When Solons Lose One, They Do It Up Right

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Couple of Champs Heavyweight champion Rocky Marciano (right) is greeted by Brave pitcher Max Surkont at Milwaukee between games against the Cincinnati Reds. Surkont set a modern league record by striking out nine straight Reds. Rocky was in Milwaukee to watch Ezzard Charles fight Larry Watson. (UP Telephoto)

Softballers To Elect at Meeting Tonight

A meeting of managers and sponsors of teams in both the City and Industrial softball leagues will be conducted at 8 o'clock tonight at the home of Salem Softball association secretary Jim Dimit, 1310 Norway street.

Officers for the association will be elected tonight. Ed Randle is the current president.

Bevens Homers But Takes Loss as Salem Drubbed 20-4

(By United Press)

The Tri-City Braves banged out 19 hits last night which combined with six Salem errors gave the Braves an easy 20-4 baseball victory in a wild Western International league game. The loss snapped a four-game Senator winning streak.

Salem took a 3-2 lead by the top of the second with the help of a two-run homer by starter Bill Bevens but the Braves came back with six markers in their half of the frame with a three-run homer by Len Tran being the big blow.

Dick Strombach, Joe Nicholas and Jim Petersen followed Bevens to the mound for Salem, and none of them had any luck in calming down the ferocious Tri-City bats.

Jack Warren smacked a circuit clout in the sixth for the Braves with nobody aboard.

Veteran Jess Dobernic went the route for Tri-City to chalk up his fourth victory of the year against two defeats.

In other games Edmonton downed Spokane 3-2, Lewiston winning, 7-1, and then losing 4-3, and Victoria took Wenatchee 2-1.

Salem (4)	R	H	O	A	(20) Tri-City	R	H	O	A
Tanselli,s	3	1	3	3	Vanni,rf	4	2	4	0
Lutz,2b	3	1	0	1	Buccola,l	5	2	3	0
Smith,3b	4	1	1	2	L.Tran,3	5	3	0	1
Perez,lf	4	2	1	0	Warren,2	4	2	0	1
Dero,cf	4	0	2	0	Pesut,c	5	2	10	0
Clardy,1b	4	0	5	0	Hrkdy,lf	0	0	1	0
Withrsp,r	4	2	1	0	Carrol,cf	5	1	5	0
Nelson,c	4	1	3	2	R.Tran,s	4	2	0	3
Bevens,p	1	1	0	0	Dbrnic,p	0	2	0	1
Strnbch,p	0	0	0	0					
Nichols,p	2	1	0	2					
Sabatini,2	2	0	1	1					
Petersn,p	0	0	0	1					
x-Mstrsn	1	0	0	0					
Totals	38	10	24	11	Totals	44	18	27	8

x—Flied out for Petersen in 9th.

Salem ..... 120 001 000—4 10 6
Tri-City ..... 300 022 10*—20 18 1

Losing pitcher—Strombach.

Pitcher:	IP	AB	H	R	ER	SO	BB
Bevens	1	3	1	3	3	0	3
Strombach	⅓	7	3	4	4	0	1
Nicholas	4	25	13	12	4	0	4
Petersen	2⅔	9	3	3	3	4	3
Dobernic	9	38	10	4	4	9	0

HBP—Warren, Vanni. Errors—Tanselli, Smith 2, Clardy, Sabatini, Nicholas, Warren. HR—Bevens, L. Tran, Warren. 2BH—Dobernic, Vanni, Buccola, Witherspoon. RBI—Perez, Warren 4, Bevens 2, Dobernic 2, Vanni 2, L. Tran 4, R. Tran 2, Pesut 2, Witherspoon. Sac.—L. Tran. R. Tran. DP—Nelson to Smith; Petersen to Nelson to Clardy. Time—2:01. Umpires—Steiner and Sorensen.

Yakima ..... 100 000 000—1 5 0
Vancouver ..... 300 100 00*—4 3 1
Del Sarto, Thompson (1) and Novick; F. Hernandez and Lundberg.

First game:
Lewiston ..... 310 130 0—7 8 0
Calgary ..... 100 000 0—1 3 0
Butler and Cameron; Kapp, Francis (5) and Bricker.

Second game:
Lewiston ..... 010 010 010—3 8 2
Calgary ..... 000 100 00*—1 3 1
Perez and Neal; Schulke and Lillo.

Spokane ... 010 100 000 000 000—2 10 2
Edmonton .. 002 000 000 000 001—3 9 1
Franks and Sheets; McNulty and Morgan.

WIL Standings

(By The Associated Press)

	W	L	Pct.
Lewiston	20	6	.714
Vancouver	18	12	.600
Salem	16	13	.552
Spokane	16	15	.516
Victoria	15	15	.500
Edmonton	14	16	.467
Calgary	14	17	.452
Tri-City	13	17	.433
Wenatchee	13	18	.419
Yakima	14	21	.400

Wednesday's Results:
Lewiston 7-3, Calgary 1-4.
Vancouver 4, Yakima 1.
Edmonton 3, Spokane 2, 15 innings.
Victoria 2, Wenatchee 1.
Tri-City 20, Salem 4.

Thursday's Schedule:
Spokane at Calgary.
Lewiston at Edmonton.
Wenatchee at Vancouver.
Yakima at Victoria.
Salem at Tri-City.

First Time Down Ezzard Charles, former heavyweight champion, knocks Larry Watson down the first of seven times in a fight which ended in a knockout in the fifth round in Milwaukee, Wis. This action was in the third round. The Omaha battler was down twice in the fourth and four times in the fifth round before being counted out. (AP Wirephoto)

Harvie Ward Remains in British Event

Hoylake, England (AP)—Defending champion Harvie Ward of Atlanta charged into the sixth round of the British Amateur Golf Tournament today, but every other American was eliminated.

Ward beat Alan Turner of England easily, 7 and 6. But six fellow Yanks tumbled, even though one of them shot a hole-in-one. One of the victims was veteran Bill Campbell of Huntington, W. Va.

Campbell lost to Cecil Beamish of Ireland on the 19th hole. Sgt. Dale Buettner of Toledo, O., went all the way to the 23rd hole before losing to A. M. Bucher of England. And Robert Sweeny of Palm Beach, Fla., the 1937 champion, lost to Ray C. McGregor of Scotland, 1 up, despite a hole in one on the 179-yard 13th hole.

Also eliminated were Maj. J. F. Seals of Bradenton, Fla.; Ernest Arend, Jr., of Deal, N. J.; and Harold Ridgley of Philadelphia.

Walcott Drops To No. 3 Spot In Ring Ratings

New York (AP)—Rocky Marciano is Ring Magazine's "Fighter of the Month" and Jersey Joe Walcott drops to No. 3 challenger in the heavyweight division in the new rankings.

Ezzard Charles, the ex-champ from Cincinnati, who is on a red hot win streak, gets the No. 1 place behind Marciano, followed by Roland LaStarza, of New York.

Walcott is being pressed for third place by Bob Baker of Pittsburgh and Danny Bucceroni of Philadelphia, who has outgrown the lightheavyweight class.

The big change comes in the 175-pound division where Harry Matthews, consistently listed as a top contender, has been moved into the heavyweight class. As a result of his draw with Freddie Beshore, Matthews was not listed among the 10 top heavyweights.

With the middleweight division approaching a showdown, Randy Turpin is listed as the leading contender and Charles Humez of France, his June 9 London foe, is placed third. The two boys who fight for the American version of the crown, June 19 drew second and fourth spots. Carl (Bobo) Olson of Hawaii was No. 2 and Paddy Young of New York No. 4. Pierre Langlois of France, upset by Joe Rindone, fell a peg to fifth.

Johnny Bratton's winning streak won him the No. 1 spot behind welter champion Kid Gavilan with Billy Graham dropping to second.

Connor Named President of 100-MPH Club

Indianapolis, Ind, (AP) — George Connor, 45, Los Angeles, was elected president of the exclusive 100-mile-an-hour club at the Indianapolis Speedway.

Connor, dean of the Memorial Day race drivers, has competed in 14 races, but he failed to qualify this year and will serve Saturday as an official observer.

The club last night also initiated nine new members at its annual meeting, bringing to 42 the total of living members in the group.

Qualification for the club requires a racing driver to have completed the 500-mile course at an average speed of 100 miles an hour or better.

Subcommittee Approves Bill

Washington. (AP) — A three-man subcommittee has unanimously approved a Senate bill to give organized baseball the right to regulate radio and television broadcasts of its games.

This action, sending the measure on to the full Senate Commerce Committee, was taken Wednesday by a subcommittee headed by Sen. Edwin Johnson (D., Colo.).

Johnson, who introduced the bill, is president of the Class A Western League. The others who joined with him in approving the bill were Sens. Bricker (R., Ohio) and Schoeppel (R., Kan.)

In testimony before the group, baseball people generally were behind the bill, while broadcasters generally opposed it. The legislation is aimed at boosting attendance at minor league games throughout restricting radio-TV broadcasting of major league games.

Fights Last Night

(By The Associated Press)

Detroit—Johnny Saxton, 147¾, New York, outpointed Joe Micell, 147½, New York, 10.

Solons to Launch Share Selling, Attendance Drives

By CHRIS KOWITZ, JR.

The Salem Senators will be conducting campaigns on two different fronts during the month of June.

One campaign will be conducted by Hunt Clark and his committee of share-sellers, who hope to sell $50,000 additional stock in Salem Senators, Inc., between June 1 and June 30—dates of the intensified stock selling drive.

The other campaign will be to get customers into Waters park between now and the Fourth of July.

The Senators have established as their attendance goal 50,000 fans by July 4. In 11 dates so far, the team has drawn 12,261 customers. There are 17 dates between now and the Fourth, and 37,739 fans are needed to bring the total up to 50,000.

In other words, the Senators are going to have to average 2,222 fans every time they play at Waters park between now and July 4.

Salem returns home Saturday for a split Memorial day doubleheader. Games will be played at 2 and 8:15, with A. Murray O'Flynn, baseball comedian, scheduled to appear at both the afternoon and evening games. The Salem Shrine band will play at the night game.

A 2 o'clock afternoon doubleheader will be played Sunday. Billy DeSouza's orchestra will play at the Sunday games.

Oregon Slight Underdog in Playoff Series

Stanford (AP)—The University of Oregon, champion of Pacific Coast Conference northern division baseball, was to arrive today for a playoff series with Stanford, the southern division champs.

The Webfoots were considered slight underdogs in the series to be played here tomorrow and Saturday. It will be a best two-out-of-three affair.

Oregon was bringing an 18-man traveling squad.

If necessary, a twin bill will be played Saturday to decide the winner of the playoffs and the overall Pacific Coast baseball championship.

Shirtcliff Wins Memorial Cup; Wellman Capt.

Corvallis (AP) — Bud Shirtcliff, captain of the 1953 Oregon State baseball team, was winner of the Victor Brown, Jr. Memorial trophy last night.

Shirtcliff, a senior from Myrtle Creek, was chosen for the award by vote of the squad. The award goes annually to the most valuable player.

The squad also selected Norb Wellman, Mt. Angel junior, to captain the 1954 team.

Pittsburgh Pirate outfielder Frank Thomas studied four and one-half years for the priesthood at Mt. Carmel Seminary, Niagara Falls, Canada.

clash at 3:30.

Nine Webfooots, Four Beavers In PCC Meet

(By United Press)

Track teams from both Oregon State and Oregon leave today for the Pacific Coast conference championships at Palo Alto, Calif., with Oregon having the edge, at least in number of men making the trip.

The Webfoot squad consists of nine men, while only four will represent Oregon State at the contest tomorrow and Saturday.

Oregon schools were expected to shine in the middle distance running events and in the javelin toss, but Southern California was heavily favored to cop the team title.

Matthews Eyes Don Cockell

London, (AP) — Jack Hurley, manager of Seattle heavyweight Harry (Kid) Matthews, has offered $5,000 and expenses for two for a fight in the United States with British heavyweight champion Don Cockell, Cockell's manager said Wednesday.

John Simpson said he was considering the offer seriously but first wants "a little more information about TV rights."

Cockell recently won the British heavyweight title from John Williams. Williams and Matthews were to have met in London last November but Matthews was forced to withdraw after he injured a back muscle.

TIDE TABLE

Tides for Taft, Oregon—May, 1953
(Compiled by U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, Portland, Oregon)

May	High Waters Time	Height	Low Waters Time	Height
28	1:19 p.m.	4.6	6:27 a.m.	-1.2
	11:42 p.m.	6.9	8:50 p.m.	2.9
29	2:03 p.m.	4.6	7:15 a.m.	-1.5
			8:21 p.m.	3.0
30	12:22 a.m.	7.0	7:34 a.m.	-1.6
	2:47 p.m.	4.7	7:15 p.m.	3.0
31	1:08 a.m.	6.9	8:36 a.m.	-1.5
	3:31 p.m.	4.8	8:06 p.m.	3.0

Parkrose Names New Coach Staff

Portland, (AP)—Parkrose High School named a new coaching staff Wednesday. Frank Sherman, 1950 graduate of the University of Oregon, becomes football coach; Lawrence Potter, formerly at Bozeman, Mont., basketball and track coach; and Douglas MacFarlane, who will be a University of Washington graduate this spring, the baseball coach.

The former coaches will devote full time to teaching and administration. The school superintendent said the shift was made to achieve a well-balanced teaching staff.

Ski Lift to Go Back Into Operation

Timberline (AP)—The Timberline lodge chair ski lift will go back into use Saturday after being out of commission for a week, C. R. McFadden, spokesman for the lodge said today.

He said three feet of new snow had brought a large number of skiers to the lodge.

San Diego Noses Beavers In Ten Innings, 2 to 1

San Diego (AP)—A tenth-inning triple by Red Mathis and Al Federoff's single gave San Diego the edge in a 2 to 1 Pacific Coast League win over the Portland Beavers last night.

Starter Bill Thomason, relieved in the ninth by Al Benton, took the win. Royce Lint, who relieved Jehosie Heard in the ninth, was nicked for his fifth loss.

Earl Rapp of San Diego got the first score of the ball game in the seventh with a home run, his third this season.

But the Beavers tied the game in the ninth with Charley Grant's two-out homer.

In the bottom of the tenth, Mathis nailed his triple, and Frank Murray, in two run for Mathis, scored on Federoff's dazzling single down the third base line.

PCL STANDINGS

	W	L	Pct.	G.B.
Seattle	37	19	.661	
Los Angeles	30	22	.610	2½
Hollywood	31	25	.554	6
Portland	24	24	.462	11
San Diego	25	22	.439	12½
San Francisco	25	23	.420	12½
Sacramento	24	21	.436	12½
Oakland	22	24	.393	15

Wednesday's Results:
San Francisco 7, Oakland 2.
Sacramento 3, Seattle 2.
Los Angeles 3, Hollywood 2.
San Diego 2, Portland 1 (10 innings).

BI SCOTT BAILLIE

San Francisco (AP) — Stan Hack's amazing Los Angeles Angels, who should have been in fifth place long before now, were a mere 2½ games behind first place Seattle today as the Pacific Coast League whirled through one of its most dramatic weeks of the season.

Bill Moisan, a pitcher who uses his bat for something beside a walking stick to stroll to the plate, was the hero in Wrigley Field last night as he crashed a pinch-hit homer with Gene Baker on base in the bottom of the ninth to give the Angels a 3-2 triumph over Hollywood.

Schenz Hurt

There were heart-throbs in Sacramento as the Solons topped Seattle for the second straight time, 3-2, but lost Hank Schenz for about 12 weeks. Schenz, sparkplug second baseman, suffered a fractured collar bone in the second inning when he got into a collision with the Rainier's Ray Orteig on the base paths.

The San Francisco Seals swept to their fourth straight victory as they drubbed Oakland 7-2. Elmer Singleton, who often is stuck with one-run or shutout losses, was presented with 12 solid hits by his mates and he had a 7-0 cushion before yielding a run to the Oaks in the seventh.

Portland (1)	B	H	O	A	(2) San Diego	B	H	O	A
Robbe,rf	5	0	1	0	Fdrff,3	5	2	3	4
Arft,1b	5	0	12	0	Pirsn,ss	4	0	2	4
Gldstn,cf	5	0	4	0	Alstn,1b	4	1	11	0
Restelli,lf	3	0	4	0	Faber,cf	4	2	3	0
Rhinsn,c	3	0	4	1	Mersn,2b	4	0	0	2
Grant,2b	4	2	0	5	Rapp,rf	3	1	3	0
Austin,ss	3	3	2	1	Lbine,lf	4	1	3	0
Basmski,3	4	2	1	2	Mathis,c	4	1	9	1
Heard,p	2	0	0	2	b-Murry	0	0	0	0
a-Russell	1	0	0	0	Thmsn,p	2	0	0	1
Lint,p	0	0	0	0	Benton,p	0	0	0	0
					c-Frnkln	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	6	38	11	Totals	36	9	30	12

a—Struck out for Heard in 9th.
b—Ran for Mathis in 10th.
c—Walked for Benton in 10th.

Portland ..... 000 000 001 6—1
Hits ..... 010 020 102 9—6
San Diego ..... 000 000 100 1—2
Hits ..... 101 111 100 3—8

Pitcher:	IP	AB	R	H	ER	BB	SO
Heard	8	29	1	6	1	2	2
Lint	1⅓	6	1	2	1	1	2
Thompson	2⅔	32	1	6	1	2	2
Benton	1⅓	4	0	0	0	0	2

Winner—Benton; loser—Lint. R—Grant, Rapp, Murray. E—Heard. Walk—Heard. Left—Portland 8; San Diego 7. 2B—LeBlanc. 3B—Faber, Mathis. HR—Rapp, Grant. SB—Restelli. RBI—Rapp, Grant, Pederhoff. DP—Basinski and Arft. T—3:20. U—Stratton, Mutart and Anske. A—3,968.

Seattle ..... 001 000 001—2 10 0
Sacramento ..... 021 000 00*—3 3 1
Lovrich and Orteig; Johnson and Ritchey.

Hollywood ..... 002 000 00—2 6 1
Los Angeles ..... 000 100 002—3 7 0
Fisher and Brazan; Hatten and Peden.

Oakland ..... 000 000 101—2 8 1
San Francisco .... 102 040 00*—7 12 1
Waters, Mann (7) and Neal; Singleton and Tornay.

Meyers Elected Captain Track Team

George Meyers was elected captain of the 1953 Salem high track squad at an ice cream feed this week. Meyers was runner-up in the state shot put competition and holds all Salem high shot put records. He is a senior.

Conrado Marrero, 38-year-old right handed pitcher for the Washington Senators, is nicknamed "Guajiro," which in Spanish means "hillbilly."

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