

'PLAY BALL' CALL WILL RESOUND ON COAST TOMORROW

Portland and Los Angeles to Inaugurate Season With Parade Before Opening Game in Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, April 2.—(AP)—With April fool's day, six teams in the Pacific Coast baseball league completed schedules of practice games that didn't count in the percentage column and took a 24-hour rest today before the umpires call "batter up" tomorrow to start off the 1934 pennant chase.

Portland and Seattle, playing their own practice series at the respective training camp sites, Ventura and Santa Barbara, ended the training sessions with the Indians holding a two-game edge over the Ducks in eight meetings. The Indians won five games but dropped the last two straight to the Ducks, who won Sunday's contest, 7 to 4.

The Hollywood Stars brought their training grind to an end by walloping the Hollywood Paramount Cubs, 14 to 1.

The Los Angeles Angels played their last game with the Yaginians and dropped it, 4 to 2.

For the fourth straight time the San Francisco Seals took the measure of the Sacramento Senators, 5 to 3, at Stockton in the last pre-season game for each.

The Senators will be hosts to the San Francisco Mission for the season opener tomorrow.

The day of rest found two of the teams training in Southern California traveling, Seattle bound for San Francisco and Hollywood en route from Riverside to Oakland. Portland will come down to Los Angeles Tuesday and the Angels, returning to the good old days of baseball openers, will stage a parade downtown, with most of the departments of the city participating, led by the mayor, Frank L. Shaw.

TRAP SCORES GOOD DESPITE WEATHER

Rain and wind failed to affect scores at the Medford Gun club traps Sunday morning. No less than four 25-straight were made in the Oregonian telegraphic tournament. This assures the Medford club of a high position in the competition as there is only one more frame to shoot. Those breaking 25 straight were S. G. Mendenhall, Bill Bates, H. Croissant and Geo. Jantzer.

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| S. G. Mendenhall | 41 |
| Bill Bates | 40 |
| Ermer Wilson | 47 |
| H. Croissant | 46 |
| Geo. Porter | 46 |
| Geo. Jantzer | 25 |
| E. W. Pease | 24 |
| Ralph Green | 22 |
| Clarence Eads | 19 |
| Bruce Bauer | 19 |
| Dr. Lageson | 19 |
| H. Bergren | 16 |
| Chester Hubbard | 16 |
| F. C. Cohen | 15 |
| Dr. Durno | 14 |
| H. W. Conger | 12 |

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| At 25 Skeet | |
| Jim Moore | 22 |
| Geo. Jantzer | 19 |
| W. W. Bates | 18 |
| H. Croissant | 18 |
| Ron DeVore | 18 |
| Sam Jennings | 13 |
| Ralph Green | 11 |

Lefty Grove Dons His New Uniform



Boston Red Sox fans are depending on Robert Moses "Lefty" Grove to help lift their team out of the American league depths this year. The freball king was among the players sold by Connie Mack to a winter shakedown.

'MOTHER OF POLO' DIES OF INJURIES

AIKEN, S. C., April 2.—(AP)—Mrs. Thomas Hitchcock, the "mother of American polo," is dead.

Injuries suffered by the 67-year-old sportswoman December 26 in a riding accident resulted in her death at the Hitchcock home here yesterday.

Mr. Hitchcock and their two sons, Tommy and Frank, who attained fame on the polo field under her tutelage, were with her as were their daughters, Mrs. J. Averill Clark and Mrs. Julian Peabody, both of New York.

As the dashing Louise Eustis, she was widely known as a horsewoman when she married Thomas Hitchcock, Westbury, L. I., sportsman in 1891.

When her sons grew large enough to sit astride a horse, she gave them mounts and taught them the hard-riding and fearlessness that later characterized their play on the polo field.

DEMPESEY ORDERS BAER TO TRAINING

AL TAHOE, Lake Tahoe, Calif., Apr. 2.—(UP)—Jack Dempsey, former world's champion, called Max Baer by long distance telephone from Dallas, Texas, today and told the heavy-weight title contender to "cut out all horse play."

Dempsey was said to be slightly perturbed over reports that Max was not training seriously for his coming title fight with Primo Carnera at New York City June 14.

Baer was "instructed" by Dempsey to start "doing more road work." From Baer's apologetic tones over the telephone it was apparent Dempsey was more than "slightly put out" with Max.

The Livermore butcher boy explained Dempsey's interest in him was only through the promotion of the coming fight. He maintained he was not obligated to the former champion in any way.

The value of livestock in Utah increased \$1,370,000 in 1933 although there was a decrease in the number of head.

New Orleans is not at the mouth of the Mississippi river but nearly 100 miles upstream.

COAST BASEBALL HEADED FOR GOOD YEAR IS BELIEF

By H. L. BAGGERLY, President, Pacific Coast League. (Written Exclusively for the Associated Press)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—(AP)—Unless all signs fall baseball is headed for a successful season. The reports which have been received in our office the past month or six weeks indicate the national game is well on the road to prosperity.

The fans of the Pacific coast will witness a superior type of baseball for the reason the clubs have strengthened their ranks. There is not a club but what will be stronger than it was when it finished last season.

The managers have added new talent regardless of expense. It will be no lopsided race for the pennant. Well over half of the clubs have better than a fighting chance to land in first place.

We feel we have appointed a competent staff of umpires who will keep the games moving along and at the same time give the fans a fast article of baseball.

One thing which will add interest to the season's play will be the large number of new faces the clubs will present. Every team has many newcomers.

The return of an old favorite to the coast in the person of Manager Gabby Street of the Missions will be warmly received by the fans. Portland also will present an old standby in Manager Walt McCrede, whose popularity in other years is still remembered.

BOWLING

City League, Mail Tribune

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|-------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| W. Hagen | 157 | 159 | 173 | 409 |
| F. Humong | 101 | 101 | 101 | 303 |
| E. Ferguson | 108 | 101 | 101 | 310 |
| J. Murray | 142 | 152 | 151 | 445 |
| Hal Haight | 199 | 154 | 165 | 508 |
| A. Hagen | 100 | 142 | 146 | 288 |
| Handicap | 100 | 102 | 82 | |

Bowman's Barber Shop

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| J. Burroughs | 146 | 149 | 146 | 441 |
| J. Moore | 159 | 143 | 135 | 437 |
| P. Diamond | 184 | 147 | 129 | 460 |
| F. Erickson | 124 | 168 | 154 | 446 |
| Dummy | 135 | 135 | 135 | 405 |
| Handicap | 54 | 54 | 54 | |

KRUSE, HANSEN GO EXCITES MAT FANS

Announcement Sunday that Bob Kruse, Oswego potato king, would wrestle Charlie Hansen, Seattle bone crusher here next Thursday has created a furore among the fans.

Kruse has been seen in action here many times and sympathy is usually with his opponent. This time, however, there is likely to be no sympathy for either performer as Hansen has also gotten himself into the bad graces of the cash customers in recent matches here.

Jack Fogren, 220-pound Canadian will appear on the same card in a match with Billy Newman, 205 pounds, of Denver.

SERVICE STATION IS FIRST PERMIT

The first building permit for the month of April was issued by the city today to the Gilmore Oil company for construction of a service station at 203 South Central at the cost of \$3000.

Two permits were issued the last day of March, which enjoyed as a whole rather meager business. They went to L. S. Hicks for construction of an addition at 936 South Central, cost \$750; and to has. T. Sweeney for erection of a garage at 206 South Orange, cost \$200.

Evaporation of 205,000 acre-feet of water lowered the level of Utah lake more than four feet last year.

Markets

Chicago Wheat

CHICAGO, April 2.—(AP)—Wheat:

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| Open | High | Low | Close |
| May | 86 1/4 | 86 1/4 | 86 1/4 |
| July | 86 | 86 1/4 | 85 3/4 |
| Sept. | 87 1/4 | 87 1/4 | 86 3/4 |

Wall St. Report

Stock Sales Averages, (Copyright, 1934, Standard Statistics Co.)

April 2:

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|------------|-------|------|-------|-------|
| Ind'l's | 50 | 20 | 20 | 90 |
| Ind'l's | 20 | 20 | 20 | 60 |
| Today | 96.6 | 49.5 | 74.8 | 85.4 |
| Prev. day | 96.5 | 49.1 | 75.2 | 85.4 |
| Week ago | 95.7 | 49.4 | 76.4 | 85.1 |
| Year ago | 47.5 | 25.2 | 62.2 | 46.7 |
| 3 yrs. ago | 125.8 | 81.7 | 127.7 | 130.6 |

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April 2:

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|------------|------|-------|-------|------|
| Ind'l's | 20 | 20 | 20 | 60 |
| Today | 80.7 | 85.8 | 88.2 | 84.9 |
| Week ago | 80.9 | 86.1 | 88.5 | 85.1 |
| Year ago | 59.8 | 58.9 | 74.4 | 64.4 |
| 3 yrs. ago | 87.2 | 100.7 | 100.8 | 96.2 |

NEW YORK, April 2.—(AP)—Stocks were a bit subdued today and generally failed to follow through on their Saturday's rally. There were numerous fractional gains, but there were also many small losses.

Today's closing prices for 31 selected stocks follow:

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| Am. Can. | 99 1/2 |
| Am. & Pgn. Pow. | 10 |
| A. T. & T. | 119 3/4 |
| Anacosta | 15 |
| Atch. T. & S. F. | 66 1/2 |
| Bendix Avia. | 19 1/2 |
| Beth. Steel | 42 1/2 |
| California Pack'g | 25 |
| Caterpillar Tract. | 31 1/2 |
| Chrysler | 64 1/2 |
| Coml. Solv. | 29 |
| Curtiss-Wright | 4 1/2 |
| DuPont | 96 |
| Gen. Foods | 33 1/2 |
| Gen. Mot. | 38 1/2 |
| Int. Harvst. | 41 1/2 |
| I. T. & T. | 14 1/2 |
| Johns-Man. | 56 1/2 |
| Monty Ward | 31 1/2 |
| North Amer. | 19 1/2 |
| Penney (J. C.) | 64 |
| Phillips Pet | 19 1/2 |
| Radio | 7 1/2 |
| Sou. Pac. | 28 |
| Std. Brands | 21 1/2 |
| St. Oil Cal. | 37 |
| St. Oil N. J. | 45 1/2 |
| Trans. Amer. | 7 |
| Union Carb. | 44 |
| Unit. Alrcraft | 23 1/2 |
| U. S. Steel | 52 1/2 |

Export Wheat. PORTLAND, April 2.—(AP)—Emergency export corporation's bid for soft white wheat for foreign shipment, 76c bushel.

San Francisco Butterfat. SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—(AP)—First grade butterfat, 22 1/2 f. o. b., San Francisco.

Silver. NEW YORK, April 2.—(AP)—Bar silver firm, 1/2c higher at 46.

LIVE POULTRY—Portland delivery, colored fowls, 13@14c; leghorn fowls, 10@11c; broilers, 14c; stags, 9c; roasters, 5c; Pekin ducks, 12c; colored, 10c; geese, 10c lb.

POTATOES—Local white and red, \$1.10@1.15 cental; Yakima, \$1.25@1.35; Deschutes, \$1.30@1.35; bakera, \$1.85@1.70. New Florida Triumphs, \$2.80 per 50 lbs., 6c lb.; Hawaii, \$1.50 per 21-lb. box; Texas Triumphs, \$2.75 per 50-lb. sack.

WOOL—1934 clip nominal; Willamette valley, 25@28c lb.

HAY—Buying price from producer: Alfalfa No. 1 new crop, \$14@15; eastern Oregon timothy, \$17; timothy

Parents School SCHEDULED HERE COMING TUESDAY

Third annual school for parents for Jackson county will be held Tuesday, April 10, at the First Christian church, Medford, Mabel C. Mack, home demonstration agent, announced today.

Every homemaker and parent in Jackson county will be interested in the program which is based on the theme, "Home Problems of Modern Parents."

The guest speakers are all well known in Jackson county. Mrs. Sara Watt Prentiss, professor of parent education, Oregon State college, is known for her outstanding work with child study clubs, radio clubs and other parent education work.

Mrs. Prentiss will give two discussions on "The Social Development of the Children" and "Understanding the Adolescent."

Mrs. Clara Nye, state leader of Home Economics extension, who is well known for her outstanding work in parent and adult education, will speak on "The Importance of Emotional Maturity."

Mrs. Wm. Kietzer, president of the State Federation of Parent-Teacher associations, who is doing outstanding work in parent and teacher problems and is particularly interested in state legislation pertaining to the home, will discuss "How the State Safeguards Our Children."

The program will start at 10 a. m. and close with tea at 4 p. m., served by members of the county extension committee. There will be a covered dish luncheon at noon.

Programs and invitations have been mailed to county home extension units, parent-teacher organizations, Orange home economics clubs and radio study clubs, and the invitation is extended to every homemaker in southern Oregon. The complete program will be announced later.

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