PORTLAND GRABS DOUBLE HEADER AND MOVES UP

Give the Portland Beavers a couple of loud cheers!

They won two games—and on the same day. They passed Sacramento in the league standings, and now rest in fifth place. Think of that!

Ray Rohwer of the Beavers was one of the busiest men of the day. Nine times he strode to the platter, and seven times slammed out hits. Two of them were home runs, and three were doubles. In the first game he drove out five wallops out of as many times at bat.

It might be mentioned, in passing, that the score of the first game was 12 to 7 and of the second, 10 to 6. Vernon was the loser in both instances. Ten pitchers were used in the two games, Portland using four and Vernon the other six.

At the same time Los Angeles broke even with Sacramento, 1 to 3 and 2 to 1.

Seattle broke even with Oakland, 10 to 9, and 2 to 3.

San Francisco broke even with Salt Lake, 3 to 10 and 3 to 0.

IDAHO HERE FOR CONTEST TODAY

University of Idaho Vandals will meet the University of Oregon baseball team on the local field this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the first Coast conference game of the season in Eugene. The Vandals, while not touted as quite a strong contender as last year, are reputed to be fighters, and a hot game is expected to result.

Oregon won her first three games of the season, all in the Northwest conference. Idaho, will furnish the first hard competition, and will afford the Lemon-Yellow aggregation a chance to display its wares.

Billy Evans Says—

By BILLY EVANS

TWO of the biggest pitching disappointments last season were George Uhle of Cleveland and Adolfo Luque of Cincinnati. Counted upon to turn in a big bunch of victories for their clubs, both failed miserably.

Uhle, leading American League hurler two years ago, won but nine games for the Speaker entourage in 1924. He lost 15 tilts, showing a percentage drop of 243 points.

Luque, a pair of campaigns back, held the same position in the National circuit as Uhle did in the American. That season the Cuban copped 27 games against just eight defeats. In 1924, however, he won but 10, losing 15, a decline of 371 points.

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In a word, Uhle and Luque showed form reversals far out of the ordinary all things considered.

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This season, though, Uhle and Luque again appear to stack up in real style. They give evidence of returning to their winning ways of two years back. For each has got off to a good start.

True, the campaign is early yet and their performances may be only the well-known flash in the bucket. But judging from present indications, both should chalk up a goodly quota of victories. Far better, at least, than was the case in 1924.

With these two fellows in shape and hitting their real stride, the chances of the Indians and Reds to get somewhere in the race are greatly enhanced. For "20-victory" pitchers, like Uhle and Luque were two years ago, are a bit uncommon in these days of lively baseballs and heavy batting.

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Their efforts are certain to be watched with more than the usual amount of interest as the campaigns go along.

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Connie Mack seems to have picked up a mighty clever replacement for the disabled Joe Hauser. He is Jimmy Poole, former Portland star.

Grabbed in a hurry by the lean Connie following the injury to Hauser, Poole has thus far come through in nice style. Fact is, the Coaster has sort of dried up the tears that were being shed for his predecessor.

Poole has been hitting at a great clip and his work afield has been of a high order as well. In his first seven games he crashed out 11 hits in 20 trips to the rubber, an average of .423. Quite a few of the clouts were extra base affairs, too.

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The tot's sensational work has, no doubt, sort of restored Mack's faith in Coast League players, a faith which had been vehemently shattered a year ago by the "exploding" of Paul Strand, highly touted Salt Lake City pastimer.

League Standings

Coast League	W.	L.	Pct.
San Francisco	20	6	.769
Salt Lake	17	9	.654
Los Angeles	17	11	.607
Seattle	13	13	.500
Portland	10	14	.417
Sacramento	11	16	.407
Oakland	9	16	.360
Vernon	8	20	.286

National League			
New York	10	4	.714
Cincinnati	10	6	.625
Chicago	10	7	.587
Philadelphia	8	8	.500
Brooklyn	6	8	.429
Pittsburg	6	9	.400
St. Louis	6	10	.375
Boston	5	9	.357

American League			
Cleveland	11	4	.733
Washington	11	4	.733
Philadelphia	10	4	.714
Chicago	11	7	.647
St. Louis	8	10	.412
New York	4	10	.286
Boston	4	11	.267
Detroit	4	13	.235

Grid Star Versatile

Ed Garbasch Wields Racquet Well

Ed Garbisch

You perhaps remember Ed Garbisch as a star football player at West Point. Well, here he is trying his hand at tennis, where he hopes to add to the glory he has already achieved on the gridiron. The army team expects much of him this season.

The NUT CRACKER

BY JOE WILLIAMS

THE BABE: So they lost again, huh? Well that team don't miss me any more than a zebra would miss his stripes.

Nursie, And the paper says Mr. Hartnett of the Cubs is the new home run king!

The Babe: Hartnett? Hartnett? Where does he tend bar?

Nursie: It says he leads everybody in the big leagues with a flock of homers.

The Babe (emitting a prodigious philosophic grunt): Well a lot of selling platers looked good when Man o' War was in the barn, too.

Nursie, It says that Mr. Hartnett hits all kinds of pitching.

The Babe: Well in that league there's all kinds of pitching to hit, and most of it's bad.

Nursie: It says that Mr. Hartnett "busts the apple with terrible violence." Now what does that mean?

The Babe (beaming at his cleverness): Just a lot of applesauce those newspaper guys are getting off.

Nursie: It says in the paper also that Jack Dempsey got sick on the train the same way you did.

The Babe: I wouldn't be a bit surprised. All those birds try to copy my style.

Nursie: It says here that Cleveland and the Athletics are tied for the lead.

The Babe (explosively): Say, who's supposed to be delirious around here—you or me?

Nursie: Here's a piece in the paper about Mr. Nurmi getting into a scandal over something.

The Babe (producing a 12-pound chuckle): Well, I knew he'd "run" a good thing in the ground sooner or later.

Nursie: There's a Mr. Johnson calling. What shall I do?

The Babe: If it's Walter you'd better pitch high and wide to him—and the wider the better.

The Referee

WHAT was the outcome of the bout between Luis Firpo and Ermino Spalla last year?—W. A. H.

Firpo won on a kayo in 14 rounds.

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Who were the national doubles champions in women's tennis in 1922?—W. G. L.

Miss Helen Wills and Mrs. Marion Zinderstein Jessup.

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How long has Hartnett, catcher for Chicago Cubs, been in the big leagues?—F. K. D.

Since 1922 season.

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Where did Connie Mack obtain Jimmy Poole?—W. F. L.

Portland, Pacific Coast league.

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What's the present outdoor record for the running high jump and who holds it?—F. H. R.

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Present mark is 6 feet, 8 15-16 inches and is held by Harold Osborne, former Illinois star.

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Did Joey Sanger ever beat Sammy Mandell?—R. E. P.

Yes, on a technical knockout, seven rounds, in 1922.

Famous Hawaiian Polo Ponies Burned

HONOLULU, March 4.—(AP)—All but one of the Hawaiian string of polo ponies which recently returned from play in California, were burned to death in a fire last night at the Baldwin stables, Island of Maui. Word of the fire was relayed to Honolulu by Al Castle, a member of the Hawaiian team, who said the loss included a number of ponies recently purchased on the Pacific coast by island players. The Baldwin string numbered some of the finest mounts available in America. Details as to the origin of the fire were not available here.

PENDLETON WINS

PENDLETON, Ore., May 4.—The Pendleton Buckaroos defeated Walla Walla here yesterday afternoon in a closely contested Blue Mountain league game 8 to 7. The score was tied three times during the contest and Pendleton went into the ninth with the count at 7-7. With one away, Taylor, the Buck first baseman, got on an error, stole second and scored on Olson's hot single to center. La Grande defeated Baker, at Baker, 3 to 2.

FRANK BRAZIL AT HEAD OF HITTERS

SAN FRANCISCO, May 4.—Frank Brazil of the Seattle Indians has replaced Oscar Vitt of the Salt Lake Bees at the head of the Coast league hitters. Brazil gained an average of .423 as a result of last week's play. Sam Agnew of the San Francisco Seals holds second place in hitting although he has played in fewer games, his average is .429. Vitt, who was leading at the start of the week's play has dropped to third place with an average of .414. Two hurlers, Crandall of Los Angeles and McCabe of Salt Lake, are tied with averages of .400. Hemingway, with an average of .395 is the leading hitter of the Vernon Tigers. M. Shea is showing the way to the Sacramento hitters with an average of .388. High is leading the Portland Beavers in the hitting department of the game with an average of .374.

Lazerre of the Bees and Kilduff of the Seals are tied for the home run hitting race, each having collected six. Brazil of the Indians, O'Doul of the Bees, Brower of the Seals and Hood of the Angels are tied for second honors with five each.

Twombly of the Angels is leading the base stealers with nine pilfered pillows to his credit. Lane of the Indians is runnerup with seven. Kopp of the Senators, Arlett of the Oaks and Cooper of the Oaks have each stolen six bases.

Cross-Continent Motorboat Cruise To Start Friday

LOS ANGELES, May 4—What sixteenth century navigators frequently attempt without success — a cruise across the American continent by boat—will be undertaken by three twentieth-century motorboat enthusiasts leaving here next Friday for Astoria, Ore. The men who hope to demonstrate the possibility of sailing practically all the way across the United States are F. S. Wilton, John E. Hong and Val Woodbury. They are taking to Astoria a light, twin screw motorboat and will begin their voyage up the Columbia river May 15. Leaving the Columbia about 480 miles from its mouth, they plan to navigate the Snake river to Lewiston, Idaho. Between that point and Livingston, Mont., a distance of about 250 miles, they expect to resort to portage in order to get over the continental divide. From Livingston they will descend the Yellowstone river to the Missouri, thence to the Mississippi, and thence through the Illinois river and the Illinois and Michigan canal to the Great lakes. From the lakes their way lies on the St. Lawrence and Richelieu rivers through the Richelieu canal into Lake Champlain and thence through the Champlain canal into the Hudson river and the final lap ending at New York.

New war Starts On rum Runners

NEW YORK, May 4.—Units from the coast guard of the entire Atlantic seaboard, with the revenue cutters Gresham, Seneca and Mohave were mobilized at the Clifton coast guard base on Staten Island today for a new war of extermination against rum fleets lying off the coast from New Jersey to Connecticut.

The fleet comprises more than 60 vessels. Armed, manned and equipped as for battle most of them are motor craft between 40 and 60 feet long and capable of great speed.

The fleet, which is expected to put to sea tomorrow, will operate under orders to shoot first and investigate afterwards in the case of suspected rum runners.

Marathon dog Race Is won by Seppala

NOME, Alaska, May 4.—(AP)—Leonard Seppala won the John Borden marathon dog race yesterday from a field of five starters in two hours, six minutes, 12 seconds. The course was 25 miles, 300 yards long. Ed Rohn finished second in two hours, 12 minutes two seconds. James Kennan was third. The two other starters were Frank Dufresne and Ollie Weaver.

Great rivalry existed between Seppala and Rohn as both men participated in a dog team relay race which carried anti-toxin from Nenana to Nome when Nome was stricken with diphtheria in January and February.

Zero weather prevailed today with a calm frosty fog.

Oregon Frosh win From Rook Runners

Unexpectedly, the University of Oregon frosh won the annual relay meet with the O. A. C. rooks, here Saturday, 3 to 2. Oregon took the 440-relay, O. A. C. took the mile, and repeated with the two-mile, while Oregon took the 880-yard event and the medley, winning the meet.

Oregon tennis players won from O. A. C. at Corvallis Saturday, 5 to 4, in a dual meet.

Eugene High Wins From Corvallis

By the scant margin of 10 to 9, Eugene high baseball players took Corvallis high into camp at the South Willamette field Saturday afternoon. Towne, Eugene high short, banged out a two-bagger in the ninth, with the score tied at nine-all, and Schrader scored, winning the game.

Big Baseball Stars

WILFRED D. RYAN

Born — Worcester, Massachusetts, March 15, 1898. Pitcher, Boston Braves.

Major league career—Joined the Giants in 1919. Sent to Buffalo, International league, same season for experience. Recalled later. Sent to Toronto, International league, in 1920. Recalled in 1921. Traded to Braves in 1923. (Known as "Rosy" in baseball circles. Graduate of Holy Cross).

Outstanding feats—Has been in three world series, winning two games and losing none. Won 16 tilts and lost five in 1923. Fielded 1000 last season, accepted 29 chances—eight putouts and 21 assists in 37 games.

News of Nearby Towns

Special Correspondence To The Guard From Various Live Districts In Its Field.

COTTAGE GROVE, May 4.—(Special)—Henry Rohde motored home from Cloverdale Springs Thursday of last week.

Wayne Woodruff motored up from Eugene Saturday and accompanied Mrs. Nancy Oglesby, Mrs. J. P. Graham, Mrs. Carrie Hemenway and Willis Beidler to "Loma Vista," Mrs. Graham's ranch west of Cottage Grove.

The Lions Cubs gave a picnic Saturday to the class in the Presbyterian Sunday school that won the challenge of bringing in the greatest number of scholars the three weeks before Easter. The Cubs furnished the dinner and Miss Dunn and Ralph Spearow, chaperoned the crowd.

Jack and Earl Hansen spent the week-end in Eugene with their uncle, C. W. Gordon.

Percy Rodgers, who was taken to the Eugene hospital Friday, is reported to be in a very serious condition.

Ben Rinard went to Baker on his motorcycle Friday. He will visit his sister, Mrs. Walter Clark and family.

Mrs. W. B. Cooper and Mrs. J. P. Graham will moter to Portland Monday. Mrs. Cooper is taking a box of things to the children's farm home near Corvallis on the way.

Mrs. Bert Manning and baby returned Friday from a month's visit in Sacramento, Cal., with her people.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Calopka returned from an all winter's stay in San Diego, Cal., Friday.

James Benett, who had his face injured while cutting piling for the Chambers railroad, is getting along nicely at the Eugene hospital.

The foreign missionary society of the Methodist church will meet Wednesday in the church parlors at 2:30 p. m.

Judge Potter of Eugene will teach the two classes of inquiry in the Presbyterian Sunday school on "The Divinity of Christ," possibly next Sunday.

The Springfield baseball team beat the Cottage Grove team Friday evening in the game played in Cottage Grove between the two high schools, the score was 13 to 9 in favor of the Springfield high.

The Presbyterian choir has disbanded for the summer.

HARRISBURG

HARRISBURG, May 4.—(Special)—A number of improvements are now under way at the local cemeteries which will doubtless be far enough advanced to put them in much better appearance by Decoration Day. The trustees of the local Masonic lodge have planned to grade the various driveways and have at least the main ones surfaced with crushed rock. Dorcas Colburn and Orbinson Lowell are now employed in this grading and T. W. Sommerville is to do the rock hauling. It is also planned to grade several of the alleys, depending on the cost and the willingness of lot owners to pay same. The trustees have promised a well will be sunk, an improvement that is much needed and desired.

Mrs. Chester Reed of Portland is spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. Millie Pryor. Mrs. Pryor is planning a trip to Missouri to visit relatives in that state for several weeks.

C. W. Owing of Hubbard was a week-end guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Garner. Miss Lucia Garner, teacher at Waterloo, has also been at home a few days this week.

The W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. John Owen Friday afternoon.

Harrisburg was represented at the recent southern district convention of the Epworth league of Oregon at Grants Pass by nine members of the order of the local Methodist church. The followingsmade the trip and back after the three days' session, by auto: The Misses Augusta Kelsey, Wilma Owen, Jennie Wadsworth, Dora Simons Lucille Sperling and Alice Murphy, and Paul McCart and Carl Simons. They were accompanied by Rev. Metzner of Halsey and Mrs. Sperling. The young people all report a most enjoyable time. The delegates are to give their reports at the church Sunday morning and are sure to be of great interest. Miss Kelsey and Miss Simons will report and if time allows more will follow. The League session in the evening will be turned over to this occasion also.

Little Lois, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fisher, underwent quite a serious operation at an Albany hospital last Saturday morning.

Mrs. John Donovan of Junction City was a visitor here last Saturday with her cousin, Mrs. Emma Hornbeck.

Mrs. Fulton Jackson and her daughters, Gladys and Opal, and Mrs. Hulda George were visitors at Eugene Wednesday.

The Rialto was packed to capacity Wednesday evening and everybody went home feeling they received their money's worth at Hickory Holler school play, which was put on by the local Parent-Teachers association. Receipts for the evening were about $135.00, and after all expenses were paid they have laid aside about $110.00 for improvements for the play shed which will be erected this summer.

Mrs. Guy Herman entertained the Thursday Thimble club last week. In short order enough blocks were sewed for a quilt. After a spirited contest in the artistic line, in which Mrs. John Malpass and Mrs. Stewart Hurd tied, a dainty lunch was served. The club will meet next with Mrs. Peterson.

SPRINGFIELD

SPRINGFIELD, May 4. — (Special).—Mrs. Harry W. Whitney and daughter Mary Elizabeth left Saturday for Portland, returning yesterday with Mrs. Earl N. Dillard and daughter Anna who had also spent the week-end in Portland.

Beginning tonight two planers will be run by a special night shift of nine men at the planing mill of the Booth-Kelly Lumber company.

Richard Higgins, 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Higgins of Jasper has been receiving surgical treatment in Springfield during the last few days. He broke his arm Thursday when he fell from a tree.

Robert Gardner and Kenneth Stephenson of Portland motored to this city Saturday.

The ladies of the G. A. R. enjoyed an afternoon affair on Friday in Eggimann's hall, in honor of visiting department officers from Portland.

Members of the Springfield high school student body enjoyed a picnic Friday afternoon in the Hansen auto park. The picnic, which is an annual affair, was to have been held at Cottage Grove, where the baseball game was played, but it was later decided to hold it nearer Springfield.

Miss Gladys Chase was hostess at a delightful May day affair on Friday, in the nature of a shower for Miss Lola Crabtree, whose marriage is to be an event of this spring. Gifts were carried in to Miss Crabtree in a huge May basket. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Lillian Allen left Friday for Astoria after spending two weeks in Springfield as a house-guest at the home of Major and Mrs. M. B. Huntley.

Mrs. Wilmot Foster of Portland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. DePue of this city is expected to arrive this week to spend two weeks with her parents.

Those wishing to contribute examples of the arts or crafts to the exhibition to be held Thursday and Friday by the Parent Teacher association assisted by the Springfield Civic club, are asked to notify Mrs. Clark E. Wheaton, phone 123-J, of Mrs. Maude T. Bryan, 117-R. The Parent-Teacher association is to contribute prints of 200 masterpieces, while the Civic club will conduct the local part of the exhibit on Friday in the W. O. W. hall. Painting, either of the landscape variety or china painting, as well as fancy work is desired. Ladies of the Civic club will call for pieces loaned if notified.

The Springfield bowling team won from the Cottage Grove bowlers by 102 pins in a game Friday evening at ottage Grove. Clifford Bryan of Springfield was high point man.

4L Society Loses Walter D. Smith

Walter D. Smith, well known in labor circles of Eugene, who has been for the last six years an employe director of the 4L organization, has become chief sales manager for the Knights of Electra, a group of Portland business men sponsoring the Pacific-American International exposition for 1930, it is announced.

Mr. Smith has been an active organizer with the 4L since it was put on a peace time footing early in 1919, and is direly known among loggers and mill workers of Lane county. The loggers and mill men in his district have regularly re-elected him to represent them on the 4L directing board each year and he still holds that office. He expects soon to start a speaking tour of the northwest.

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