

FAN FARE



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Salmon-Steelhead Cards, Due

We are reminded by the Oregon State Game Commission that salmon-steelhead cards for last season expired March 16, and all anglers are urged to get their cards in the mail pronto. Statistics gained from a study of these reports are a great aid to the commission in their future planning. It's one way that anglers can, with scarcely any effort, make a real contribution to the management of sport fish. New cards are now available at all game license agencies, and fishermen anticipating spring steelie angling in the orth Santiam, or elsewhere, need only pick up their cards, and start casting.

Anglers Overlooking Backyard Bass

In between rainstorms, when the Willamette is clear and not too high, a small group of valley anglers are reaping a harvest of rough, tough and wonderful large-mouth bass. Right here, in the backyard of Salem, is some of the finest bass fishing to be found anywhere in the country. Oddly enough, Oregonians are so intent on trout, steelhead and salmon, that the bass are pretty well ignored. Up until the "dog days" of summer, our local bass are as game a fish as can be imagined. Taken on light tackle, a four pounder will often leap with the agility of a rainbow trout. As long as the water is cool, the fish stay hard and scrappy. Warm water impairs their condition and edibility to some extent, as it does most fish. Bass, however, are rugged individuals—they can live under conditions that would quickly kill a trout. They are tough guys in disposition, too. They will sock a plug as much out of devilry as hunger. And it is this vicious, surging slash at the lure that endears old large-mouth to so many sportmen. The writer, on one occasion, had a bass strike so hard the plug went five feet in the air and wrapped the line around an overhead bridge crosspiece. This fish was visible for several feet before it hit the plug; he never even opened his mouth. Clearly a case of sour disposition.

Right now, deep running lures are the best. All sizes and description of plugs and spoons are being used successfully, if fished deeply enough, with a fairly slow retrieve. In bass fishing, the retrieve is highly important, possibly even more important than the lure. The skilled bass fisherman need not take a back seat to any man, as there is much art to this form of angling as there is to fly casting.

It's to be hoped that more and more folks will learn to love the bass for the excellent fish he is, thereby reducing the terrific pressure on the already hard-pressed trout population.

SCORES in the ALLEYS

University Alleys

STATE HOUSE NO. 1
Division of Audits (3)—Stricklin 524, Demoss 408, Fisher 412, Johanson 522, Gould 501; Secretary of State No. 2 (3)—Cill 518, McQueen 485, Franko 369, Franz 487, Hiesler 534.
Veterans (3)—Morisy 504, Reed 428, Casarntroom 508, Elsin 488, Ellierich 500; Secretary of State No. 3 (3)—Miller 531, Garrett 523, Peterson 454, Blensly 405, Schulze 470.
Highway Construction (4)—Anderson 428, Kayser 450, Nollman 450, Wolfe 478, Tandy 489; State Police (4)—Hunt 404, Wrens 380, Alford 488, Rucker 517, Morill 484.
State Printers (1)—Miller 402, Stone 440, Busby 478, Waller 428, Duncan 481, Highway Materials (3)—Brown 524, Van Pelt 354, Shown 448, Fietze 395, White 402.
Forestry Office (3)—Kwinn 412, Hanson 462, Anderson 388, Ledt 418, Stier 441; State Tax Comm. (4)—Johnson 487, Crouch 452, Drapals 505, Robb 426, Mahaffey 505.
Fairview (1)—Gannon 485, Smers 413, Ritterbush 282, Lake 465, Cooley 484; Forestry Protection (3)—Walker 451, Phipps 471, Morrison 440, Devers 465, Storm 488.
High team series, Secretary of State No. 2, 2,698; high team game, Audits, 190; high ind. series, Ellierich, 500; high ind. game, Rucker, 212.

Capitol Alleys

MAJOR LEAGUE
Walnut City Bowl (1)—N. Prys 400, E. Schulz 454, D. Haskett 407, J. Anderson 466, J. Hinz 471, Cassidy Mast Market (3)—E. Loren 535, E. Wilkals 564, J. Nuber 485, D. Lutz 407, D. Phillips 423.
Kare (5 1/2)—W. Cline 545, D. Poulis 562, E. Wilkerson 497, E. Hartwell 500, F. Karr 457, Thriftway Cleaners (5 1/2)—No ind. scores available.
Brennan Tree Service (4)—T. Brennan 535, T. Prudence 538, B. Valdes 248, L. Anderson 470, Marion Hotel and Gar. (4)—E. Clark 591, B. Parker 481, T. Gannon 578, J. De Bow 411, W. West 609.
Marion Motors (3)—C. Schroeder 443, R. Sommer 484, W. Garner 557, C. Donahue 492, E. Thompson 546, Beutels Greases (4)—E. Clark 591, B. Parker 481, T. Gannon 578, J. De Bow 411, W. West 609.
Marshall & Coopers (3)—J. Owens 484, R. Quinn 523, C. Causay 546, E. Kay 511, L. Etzard 411, Northwest Postery (4)—M. Myers 522, H. Hryal 501, J. M. Story 450, A. Richardson 402, L. Rolle 349.
Ranagers (1)—R. Zink 414, D. Smith 218, M. Patton 317, C. Neilson 397, H. Evenden 383, Rosebraugh Parnace (3)—J. Moorman 325, R. Greenwood 328, J. Holman 343, J. Foster 343, H. Stevens 352.
Cascades Meats (1)—O. Garner 514, E. Wainner 322, R. Mullinger 318, J. Welner 412, E. Welner 379, Mike's Sign Shop (3)—M. Neilson 383, H. Neilson 372, L. Oile 284, E. Davis 407, T. Wood 457.
Nine Lake Park (4)—J. Wenger 462, B. Van Slyke 315, A. Thomsen 383, F. Pihlak 373, O. Ralindorf 345, Westcott's San (4)—J. Hall 398, C. Rieker 399, V. York 424, M. Orensen 244, W. Frank 402.
High team series — Erickson's Market, 2004; high team game — Mike's Sign Shop, 728; high ind. game — J. Wenger, 507; high ind. series — F. Melton, 477.

Duck Pins

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE
Portland Road Rchfield (3)—B. Madsen 340, E. E. Theilide 375, P. Gilmer 324, F. Hase 437, Erickson's Market (4)—E. Welner 379, Mike's Sign Shop (3)—M. Neilson 383, H. Neilson 372, L. Oile 284, E. Davis 407, T. Wood 457.
Nine Lake Park (4)—J. Wenger 462, B. Van Slyke 315, A. Thomsen 383, F. Pihlak 373, O. Ralindorf 345, Westcott's San (4)—J. Hall 398, C. Rieker 399, V. York 424, M. Orensen 244, W. Frank 402.
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State House No. 3

Dept. of Agriculture (3)—Griffiths 378, Kampe 412, Peterson 487, Lutz 472, Tansell 498; Highway Accounting (1)—Taylor 277, Ketcham 281, Tenser 409, Crane 507, Malson 558.
Office Engineers (3)—Maitson 437, Burton 438, Secor 481, Scott 522, Young 385, Jefferson 514, Stricklin 509.
Unemployment (1)—Pulman 417, Aaron 412, Balthusy 384, Lemier 478, Barker 486; Chapter 84 (3)—Luhli 441, Lemmon 412, Quarry 415, Henry 441, Reynolds 502.
SIAC (1)—Hunt 439, Kipmell 558, France 438, Savare 464, Estmon 538; Bureau (3)—Bell 458, Young 432, Kirby 442, Gould 478, Ellierich 500.
High team series, Office Engineers, 2,689; high team game, Audits, 190; high ind. series, Malson, 558; high ind. game, Swine, 214.

Salem Hopes to Get Ten Players from Coast Clubs

The Pacific Coast league's ball players from major league teams. The ruling makes it almost mandatory that each of the PCL teams develop their own younger ball players, who in turn must be optioned out to lower leagues for development. Luby hopes to have at least ten option ball players available from San Diego, Sacramento and San Francisco. Just when they will be may not be known until early April when the coast league season gets underway and the clubs must set down their rosters.

Noe Sparks Eugene Team To Upset Over Oilers

Denver (AP)—Chet Noe, a 21-year-old Oregon Collegian, outplayed two of the biggest-name centers in basketball to flip over Phillips 68ers—champs seven out of the last 10 years—in the second round of the National AAU basketball tournament Wednesday night. Noe, a deceptive drive-in artist, bagged 28 points to guide unseeded Everybody's Drug of Eugene, Ore., to a 68-52 victory over the Bartlesville, Okla., club which lost only four of 54 games this season. Clyde Lovellette, last year's national collegiate scoring leader with the NCAA champion Kansas team, and Chuck Darling, who set Big Ten scoring records in 1952 with Iowa, had only a 20-point total between them. Lovellette hooked in 12 and Darling tossed in eight.

Ross, Kindred Meet in Main Event Tuesday

Tony Ross and Don Kindred will meet in the main event of next Tuesday's professional wrestling card at the Salem armory. Matchmaker Elton Owen said today. Ross and Kindred got into another of their frequent beefs last week when Ross and Glen Stone refereed a tag team match in which Kindred participated. Ross declared that Kindred and his partner, Frank James, had lost the match to the Larsen brothers. The other ref maintained that the Larsens had won. No decision has been declared yet, but meanwhile Ross and Kindred are still burning mad at each other.

Clatskanie 69 Roosevelt 61

Eugene (AP)—Clatskanie bumped Roosevelt of Portland out of the Oregon Class A high school basketball tournament with a 69-61 win in the first Thursday consolation game. It was a point-for-point game right up to the closing minutes, with the score being tied repeatedly, 12-12 at the quarter, 48-48 at the three-quarter and 59-59 late in the fourth quarter.

Turner Rifle Club Loses At McMinnville

McMinnville—The McMinnville Rifle club, using a 36-point handicap to good advantage, nosed out the Turner rifle team 1917-1908 here Wednesday night. Scoring for McMinnville were Jim Brickey 385, A. F. Fisher 381, Fred Matthes 374, Percy Carter 374, and Frank Eder 367. Turner scores were Bill 392, Metcalfe 387, Schollian 379, Wipper 377, Coats 373. Turner is scheduled to meet Monmouth next Wednesday night at Monmouth.

Fights Last Night

(By The Associated Press)
Dallas—Pierre Lantier, 161 1/2, France, outboxed Bobby Drake, 164 1/2, San Antonio, 10.
Macon, Ga.—Middie Green, 180, Kansas, N.C., outpied Jimmy Jewel, 162 1/2, Columbus, Ga., 10.
Brazososa, Texas—Louis Shena, France, outboxed Luis Mendez, Spain, 5, 7 1/2, weights.

State Tournament Box Scores

Table with columns for team names and scores. Includes sub-sections for Albany (78), Medford (82), Ontario (81), The Dalles (88), Lakewview (44), Cleveland (88), McMinnville (88), and Hillsboro (88).

No Changes in Quint Penalties

Kansas City, (AP)—The basketball rules committee decided Thursday to keep the present penalty rule, including the much maligned "one and one" regulation for another year. The group, known as the National Basketball Committee of the United States and Canada and representing the colleges, high schools, AAU, YMCA and Canadian groups, made no radical change in the present standards.

Basketball Scores

Table with columns for team names and scores. Includes sub-sections for McMinnville (88), Hillsboro (88), and Hillsboro (88).

J.J. CLOTHES SHOP advertisement. Features a man in a suit, text 'Open Till 9 Friday Night WE'RE SETTING A NEW SALES RECORD', and 'Suits, Sport Coats and Slacks YOU EVER LAID EYES ON At Prices You'll Be Glad to Pay'. Includes '100% PURE WOOL WORSTED SUITS' and '100% WOOL WORSTED EXPERTLY HAND TAILORED SUITS' with prices like \$25.00 and \$37.50.

The Jewel Box 443 STATE ST. SALEM, ORE.