

Graziano Draws Janiro Before Top Garden Crowd

New York, April 1 (AP)—Rocky Graziano still is the magic box-office name in boxing even though some of the dynamite may have gone out of Golden Boy's right hand bombs.

The former middleweight champion unlimbered his mighty right time and again at hand-some Tony Janiro last night but not once could he bring down the game, comeback kid from Youngstown, O.

At the end of 10 rounds of brawling in Madison Square Garden, Rocky, a 5 to 12 favorite, had to settle for a draw with his 22-year-old rival. Janiro took the first half of the fight and Rocky captured most of the rounds in the final half.

Bulldog Cagers Honored by Club

Woodburn—Ten members of the Woodburn high school basketball team, two coaches and the manager were special guests of the Woodburn Rotary club Thursday noon at the Laurel cafe.

Superintendent Frank Doerflinger introduced Coach "Mush" Barbour and Assistant Coach "Chuck" Sherron and Barbour introduced the team members, including Ralph Undeth, captain; Tom Belleque, Leonard Pavlicek, Lyle Henderson, Jim Vandehy, Scott Odgers, Merle Henn, Clayton Seaton, Dean Seaton and Pat Huihrs. He also introduced Miss Patricia Withers and Miss Lois Granner, representatives of Woodburn high school in the state forensic tournament at Eugene and Albert Hansen of the high school, who gave his second place humorous reading.

Leslie Sparks of the athletic department of Willamette university was the speaker and was introduced by N. F. Tyler, program chairman. He talked on the history of basketball and gave a resume of the past season's activities.

President J. M. Hanrahan announced the visit of the chest X-ray to Woodburn April 3 through April 7.

\$1200 'Cat Ducats Sold in Drive to Light New Field

Travis Cross, director of information for Willamette university, reports that \$1200 worth of season tickets for next fall's Willamette university football campaign have been sold.

The sale of \$10,000 in tickets that will be good for all of Willamette's five home games in the new McCulloch stadium is being pushed. The money will be used to finance the purchase of field lights.

Skits and Scratches

By FRED ZIMMERMAN, Capital Journal Sports Editor

No Justice

After having staged one of the greatest exhibitions of energy, agility and skill that one could ask from an infielder, Bud Peterson, former Salem Senator shortstop, now with the Beavers, finds himself on the bench. And, it appears no one can be blamed for the situation except a chain of circumstances.

Bud burned up the infield at Riverside around second base and appeared to have a starting stride at shortstop and improved steadily at that position. Eddie Basinski, a hold out for more money, came to terms with Bill Mulligan and that was that. Basinski took over the second basing job that Peterson had almost in his grasp and drew the starting assignment.

Hot at the Start

Beginning with the season of 1946, the Salem Senators have not lost an opening game at Waters park. In 1946 with "Frisco" Edwards at the helm the Solons started off by winning seven straight from the Spokane Indians. The next year they made a clean sweep of four games with the Vancouver Caplans and in 1948 the Tacoma Tigers were the victims of two Senator defeats. Last season Vancouver came here for the opening series and lost two games—the only ones weather conditions permitted to be staged. The start of the 1946 campaign, the first one after the war, was a stirring affair with the Senators winning 13 in a row before being defeated. They finished second to the Tacoma Tigers in early September. In 1947, the Solons came in fourth, being a half dozen games off the pace as established by the Vancouver Caps. By September 1948 the club was down in sixth place, where they were when the final statistics had been compiled. The same niche was occupied by the Solons at the close of 1949.

New Season, New Hopes

Old sores from last year's casualties have been healed (we hope), new talent has been secured and we firmly believe the 1950 season will be different. About the only department of the game over which the Senator management has no control is the weather. In 1948 and again last year, conditions were far from ideal during April and May. Perhaps the weather man will relent this season and give the players and spectators a break. Certainly, one has to be an enthusiast to go out to the park when an overcoat and a blanket are needed to keep reasonably comfortable. Pitching, which didn't stand up last season, appeared definitely stronger as the squad entered its three weeks period of training. It is hoped that they have control, a division of the art of pitching which has been neglected by far too many.

Juran's Observations

Hank Juran, member of Salem high's physical education staff, never spoke the truth more accurately than when he told a gathering of Salem Breakfast club members that a winning athlete, no matter what the sport may be, must have "what it takes". He spoke of Dick Schweitz, champion 145 pound high school wrestler as a good example of competitive spirit. Dick, in his first year won 16 out of 20 matches. Since then he has never been defeated, having won the title in his weight in Big Six and state tournament competition two years in a row. Athletic history contains the names of scores of men who became outstanding in sports because of their determination to overcome what might be considered a handicap.

Out of the Doldrums

Those so-called minor sports, that received recognition by a handful of Salem Breakfast club members Friday noon, are on the way up, judging by comments of those in a position to know. The war virtually eliminated any sort of consistent training in fundamentals of tennis, golf, swimming and wrestling. Lack of courts has prevented tennis from becoming more popular with the younger generation but there is a prospect that this shortage will be overcome within a few years. Don Bowles, Salem Golf club pro, apparently is a firm believer that golf is not an old man's game. He would interest more high school boys and girls in the activity and reports that instruction has changed materially in recent years. The change has eliminated quite a lot of effort that came close to being on the borderline to drudgery. Most beginners want to sock the ball and modern day teaching methods present that opportunity early.

State League Bowlers Award Winning Trophy

At a buffet dinner held at the Salem Country club Friday evening bowling awards were made to individuals and teams in State Employees association league.

The Printers walked off with the 1st place trophy, which will be a rotating trophy given to winners each year. Competition will be open to state employees teams over the entire state.

An executive committee was elected to arrange for two leagues in Salem next year. Members of the committee are Gustafson, Hillerich, Maul, Grant, and Johnson.

Softball Meet Is Scheduled

The first organizational meeting for city and industrial softball has been called for the night of April 4 in room 109 of the senior high school. The meeting, called by the city and school recreation department, will be held at 7:30 and all sponsors, old as well as new are being urged to attend.



Salem Senators A trio of players at the Corvallis spring training camp of the Salem baseball club, virtually certain to be in the lineup when the season opens at Waters park the night of April 18. Left to right, Wayne Peterson, second base; Dick Barile, first base and Nick Muti, shortstop.

Games Put PCL Teams Either First or Last

(By the Associated Press)

The four-day-old Pacific Coast league season has no undefeated teams and there are just two places in the standings—first and last.

As the result of Friday night's hostilities, Los Angeles, San Diego, Hollywood, and Seattle are tied at three victories and one defeat apiece. The other four entries in the lop are knotted at one triumph and three setbacks each.

Last night's bill of fare was especially notable for one hackle-raising 12-inning scrap between Oakland and Seattle, and conversely, a comedy of errors involving the San Francisco Seals and the San Diego Padres.

At Oakland, the Acorns outthrew the Rainiers, but Seattle stayed in there to win the game, 7 to 6, when Dick Sinovic brought in two runs with a 12th inning double. Prior to that, Don Padgett and Mel Duezabou boomed out pinch hit homers to keep the Oaks in contention for 11 innings.

At San Diego, on the other hand, the Padres and the Seals bumbled through a three-hour clown act that might well have found the Ringling Brothers trembling with envy. San Francisco won, 13 to 7, for their first triumph in 15 league starts. The Seals dropped the last 11 games of the 1949 season and their first three this year.

Nine pitchers saw duty during the affair. One was ejected under official protest. There were numerous walks, balks, hit batters and assorted errors.

The other games were fairly normal. Hollywood shadowed Portland and 6 to 5, making the third straight night the Beavers have lost by one run. It was a teeter-totter arrangement, but the Twinks led it away, actually, with two runs.

Welded Stadium To Save Huskies In Time and Cash

Seattle, April 1 (AP)—A saving of \$400,000 and several weeks' construction time on the \$1,500,000 addition to the University of Washington football stadium has been made possible through a unique structural design, Engineer Sigmund Ivarsson, consultant to architects for the project, originated the design which will permit welding of the double-deck addition, instead of riveting. He said it would be one of the biggest welding jobs ever attempted in the Pacific northwest.

The first major shipment of steel is scheduled to arrive early this month.

The addition will increase the stadium's capacity from 40,000 to 55,000.

Pitcher Higbe to Debut As Preacher at Revival

Phoenix, Ariz., April 1 (AP)—New York Giant hurler Kirby Higbe, "a preacher first and a pitcher second" since his conversion, will unlimber his new vocation at a Madison Square Garden revival May 14.

The moundman signed a "pledge to the Lord" after meeting Evangelist Billy Graham in South Carolina last month. Higbe will make his preaching debut at the New York mass meeting.

Speaking to a group of Indian students at Cook Christian Training school here yesterday, the drawing right-hander said there was no conflict between his baseball career and his religion.

"Some of the fans and fellows on the Giants' team razz me," he said, "but it doesn't bother me."

"One time the bases were loaded and somebody yelled 'Who's going to help you now?' You know, I settled down right then and retired the side."

As for playing ball on Sunday, Higbe left the problem up to his powerful right arm and God.

"If the good Lord helps me with a year of winning games," he said, "I'll be able to tell the manager I don't want to pitch on Sundays. But if I don't have a good year, I'll have to take my turn as it comes."

Tiger Jack Is Offered Fight In Idaho Ring

Spokane, April 1 (AP)—Foxy Tiger Jack Fox, old, ringwise and licensed only to fight in Idaho, has been offered a 10-round bout at Boise April 10 against Harry (Kid) Matthews, his manager, Jack Powers, announced last night.

He said he has sent "our terms" to Promoter Tpx Hager and "am pretty certain the fight will go on."

Fox has been barred from the ring in Washington because of his age, variously estimated at anywhere between 40 and 50. With tongue in cheek, the Tiger lists his years at 36.

Matthews, gunning for a shot at the heavyweight crown, outpointed fellow townsman Jack Flood of Seattle last Tuesday. Powers said Hager has signed the kid for an April 10 appearance.

Exhibition Results

(By the Associated Press)

Washington (A) 8, Minneapolis (AA) 6.
Philadelphia (A) 6, West Palm Beach (FL) 1.
Cincinnati (N) 3, Boston (A) 6.
Detroit (A) 2, St. Louis (N) 1.
St. Louis (A) 8, Chicago (A), (FIVE INNING TIE).
Chicago (N) 14, Cleveland (A) 6.
Pittsburgh (N) 11, New York (N) 8.
Milwaukee (IL) 6, Brooklyn (N) 5.

Abney Arrest Brings New Lineup for Armory Bouts

With half of his main event disturbed by virtue of the suspension of Dean Abney, charged with receiving and concealing stolen goods, Matchmaker Tex Salkeld has been compelled to shuffle his batters for next Wednesday night's fight card at the armory.

Replacing Dean against Bill Wickersham will be Luis Ortiz, San Jose, Cal., middleweight.

When Salkeld heard of the

Statistics Show Football Claims Most Sport Hurts

Duluth, Minn., April 1 (AP)—If you want to avoid injury in high school athletics, take up baseball or wrestling—but steer clear of football.

Edwin R. Elbel, University of Kansas physical education instructor, said yesterday that his findings, based on a 10-year study of Kansas high school athletics, showed 78 per cent of all injuries happen on the gridiron.

Only one per cent result from wrestling or baseball, Elbel said.

Elbel spoke before the 18th annual convention for the Central District Association for Health and Physical Education.

Later, the delegates elected Marie Henry, Kansas City, Kan., president for the coming year; Mabel Shirley, Northfield, Minn., president-elect; Clarence Nelson, St. Paul, Minn., vice president; and Elbel, secretary treasurer.

Joe Bedenk, who doubles in football and baseball at Penn State, will coach his 20th baseball team this season.

Spring Handicap Golf Still Open To SGC Swingers

Salem Golf club's spring handicap has drawn a field of a half hundred golf swingers and those in charge state there is ample time to join the program of 72 holes of competition.

Leading scorers to date include: Clay Carson, 144-8—136 for 36 holes; Harvey Quistad, 255-15—210, 54 holes; Don Hendrie, 73-10—63; Floyd Baxter, 75-8—67; Bud Marvin, 71-3—68; Bill Schafer, 149-8—141; Ned Ingram, 151-12—139; Dr. Gadwa, 76-8—68; John Kolb, 81-12—69; Jim Sheldon, 142-6—136; Vern McMullen, 76-8—68; Glen Lengen, 143-3—140.

Laurence Alley and Pat Miklla of the Three I league annexed top place in the drawn out Winter Slicker tournament. They compiled 14½ points, which means that other contenders do not have a chance to pull up even.

Oregon Prepsters Defeat Washington Teams in Relays

Portland, April 1 (AP)—Oregon high school track teams nosed out their Washington competitors in the annual Hill Military academy relays here last night.

Beaverton won in class A, compiling 15 points to edge ahead of Kelso, Wash., which had 14. Yakima, Battle Ground, Hood River and Corvallis finished with 10 each. Ashland had 9, Estacada 8, Evergreen 4, Redmond 2 and Molalla 1.

In class B Pleasant Hill and Estacada tied with 16 each. Estacada was allowed to compete in both divisions.

Other finishers in class B: Triangle Lake 14, Hill Military 11, Newport 10, Columbia Prep 2, Creswell 1.

Dean Moore, Lewis & Clark college, won the Glenn Cunningham memorial mile in 4:34.7.

Aumsville Blanks St. Paul, 13-0, on One Hit Pitching

Aumsville—Eldon Russell allowed but one hit during seven innings of baseball Friday afternoon as the Aumsville Rangers blanked the St. Paul Bucks, 13-0. The game was the first of the Marion County B league season. Pitcher Marthaller of St. Paul gave up but four blows, but his support was on the ragged side. Eight bunts were charged against the losers. Russell fanned 13 and Marthaller tied seven runs in the fourth.

St. Paul..... 0 1 8
Aumsville..... 13 4 1
Marthaller and Branchett; Russell and Dalke.

Yale Swimmers Dominate AAU Events as Records Fall

New Haven, Conn., April 1 (AP)—Yale's sensational freshman swimmers, boosted by the double world-record-breaking performance by John Marshall of Australia, moved into tonight's final events of the national A. A. U. championships with a commanding lead in the team standings.

The 20-year-old Marshall bettered the world standard for the 220-yard freestyle last night when he won the event in 2:05.5. The time was 1.6 seconds lower than the old mark set by Bill Smith of Ohio State in 1948.

In racing to victory, Marshall also was clocked in 2:04.6 for the 200-meter distance to break the old standard of 2:05.4 set by Alex Jany of France in 1946.

In an unusual set of circumstances, Joe Verdeur of the Brighton-Drake club of Atlantic City, N. J., also set a new world freestyle mark, but Bob Brawner of Princeton in the 220-yard finals.

Verdeur was clocked in 2:28.3 over 200 meters to shave 1.7 seconds off his own listed world mark for that distance. Brawner won the race in 2:29.3, which is the best time ever recorded in the world for the 220-yard route. But because the International Swimming Federation does not list records for 220 yards, Brawner's feat will be accepted only as an American record.

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Los Angeles 3 1 750	Oakland 1 8 230
San Diego 3 1 750	Portland 1 3 230
Hollywood 3 1 750	Sacramento 1 3 230
Seattle 3 1 750	San Francisco 1 3 230

Results Friday

Seattle 7, Oakland 6, (12 Innings)
Sacramento 3, Los Angeles 1
Hollywood 6, Portland 5
San Francisco 13, San Diego 7

Short scores:

Seattle.....000 002 200 613-7 7 0
Oakland.....000 000 112 011-6 11 0
(12 Innings)
Wilson, Cleaver (10) and Williams, Lamano (12); Thompson, Gellie (9) and Sheel.

Los Angeles.....000 001 000-1 4 0
Sacramento.....000 010 000-4 0 0
St. Louis (A) 8, Chicago (A), (FIVE INNING TIE).
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In the seventh, Ben Wade went the distance for the 1949 champs, surviving a rocky third inning when the Beavers scored thrice on two walks, a fielder's choice and two singles.

At Sacramento, the Solons ended a three game losing streak with a 2 to 1 conquest of Los Angeles. Bill Evans, up from Memphis, twirled a four hitter for Sacramento. He had a man on first in every inning, but managed to keep the fire from spreading.

Saturday's games are all night contests except at San Diego. The probable starting pitchers:

Portland (Roy Helsar) at Hollywood (Jim Hughes).

Los Angeles (Cal McLish) at Sacramento (Max Surkont).

San Francisco (Cliff Melton) at San Diego (Red Embree).

Seattle (Herb Karpel) at Oakland (Charley Gasaway).

Official Box

Polich,cf	4	2	1	1	Abernethy,cf	4	1	1	0
Beanski,2b	4	2	2	2	Dapper,c	4	0	1	0
Alford,c	3	0	0	0	Stevens,7c	12	0	10	10
Gladd,3b	2	0	0	0	Wade,p	4	0	2	2
McGinn,3b	0	0	0	0					
DiBlasi,p	3	0	0	0					
Ritter,c	1	0	0	0					
Shupe,p	1	0	0	0					
Cherry,p	1	0	0	0					
CP	0	0	2	0					
Totals	33	12	4	7	Totals	34	5	27	10
*Struck out for Gladd in 8th.									
*Grounded out for DiBlasi in 9th.									
Portland.....	103	0	0	1	000-3				
Hollywood.....	112	0	1	2	012-10				
Hits.....	230	0	0	0	205-6				
Errors.....	2	0	0	0	305-8				
Pitcher: DiBlasi.									
IP AB R H ER BB SO									
McGinn.....	14	10	4	5	4	2	1		
DiBlasi.....	4	10	2	3	2	0	1		
Wade.....	9	35	10	5	3	0	4		
E-Meener 2, Polich 2, Gladd, Ritchey, Abernethy, R-Marques 2, Rucker, Meener 2, Stevens, Bundt 3, Bauer 2, LOB—Portland 6, Hollywood 6, WP—Wade, 2B—Bundt, 3B—Stevens, 1B—Rocco, 2B—Beanski, 2B—Alford, 3B—McGinn, 3B—Dapper, 2B—Polich, 1B—Franklin, 1B—O'Neill, 1B—Stevens, 7c—12:10, G—Gordon, Powell, Orr, and Runce.									

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