

Sports

ASHLAND BEATEN BY OWEN OREGON: WEED ON SUNDAY

The Owen Oregon baseball team of the city experienced a little difficulty yesterday as Ashland in defeating a mixed team composed of Ashland Normal and high school players, the score being 5 to 0. Nichols pitched for the Lumbermen and mowed down the opposing batters with ease. A fair sized crowd attended the game, which was held on the high school field.

The board of strategy of the Mefford Merchants, in preparation for the game next Sunday with the Weed team, will switch Harry Dunn to second base and import a new third baseman. Second base, according to Manager Hall, has been his weak spot, and the strengthening is just what was needed.

Chief Best will pitch for the locals. The Weed team also is coming loaded for bear, and the first game of the seven-game championship series promises to be bitterly contested.

Manager Hall has issued an ultimatum that every player on the Mefford team "must be in bed by 11 o'clock or take the consequences." The ultimatum did not state what the consequences would be, but all have agreed to be in bed before the curfew hour.

Leslie, Hafford and Maricle will play the outfield Sunday. They are all good hitters. The infield will be composed of Gray, Rolfe, Dunn and Droulette, with Chester, who has not fanned out so far this season, behind the platter.

The game will start at 2:30 o'clock.

Major League Leaders

(By The Associated Press)
Including games of July 4:
National
Batting—Hornby, Braves, .291
Runs—Baltimore, Cards, 68
Runs batted in—Bismontier, Boston, 68
Hits—Douthitt, Cards, 114
Doubles—Bottomley, Cards, and Hornby, Braves, 24
Triples—Bottomley, Cards, and Walker, Reds, 9
Home runs—Wilson, Cubs, 19
Stolen bases—Fryson, Cards, 16
Pitching—Benton, Giants, won 14, lost 2
American
Batting—Goslin, Senators, .412
Runs—Ruth, Yanks, 81
Runs batted in—Gehrig, Yanks, 74
Hits—Mannish, Browns, 101
Doubles—Eaton, Red Sox, 27
Triples—Ruth, Senators, 11
Home runs—Ruth, Yanks, 21
Stolen bases—Lazzeri, Yanks, 20
Pitching—Crowder, Browns, won 8, lost none.

Fights Last Night

(By The Associated Press)
MACON, Ga.—Young Striding, Macon, knocked out "Bucky" Harris, Wichita, Kan. (13).
STOCKTON, Cal.—Young Nationalista, Los Angeles, won over Charles Pinto, New York (10).
OAKLAND, Cal.—Pete Meyers, San Francisco, knocked out Eddie Brown, Seattle (2). Eddie Moore, Chicago, technically knocked out Frankie Bray, Oakland (2).
AKRON, Ohio.—K. O. Christner, Akron, defeated Jack Humbert, Belgium (10). Big 134 Hartwell, Kansas City, knocked out Al Clark, New York (5).
HONOLULU, Hawaii.—Denver, defeated Frankie Brown (6). Arvin Spence, Cleveland, knocked out Willie Stearn, Louisville (2).
PENSACOLA, Fla.—Al Kuhn, Waterbury, Conn., defeated Tony Polen, Omaha (13).

TERRIBLE TURK BEATS ROLLER IN RETURN MATCH

Hassan Mohammed won yesterday at Ashland in a wrestling match with Jack Roller, by twisting the latter's foot until he was unable to return for the third and deciding fall. Roller took the first fall with a series of backlocks, after he had narrowly escaped from three punishing scissor and a couple of toe locks.

The Turk did not seem to be perturbed over his first defeat and when Roller returned, the first thing he did was to grab him by the foot and hang on. Roller began to limp, and finally patted the mat, when Hassan compressed him into about a third of the space he normally occupies.

There were no ropes around the ring, and the combatants several times waltzed out among the spectators. As in their last here the Sultan's subject slapped himself in the face several times and in trying to sit-down on Roller missed him entirely.

Salvor Jack Woods was too much for Standard of San Francisco, who tried to throw the local man in twenty minutes.

The matches were held on the Lithia park dance floor, and a crowd of spectators gathered on the hillside to view the proceedings. They were finally thwarted by the stretching of curtains and canvas.

About 250 cash customers attended.

Gene Greedy, Ashland pugilist, was introduced to the crowd, and it was announced that he would battle the "best man obtainable at an early date." Jack Woods offered to be the opponent, if allowed to enter the ring at 175 pounds.

SCHALK QUILTS AS WHITE SOX BOSS

ST. PAUL, Minn., July 5.—(AP)—Nick Allen, manager of the St. Paul club of the American Association, today was reported to be under consideration as a successor to Ray Schalk, who resigned yesterday as manager of the Chicago White Sox.

Neither Allen nor Bob Connery, owner of the Saints, would discuss the report. Allen was a member of the White Sox club at one time.

Baseball! Weed vs. Medford Sunday 2:30 p. m. AT Fair Grounds

This is the first contest of a series of seven games between these two teams for the championship of Northern California and Southern Oregon.

The fans will see in this series a higher class of baseball.

FIRST SELECTION OLYMPIC ENTRIES GIVES WEST TWO

PHILADELPHIA, July 5.—(AP)—Of the first dozen of track athletes selected to represent the United States in the Olympic games, six are from the middle west, three from the east, two from the far west and one from the south. They are:

400-meter hurdles—E. Morgan Taylor, Illinois A. C.; Frank Cahill, University of Iowa; Johnny Gibson, Bloomfield, N. J.; Catholic Lacrosse; Bob Maxwell, Los Angeles A. C.

800-meter run—Hay J. Barbuti, New York A. C.; Emil Snyder, Alabama Poly.; Herman Phillips, Higgles A. C.; Joe Tierney, New York A. C.

600-meter relay—Emerson Spence, Stanford University; Fred Alderman, Illinois A. C.; George Baird, University of Iowa; John Lewis, Detroit Y. M. C. A.

Taylor and Barbuti were crowned national champions in the 400-meter hurdles and 100-meter run respectively yesterday. Both had to beat the country's best to win the combined final Olympic trial and national championship event. Taylor was forced to a new world record of 52 seconds flat for the timber-topping stunt, which is a second and four-fifths better than the present official standard. Cahill, Gibson, former national champion, and Maxwell trailed him in that order.

Taylor and Barbuti were unbeaten in the two days of grueling heats. Taylor winning three starts and Barbuti four.

In the 800-meter race on the flat, both Barbuti and Snyder proved themselves of Olympic championship caliber by winning the final in 48 seconds flat, although Taylor second, Phillips third, Tierney fourth and Spence fifth. Taylor was in no faster time than 1:27.5, because of a rain and wind storm.

With seven events finished, Jim Stewart, Los Angeles A. C., was first; Ken Doherty, Cadillac A. C., Detroit, second; West Endmanian Co., South Dakota State college, third; and Barney Berlinger, University of Pennsylvania, fourth.

CARDINALS ARE DOPED TO MEET YANKS IN FINALS

(By The Associated Press)
A theory exists that the teams in the lead on the Fourth of July also will be on top in late September or early October at the close of the major league pennant campaigns. If this were 100 per cent true, the Yanks and the Cards could save much trouble for all concerned by starting the world series immediately.

The Giants closed out their intra-sectional campaign at the polo grounds yesterday by dividing a double-header with Brooklyn.

Dazzy Vance snapped a Giant streak at eight straight by rolling the home entry 5 to 3 in the opener, but Larry Denton came back in the second clash to hang up his 14th victory and his 17th complete game in 17 starts. The score was 5 to 2.

The Cards and the Cubs divided two wild games which developed merely into a background for the home run struggle between Hack Wilson and Suzny Jim Bottomley. Each snared another 2, leaving Wilson in the lead of the league, 18 to 17. The Cards won by 11 to 6 and the Cubs by 16 to 9.

Hope flamed anew in Cincinnati as the Reds plumed the Pirates further into the depths by taking morning and afternoon decisions at Forbes field 6 to 0 and 11 to 3. The Braves dropped another to the Phils, 10 to 6, but rain prevented further carnage.

In the American league campaign to see whether the Yanks can win 117 games and so beat the sword at the 1928 Cubs, the Senators held the champions to an even break, 2-2 and 3-4.

The Athletics turned back the Red Sox 10-4 and 11 to 3. The Mackmen so shaved a full game from the lead of the champions.

Detroit and Cleveland divided a double bill, 5-10 and 4-3.

The St. Louis Browns and the Chicago White Sox also split a double-header, 11-8 and 1-0.

The debut of Ed Walsh Jr., late of Notre Dame, was an unsuccess. He pitched but he showed he has the pitching goods. The newsman laid his arm on him for five runs in the fourth and he was retired to await a better day.

Ray Schalk celebrated young Walsh's debut by catching him in person. Schalk just previously had lashed in his resignation as manager and Russell Blackburn had been named manager pro tem.

Baseball Standings

American	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	24	18	.569
Philadelphia	23	21	.521
St. Louis	22	22	.500
Cleveland	22	20	.487
Washington	22	21	.444
Chicago	22	22	.442
Boston	20	26	.435
Detroit	20	25	.397
National	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	17	23	.627
New York	11	27	.562



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These assessments may either be paid in cash or part paid in cash and an application signed to pay in ten annual installments.

However, if you wish to pay in installments, APPLICATION MUST BE SIGNED IMMEDIATELY.

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