

Salem, Albany Legion Teams Play Tonight

Final Home Appearance For Capital Posters

Baseball fans of Salem get their final chance of the season to see the Capital Post No. 9 state championship American Legion junior baseball team in action at Waters park tonight.

The Salem team, co-sponsored by Pumlite Block and Supply, Keizer Merchants and Stan Baker Motors, meets Albany's junior Legion squad in an 8 o'clock game. Salem will be seeking its 23rd straight victory.

Albany finished fourth in the recent Oregon state tournament. Salem defeated Albany 8-3 in the opening round of the tournament, then Salem went on to win the state championship. Naturally, Albany is eager for revenge.

Tonight's tilt is a benefit game for Jack Loy and Vince Genna.

Loy, 15, is the classy left-handed pitcher who was a standout with the Salem Legion team this year until stricken with rheumatic fever. He has been confined to bed ever since. Legion team, is not paid for his coaching efforts, despite the fact he takes many hours off his truck driving job in order to coach the team. Proceeds of tonight's game will be split between Loy and Genna.

For Salem, the game will serve as a tune-up for the regional 11 tournament at Yak-

ima. Salem plays Butte, Mont., in the opening round of the tournament Sunday.

The Capital Posters leave Sa-

lem by train at 6:50 p.m. Friday.

Last year Salem won the tournament at Yakima, and

went on to the sectional playoffs at Hastings, Neb., winning one game there before being eliminated.

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Valdez Upsets Ez Charles In 10-Rounder

Miami, Fla. (U.P.)—Ezzard Charles' dream of becoming the first man in history to regain the world's heavyweight championship lay all but shattered today under the wreckage of his surprise loss to obscure Nino Valdez of Cuba.

Valdez stunned a crowd of 3,500 last night as he took Charles' best punches and came on to win the unanimous, 10-round vote of two judges and the referee.

The setback apparently doomed Charles' hopes of getting a shot at the winner of next month's championship fight between Rocky Marciano and Roland La Starza, and, at the advanced ring age of 32, may have ended them for all time.

Fights Last Night

(By The Associated Press)
Miami Beach, Fla.—Nino Valdez, 208½, Havana, outpointed Ezzard Charles, 191½, Cincinnati, 10.

Houston, Tex.—Pete Gil, 158, Austin, Tex., outpointed Benny Evans, 138, Oklahoma City, 10.

Los Angeles—Ramon Riscareno, 139½, Juarez, Mexico, stopped Santiago Esteban, 138, Denver, 7.

Brooklyn, N.Y.—Edward G. "Sugar" Wilson, 148, Englewood, N.J., outpointed Ted Murray, 148, New York, 10.

Salem Hosts NW Archery Tournament This Weekend

Archers from all over the northwest and Canada will congregate in Salem this week-end for the northwest sectional field tournament, a two day affair being jointly sponsored by the Oregon Bowhunters and Washington Bow Hunters.

The tournament, largest of its kind ever held in the area, takes place on the greatly enlarged course of the Salem Jabberwalkie field archers, where special crews have been working for months to prepare for this event.

Besides its regular target and hunting rounds, the area now includes a new 28 target field course, 28 target hunting course, and special 28 target hunters round which requires the use of regular bow hunting equipment, including regulation broadhead arrows. Complete secrecy has been maintained on the new courses, with no one person permitted to know the target distances or positions.

Registration closes at 1 p.m. on Saturday, and all shooting starts at that time, with archers placed at each target. The deadline for Sunday morning will be 8:00 a.m., since each archer

must complete 56 targets before prizes are awarded Sunday afternoon.

There will be concession stands on the area selling food and drinks, since many archers from out of town will be camping in the headquarters area.

The public is cordially invited to watch at any time. The road will be clearly marked. The course is 1 mile south of Pringle school.

Attendance expected to be 300-500.

Flyway Council Sets Dates for Oregon Season

Reno (U.P.)—Oregon's 1953 migratory waterfowl season will extend from October 17 to December 30, the Oregon Fish and Game commission decided at a meeting of the Pacific Flyway Council here.

Representatives of the seven western states met here yesterday to make recommendations for the 1953-54 migratory waterfowl hunting season in their states. However, only seasons definitely set were those of Oregon and Nevada.

Only conflict was between Oregon and California.

California persuaded Oregon representatives to open their season earlier than originally scheduled because bird flocks in the Tule Lake area would be chased back and forth between the two states constantly if the early season recommendations stood.

California representatives said also an early season opening was desired in their state

Salem Merchants Win Opening Playoff Game 15-0

The Salem Merchants won the first game of the Intradistrict softball playoffs with Mt. Angel's Townies last night when they defeated them 15-0 at Phillip's Field.

The Merchants scored one run in the first on his but made it 6-0 at the end of two innings. Singles by Bob Knight, Fred Graham and Payne, along with several fielder's choices and walks gave the Salem nine their five runs.

Salem's Merchants went scoreless in the third inning but then came back with three in the fourth, one in the fifth, and finally five in the sixth. Helstrom triples in the fifth for the winners.

Meanwhile Bob Knight was holding the Townies to three singles. Two of these hits came in the second inning but tight hurling kept the runners from advancing home. The other was in the third.

Tonight the Merchants travel to Mt. Angel and a win would earn them the right to meet Oregon City. Oregon City and the winner of this series meet to decide the entry

Lebanon Holds Swimming Meet

Lebanon—Seven events were held in the all-city swim contest at the municipal pool Sunday. This precedes competition Tuesday with Corvallis and Thursday with Albany. Both latter contests will be held in the neighboring cities.

The pool supervisor gave the following results of the Sunday meet, with winners named in order:

40 yard free style, girls 11-14—Bonnie Fraser, Debbie Kinsan.
40 yard breast stroke, boys 13 and over—Ron Rina, Darryl Bishop, Barney Chiswick, Lee Uley, Terry Graham.

40 yard free style, boys 13 and over—Ray Rina, Darryl Bishop, Barney Chiswick, Don Benton, Gene Speal.
40 yard free style, boys 10 and under—John Snyder, George Myran.

40 yard free style, girls 11-14—Bonnie Fraser, Debbie Kinsan, Brenda Dally.
80 yard free style, boys 11-14—Vivian Russell.
40 yard free style, boys 13-14—Vivian Russell, Don Allen, Dale Bishop.

because bird flocks injure crops severely and farmers have taken to frightening birds from rice fields and other crop lands.

The federal Fish and Game service already has announced liberalized hunting rules for the season and said hunters may shoot until sunset in all flyways.



Salem to Face Butte in First Tourney Game

Billings, Mont. (Special)—Butte, Mont., will be Salem's opponent in the first round of the regional 11 American Legion junior baseball tournament at Yakima Sunday.

Butte qualified for the regional playoffs by defeating Billings 2-1 in the finals of the double-elimination Montana state tournament here Tuesday night.

Butte won the title the hard way, after losing to Great Falls, 10-5, in the opening round. Butte came back to defeat Fort Peck 8-3, Great Falls 7-1 and Billings 7-0 to earn their way into the finals.

Billings was the defending Montana champion, and was favored to repeat this year. Billings won its first two games in the state tourney, and apparently had a shoo-in for the title, but was upset twice by Butte on the final day.

The Oregon and Montana champions meet in the second game of the regional 11 tourney. Salem won the Oregon title in the state tournament at Waters park in Salem recently.

O'Reilly Wins Over Marvel

Jack O'Reilly earned a crack at Frank Stojack's coast junior heavyweight title with a victory over the Masked Marvel last night at the local arena.

O'Reilly took two straight falls over the Marvel in the match which had two referees. Last week the two fought to a draw.

In the preliminaries last night John Henning defeated Greg Jacques and Jack Kiser beat Mr. Sakata. The match between O'Reilly and Stojack is scheduled for next Tuesday.

Tourney Bound

The South Salem Merchants girls' softball team will play in the Oregon state girls' softball tournament, beginning tomorrow at Portland. Front row, from left, right fielder Loretta Juedes, utility player Katharine Johnson, catcher Lois Duncan, third baseman and pitcher Jo Stettler, second baseman Helen Hanson, and left fielder Lois Hutchings. Back row, from left, first baseman Floribel Gordon, pitcher and third baseman Carol Petersen, center fielder Vivian Reaves, shortstop Dorothy Stewart, utility player Berniece DeMoude, and coach Enoch Maers. Not present for picture, left fielder Berniece Etmer, center fielder Muriel French, utility player Helen Gordon, utility player Dorothy Miller, and utility player Phillip Jensen.

Solons Held to No Hits

Clarence Marshall Hurls Vancouver to 12-1 Win

(By The Associated Press)
Vancouver's Clarence Marshall reported in with the Western International Baseball League's first 1953 no-hitter Tuesday night, but lost his bid for a shutout due to wobbly control.

The 28-year-old righthander, making his second appearance in a Vancouver uniform since his release by the Pacific Coast League Hollywood Stars, held Salem hitless for nine innings but walked nine men as the Capitanos rolled to a 12-1 triumph. The Senators combined three bases on balls and a long fly in the eighth inning for their only tally.

The loss dropped Salem two full games back of the pace-setting Spokane Indians who shaded Tri-City, 4-3. In other games, Victoria turned back

WIL Standings
(By The Associated Press)

Team	W	L	Pct.	G.B.
Spokane	29	17	.625	
Salem	26	18	.591	2
Vancouver	25	22	.526	4½
Yakima	23	21	.522	6
Edmonton	21	21	.500	8
Lewiston	20	23	.467	7
Tri-City	20	24	.457	8
Victoria	20	28	.417	9
Wenatchee	18	28	.391	10
Calgary	17	29	.368	10

Tuesday's Results:
Vancouver 12, Salem 1.
Spokane 4, Tri-City 2.
Edmonton 9-2, Wenatchee 1-3 (and game 18 resumed).
Victoria 8, Yakima 2.
Lewiston 10, Calgary 9.
Wednesday's Schedule:
Calgary at Lewiston.
Salem at Vancouver (2).
Edmonton at Wenatchee (2).
Victoria at Yakima.
Tri-City at Spokane (2).

Yakima 8-3; Lewiston edged Calgary 10-9 and Edmonton and Wenatchee divided a doubleheader, Edmonton taking the first game 5-1 in seven innings and Wenatchee the nightcap 3-2 in ten.

Marshall, who was signed by the Caps as a free agent last week almost lost his no-hitter with two out in the ninth inning when Salem's Gary Ballard lofted a long fly to left

center field. Gale Taylor made a stab for the ball and lost it but the official scorer ruled it was an error.

Marshall pitched for the New York Yankees and the St. Louis Browns prior to his stint with the Stars. In his first start for Vancouver last week, he was driven to the showers in the early innings by the Victoria Tyees.

Wenatchee's Charley Oubre turned in the evening's next-best pitching job, a five-hitter in the extra-inning affair with Edmonton. It was his 13th win against 11 losses. Edmonton's John Conant was trying for his 20th win but suffered his 10th loss.

At Spokane, Eddie Murphy's eighth-inning single pushed the Indians into the win column after Tri-City had tied the game with a three-run rally in the seventh. Winning pitcher Bill Franks held the Braves to seven at-bats.

Lewiston batters hammered out four home runs in the Lewiston-Calgary clash at Lewiston. Bob Williams' two-on homer in the ninth won the game for the Broncos who trailed the Stampeders 9-6 entering the inning. Other round-trippers were by Manager Bill Brenner, in the third; Larry Barton, in the seventh, and Mel Wasley,

in the ninth; all solos.

Ben Jeffrey drove in two Victoria runners with a home run in the ninth inning at Yakima but the tallies weren't needed. The Tyees scored three times in the fifth and added what proved to be the winning run in the eighth.

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INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE STANDINGS
(By The Associated Press)

Team	W	L	Pct.	G.B.
YMCA	12	3	.800	
Wolgamotta	10	3	.769	1
Commercial Seal	12	3	.800	1
Kay Wooding Mills	10	3	.769	2
Fireman	10	5	.667	4
First Christian	8	4	.667	5
Postal Clerks	8	4	.667	6
Keizer Electric	6	12	.333	9½
First National	4	12	.250	9½
Mayflower Milk	3	14	.182	11½
Mayflower Milk	2	14	.125	11½
Last night's scores: First National 3, Fireman 7; Keizer Electric 3, First Christian 7.				

District play-offs: Salem Merchants 15, Mt. Angel 9. Tonight: Mt. Angel vs. Merchants at Mt. Angel.

Tonight's games: First National vs. Wolgamotta at Phillip's (7:00); Commercial Seal vs. YMCA at Phillip's (8:30); Mayflower Milk vs. Postal Clerks at Leslie (8:30).

in the state tourney at Mill City this month.

In Industrial League action last night the Firemen scored three runs in the first inning and then went on to edge First National 3-2. The Firemen got only three hits while the losing Bank team had six.

In the only other league clash Keizer Electric upset First Christian 9-7. Keizer scored two runs in the fifth to win the game.

Tonight in the Industrial League Berg's Market takes on Wolgamotta at Phillip's, Commercial Seal covers plays the YMCA at Phillip's, and Mayflower Milk meets the Postal Clerks at Leslie. The first game at Phillip's starts at 7 while the Leslie game begins at 8:30.

Mt. Angel: 000 000 0-0 3 3 Merchants: 150 110 0-15 11 C. Sever, Dode (3) and M. Spier; Knight and Weaver.

First National: 001 000 1-3 6 6 Firemen: 000 000 0-3 6 6 Clark and Huff; Mickenham and Tompkins.

Keizer Electric: 121 130 6-12 3 First Christian: 203 200 0-3 6 4 Golden and Honerstatt; Brown and Cole.

Tommy Thomas Wins Cups at Seattle Race

Lebanon—Running in the Seattle Seafair national sports car race on August 8, Tommy Thomas of Lebanon took his M-G through the 12-lap road trial for a total of 25 miles and came in second in his class.

The novice class, which Thomas entered, is for drivers of cars 1100 to 1500 c.c. and is the most populous class covering M-G's, Simcas and Singers. His speed average was 56 mph.

The Thomas M-G came out of the race in excellent shape with no injury other than a scratched fender.

Awards were made at the banquet Saturday night. At this time Thomas received a silver cup recording his win, together with a silver box for driving his car the longest distance to the race.