

FRANKLIN TRACK TEAM WILL MEET FRESH TOMORROW

The freshman track team of the University of Oregon will contest the right of supremacy against the strong Franklin high school aggregation from Portland on Hayward field at 2:30 Saturday.

So far the yearlings have won all the meets entered. They defeated the Aggie boys in the annual relay carnival and gained a satisfactory win over Jefferson high of Portland, who won the championship of Portland in the relay meet held last week.

Del Oberhauser, former sprint star of the university, is tutoring the sprint men on the fresh team this week and according to him several fast men are showing up. Allen in the 100 and 220 yard dashes and Cooper in the half mile have been running in exceptional fast times this year. Wetzel, Winslow and Kuykendall in the dashes have been showing ability also.

Hayward has not announced his final entrants for the meet but virtually the same lineup used against the Jefferson high school team last Saturday will be used.

The management of the meet will be under the able direction of Oberhauser as Hayward will be in Seattle with the varsity.

'Y' BOYS DEFEAT E. H. S. FRESHMEN

The Y. M. C. A. boys' baseball team defeated the Eugene high school freshmen last night on the Lincoln school grounds, by a score of 5 to 2. Lineup were Hestrom and Brown. The "Y" boys will hold a practice or play a game next Wednesday night, announces E. E. Holdenman, physical education director.

Following were the lineups: Eugene high school—Bufford and Borleigh, pitcher; Barr, catcher; Clarence Harce, first base; George Pratt, second base; Jerome McKy, third base; Robert Burleigh, shortstop; George Windle, left field; Alexander Bean, center field; Elvin Park, right field.

Y. M. C. A. boys—Travis and Calkins, catcher; Gene Koberhart, pitcher; George Platt, first base; Max Hubenstein, second base; Justin McDonald, third base; Clifford Horner, shortstop; William Hargreaves and Hugh McDonald, left field; Hoy Newton, center field; Allen Griggs and Tuffy Munson, right field.



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What is the status of a play in which the umpire is hit by a thrown ball and does it make any difference whether it is in fair or foul territory?

The umpire is supposed to never lose sight of the ball. If he constantly follows the course of the ball it is usually an easy matter for him to avoid being hit. However, there are times when such a thing happens.

When it does, the ball is always in play and the runner or runners shall be entitled to make all the bases they can, advancing at their peril.

In some quarters the impression exists that the ball becomes dead. This is erroneous. A number of years ago that was the ruling. In some cases a smart player, seeing a play was impossible, purposely threw the ball at the umpire, hoping to make the ball dead, thereby preventing the advancement of the baserunners.

Now it makes no difference how the umpire is hit by a thrown ball, whether on fair or foul territory. The umpire is supposed to avoid the ball. If he fails, it simply continues in play and the runner or runners advance at their peril.

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PITCHING is perhaps the most precarious position on the ball field.

Incidentally, pitching is most vital to a club's success. The power of a team can largely be measured by the strength of its pitching staff.

When I was in Orlando, Fla. this spring, I had a chat with Carl Mays, former star pitcher of the American league. Last season with the Cincinnati Reds he was one of the most effective hurlers in the National League.

Mays never looked in better shape and was cutting loose with the ball in his season.

"He was the most useful man on the staff last season," remarked Manager Jack Hendricks. "He was a great starter and an equally good relief pitcher."

It was apparent that Hendricks was banking strongly on Mays for another big year.

Just prior to the opening of the season something went wrong with Mays' arm. He has been unable to throw a ball for several weeks. It is feared he is through.

Infielders and outfielders and in some cases catchers, have maintained to star after suffering arm injuries, but pitchers seldom survive the ordeal with any degree of success.

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MRS. FOX HAS UNIQUE GOLF RECORD

Though 66 and Grandmother She Still Holds High Rating on Links



(By NEA Service)

PHILADELPHIA, May 15.—Thirty years ago this summer the national women's golf tournament was inaugurated. It was staged at the Meadowbrook Golf Club, Reading, Mass.

Among the qualifiers that year was Mrs. Caleb F. Fox of Philadelphia, an enthusiastic golfing devotee, 26 years of age.

Today, at 66, and a silver-haired grandmother, Mrs. Caleb F. Fox is still rated among the first 32 women golfers in the country.

Down through the years she has competed in each of the national tournaments and on every occasion has made a good showing.

In her thirty years of competition she has only failed four times to qualify. Once in 1911, again two years later and also in 1923 and 1924. In 1923 she suffered an injury just before the championship was held.

Mrs. Fox has never held the national title. But once she reached the final round only to fall before Miss Ruth Underhill, a sensational links-woman, 2 and 1. That was in 1899. In 1908 and 1909 she got as far as the semi-finals.

Mrs. Fox has won the Philadelphia championship five times—1902, 1908, 1910, 1911 and 1917. Two years ago she started the golfing fraternity by defeating Glenna Collett, then national champion, in a winter tournament at Red Bank Heights, Pa.

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Pitching is the thing. However, a club that has the batting punch as supplied by Wheat, Fournier and Brown much be reckoned with. When the Brooklyn pitching arrives the club will be most troublesome.

Losing a ball game through a club making one run in the eighth and seven runs in the ninth was an experience the Cleveland and Detroit clubs recently underwent.

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Detroit, however, went into the ninth inning leading, 8 to 3, only to be beaten, 10 to 8. That was a terrible blow.

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League Standings

Coast League	W.	L.	Pct.
San Francisco	23	10	.714
Salt Lake	21	14	.600
Seattle	18	16	.529
Los Angeles	19	18	.514
Portland	15	18	.455
Sacramento	16	20	.444
Oakland	15	19	.441
Vernon	11	25	.306

National League	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	17	6	.739
Cincinnati	11	11	.500
Brooklyn	12	12	.500
Philadelphia	12	13	.480
Chicago	11	12	.478
Boston	11	13	.458
Pittsburgh	10	12	.455
St. Louis	9	14	.391

American League	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	18	5	.783
Washington	16	8	.667
Chicago	17	10	.630
Cleveland	14	9	.609
St. Louis	12	16	.426
Boston	8	16	.333
New York	7	16	.304
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What is Ty Cobb's best home-run record during a season's play?—A. R. Cobb's best home-run mark in the majors is 32, made in 1921.

What fighter was it who was noted for his famous Mary Ann punch?—R. F. H.

Frank Moran.

TRACK MEN LEAVE ON SEATTLE TRIP

William Hayward, coach of the University of Oregon track team, and nineteen members of the squad left today for Seattle where they will enter a dual meet with the University of Washington team tomorrow.

Hayward conceded that Oregon has but a slight chance of victory due to the illness and sore muscles of several of his men. Tiny Johnson, premier weight man of the squad is ill in the university infirmary with a severe case of the mumps. Hermance is another man who is staying home due to a pulled leg muscle which he got in the Seattle relay meet held last Saturday. Extra and Westerman have slightly pulled muscles but are being taken on the trip and probably will enter.

Following is the list of men Hayward is taking:

Extra—100 and 220-yard dashes, Westerman, 100 and 220 yard dashes, Flannagan, 100 and 220 yard dashes and high and broad jumps, Kinney, Price, Cash and Wilbur—440 and relay, Tetz, mile, holder, two-mile, Kelly, high and low hurdles, Chavoy, high and low hurdles, Eby, high jump, Rosenberg, broad jump, javelin and pole vault, Beatty, javelin.

Washington will line up as follows: 100-yard dash, Clarke and Schroeder; 220-yard dash, Clark and Schroeder; shotgun, Eggt and Brax; 440-yard dash, Applegate and Tupper; pole vault, Nardin and Burston; half-mile run, Charleis and Torney; discus, Eggt and Brax; mile run, Wide and Ramsey; high jump, Brax, Eggt and Clark; 220-yard low hurdles, Augustine and Dubois; two-mile run, Maginnis and McCallum; relay, Tupper, Applegate, Charleis and Torney.

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News of Nearby Towns

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

SPRINGFIELD, May 15.—(Special)—James Guard of Eugene is the new foreman for the Anderson Lumber corporation. Mrs. A. C. Probst, field, also of Eugene, has been hired as bookkeeper for the corporation.

Mrs. W. H. Craft of Leaburg has returned to her home after visiting for a few days with relatives and friends in Springfield and Eugene. Mr. and Mrs. A. K. McClintock, parents of Mrs. Vern D. Bain, and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin McClintock, Mrs. Bain's grandparents, left yesterday morning for their homes in Weed, California, after visiting here at the Bain household.

Mrs. R. P. Mortensen and Mrs. O. H. Jarrett will be hostesses this afternoon to the Needlecraft club at the Mortensen home, 922 B street.

Ruth Morris of Eugene stopped in Springfield this morning on her way to Sacramento, California.

A matinee of the high school dramatic club play, "The Time of His Life," was held yesterday afternoon in the Springfield high school auditorium for the school children of the city.

Mrs. Charles Pettijohn of Westfir returned home today after visiting here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Gerlach.

Ralph Heyward of Canyonville is visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. I. Heyward, at Sixth and D streets.

Boat Deane, edgerman at the Wendling sawmill of the Booth-Kelly lumber company, arrived in Springfield Wednesday to spend a couple of days while the sawmill is shut down for repairs.

Mrs. Arthur Bailey and baby Echo Jenn have returned to their home in North Bend after a visit here at the home of Mrs. Bailey's father, A. E. Seney.

Fifty ladies of the Westminster Guild of the Eugene Presbyterian church were entertained at the home of Mrs. Charles O. Wilkins in Wilmette Heights Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. George Hobson assisted the hostess.

Robert, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Ferrol Perkins, is reported on the sick list.

Dr. and Mrs. Eugene Kester returned today from a two days' trip to Portland.

Cheers are still ringing from the gallery.

Portland won another, making it two straight.

It was a ten-inning battle with Oakland, at Oakland, Portland's score was 4, Oakland's was 3.

Hollingsworth relieved for Portland, and held the Oaks in the last frames, while the Beavers gathered in the run, Deed Walsh, utility infielder of the Portland club, and Bill Kenworthy, former-Portland manager, engaged in a fist fight, the aftermath of the fight last year between Kenworthy and Eddie Mulligan of the Seals. Reports from Oakland neglected to include who won the fight.

The coast league scores yesterday:

R H E	At Oakland—
4 8 1	Portland
3 10 2	Oakland
	Batteries: Hollingsworth and Tablin; Boehler and McDonald.

R H E	At Los Angeles—
4 11 0	Seattle
1 9 2	Vernon
	Batteries: Miljus and Baldwin; Penner and Whitney.

R H E	At Sacramento—
0 5 2	San Francisco
1 6 1	Sacramento
	Batteries: McWeeny and Yelle; E. Shea and M. Shea, Koehler.

R H E	At Salt Lake City Los Angeles—
	Salt Lake, game postponed; rain and wet grounds.

Country Club's Team to be Named

The team which will represent the Eugene Country club in the second of the Tri-City golf matches will be announced in Saturday afternoon's Guard. These men will defend the local club against the representatives of the Corvallis and the Salem clubs in the matches to be held Sunday.

Special entertainment for the visitors has been planned by the local club members. Walter Hummel, chairman of the entertainment committee is in charge of a luncheon for members and visitors Sunday noon. Tea will be served in the afternoon, and a dinner will be given at the club house in the evening for which reservations may be made at the club house.

Official scorers for the day will be Herbert Roome and George Hitchcock. Play will start Sunday morning at 9 o'clock.

The first of the matches of the Tri-City tournament was held last week in Salem and resulted in a decided victory for the local players.

Oregon Teams to Clash With O. A. C.

Oregon's varsity and freshman baseball teams will leave Eugene tomorrow morning to play the Oregon Aggie varsity and frocks at Corvallis. It will be the first game away from home for either Oregon team.

The Aggie varsity has won nine straight games without a defeat. Oregon has won five and lost two games.

"Skipper" Brooks, star southpaw hurler, will be in the box for the Webfoots.

Jack Bliss, who did not start the Willamette game because of an injured thumb, will catch Rex Adolph will be on first; Howard Hodge on second, Freddie West on short, Sam Cook on third, and Lynn Jones, Frank Reinhardt and George Minnaugh or Carl Knudsen in the outfield.

Big Baseball Stars

FRED HEIMACH
Born—Camden, N. J., January 27, 1902. Pitcher, Philadelphia Athletics. Major league career—Joined Athletics in 1921, coming from Mollins, Three-Eye league. (Had brief trial with Athletics in 1920).

Outstanding facts—Won 14 games and lost 12 in 1924. Fielded .971 same season.

The superior durability of some woods is due to substances that are poisonous to wood rotting bacteria and fungi.

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