes for the future.

It's another of those mental shots in the arm which Boys Town has planned for its citizens whenever possible ever since the late Father Flanagan founded his colony in 1917. There wasn't much to the athletic program at first, for Father Flanagan started his town with \$90 which he borrowed and five boys—two from juvenile court and three homeless waifs.

But Father Flanagan was a great believer in athletics for idle hours. Gradually the sports program expanded until now the dads at Boys Town hold their own with the best prep schools.

Magr. Nichols H. Wegner has carried on since Father Flanagan's death last year. And he, too, is for an all-out sports program. "Keep a boy busy with athletics—baseball, football, basketball or any such sport—or engaged in music or other worthwhile activities, and he'll be just too busy to find time to get into trouble," explained Father Wegner, a former semi-pro pitcher.

So that's the way they work it at Boys Town. In the last six years their football team has won 49 games and had three ties against 11 defeats. This fall it will play at Rochester, New York, Detroit and Pittsburgh.

But at the moment the accent is on baseball as some 50 citizens battle for the 18 airplane places to New York. And "batfle" is the right word.

It will be a terrific moment for the winners, all of them once homeless and without hope, when that plane takes off from Omaha for the big city.

Six of the starting nine have never been aloft. These are Emmett Whiting, 16-year-old catcher from Minneapolis; Catcher Don King of Fort Dodge, Ia.; Outfielders Dick Porter of Portland, Ore.; Marlyn Myers of Eldora, Ia.; and Leonard Mackiewicz of

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Portland, Aug. 26 (AP)—The upper Umpqua river area of Douglas county was expected to provide best fishing results this weekend, according to the Oregon State game commission's weekly fishing bulletin today.

Reports from the area this week indicate angling conditions during the weekend will be excellent. Fishermen report most success with bait, although some good catches on flies have been made.

The coastal area is expected to improve if forecast of weekend rain materializes.

The prospects throughout the state:

Portland vicinity—Salmon fishing in lower Columbia river is very poor and not expected to improve much this week.

Spiny-rayed fishing in Columbia sloughs has been very good.

Marion county—South fork of Silver Creek closes August 31.

Lane county—Eugene—Fishing on McKenzie and tributaries fair with only a few good catches being taken.

Linn county—North Santiam and Breitenbush rivers—Some good catches being made but few large fish being taken.

Deschutes area—North and south twin lakes are now closed to angling.

Clatsop county—Angling remains fair. Best reports for sea-run trout are in the lower Necanicum and tidewater of Big creek.

Tillamook county—Angling success has been very slow the past few days in all streams.

Delton, Mich., and Pitcher Jim Gunnell, also of Portland.

Third Baseman Louis Pasqualone of Geneva, O., and Jim Brown of Spokane, the first basemen, have been up before.

But they'll get a large charge out of the trip.

Maybe not as much as little Andy Hernandez, though. Only 16 and but five feet, two and weighing 108 pounds, the tiny shortstop from Taylor, Tex., is the "Scooter" Rizzuto of Boys Town.

Andy, typically, has never been to New York. But he hopes to play professional baseball there some day.

So it will be something for the long road ahead, for Andy and the others, to say they played there once upon a time.

Three night games are listed for Syracuse's football team this fall. They are home games with Boston university, Lafayette and Temple.

Atlanta, Aug. 26 (AP)—Unless Dynamite Goodloe gets homesick on the way to the national amateur and decides to come back home, golf galleries in Rochester, N.Y., will watch the best show in the game today.

Dynamite, whose name is an almost forgotten William, didn't win the amateur in Memphis last year, but he got to the fifth round. He's never won a big tournament, but it's not at all improbable that he will some day.

Maybe he won't like Rochester and unless he does he'll come down homesick. Being that far from Valdosta, Ga., is hard on a 25-year-old boy.

So barring homesickness or the early round death of Mr. Dynamite, Rochester is in for a fine show.

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Blind Golfer Charlie Boswell (right), blind golfer who is manager of the sporting goods department in a large Birmingham, Ala., store, shows some clubs to Grant Thomas, his coach and lifelong friend.

Junior 'B' Division Ends Season Slate

When competition in the "B" division of the Salem junior baseball wound up Thursday night, Salem Realtors found themselves holding down second position. The Realtors downed Mayflower Milk, 5-3, although they were held to two hits by Stanley Pawley. Five errors and as many walks proved costly to the losers.

Salem Laundry had a good time at the expense of Salem Heights as they won 14 to 0. The winners played errorless ball as compared with the six boots turned in by the Heights boys.

Master Bread and Midget Market of the "C" division staged a 2 1/2 inning exhibition at Waters park before the main event. The score was tied when the affair was halted.

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Dallas Golf Record Falls

Dallas — Pete Stoltenberg whizzed around Oak Knoll golf course Sunday with the same accuracy he uses in dodging lumber piles as a carrier driver for the Willamette Valley Lumber company when he tied the course record there with a 31 for nine holes.

In the torrid circuit, Stoltenberg birdied five holes and was laying up with good chances for birdies on each of the other four. The round clipped five strokes off par. He was playing with Dr. Don E. White and Frank Jones. Dr. White, who has posted some low rounds on the tour, had a 38.

The low score tied a 31 made earlier this year by Cliff Ellis of Salem.

North Carolina State will play 15 home basketball games next season in the new William Neil Reynolds Coliseum at Raleigh, N.C. It seats 12,000 persons.

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Team	W	L	Pct.
Ford Garage	12	1	.923
Willamette Valley	10	3	.769
Monmouth Merchants	9	4	.692
Rickreall Merch.	6	7	.538
Salt Creek Baptist	4	7	.481
Oerlinger	5	8	.385
Christian Church	3	10	.231
Grace Fellowship	0	13	.000

Dallas—Ford Garage clinched the 1949 championship in the City Softball league by defeating the Rickreall Merchants, 5 to 3, in their most recent contest. Karl Ufer, ace moundman, pitched the victory, the 12th for the Merchants in 13 starts.

Second place is yet to be decided between Willamette Valley Lumber company and Monmouth Merchants. Although the lumbermen hold a full game lead, the merchants meet them in the final contest of the year Friday night. Should they swing an upset, runnerup spot would be deadlocked.

Salt Creek Baptist will be gunning for a final triumph over the Ford champions in the second half of the Friday twin bill. Both games will be played on LaCreole field under the lights.

Howard DeVoe, president of the league, declared that the season's play was highly successful with many close contests and no defaults even though play spread over a period of 3½ months.

SGC Schedules Fall Tournament

A fall tournament to determine the Salem Golf club championship will be played during the next few weeks, with Ralph Mapes and Bill Goodwin in charge. Qualifying play will start immediately and must be completed not later than the evening of Sept. 11. The first round of the double elimination program is scheduled to be finished by Sept. 18.

Numbered cards will be issued to those who qualify and these same cards must be returned after 18 holes have been played.

Each flight, including the championship, will consist of 16 contenders with the beaten eight in each instance dropping down to form the odd numbered flights.

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Medical Maze — Fourteen-year-old Bruce Forney of Omaha, Neb., looks like a man from Mars as he peers through the maze of rods and wires attached to his head by a plaster case. The mechanism was set up by plastic surgeons to hold broken bones in place while they knit after being shattered when a tractor ran over his face. Bruce had lain down while a tractor was being repaired and when it started up a wheel passed over his face. Physicians said they expect Bruce to recover without disfigurement. (AP Wirephoto)

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