

Salem Legions Win 22nd Straight Game; Play Albany in Benefit Game Tomorrow

Capitol Posters Down All-Star Outfit, 8-3

By CHRIS KOWITZ, JR.
Salem's American Legion junior baseball team won its 22nd consecutive game at Waters park Monday, defeating a group of former high school and Legion all-stars 8-3.

Coach Vince Genna's Legionnaires play the Albany Cummings Movers, fourth place finishers in the state Legion tournament, in an 8 o'clock game at Waters park Wednesday night.

The Wednesday game will be a benefit for Jack Loy and Genna. Loy is the classy left-hander who was stricken with rheumatic fever in mid-season. Genna gets no pay for his coaching job, and the game Wednesday will give fans an opportunity to show the appreciation for the many hours he takes off his job to coach the team.

The game with Albany will be Salem's final tune-up before the regional tournament at Yakima, Wash., next week. Salem, champions of Oregon, play the Montana state champions in the opening round of the regional tourney Sunday.

Gary Espe, Ed Warrenburg and Gary Peterson took turns on the pitching mound for the Legions in last night's exhibition tilt. Warrenburg, who hurled the fourth, fifth and sixth innings, was the winning pitcher.

Elmer Haugen, former Salem high and Willamette university player, turned in a creditable job of pitching for six innings, holding the Legionnaires to four runs and six hits. The Legions led only 4-3 after six innings.

But Haugen grew tired in the seventh, and the Legion team pushed across four runs before Keith Farnam took over pitching chores for the All-Stars. Umpire Ollie Williams called the game on account of darkness after Farnam had pitched to only one batter.

The Legion's 11 hits were pretty well divided, with only one player—Larry Springer—getting more than one. Extra-base blows by the Legion team were a triple by Dan Luby and a double by Jerry Greig. Haugen tripled for the losers.



Here Tomorrow Albany's American Legion junior baseball team, fourth-place finishers in the recent state Legion tournament, will meet Salem, state champions, in a benefit game at Waters park tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. Front row, from left, Jerry Roth, Dave Ludlow, Roger Shortridge, Bill Cotman, Ray Derrah, Dean Sorensen, Bob Daly. Back row, from left, manager Charlie Jones, Gene Fox, Ted Owens, Jerry Hazelwood, Dave Shelby, Pete Wilfert, Vern Bradley, Bruce Ridinger, coach Chuck Kerr.

SPORTS SLATE

TUESDAY
Baseball
Western International League: Calgary at Lewiston, Salem at Vancouver, Edmonton at Wenatchee, Victoria at Yakima, and Tri-City at Spokane.
"C" League Junior Baseball: Vista Merchants vs. Orchard Heights at Leslie (6:15).
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Wednesday
Baseball
Industrial League: First National vs. Firemen at Phillip's (7:00); Keizer Electric vs. First Christian at Olinier (8:30).
District Play-Off: Mt. Angel vs. Salem Merchants at Phillip's (8:00).
Salem Army (8:30): Irish Jack O'Reilly vs. The Masked Marrell; John Henning vs. Guss Jacques; Jack Kiser vs. Mr. Bakista.

Thursday
Baseball
Western International League: Calgary at Edmonton, Salem at Victoria, Yakima at Vancouver, and Tri-City at Spokane.
Softball
Industrial League: First National vs. Wolamotta at Phillip's (7:00); Commercial Seat vs. YMCA at Phillip's (8:00); Postal Clerks vs. May Women at Leslie (6:30).
Baseball
KOCO—Brooklyn Dodgers vs. New York Giants at 12:00 and Salem Senators vs. Vancouver Capitans at 8:45.

Friday
Baseball
Western International League: Calgary at Edmonton, Salem at Victoria, Yakima at Vancouver, and Tri-City at Spokane.
Softball
Industrial League: First National vs. Wolamotta at Phillip's (7:00); First National Bank vs. YMCA at Phillip's (8:00); Postal Clerks vs. May Women at Leslie (6:30); Maritime Milk vs. Keizer Electric at Olinier (8:30).
Salem Oils Tournament at Normandale Park in Portland; South Salem Merchants vs. Oswego at Astoria.

Saturday
Baseball
KOCO—Chicago White Sox vs. Cleveland Indians at 12:00 and Salem Senators vs. Victoria Titans at 8:45.
Pitcher—Haugen.
Pitcher: SP B H R ER SO BB
Haugen... 6 20 8 1 0 0 0 0
Farnam... 6 1 1 0 0 0 0 0
Espe... 3 13 3 1 0 2 1 1
Warrenburg... 11 2 0 0 0 0 0 0
Peterson... 1 3 0 0 0 0 0 0
Paterson... 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0
B-Genna... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
HBP—Farnam by Peterson. WP—Haugen. LOB—All Stars 9, Legion 4, Errors—Rice, Pizley 2, Springer, DRI—Haugen, Luby, DRI—Grega, RHI—Dalko, Haugen, Campbell, Greg 2, Luby 2, Beck, Waldrop, Sac—Rice, Osborn, SB—Farnam, Campbell, Pizler, Pizler, Greg 2, Time—1:45. Umpire—Williams.

No Action on Proposal to Change 'Cup' Rule
Seattle (AP)—The Gold Cup Contest Board took no action Monday on a proposal that would have taken the 1954 National speedboat races away from Seattle despite Slo-Mo-Shun IV's smashing triumph on Lake Washington Sunday.
Jack Shafer of Detroit, owner of the Such Crust boats, also-ran in previous races against Stan Sayre's Slo-Mo fleet, suggested alternating the contest between different cities every two years.
The proposal to change the rules making the home city of the previous year's winner the site of the next race was not put to a vote, however.
Seattle has been the host for the last three years as a result of Sayre's victories at Detroit and on Lake Washington. Sunday's win qualified the city for the 1954 speedboat classic.
Before Sunday's race, Schafer said he would not enter his Such Crust boats in the 1954 race unless it was held in Detroit. Schafer was silent on that point at Monday's meeting but Al Fallon, owner of Miss Great Lakes, said he might abandon unlimited class racing.
The board ruled that in future races a committee of drivers of the previous year must pass on qualifications of new drivers.

Woolman Wins Honors in Joie Chitwood Show
Harry Woolman, veteran motion picture stuntman, walked (or sped) off with individual honors from the Joie Chitwood auto thrill show at Hollywood Bowl last night.
Woolman scored 17 points during the evening with his flawless driving in the ramp-to-ramp jump and the high skis.
Johnny Holmes was credited with 15 points for his appearance in one event, the spectacular dive-bomber crash.
Woolman's stunts were not quite as spectacular as the dive bomber, but he was adjudged the individual winner on the basis of the fact he appeared in more stunts, and that his driving was more skillful.
A skimpy crowd of around 1000 people watched the show.

Shrine Teams Open Practice
Portland (AP)—Fifty-four of Oregon's top high school football players open practice here Monday for the sixth annual Shrine crippled children's hospital benefit game, Aug. 22.
City Coach Harry Scharff, who coached Central Catholic to the state championship, scheduled opening practice on the Grant high school field. Pete Susic, Marshfield grid coach, starts work at the University of Portland for the state team.
The high school gridders were greeted yesterday by their coaches and city officials at an introductory luncheon at the Multnomah hotel.

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West Salem Lions Take Junior C League Title

The West Salem Lions won the "C" League title last night with a 6-3 win over Legion Post 136 in the final game of the year for both teams.
In the other league game Jackson Jewelers beat Steink's 5-0 behind the one-hit pitching of Chuck Chappelle. In "C" League play tonight Ber's Keizer Market plays Four Corners at Keizer and in the "B" League Vista meets Orchard Heights at Leslie.
The Lions went ahead with two runs in the second inning on a single by Kent Lammers, a triple by Cliff Johnson, a walk and an error. They added one more in the top of the third and the Legion team bounced back with one in their half of the third.
West Salem made it 4-1 in the top of the fourth but in the losing Legion Post came back with two. West Salem sewed up the game with two in the fifth frame while the Legion Post went scoreless.
Val Barnes led the losers

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Porterfield Celebrates Birthday With One-Hitter

By CARL LUNDQUIST
New York (AP)—Washington fans, who don't have much else to cheer about, were wondering today if perhaps Boh Porterfield is their best pitcher since the days of the immortal Walter Johnson.

Porterfield has a long way to go to earn that reputation but his 2-0 birthday one-hitter over the Red Sox last night gave him eight shutouts for the season, the most by a Washington hurler since Johnson hurled that many 30 years ago in 1924.

It was the third blanking job in a row for the mighty right-hander from Newport, Va., giving him a string of 29 scoreless innings, one for every year of his life on his 29th birthday.

Williams Up
The one big thrill in his big night came with nobody out in the ninth after he walked Jimmy Piersall, who had spoiled his chance for a no-hitter with a single in the third. Up came Ted Williams as a pinch-hitter but the Red Sox slugger, who homered in a similar role yesterday, struck out.

Porterfield threw Terrible Ted only four pitches.
The ex-Yankee hurler put no one but Piersall on base. He struck out three in pitching to only 28 men. The guy who was snubbed by Manager Casey Stengel for the All-Star game now has shut out every team in the league except Detroit.

Other Games
In the only other major league game, the Braves cut Brooklyn's lead to 6½ games when they topped the Cardinals, 8-2, on a seven-hitter by lefty Warren Spahn, who won his 15th game.

It was Milwaukee's sixth straight victory and it was achieved quickly when the Braves batted around in the second inning to score five runs. Johnny Logan, Andy Pafko, Del Crandall, and Sid Gordon made two hits apiece as the Braves collected 11, but got only one in the four final innings off reliever Cliff Chambers.

O'Reilly Meets Marvel Tonight
Jack O'Reilly meets the Masked Marvel tonight at the Salem armory for the shot at Frank Stojack, holder of the Coast Junior Heavyweight title.

O'Reilly and the Marvel met last Tuesday but the match was called no decision because both wrestlers staged the match under the ring. Stojack will appear here the 18th against the winner.

The match, which is for two-of-three falls or one hour, will be handled by two referees. One of them will probably be Tony Ross, who also handled the one last week.
John Henning takes on Gred Jacques in the semi-final event which is for two-of-three falls or 30 minutes. In the special event Jack Kiser returns to Salem to meet Mr. Sakata. It also is for two-of-three falls or 30 minutes.
The first match starts at 8:30.

Major Leagues
(By The Associated Press)
NATIONAL LEAGUE
W L Pct. GB
Brooklyn 71 51 .587 —
Milwaukee 65 48 .569 6 1/2
Philadelphia 59 47 .557 11 1/2
St. Louis 58 43 .571 15 1/2
New York 53 53 .500 18 1/2
Cincinnati 46 61 .432 23
Chicago 41 68 .378 28
Pittsburgh 24 79 .304 35 1/2
Monday's Result:
Milwaukee 2, St. Louis 2

AMERICAN LEAGUE
W L Pct. GB
New York 73 35 .676 —
Chicago 67 43 .609 7
Cleveland 62 48 .564 12 1/2
Boston 61 51 .545 14 1/2
Washington 54 57 .486 20 1/2
Philadelphia 46 63 .420 27 1/2
Detroit 38 70 .345 35 1/2
St. Louis 27 82 .243 47 1/2
Monday's Result:
Washington 2, Boston 0
Only game scheduled



Ted Homers Boston
pinch-hitter Ted Williams crosses home plate after hitting his first home run since returning from service. The homer was hot off Mike Garcia, Cleveland's pitcher, in the 7th inning of their game at Boston's Fenway Park landed in the right center bleachers. Billy Goodman offers his congratulations as Umpire John Stevens throws out new ball. The Cleveland Indians beat the Boston Red Sox 9 to 2. (AP Wirephoto)

Yesterday's Stars
(By The Associated Press)
Pitching — Bob Porterfield, Washington Senators, pitched his second one-hitter of the season and third straight shutout in whipping Boston 2-0.
Batting — Mickey Vernon, Washington Senators, collected three hits in four times up to raise his league leading batting average to .331.

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—By Bob Brown—

Dog breeders in Salem are mildly amused and often perplexed at the psychology of the potential customer. If the prospective owner of a purebred dog lives in Salem, it seldom enters his mind to look around locally for a dog. Instead, he travels to Portland or some point even further away. The feeling seems to be that the further one goes from home, the better the dog. That this attitude is not confined to our area is proven by the fact that Salem breeders get better prices for their dogs, and sell more of them, to people coming from outlying regions. To illustrate this, our records show that in the past few weeks, customers have come to our kennels from such places as Bend, Forest Grove, Corvallis and Portland. . . . Regardless of where he comes from, the dog buyer is always confronted with the same problem—which pup to choose from the litter. Here is a bit of advice from experience; if the pups are under three months old, it is almost impossible even for the breeder, to pick the best pup in the litter. Of course, physical characteristics, such as conformation, coat, etc., can be evaluated, but the eventual ability of the animal, especially with regard to the gun dog, can only be guessed at. The most precocious weaning pup may amount to nothing when he matures, and by the same token, the least prepossessing pup in the bunch may be a champion in the field. It's happened that way many times. Do not choose a shy pup, however, as a shy, cringing pup seldom becomes a bold animal, regardless of care. Make sure the pup you take is healthy, vigorous and full of life. Thus, if we were looking at a litter of pups of good breeding, in the absence of any signs of ill health or timidity, we'd just shut our eyes and grab one—and we'd feel sure we had as much chance for a winner as the next fellow.

Blush Department: Our face is red this week because in our last column we spoke of a young antelope as a fawn. According to the man who accosted us on downtown streets, "kid" is the right term. Our apologies to the Oregon's few remaining antelope.
Fishing is still good on the North Santiam. A friend called last night to say that he had taken a number of good fish, on a small bucktail he was using as a dry fly. This same technique has worked for us, too, on any number of streams. So, if your usual dry flies are not providing results, dig out a little number 12, or 14 bucktail, grease it a little to make it float, and give it a try. Sometimes the big trout really go for this method. Many's the big rainbow we've tagged on the Deschutes with a floating bucktail.
Archery enthusiasts: Check this column on Friday for an important announcement.

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