

Sport Graphs

Billy Hulen Says:

3 Local Youths
Playing Ball At
Oregon Colleges

Three former local American Legion junior baseball players are candidates for freshmen teams at the University of Oregon and Oregon State college. . . . Mickey Miller, big first baseman, turned out for the OSC Rook nine this week, and Johnny Gitten, second baseman and Bill Reed, righthanded pitcher, ditted for the Duckling club at Eugene.

Wrestling attendance hasn't picked up in Medford like promoter Mack Lillard hoped. . . . a possible explanation, offered by Jerry Jerome, member of the boxing and wrestling commission, is that workmen on the cantonment haven't yet become settled enough to lay aside money for amusements.

Round four, Louis, is I. Pickem's peerless pick on tonight's picnic involving the champ and Abe Simon, the altitudinous American Alp. . . . the Medford Athletic association has informed the army that the fairgrounds park will be available for use by the soldiers of the cantonment except on Wednesday and Saturday nights and Sunday afternoons, which will be devoted to Crater baseball (it is hoped).

We are pulling heart and soul for little Del Schroer, to stick with the Salem Senators, but rather question his ability to hit Western International league pitching. . . . one thing though, Del is probably a good enough defensive infielder to offset to some extent any weakness he might show at the plate for Charley Petersen's club.

Fordham will make the fellows who use complimentary grid tickets contribute to the war program by pasting a 25-cent defense stamp on each such duet next fall. . . . Uncle Samuel, it is expected, will collect about \$1,200 from the plan. . . . the Stanford-Dartmouth hoop clash tonight for the NCAA title will be aired by re-creation over KSFO, S.F. Francisco, starting at 7 o'clock our time.

Terrible Showing of Yanks Makes Other Clubs Hopeful

M'CARTHY PLACID AS CHAMPS TAKE WORKOUTS EASILY

"Everything Will Be All Right," Says Marse Joe; First Base Lone Change.

By Gayle Talbot
St. Petersburg, Fla., March 27.—(AP)—The world champion New York Yankees continue to look terrible in spring training, giving rise to the faint hope among rival American league clubs that the "big fellows" will not make a complete mockery of the approaching race. What with the war and everything else, that would be almost too much.

It would almost appear that Manager Joe McCarthy shares a similar hope; that he would like to give his rivals a fighting chance and maybe even get a thrill or two out of the thing himself. He is making no great effort to whip his sleeping giants into mid-season form, but is permitting them to come along slowly and easily.

"Everything will be all right," he says placidly. "After all, this is the same club that won the world series from Brooklyn in five games."

It is not exactly the same club that won last year's race by 17 full games over the Boston Red Sox, but it probably is just as good. The only change for sure is at first base, where Buddy Hasset, from the Boston Braves, has replaced Johnny Sturm, gone to the army. Hasset is not quite the fancy fielder that Sturm was, but he is a little better hitter.

Red Rolfe doesn't know, himself, whether he can hold down his third base job. The colitis that made him miserable much of last season and which permitted him to play through the world series only on sheer nerve, has let up a little and he has worked out for the past four days.

That means that Gerald Priddy almost surely will start the campaign at the hot corner, although it is doubtful the boy from Kansas City can last, whether Rolfe returns or not. Priddy still shows no signs of hitting a lick, and it would not be surprising to see the veteran shortstop, Frankie Crosetti, at third before long.

Outside of those two spots, the Yankees are the same murderous outfit. They still have the game's greatest player, Joe DiMaggio, in centerfield, it's greatest catcher, Bill Dickey, and its greatest second baseman, Joe Gordon. They still have the awesome Charlie Keller in left field, and a pitching staff so good that it was almost overlooked last year in the face of the team's general excellence.

Navy Discloses Raids On Islands



The Navy reported that a Pacific Fleet task force had raided Japanese occupied Wake (1), and Marcus (2) islands, destroying enemy small boats, seaplanes and numerous shore installations. The raid on Marcus Island, which occurred March 4, took American warships, including an aircraft carrier, 2,600 miles northwest of Honolulu and to within 990 miles of Japan. The Wake Island raid took place February 24.

LIVESTOCK

Portland, Ore., March 27.—(U.S. Dept. Agr.)—Cattle 50; calves 35; market steady but mostly nominal; no medium to good fed steers offered; salable around 11.00-12.00 and above; few common steers 9.00-10.00; common heifers 8.00-75; canner and cutter cows 5.75-7.00; odd head very shelly cows downward to 4.00; fat dairy type cows up to 7.75; medium to good beef cows available 8.50-9.50; medium bulls 8.50-75; good beef bulls quotable to 10.25; common calves 8.00-50; choice vealers salable 15.00-50.

Hogs 480; few choice 190-200 lbs. steady at 14.00; good light sows up to 11.75; few holdover feeder pigs unsold; other weights and classes scarce. Sheep none; market nominally steady; good to choice fed woolled lambs quotable 11.25-75; short lambs salable 10.75 down; medium to choice spring lambs 13.00-15.00; good ewes 6.00-50.

South San Francisco, March 27.—(U.S. Dept. Agr.)—Cattle 50; calves 35; clean-up week-end trade; undertone fully steady; for week about 350 head dairy cows 6.00-8.50; bulls 9.50-10.50; calves, salable none. Nominally weak; good to choice vealers quoted 13.00 down. Hogs 175; fully steady; most good 165-235 lb. barrows and gilts 14.35; odd sows 11.35. Sheep none; spring lambs absent. Cattle 11.50-12.50; fed lambs lack interest; medium to choice ewes quoted 6.00-7.00.

Chicago, March 27.—(U.S. Dept. Agr.)—Hogs 9,000; active, 10-20 higher on all weights and sows; good and choice 180-360 lbs. 13.40-75; mostly 13.60 and up on weights over 200 lbs.; top 13.80 springling; 160-180

lbs. 13.15-60; good 400-500 lb. sows 13.00-35. Cattle 1,000; calves 300; general market steady to strong; medium to good steers predominated and sold fully steady at 11.15-14.00; firm traders on cows and bulls with weighty cutters to 8.50; heavy sausage bulls to 10.15; vealers fully steady at 15.50 down. Sheep 7,500; bidding full steady or 12.40 down on fed woolled lambs; asking unevenly higher or 12.50 and above for best kinds.

Portland Produce

Portland, Ore., March 27.—(AP)—Hops: Seed stock, 1941 crop, 40%; 1942 contracts, 42-42 1/2 lb. Onions: Idaho, \$2.35; Oregon, \$2.60-2.90 50-lb. sacks; sets, 18c lb. Potatoes: New, Florida red, \$2.65-2.90 per 50-lb. lug. Other produce unchanged.

Chicago Wheat

Chicago, March 27.—(AP)—Wheat: High 1.20 1/2; Low 1.20; Close 1.20 1/2. May 1.20 1/2; July 1.28 1/2; Sept. 1.30 1/2. 1.20 1/2; 1.20 1/2; 1.20 1/2.

Portland Wheat

Portland, Ore., March 27.—(AP)—Grain: Open 99 1/2; High 99 1/2; Low 99 1/2; Close 99 1/2. Cash grain: Oats No. 2-36 lb. white 40.00; barley No. 2-48 lb. B. W. 30.50. Corn unquoted. No. 1 flax 2.62. Cash wheat (bid): Soft white 99 1/2; soft white excluding Rex 1.02; white club 1.03; western red 1.02. Hard red winter: Ordinary 98; 10 per cent 1.02; 11 per cent 1.00; 12 per cent 1.12.

North Amer.	6 1/2	2.61; 80 extra fancy 2.45; 640 fancy
Penney (J. C.)	64	2.10-2.40, average 2.22; Easter Busses
Penney R. R.	21 1/2	720 extra fancy 1.80-2.05, average 2.08
Phillips Pet	32 1/2	Nellis 155 No. 1's 2.80-3.10, average
Radio	2 1/2	3.55; 95 No. 2's 2.60-2.75, average
San. Pac.	1 1/2	2.70.
Std. Brands	3	
St. Oil Co.	19 1/2	San Francisco Butter
St. Oil N. J.	34 1/2	San Francisco, March 27.—(AP)—
Trans. Amer.	Unquoted	Butter: Unchanged.
Union Carb.	59	
Unit. Aircraft	31 1/2	Sacramento, March 27.—(AP)—But-
United Airline	8 1/2	terfat: First grade, 40 1/2c; second
U. S. Steel	80	grade, 38 1/2c.

Pear Market Yesterday

Chicago, March 26.—(AP)—(USDA)—Pears: 7 cars on track, 2 Oregon arrived, Oregon Anjou 720 extra fancy 2.35-2.70, average 2.65.

New York, March 26.—(AP)—(USDA)—Pears: 11 cars arrived, 9 Oregon unloaded, 7 on track; Oregon Anjou 3,500 extra fancy 2.40-2.95, average 2.72; 1,370 fancy 2.30-2.80, average

DONATE PLANE
Tulsa, Okla., March 27.—(AP)—The facilities of the Spartan Aircraft company and the services of all its employees will be donated Sunday for the construction of a naval training plane.

REPEATERS!
Raleigh, N. C., March 27.—(AP)—Three men were arrested here and charged with stealing the same automobile twice on consecutive nights from the same place.



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BOWLING

City league results last night: Lewis Super Service 3, Littrell Parts 1; Kay Lithographing 2, McDonald Candy Company 2; Knights of Columbus 2, Valentine's Cafe 2. Scores follow:

Littrell Parts	Lewis Super
Green	501
Sims	418
Johnson	450
Gardner	490
Pruitt, W.	441
Total	2500

McDonald Candy	Kay's Litho.
S. Colton	519
Williamson	461
K. Harris	473
M. Bell	460
G. Witter	477
Total	2390

Valentine's Cafe	K. of C.
Ed Simmons	491
M. Sherman	446
W. Morse	515
D. Porter	601
E. Beltrama	536
Total	2589

FIVE INJURED IN LAB EXPLOSION

Pasadena, Cal., March 27.—(AP)—At least five persons were hurt, one probably fatally, by an explosion today in a California Institute of Technology laboratory.

Hospital attendants said H. B. Roby of Taft, Cal., was blown out of the building, all his clothing except his shoes burned off. His condition was described as "very critical."

A. P. Veteran Dies On Tour of Coast

Ventura, Cal., March 27.—(AP)—James A. Mills, 58, veteran Association Press foreign staffer, died this morning in Foster Memorial hospital. He suffered a stroke yesterday.

Mills was stricken ill in Tokyo three years ago, and had been in poor health since. He came here 10 days ago with his brother, Tom. They had been on an automobile tour of the Pacific coast.

HE SHOULD WORRY

Union, S. C., March 27.—(AP)—A convict here today got this notice from a tax collector: "If you don't pay your poll tax, you may be put in jail." The convict already was serving a life sentence.

TO FORM GUERRILLAS

Pendleton, March 27.—(AP)—Plans were completed today for organization of Umatilla county guerrilla units this week-end. Companies to be formed will consist of 75 men each, headed by a captain and two lieutenants. The entire county setup will be under the leadership of a colonel and several majors.

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