

SPORTS

COWGILL'S LADDER AT SAVAGE RAPID DAM SPEEDS FISH

New Installation Enables Chinook Run to Pass at 300 Per Hour—Rules for Spectators.

Years of patient planning, dreaming and work was crowned with success for Ralph Cowgill, engineer of the state fish ladder and by when the new fish ladder and by-pass designed by him was opened at Savage Rapids dam. When the new ladder and by-pass, a radical departure from the ordinary installation, was built last year, many were skeptical as to its efficiency. That skepticism was banished Saturday when hundreds viewed the phenomenal way in which the big fish are taking the lifts.

Although the seasonal run has just started, the wickets at the base of the ladder are packed with chinook salmon, waiting their turn to go on up-stream to their spawning grounds. The pools at the base of the dam, formerly a swarm of frantic fish battling themselves against the rocks in a futile effort to get past the obstruction, are now seeing a steady passage of the huge salmon.

A check was kept on the number of fish passing a given point on the ladder Saturday, and 390 were counted in an hour. It has been stated by those keeping the count, that the new ladder will keep the fish moving in a steady flow, eliminating the long wait and loss of fish at that point in the past.

There are now two ladders at the dam, one of the old variety at the north end, and the new one at the south end. The new installation includes not only a ladder for the large fish to go upstream, but a cleverly designed by-pass by which the small fish may go down to the sea. Under the ordinary set-up, many thousands of these tiny fish are lost each year by escaping into the irrigation canals and dying in the fields. The screen installation in the overflow channel is now so arranged as to eliminate that possibility, and also saves the minnows from the hard battering the current formerly gave them at the screens, now sending them on their way without injury or loss.

Sportsmen of southern Oregon by the thousands will be interested in the success of the experiment, and hundreds are expected to flock to the scene today to view the sight. Engineer Cowgill, as well as the state police, has warned these people against standing too close to the ladder, as this frightens the fish and delays their passage. If spectators will remain at the top of the bank, near the highway, they can see all of the steps by which the fish move to the higher levels, without interrupting the passage for later sight-seers.

The run starts each morning early, and generally continues until shortly before noon. There is then no activity until about 2:30 or 3 o'clock, after which the fish again begin to move, continuing to do so until near night-fall.

URGE SPORTSMEN TO ATTEND MEET MONDAY AT C. OF C.

At a business meeting of the Southern Oregon Boat club held Friday night at the Chamber of Commerce, it was decided to call all sportsmen who are interested to a big meeting Monday night at the same place for the purpose of deciding upon a new name and expanding the scope of the club to include not only boatmen, but all hunters and fishermen of southern Oregon. The meeting Monday night will be held promptly at 8:30 o'clock.

Through the leadership of Frank DeSouza, commodore, the club is seeking to bring together under one organization all outdoor men of the southern part of the state, and primarily of Jackson and Josephine counties. It was pointed out that in the Southern Oregon Boat club a group of outdoor enthusiasts have been held together and have grown rapidly for a number of years, but that there is still a need in this community for an organization for fishermen and hunters.

C. J. Chord and Dick Isaacs, representing a group of anglers and hunters who are seeking some such organization, were present and urged that the Southern Oregon Boat club be expanded. Their chief concern in developing a large club of sportsmen is to gain a means of enforcing game laws by uniting appeal to the state game commission. Isaacs said he believes the game commission is back of the move and will listen to the desires of such a group.

It was announced by Dick Kay, chairman of the regatta committee, that the annual regatta will be held Sunday, June 9, at Emigrant lake. Kay promised the largest race in years, in announcing the following events:

A and B class "Ashland Lethis, Medford class C, Unlimited Grants Pass race, and Unlimited "Klamath Falls Runabout." Each event will have two heats of five laps each. With only four events, the purses for each have been raised to figures that are expected to attract racers from all along the coast.

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GIANTS DISLodge DODGERS AT TOP; CUBS, CARDS LOSE

NEW YORK, April 27.—(AP)—The Giants went into first place in the National league today by knocking out the Phillies 3 to 4 in a close game while Brooklyn dropped a 4-2 decision to Boston. It was the Giants' eighth consecutive game without a loss, including two ties.

Home runs as usual figured importantly in the scoring. John Moore hit his sixth for the Phils, tying his teammate Dolph Camilli for the major league lead; Dick Bartell closed his third for the Giants.

Score: R. H. E.
Philadelphia 4 6 2
New York 5 9 1
Batteries: Collins, Pearce, Pezzullo and Wilson; Castleman, Smith and Mancuso.

CINCINNATI, April 27.—(AP)—Paul Derringer won his own ball game today as the Cincinnati Reds defeated the Chicago Cubs 2 to 1.

He held the Cubs helpless, fanning the last four men to face him. He bunted in a squeeze play in the fourth inning to score Goodman with what proved to be the winning run. It was his second victory over the Cubs this year, and his third win of the season.

Score: R. H. E.
Chicago 1 7 0
Cincinnati 2 8 1
Batteries: French and Hartnett; Derringer and Lombard.

BROOKLYN, April 27.—(AP)—Babe Ruth accomplished nothing of note, except that he brought out a crowd of 21,000 paying fans, when he returned to the National league yesterday but his teammates with Dutch Brandt on the mound, ended the Brooklyn Dodgers' five game winning streak and tumbled them out of the National league lead with a 4-2 victory.

Score: R. H. E.
Boston 4 7 0
Brooklyn 2 6 1
Batteries: Brandt and Hogan; Bengie, Lamanske and Phelps, Onis.

ST. LOUIS, April 27.—(AP)—The Pittsburgh Pirates knocked Bill Halahan out of the box in the fourth inning and beat the St. Louis Cardinals, 8 to 5 today in the second game of their three-game series.

Score: R. H. E.
Pittsburgh 8 10 2
St. Louis 5 6 3
Batteries: Weaver and Padden; Halahan, Copeland, Trinning, Haines and Davis.

BEAVERS MANAGE BEAT SACS, 3 TO 1

PORTLAND, Ore., April 27.—(AP)—The Portland Beavers made it two in a row over Sacramento here today, winning, 3 to 1, behind Hal Turpin's masterful pitching.

The Beavers played errorless ball and turned in two snappy double plays, which helped keep the Sojourners scoreless until they got two ninth inning singles with Steinbacher driving in a run.

Portland scored in the second and third innings, each time with a pair of hits, and again in the sixth with only one hit. Salvo pitched good ball until lifted in the eighth for a pinch hitter.

Score: R. H. E.
Sacramento 1 8 2
Portland 3 6 0
Batteries: Salvo, Hartwig and Salkeid; Turpin and Cronin.

LOS ANGELES, April 27.—(AP)—Roy Mort, Mission first baseman, cracked out two home runs today and accounted for four of the tallies that beat Los Angeles, 8 to 1. It was the San Francisco club's second victory in the two days of the series.

Score: R. H. E.
Mission 5 12 0
Los Angeles 1 8 2
Batteries: Johnson and Outen; Meola, Kimball and Gibson.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 27.—(AP)—The Hollywood Stars, with Manager Frank Shellenback on the mound, handed the San Francisco Coast league Seals a 14 to 4 drubbing here today.

Score: R. H. E.
Hollywood 14 18 1
San Francisco 4 7 2
Batteries: Shellenback and Desautels; Zinn, R. Cois and Monzo.

VANCOUVER, B. C., April 27.—(AP)—Six runs in a wild ninth inning rally gave Oakland a 9-6 victory over Seattle today in a Coast league baseball game played here.

Score: R. H. E.
Oakland 9 9 0
Seattle 6 10 3
Batteries: Tobin, Hald and Hartje; Barrett, Thomas, Daglia and Spindel.

Seagram Horse Wins
HAYRE DE GRACE, Md., April 27.—(AP)—Stand Pat, Edward F. Seagram's entry, won the \$7,500 added Philadelphia handicap here today.

Only One, Mrs. Deering Cove's entry, placed and Roustabout, C. V. Whitney horse, showed.

Lawnmowers: Sharpened, Phone 261, Medford Cyclery, 23 N. Fr.

TROTSKY'S CLOUTS GIVE CLEVELAND 6 STRAIGHT WINS

CLEVELAND, April 27.—(AP)—The Cleveland Indians scored their sixth consecutive victory today by trouncing the Detroit Tigers in a lopsided contest, 9 to 2.

Hal Trukey, the tribe's first baseman, walloped two homers and a double to contribute five runs to the Indians' total.

Score: R. H. E.
Detroit 2 11 3
Cleveland 9 12 1
Batteries: Hatter, Fisher and Cochran; Harder and Myatt.

PHILADELPHIA, Apr. 27.—(AP)—The New York Yankees, paced by Ben Chapman, belted out a 9 to 8 victory over the Athletics today for their third straight triumph. They had a narrow escape, however, when Russ Van Atta hit a wild streak in the ninth and the A's pushed over three runs. Chapman came up four times, hit a double, homer and two singles and stole a base before he was forced out by a charity home in the seventh. Jimmy Fox's fourth home run of the season for the A's and a triple play for the Yanks in the first inning were other high spots.

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Philadelphia 8 11 1
Allen, Van Atta, Murphy and Dick; Dietrich, Casier, Phalleber and Poxx, Moss.

BOSTON, April 27.—(AP)—Washington out of the spell of pitcher Johnny Welch today, lacing out a total of 17 hits and set down the fumbling Red Sox 8-3.

Welch, who had turned back the Senators the last seven times he faced them, couldn't find the right corners today and yielded 13 hits and five runs, before heading for the showers after the seventh inning. Ostermuller finished the game and also found the going rough.

Score: R. H. E.
Washington 8 17 0
Boston 3 8 4
Linke, Ostermuller and Bolton; Welch, Pettit and R. Ferrell.

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HUBKA DOPED TO NEW SKEET TRAPS FOR SHOOT TODAY

The Medford Gun club will hold its regular registered trap shoot at the Gun club grounds near the airport today, beginning at 10:30 a. m., with entrants coming from all cities in southern Oregon, and many from northern California. New electric skeet traps, installed during the week, will be used for the first time today.

The local club recently qualified in the Oregonian telegraphic shoot, and the shooters are practicing now for the state meet to be held here in June. Experts from all points along the coast are to be present in the biggest meet of its kind ever to be held in southern Oregon.

Special events besides the skeet shoot are included in the following: 100 16-Yard Targets.

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One 24-target event.
12 Pair Doubles.
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NEW YORK, April 27.—(AP)—Today, C. V. Whitney's candidate for the Kentucky derby, today whipped eleven of the east's ranking three-year-olds in the twenty-third running of the Wood Memorial at Jamaica, Mrs. Payne Whitney's Plate Eye was three lengths back in second place with William Woodward's Omaha a fast closing third.

Favored at 2 to 1 to win the purse of \$11,350, today came from behind in the stretch to win under Raymond "Sonny" Workman's great ride after Mrs. Dodge Sloan's Psychic BK had set the pace to the head of the home stretch.

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ELKS TO SPONSOR CCC FIGHT CARDS

A new series of fight cards, to be staged by the Medford CCC district under the sponsorship of the Elks' lodge, will open here Thursday, May 9, with some of the district's best boxing talent on display.

The second card of the series will be staged Thursday, May 23, and the final card will be a feature of the Elks' picnic Friday, June 14. Jerry Jerome is chairman of the entertainment committee in charge of arrangements for the lodge. Captain William C. Ryan, district athletic officer, will supervise the boxing card.

More than two thousand new men have entered the district in the past two weeks and Captain Ryan believes many outstanding new fighters will be available for the cards. The first two cards will consist of five bouts while the picnic card will feature 10 or 12 matches.

An effort is being made to match DePriest of Oak Knoll and Chief Thomas of Bradford for the main event of the May 9 affair.

College Baseball

Oregon 7 9 0
Oregon State 12 14 2
Foult, Tuman, Buchman, Gaunel and Thomas, Vall; Woerner and Beatty.

NAVY CREWS WIN CORNELL EVENTS

ANNAPOLIS, Md., April 27.—(AP)—The Navy varsity crew defeated Cornell here today by a length and three-fourths to give the Middies a clean sweep in the four-race regatta.

The smooth working varsity took the lead at the start and held it throughout to win the mile and three-quarters race in 10 minutes, 57-10 seconds.

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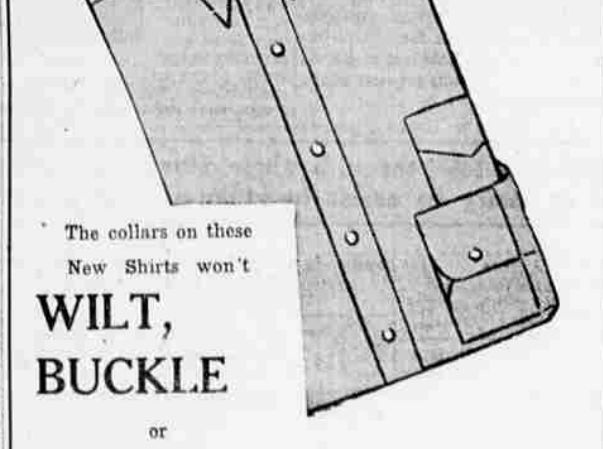
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