

Giants Add to Second Half Lead In Little League

By JO PETTYJOHN

The Giants are still leading the pack in the second half of play with 4 wins against no losses. The Braves and Indians are tied for first place in the first half of play. Depending on which team wins the second half, whether the tie-breaking will be played between the Braves and Indians. As soon as all the games are completed the all-star team will be selected and start practicing for the game with the Pendleton All-Stars for the right to go to Portland for playoffs.

Wednesday of last week, the Giants continued their winning ways by over-running the Dodgers 20-8. The Giants were 3 up and down in order the 1st inning but from then on scored in every inning. The Dodgers scored first with 3 runs in the first and went ahead again in the 3rd when they scored 4 runs. From then on the Giants took over. The Dodgers picked up their last run in the 4th. Pitching for the Dodgers were Matheny, Labhart, and Blakney and for the Giants were Gray and Leonig.

The Braves won their first game of the second half at the expense of the Indians 11 to 3 on Thursday. The Indians scored first with 1 run in the 2nd and picked their other 2 runs in the 3rd. The Braves came right back in the 2nd to score 3 runs and continued to score in the rest of the innings. Going all the way for the Braves was C Labhart who allowed 3 runs on 4 hits, 2 walks, and 1 strikeout, with the fielders giving good support with 17 putouts. For the Indians were Stefani and Heliker who allowed 11 runs on 14 hits, 5 walks, 3 strike outs, and the fielders helping with 12 put-outs. Bauman and Dick each hit 2-run homers for the Braves.

On Friday the make-up game between the Braves and Indians was played with the Indians forfeiting the game after 3½ innings were played with the Braves leading at that time 8 to 4. This threw these two teams into a tie for first in the first half of play.

On Monday evening found the Dodgers back adding to their win column with a 18 to 10 win over the Braves. The Dodgers opened up the game with 4 runs in the 1st and went on to score in every inning. The Braves got 1 run in the 1st, 2 in the 3rd, 6 in the 4th, and 1 in the 5th but not enough to keep up with the Dodgers. Pitching for the Braves were Labhart and Pettyjohn who allowed 18 runs on 14 hits, 9 walks, 11 strikeouts, and the fielders had 7 put-outs. For the Dodgers were Robinson and Matheny who allowed 10 runs on 10 hits, walked 6, fanned 10, with the fielders getting 8 put-outs. Doherty hit a homerun and was 3 for 4 for the Braves. Matheny had 4 hits for 5 times at bat for the Dodgers.

Tuesday the Giants got their fourth win of the second half by a 13 to 6 win over the Indians. Except for a wild 11 run inning in the 2nd by the Giants, the game was very tight, they picked up only 2 runs in the rest of the game. The Indians picked up 1 run in each the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th innings and got 2 more in the 5th. Leonig, pitching for the Giants allowed 6 runs on 5 hits, 7 walks, 3 strikeouts, and the fielders helped the cause with 15 put-outs. For the Indians were Stefani and Williams who

Grain, Forage Crops Outlook Good; Fruit Hurt by Bad Weather

The outlook remains good for Oregon grain and forage crops, but production of major fruit crops in the state may be down a little from previous years, reports Mrs Elvera Horrell, extension agricultural economist at Oregon State College.

Wheat production in Oregon should stay at about the same level as last year, a little above average. Mrs Horrell found as she studied reports from the U S department of agriculture. Fall-seeded grains have done well in this area with May rains east of the Cascades coming at just the right time for good growth.

In western Oregon, damage from virus diseases that plagued grains last year seems to be less this spring. However, spring-sown crops got off to a slow start, because of rainy weather, and are lagging behind those of last year.

Hay crops in the state are looking better this year than last, but are still below average for this time of year. Mrs Horrell noted. Pastures are also in better condition than a year ago, and better than average.

Fruit crops were among those hardest hit by spring rains. Mrs Horrell said. Lack of good weather for pollination and some below-freezing temperatures cut prospects for most Oregon tree fruit and nut crops.

Oregon's vegetable processing crops were also slowed by the cold, wet weather this spring. As of June 1, much of the snap-bean and sweet corn acreage in the state still had to be planted. The cool weather also slowed down development of green peas in eastern Oregon, where much of this crop is grown.

Nationally, June 1 crop prospects showed wheat production expected to top the billion bushel mark again. Corn and soybean plantings were lagging, however, as rain continued to hamper field work. And forage crop prospects were more favorable in northern sections than in the South or West.

National fruit production may fall behind that of last year, Mrs Horrell added. And the acreage of vegetables planted for commercial processing is lower than last year. There may also be fewer fresh vegetables on this year's markets.

WITH HUSBAND ON TRIP

Last week's story about the death of Alex Lindsay of Lexington omitted a statement that Mrs Lindsay had accompanied her husband on a trip to Washington, D C prior to his sudden death.

Mr and Mrs Lindsay and their son Larry had returned from the trip just the night before he was stricken with a heart attack.

Mr and Mrs Roy Smith spent last week vacationing at their cabin in the mountains.

allowed 13 runs on 14 hits, 7 walks, 4 strike-outs, and the fielders had 14 put-outs. Williams for the Indians got a home run and had 2 for 3. Munkers was 3 for 5.

Games to be played:

June 30 Braves vs Indians
July 11 Braves vs Giants
July 12 Dodgers vs Indians
July 13 Giants vs Indians
July 14 Braves vs Dodgers

Second-half Standings:

	loss	won	games left
Giants	0	4	5
Braves	2	2	5
Dodgers	2	2	5
Indians	4	0	5



J C MESE, JR

Pacific Names New Phone Plant Manager

J C Meese, Jr has been named Pacific Telephone—Northwest's district plant manager for Northern Oregon, succeeding R C Caccia, according to the company's manager here, D A Short.

In his new position Meese will direct the installation and maintenance of exchange telephone service throughout the Northern Oregon plant district, which includes Pendleton, Athena, Heppner, Hermiston, Milton-Freewater and Umatilla.

Meese is a native of Portland who started his phone career there in 1946 as an engineering assistant. He filled a variety of posts in the plant department prior to his most recent assignment as supervising wire chief in Pendleton.

Caccia, who has directed plant operations in Northern Oregon since 1954, is transferring to the state headquarters office of the phone company in Portland.

HOSPITAL NEWS

New Arrivals—To Mr and Mrs Ward Edvern Pflugrad, Long Creek, a 9 lb 2 oz boy born June 24, named Terry Edvern. To Mr and Mrs Jerry Dougherty, Heppner, a 7 lb 4 oz girl born June 24, named Cynthia Marie. To Mr and Mrs Donald Townsend, Heppner, a 7 lb 3 oz girl born June 24, named Sandra Ellen. To Mr and Mrs Alvin McCabe, Ione, a 7 lb 4 oz boy born June 28, named Kevin Robert. To Mr and Mrs John Chittock, Monument, a 7 lb 15 oz boy born June 29.

Patients—Nathaline Riddle, Heppner, dismissed; Mildred Morris, Heppner; Floyd Willes, Ione, dismissed; Beverly Hatter, Kinzua; Edna Bailey, Heppner, dismissed; Richard Frank, Kinzua; Jim Lynch, Lexington, dismissed; Earl Smith, Kinzua, (deceased); Nicholas Delaney, Mayville, dismissed; Sue Toler, Kinzua, dismissed; Lucile Power, Hermiston, dismissed; Julia Hart, Heppner, dismissed; Ruth Marlatt, Heppner; Allene Ring, Heppner; Arnie Harris, Monument; Robert Abrams, Heppner; Janet Hauntz, Pendleton; Edna Garrison, Heppner; Jennie Hoskins, Condon.

Justice and Municipal Court

Quenton E Sidesinger, passing without sufficient clearance, \$25 fine with \$15 suspended.
Paul N Hansen, no PUC permit. Ordered to obtain private carrier's permit.
Lois Catherine Gammell, failure to stop at stop sign, \$10 fine.
Alfred Hopkins or Glenn Lee, no permit to operate power machinery in forest, \$50 fine with \$25 suspended.
Harry Dinges, Heppner Auto Sales, Harold Huber, John Dees, Verner Troedson, Rod Murray, Oakley Ott, Mrs Kenneth Turner, overtime parking, fined \$1 each.

William Scrivner and Mr and Mrs L B Scrivner were called to Portland Monday because of the illness of Robert Scrivner who is in the hospital.

Mrs Marilyn Bakke of Portland, sister of Mrs David Baylink, is visiting at the home of Dr and Mrs Baylink.

Mr and Mrs Earl Evans and Mrs A S Watkins took a trip Sunday covering Spray, Monument, Kimberly, and Battlecreek Monument park.

Mr and Mrs Archie Hodges and four children and Mr and Mrs George Krebs of Portland were guests for three days last week of Mr and Mrs Don Evans.

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ATTENDS PICNIC

Among those from here attending a HAM (amateur radio) picnic at Emigrant Springs park Sunday were Mr and Mrs Earl Blake, Ralph Taylor, Neal Penland and Mr and Mrs Robert Penland.

Rev and Mrs M C Moynihan of Toledo, parents of Mrs Bruce Spencer were here visiting for a few days last week.

Mr and Mrs Harry Phelps of Spray were in town on Tuesday.

Miss Pat Musty of Enterprise is spending the summer here at the home of Mr and Mrs H J Stroeber.

Harold Erwin was in Portland last week to purchase a new Clipper screen machine for wheat treating and cleaning. It is now being mounted on a truck.

Mr and Mrs Hubert Magee of Kilkittat, Washington and their granddaughter, Judy Magee of Arizona were weekend guests of Mrs Nellie Anderson. Mr Magee came to attend the Royal Arch Mason meeting in the mountains.

A W Jones, Ed Bennett, Lou Bisbee, and his daughter, Katherine are fishing at Paulina and East Lake this week.

Len, Don, and Earle Gilliam returned Sunday from East Lake having caught their limit of fish.

Sunday afternoon, Mrs Dick Wilkinson and Mrs Oliver Creswick attended installation of officers of Locust Chapter Order of Eastern Star in Ione.

Lance Gilman of Long Beach, California is spending the summer with his grandparents, Mr and Mrs Harlan McCurdy, Sr.

Mr and Mrs Earl Blake will go to Pendleton Saturday to meet their grandchildren, Janet, Patty, and Steven Slinger, who are flying in from Darien, Conn. They are coming to spend a few weeks with their grandparents.

Mr and Mrs Gunnar Skoubo and children of Boardman spent last week at the mountain cabin of Mr and Mrs Earl Blake.

Monday morning, Mr and Mrs Raymond Huddleston and family left for their home in Alaska after spending a few days visiting at the home of Mrs Huddleston's father, Frank Turner and Mr Huddleston's sister and husband, Mr and Mrs Fred Parrish. The Huddleston's daughter and husband, Mr and Mrs Harry Sloper of Eugene are accompanying them home.

Mr and Mrs Laurence Harrison and Connie Ward of Othello visited with Mrs Harrison's parents, Mr and Mrs Bert Corbin on Sunday. Terry Corbin returned with the Harrisons to Othello for a week's visit.

Mr and Mrs Laurence Funk of Wasco, brother of Mrs Vera Happold spent the weekend in Heppner visiting Mrs Happold and other relatives.

Mr and Mrs Robert Van Houte and family are in Los Angeles where Mr Van Houte is attending the National Education Association Convention.

On Sunday, Mr and Mrs Jack Loyd and Timmy were in Adams visiting Mrs Loyd's mother and sister, Mrs Charles Troebridge and Mrs Robert Hales.

Mr and Mrs Clarence Barton of Coquille visited with Mr and Mrs Ambrose Chapin this weekend.

Mr and Mrs Jack Flug and family of Boardman were visiting in Heppner over the weekend. Rodney and Steve remained to work during the summer.

Mrs Kenneth DuVall of St Louis, Missouri, sister of Mrs Herman Green arrived Saturday to spend a week visiting the Green family.

The Dee Jones family and the Elmer Moe family were at Hat Rock park Sunday for an all day picnic.

Missionary Council Names New Officers

The Women's Missionary Council of the Assembly of God met Wednesday, June 22 all day for work, fellowship, devotion, and business, at the home of Mrs Floyd Smith.

A potluck dinner was shared at noon, followed by devotions and the annual business meeting. Betty Pettyjohn was elected to serve as president, Mary Zinter vice president, and Lola Breeding secretary and treasurer.

Letters were read from missionaries in various places. Of special interest was a thank you note from Mr and Mrs Dick Hamersla, (formerly Dorothy Ellis, a graduate of Heppner high school), for the hand made layette sent to their daughter Debra Lynn, born March 20. The Hamerslas also have a son Phillip. They are studying the Mandarin language in Penang, Malaya, for a future ministry to the Chinese.

It was decided to send gifts to the Hamerslas for their birthdays in July, also to sell Christmas cards again this year. Lola Breeding was requested to prepare and give a report on work done the past year, at the next meeting.

Dishwaters were embroidered, two quilts were finished, and about four boxes of used clothing were sorted.

Next meeting is to be at the Ray Taylor home, July 6th, 1:30 p. m. to tie quilts.

Janice Tucker of Stanfield is visiting this week with Evelyn Tucker.

Herman Green's sister and family, Mrs Robert Hagerman of LaGrande, spent last week at the Green cabin in the mountains.

Mr and Mrs Les Grant of Arlington were in Heppner over the weekend visiting Mr and Mrs Oliver Creswick.

Mrs James Bennett and daughter Cheryl Ann of Eureka, California are visiting Mrs Bennett's mother, Mrs Oma Cox.

Mr and Mrs Herman Green and family, spent four days last week vacationing in Portland and at the beach. Mr Green's mother, Mrs Alex Green accompanied them. Mary McCaleb of Portland, Mr Green's niece came back to spend a week or so with them.

Sunday afternoon there was a reunion of the Huddleston family at Lehman Springs. Thirty-six members of the family came for the picnic and swimming.

Mr and Mrs Thomas Davidson and their daughter and two children, Mrs Stan Reuter of Los Angeles, visited last week at the home of Mr Davidson's sister and brother-in-law, Mr and Mrs Harlan McCurdy, Sr.

SP/4c BERGSTROM IN GERMAN EXERCISE

GRAFENWOHR, GERMANY (AP)—Army Specialist Four Rudolph W Bergstrom, 24, son of Mr and Mrs E W Bergstrom, Ione, Ore, participated with other personnel from the 4th Armored Division in a field training exercise in Grafenwohr, Germany, which was concluded June 22.

The exercise, conducted under realistic combat conditions, was designed to evaluate the combat effectiveness of the unit, a major element of the NATO shield of defense in Europe.

Regularly assigned as a light-truck driver in Headquarters Company of the division's Combat Command C in Crailsheim, Specialist Bergstrom entered the Army in October 1959, completed basic training at Fort Hood, Tex, and arrived overseas in April 1959.

Bergstrom is a 1953 graduate of Ione high school and attended Oregon State College.

Mrs William Scrivner and Mrs Jerry Daggett spent last Thursday visiting at the home of Mrs William Glennie in Pendleton.

Mrs Valma Glass was in White Swan visiting Mrs Jean Mallory last weekend.

Dr and Mrs David E Reid of Lebanon visited Thursday at the home of Mr and Mrs Robert Penland.

Mr and Mrs Kenneth Cole and daughter, Judy of Bend visited Thursday at the home of Mr and Mrs Robert Penland.

Mr and Mrs Howard Henry of Alice, Texas returned to their home after visiting two months with her parents, Mr and Mrs Carey Hastings.

Mrs Roger Connor and children of Forest Grove was in Heppner over the weekend to visit her parents, Mr and Mrs Carey Hastings. She accompanied Mr and Mrs Roger Howell on the trip. John Connor remained in Heppner to visit his grandparents, the Hastings and Mr and Mrs Frank Connor.

Mr and Mrs Darrel Ployhar and daughter, Susan left Tuesday for Junction City, Kansas after a three week's visit with their parents, Mrs Lucy Peterson and Mr and Mrs Elmer Moe.

Mrs Mabel Chaffee has returned from a week's vacation spent in Spokane, Colville, Edwall and Kennewick, Washington.

Mrs C H Perrott and two daughters of Portland have been here this week visiting her mother, Mrs Lester Doolittle. Mrs Doolittle returned to Portland today with her daughter for a visit.

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Increase in VD Seen in Oregon

Many people believe venereal disease is no longer a problem in this age of penicillin and other "wonder" drugs. Gonorrhea, they maintain, is actually not even as bad as the common cold, because one "shot" will cure it. The State board of Health reports.

While it is certainly true that today there are much more effective weapons with which to combat venereal infections than were available a few years ago, VD is far from beaten. Newly-reported gonorrhea cases in Oregon, for example, have doubled during the last four years.

Perhaps the most frightening trend in venereal infection today is the rapid rise of gonorrhea among teenagers of 15-19 years of age. In 1950 there were 47 such infections reported in Oregon, accounting for 7.6 per cent of the new gonorrhea cases from all age groups that year.

Last year, the state board of health received reports of 207 gonorrhea infections among teenagers, and the percentage had increased to 22.6.

Any teenager foolish enough to consider such an infection something of a badge of honor which can be quickly cured might consider the case of an Oregon teenage girl recently found to have gonorrhea. Standard treatment methods failed completely. Extended treatment with millions of units of antibiotics, plus other drugs, was necessary before the infection could be brought under control.

And gonorrhea, incidentally, can be an extremely painful disease.

There is some evidence, from such cases as this, that antibiotics are not as effective against VD as they were when first developed. Whether the germs are becoming resistant to these antibiotics—as some other germs have — has not been proved.

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