

The Sporting Page

ELLIOTT SHINES AS BUGS TROUNCE CHICAGO, 9 TO 1

Erstwhile Outfielder Belts 2-Run Homer — Dodgers Retain National Lead.

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The prize experiment of the year in the major leagues may turn out to be the transfer of Robert Irving Elliott from the outfield to third base by the Pittsburgh Pirates.

In nine games he has hit three home runs, to lead the league, and two triplets, to tie for the lead.

His batting average is a gaudy .342 and he has knocked in eight runs. Moreover his fielding and throwing have bordered on the sensational after a nervous debut.

Yesterday he contributed a two-run homer to Pittsburgh's 9-1 triumph over the Chicago Cubs. In beating the Cubs the Pirates received seven-hit pitching by Luke (Hot Potato) Hamlin, the former Dodger star, and really looked formidable.

Riddle Riddled
However, the Brooklyn Dodgers retained their grip on the National league held by beating the Boston Braves 4-0 in 12 innings. Whitlow Wyatt made his first start of the season after only seven innings of exhibition work. He kept the Braves scoreless for nine innings although touched for 10 hits. Then Hugh Casey kept them hitless and spotless the rest of the way.

The St. Louis Cardinals riddled Cincinnati's Elmer Riddle with 11 hits in seven stanzas and triumphed 6-1 on the seven-hit hurling of Harry Gumbert, who allowed no runs until the ninth.

Rookie Dave Koslo, a southpaw, shut out the Phils 3-0 for the New York Giants with six-hit pitching.

The New York Yankees collected 13 safeties, including a home run and two triplets by Joe DiMaggio, to overpower the Philadelphia Athletics 11-5 and the Boston Red Sox rolled up 17 hits in walloping the Washington Senators 13-4.

The Cleveland Indians captured their fourth straight victory 3-2 from the St. Louis Browns, who were held to five safeties by their former teammate, Vernon Kennedy. The

Chicago White Sox muzzled the Detroit Tigers 3-1 with Don Kolloway getting a double and two singles to figure in all Chicago's scoring.

OREGON DEFEATED BY COUGARS, 2-0

Eugene, Ore., April 23.—(AP)—A first-inning single and triple gave Washington State a decision over the Oregon baseball team here yesterday 2-0, in a northern division game.

Cliff Chambers, Cougar pitcher, limited the Ducks to five hits while whiffing 11 batsmen. He got sturdy assistance from Tom Branegan's two triples and Cam Daggett's pair of singles.

Johnny Bubalo gave the Cougars only six hits, but the consecutive pair in the first was fatal. WSC's other run was scored by Bob Dau, who got on base when hit by a pitched ball and tallied on Branegan's outfield fly.

Score:
WSC..... 2 6 2
Oregon..... 0 5 0
Chambers and Van Slyke; Bubalo and Philip.

Texas School Loses Grid, Cage Coaches

Canyon, Tex., April 23.—(AP)—West Texas State college has lost both its head football and basketball coaches to the armed services.

Neither Al Baggett, tutor of the widely travelled buffalo court giants, nor Grid Coach Leslie Van Meter disclosed which branch of the service they would enter.

In a retrenchment program, college officials named Gus Miller, Texas Wesleyan basketball coach, to take over the duties of both men.

BOWLING

Zoric Cleaners, scoring 4043 points to the Mail Tribune's 3872, captured the Commercial league championship in a five-game playoff match at the Medford alleys last night. Scores follow:

Zoric Cleaners	Mail Tribune
Hcap 4043	Hcap 3872
C. Porter..... 741	J. Murray..... 750
J. Broce..... 789	H. Green..... 911
R. White..... 841	M. Schwartz..... 691
C. Curtis..... 813	D. Herried..... 806
DeJarnette..... 798	R. Archer..... 694
Total..... 4043	Total..... 3872

Foots Creek

Foots Creek, April 23.—(Spl.) Four-H club will meet Saturday evening at the Burton home. A. Pontz is leader of the club; Rolan Smith, president; Elizabeth Andrus, vice president; Arlene Daily, secretary, and Bob Burton, treasurer. Other members are Shirley Smith, Jessie Daily, Buell Andrus, Alberta Pontz, and James Kile. Any other young folks in the community aged 9 to 21 are invited to join.

Mr. and Mrs. Nigra are the proud parents of a baby daughter, which arrived at a hospital in Grants Pass April 15. The Nigras have two sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Weaver and son, who sold their property on Applegate and bought the Ed Guetzlaff property, finished moving last week and are now living here. Their son is employed at Grants Pass.

Mr. and Mrs. Green have moved into their new modern home, which was recently completed. Their property adjoins the Danga property across the highway from the Chaiker Motel.

Mrs. Marion Lance attended the meeting of the Riverside Extension unit at the home of Mrs. Cloyd Dix, near Rogue River, April 21. Mrs. Myrtle McGregor of Rogue River gave a talk on design and color in dress. Fifteen ladies attended.

Mrs. John Dole, who has been very ill from a relapse of the flu, is slowly recovering.

R. L. Miller went to Portland April 18 and visited Mrs. Miller until April 22. Mrs. Miller expects to return home May 1. He was accompanied to Portland by his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Jean Miller, who remained there, where her husband is now employed.

Silverton, Ore., April 23.—(AP)—Harold Davis, principal of Silverton high school for the past two years, announced yesterday he had resigned to become principal of the Union high school at Cottage Grove. He will assume his new job next fall.



ALSAB—Jockey Bob Vedder is up on Alsab, 1941 champion whose poor winter showing has made the railbirds wonder about his chances for May 2 Kentucky Derby. Owner is Mrs. Albert Sabath. With 15 wins in 22 starts, Alsab earned \$110,600 last year.

500 Californians to Shoot for Antelopes

Sacramento, Calif., April 23.—(AP)—Modoc and Lassen county antelope may not feel any better about it, but they are going to be shot at by a select group of hunters.

Almost 3,000 California nimrods participated yesterday in the state's first antelope lottery. The 500 winners are permitted to kill one adult buck apiece.

The ban on antelope hunting was relaxed because their number exceeded the supply of natural food.

Williams Creek

Williams Creek, April 23.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Strotman of Lane Beach, Calif., have purchased the Minter place and are here on a two weeks vacation and are reworking the house and fixing the well. They are accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Standish of Huntington Beach, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Jensen and two sons of Los Angeles, have moved to their farm on the east fork of Williams creek above the Wilson place. They were accompanied by Mr. Jensen's brother, Lloyd, who will remain about two weeks.

Emil Johnson arrived home from a Portland hospital Thursday. Jack Wilson arrived home Thursday for a few days visit with his parents.

Leslie Hartley of Tule Lake, Calif., visited a few days with his mother at the home of his sister, Mrs. Lester Sparlin.

Mrs. Heineman has returned home from Oakland, Calif., where she visited three weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Ann Dillinger, and her new granddaughter, Loretta Ann, aged one month.

Mr. Youngblood, who has been one of the overseers at Camp Williams CCC, has been transferred to the forestry department for the blister rust control. He will have headquarters at Medford during the summer and at Portland in the winter.

Sardine Creek

Sardine Creek, April 23.—(Spl.)—Mrs. Clyde Maple returned last week from a Portland hospital where she underwent a major operation and now is rapidly convalescing at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilde and Wanda, and Mrs. Ray Biles, Lucy and Mickey of Yreka, were week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Dusenberry. The Wildes returned to Yreka Sunday and the Biles returned Monday.

Mr. Greer, who has been doing some carpenter work on a large dairy barn at Riverside, has returned to his work at the cantonment.

Mrs. W. Passel and children of Central Point called on Mrs. Nora Wait Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Greer and family took dinner Sunday at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Adams at Del Rio Orchard.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Dusenberry and Mrs. Nora Wait motored to Ashland last Thursday to see their nephew, Billy Elhart of the U. S. navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Elhart, who was home just for one day. Dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Elhart. Billy enlisted in November and has seen some lively action and this is his first visit home. His ship was in for overhauling.

Closing time for Classified Ads 9 a. m.—Too late to Classify 12:30 p. m.

SOCKEYE SLATED ON MONDAY CARD

Sockeye Jack McDonald, in a telegram to Promoter Mack Lillard today, said that he would be in Medford next Monday night to appear on the weekly wrestling program in the armory and requested Lillard to obtain the toughest possible opponent for him.

Lillard immediately opened negotiations with Tug Carlson, the big, blond badman, and said that he expected to sign him to face McDonald in the one-hour main event.

The balance of the card will be announced Friday.

Gold Hill

Gold Hill, April 23.—(Spl.)—Mrs. Paul Holderness, local Girl Scout leader, left Wednesday for Eugene to attend a Girl Scout leader's meeting. She accompanied Mrs. Marjorie Pena and other leaders from Medford and the group planned to return home on Friday.

Mrs. Dorothy McGuire was a substitute teacher in the Jacksonville schools this week.

The city budget committee met April 20 with city officials, to plan the new budget. Serving on the committee this year are Albert Pankey, H. D. Force, Norman Gail, Robert Cook and Walter McLean.

Sunday guests at the Harlan Belcher home were Mr. and Mrs. James Belcher and three children of Medford.

Miss Mary Rose Bailey accompanied her brother, Clifford Bailey, of Applegate, and Miss Vera Jones of Central Point to Reno, last Sunday, where Miss Jones and Mr. Bailey were married. They returned here Tuesday.

Mrs. Claire Palmer spent the week-end with relatives near Portland. She was accompanied by Miss Azalea Andrews of Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wilson and family, formerly of Texas, are now living in one of the apartments of the A. A. Walker house, next to the Milton Steinmetz home.

Claire Thompson is now em-

played at Gail's market. In the meat department.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Matthews and two children of Klamath Falls were Sunday guests of Mrs. Matthews' mother, Mrs. Cal Dusenberry and family. They also visited with Mrs. Matthews' brother, Wallace Iverson, who spent the week-end here and returned Sunday to Portland air base.

Sunday guests at the Tom Smith home were their son-in-law and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and family of Medford and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wilson of Ashland. The occasion was the celebration of the Smith's 29th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Eskew and family are moving this week into the

Sargeant house. They had been living in the William Little home on Garden Row, which was sold recently.

Recent guest of Mrs. John Cook was her brother, Ben Moore, of Portland, who had been called here by the death of his brother, William Moore of Rogue River.

William and Harold Gardner are preparing to move into the small house which formerly housed the Charles Carey shoe repair shop. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Huntley reside in the tenant house, on the same lot.

Cecil Van Horn, who is employed in a Portland ship yard, spent the week-end here with his parents. He was accompanied back to Portland on Sunday, by Wally Iverson.

Garland Lance, local painting con-

tractor, is now employed on the Applegate, by the forest service.

SALEM SHORT OF GAS

Salem, April 23.—(AP)—Several Salem service stations were without gasoline today and distributors predicted many more would have their tanks emptied in a few days because of federal regulations restricting stations to two-thirds of the gasoline they sold during the winter months.

Sao Paulo, Brazil, has planned a five-year road program costing 16 million dollars, according to the Department of Commerce.

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