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Brave Pitcher Strikes Out 8 Straight Batters

By CARL LUNDQUIST
New York (AP)—Chuck Max Surkont put his name into the record books today with a feat that may be unmatched for years to come—he struck out eight straight batters.

The right hander for the Braves turned in his sixth straight victory, topping Cincinnati 10-5.

A Busy Five Innings
The second inning, he fanned pitcher Herman Wehpeier. In the next frame he whiffed Rocky Bridges, Bobby Adams, and Gus Bell. In the fourth, his victims were Willard Marshall, Bob Borkowski and Grady Hatton. He broke the record in the fifth when Andy Seminick struck out but Roy McMillan and the spell when he lined out.

He surpassed the previous record of seven set by Hooks Wiltse of the Giants in 1906 and equaled later by two Dodger pitchers, Dazy Vance in 1924 and Van Lingle Mungo in 1936.

The first place Braves swept both ends of a double bill from the Reds, winning the opener, 5-1 as Don Liddle pitched three-hit ball for his second win. Del Crandall's two-run triple put him ahead to stay in the third. In Surkont's victory, Ed Mathews drove in five runs with a pair of homers.

In the American League, the Red Sox and Yankees also made history by playing the longest nine inning game in major league annals, going three hours and 52 minutes before Boston finally won 14-10 with a 20-hit barrage. The Yankees made 13 hits themselves Mickey McDermott, the winning pitcher, collected four hits while Jimmy Piersal had an inside-the-park-homer, a double and single for Boston.

Minor League Scores
(By The Associated Press)
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Minneapolis 2, Louisville 1.
St. Paul 3, Kansas City 2.
Columbus 11, Toledo 1.
Charleston 4, Indianapolis 2.
INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Syracuse 3, Toronto 1.
Cleveland 7, Ottawa 3.
Other games postponed.
TEXAS LEAGUE
Dallas 2, Fort Worth 1 (10 innings).
Tulsa 4, Oklahoma City 7.
Birmingham 3, Houston 6.
Shreveport 4, San Antonio 3.
WESTERN LEAGUE
Colorado Springs 7, Denver 2.
Sioux City 2, Lincoln 1.
Wichita 7, Omaha 5.
Only games scheduled.
PIONEER LEAGUE
Salt Lake 12, Ogden 1.
Boise 7, Magic Valley 3.
Pocatello 11, Idaho Falls 10 (11 innings).
Billings at Great Falls, postponed.

Champ Julius Boros, National Open champion, tees off at the Oakmont Country Club in Pittsburgh on National Golf Day. Over 100,000 golfers across the nation attempted to beat his score. Boros shot a two under par 70 (UP Telephone).

Gigantic Shrine Tournament at SGC Next Sunday

Several hundred golfers are expected to participate in the annual Shrine club-sponsored Calcutta golf tournament at Salem Golf club next Sunday.

Play will get underway as early as 7 a.m., and will continue all day. Following play, a gigantic barbecue will be conducted at the golf club. The feed is open to anybody, whether or not he plays golf. Some lucky barbecue patrons will drive a brand new Oldsmobile home. Salem Shrine clubbers are now selling tickets to the barbecue at a buck apiece. Registrations for entry into the tournament itself may be made at the golf club. Each member of the first All-Star team in the National Hockey league receives \$1,000. Each member of the second team gets \$500 from the league.

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When Len Casanova, University of Oregon football coach, spoke at the annual all-senior Willamette Valley league lettermen's banquet at Woodburn last week, he found all the tables decorated in orange and black, Oregon State college colors. Maybe the people who decorated the banquet hall were as confused as the persons who filled out invitations to the banquet, stating in the letter that "Coach Casanova of Oregon State College will be our principal speaker..."

Nobody keeps count on the number of people who watch the seals at Fleishacker zoo in San Francisco, but we'll bet that it's more than the number of people who watch another group of Seals in a certain stadium on any given day. On a recent Sunday, road races at Golden Gate park in San Francisco drew 115,000 paid admissions. Meanwhile, the annual Hearst regatta was pulling 50,000 fans. A San Francisco-Portland baseball doubleheader at Seals stadium the same day attracted only 4348 customers. And that was about 4000 more than the Seals have drawn on some occasions.

Latest edition of the Sporting News contains picture and three-column spread on Ted Shandor, right-handed pitcher who was with Salem awhile last year. Shandor was released by the Senators, joined with Yakima (then owned by San Francisco), and this spring earned a spot on the San Francisco roster. He won his first five games with the Seals. Sporting News story tells about Shandor's professional boxing career, his decision to enter baseball, his shuttle from team to team across the nation, and how his slider pitch is now winning for him consistently in the Coast league.

Paul Schamke, hustling Chicago Cub outfielder who is just out of the army, has always been called "Digger." The reason? His father is an undertaker.

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Soaring Solons Play at Tri-City

Collins to Pitch for Salem in Series Opener

Kennecook, Wash.—The soaring Salem Senators, with three straight victories under their belts, invade the Tri-City ball park at Kennecook tonight to open a four-game series. Single games are scheduled for tonight, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Bob Collins, tall Salem left-hander, will be on the mound for the Senators tonight. Collins, who lost a game at Yakima Friday night, now has a record of five wins and one loss.

WIL Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Leviston	13	7	.701
Yakima	12	11	.684
Salem	11	12	.647
Spokane	10	14	.517
Blaine	10	15	.500
Victoria	10	15	.500
Wenatchee	10	15	.500
Colony	10	15	.500
Tri-City	10	15	.500
Yakima	10	15	.500

(By The Associated Press)
The Spokane Indians, owners of the Western International League's latest winning streak, turned back Edmonton 8-4 Monday night to notch their seventh straight victory, one short of the mark set by the pace-setting Lewiston Broncos at the start of the season.

The win gave the Indians, the league's cellar club a week ago, a firm grip on fourth place and left them 5½ games behind the Broncos who were rained out at Calgary.

Spokane scored three runs in the third inning and three in a row over the Phillies closing in the seventh, then nipped a rally after two Edmonton runners crossed the plate in the eighth. The setback ended the Eskimos' own winning streak at four-in-a-row.

In other games, the Victoria Tyeas, opening a home stand

Headed by: Vancouver 4, Yakima 4, Victoria 4, Wenatchee 2, Spokane 4, Blaine 4, Lewiston at Calgary, postponed, rain. Only game scheduled.

Headed by: Salem at Tri-City, Spokane at Blaine, Wenatchee at Victoria, Lewiston at Colony, Yakima at Vancouver.

that may decide the future of professional baseball in their city, clipped Wenatchee 4-2, and Vancouver shaded Yakima 6-4. Salem and Tri-City were not scheduled.

Only 1,109 paying customers turned out for the Victoria-Wenatchee contest, despite warnings of Tyeas despoilers the club is in financial difficulties because of poor attendance and may be forced to drop out of the league.

The Tyeas scored their four runs in the first inning and held on as Bob Drilling scattered seven hits to hang up his second win of the season.

At Vancouver, the Capitanos came from behind with a two-run outburst in the eighth to give reliever Lonnie

Myers his third win against no losses. Myers, sent in to rescue starter Rod McKay in the fifth, pitched one-hit ball during his stint on the mound and struck out three Yakima batters.

The short scores:
Yakima..... 004 000—4 0 1
Vancouver..... 000 000—0 1 2
Salem..... 000 000—0 1 2
Spokane and Victor; McKay, 12vo; (5) and Leathers.

Wenatchee..... 000 000—0 1 2
Victoria..... 000 000—0 1 2
Blaine..... 000 000—0 1 2
Lewiston at Calgary, postponed, rain.

Vik Infielders This infield combination helped the Salem Vikings rack up a record of 14 wins and 2 losses, and win the District 5 championship. Left to right, Phil Jansen, first base; Turk Fyler, second base; Larry Springer, third base; Jim Wain, shortstop.

Yesterday's Stars
(By The Associated Press)
FISHING—A record-breaking, 100-pound striped bass was caught in a modern netter beam trawl in a shallow bay off the coast of New York. The fish was caught by a trawler from the town of Haverhill, N.Y. The fish was 40 inches long and weighed 100 pounds. It was the largest striped bass ever caught in a trawl net in the world. The fish was taken from the waters of the Hudson River. It was the largest striped bass ever caught in a trawl net in the world. The fish was taken from the waters of the Hudson River.

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Neitling Wins Class A Event At Gun Club

Chris Neitling of Stayton broke out of 100 targets to win the class A event at the registered PITA shoot at Salem Gun club Sunday.

Ted Welty of Salem also scored 95 to win the class B event. Byron Simonson of Salem had 94 in winning class C, and John Glaser of Tangent scored 91 to lead class D shooters.

The handicap trophy was won by Dick Baker with a score of 94x100 from 22 yards. Runner-up is the handicap shoot was Jim Bird of Salem, with 92x100. Bird broke 25 straight to win a four-man shoot-off with John Willener of Eugene, Neitling, and C. D. Whitlow of Amity.

John Willener of Eugene won the doubles event with 46x50, after a shoot-off with Dick Baker, also of Eugene.

Another registered shoot is scheduled for June 6 and 7 at the Turner road gun club.

TIDE TABLE
Times for East. Oregon—May, 1953
(Compiled by U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, Portland, Oregon)

Day	High Waters	Low Waters
May 25	11:48 a.m. 4.4	8:23 a.m. -0.4
26	12:29 p.m. 6.8	4:35 p.m. 2.3
27	1:24 p.m. 9.5	1:26 a.m. -0.3
28	2:26 p.m. 12.7	8:12 p.m. 3.7
29	3:35 p.m. 16.2	4:27 a.m. -1.3
30	4:50 p.m. 20.0	11:02 p.m. 5.3
31	6:02 p.m. 24.0	7:18 a.m. -1.5
1	7:12 a.m. 28.1	4:21 p.m. 3.0
2	8:19 a.m. 32.2	1:28 a.m. -1.6
3	9:24 a.m. 36.4	7:12 p.m. 4.4