

SPORTS

SOLDIER HURLER OF CRATERS GETS GIFT FROM CLUB

Army Orders Cancels Plans For Joe Dickinson Day—Ceremony Last Night.

The Medford Craters and the Dorris, (Cal.) Lumberjacks clash at 2:30 this afternoon at the fairgrounds park in the second game of their two-game Oregon-California league series, but it won't be "Joe Dickinson Day" as originally planned.

It won't be "Joe Dickinson Day" because the army, yesterday morning ordered the platoon of the 44th division, which has been on guard duty at the municipal airport, transferred to another post, to leave here at 8 a. m. today. Pvt. Joe Dickinson was attached to this platoon.

So, Pvt. Joe Dickinson is no longer a member of the Craters. He has gone with his platoon to some undesignated point and his "day," of course, was of necessity cancelled. There was nothing anybody could do about the matter. Major General Charles H. Gerhardt, commander of the 91st division at Camp White, even requested that the departure time of Joe's platoon be delayed to enable Joe to pitch against Dorris today, and be on hand for his "day." But it was all to no avail. The platoon was ordered to move this morning, and it moved, as no doubt it should in time of war.

In order to make the best of a disheartening but unavoidable situation, Joe was given his "day" last night. In the seventh inning E. C. (Jerry) Jerome, substituting for General Gerhardt, who was originally scheduled to participate in the Sunday ceremonies but was unable to do so last night, presented to Pvt. Dickinson a handsome gift from the Medford Athletic Association.

The gift was a gold-plated wristwatch bracelet, with the army crest on top and this engraving on the back: "Joe Dickinson From The Medford Athletic Association."

When Joe learned of the "marching" orders of his platoon, he asked Manager Dutch Lieber to let him pitch last night's game, and the skipper readily agreed. So, today it will be Jim Snyder, the ex-Dorris southpaw now with the Craters, firing against his old teammates, with Norm Worthley back of the plate. Lieber on first, Glitzen on second, Swartz on short, Fawcett on third, Waite in left, Wray in center and Haffard in right.

For the Lumberjacks Clyde Carlstrom was expected to do the hurling with Bart Goldbar wearing the mask and protector.

In other league action, Klamath Falls, up to last night two games back of the Craters in the pennant race, entertains the cellarite Grants Pass Merchants in the second game of their two-game set.

CENTRAL PT. MILL FIRE LOSS LIGHT

A fire in the fuel bin at the Southern Oregon Sugar Pine company sawmill at Central Point, apparently started by a cinder from a smoketack, yesterday morning did nominal damage thanks to the quick action of the state forest patrol.

Two bumper trucks were dispatched to the mill by the forest patrol, and the blaze was brought under control in about 30 minutes, it was announced by Chauncey Florey, manager of the sawmill. Slight damage was done motors and machinery.

Another fire Friday noon destroyed a house and barn at Cascade Gorge in the Prospect vicinity, the fire also starting a conflagration on a nearby 26 acres of slashings. The blaze was caused by a spark from the chimney lighting on the roof. State forest patrol sent 20 crews and the Janzler mill 20 men, and the fire was soon brought under control.

PORTLAND, SEALS BOTH DROP PAIR 2 DAYS IN ROW

Sacs Climb To Two Games Of Angels Who Defeat Seattle.

Oakland, Calif., Aug. 1—(P)—Oakland stretched its string of victories to six straight with a double win today over Portland, 3-2 and 3-1.

It was the Oak's second doubleheader victory over Portland in two days.

The first game was scoreless until the sixth inning when Oakland got three runs. Johnny Vergez opened with a single, went to second on a sacrifice by Hugh Luby, and scored ahead of Les Scarsella, who hit a home run over the right field fence. Marvin Gudat then singled and after stealing second, scored on Wally Westlake's single to right.

Portland scored two runs in the first of the ninth on two hits and an error. Rupert Thompson singled, Norbert hit to center and both runners scored when the ball rolled between Westlake's legs.

In the 7-inning second game, Portland tallied one run in the first inning on a double by Carney and a single by Thompson.

(First Game)

Portland	2	9	0
Oakland	3	8	1

Oakland and Leovich; Tipples and Glenn.

(Second Game)

Portland	1	6	2
Oakland	3	6	1

Cohen and Leovich; Yelovic and Glenn.

Sacramento, Aug. 1—(P)—Sacramento took its second straight doubleheader from the San Francisco Seals today, winning 6 to 0 and 7 to 3 to climb within two games of first place.

The teams end the series with a doubleheader tomorrow.

(First Game)

San Francisco	0	5	3
Sacramento	6	11	1

Jansen, Harrell (5) and Ogdowski; Wicker and Mueller.

(Second Game—7 Innings)

San Francisco	3	8	2
Sacramento	7	10	1

Stutz, Harrell (6) and Sprinz; Schmidt and Mueller.

Los Angeles, Aug. 1—(P)—Los Angeles Angels, leading the Pacific Coast league, partially made up today for a doubleheader loss by capturing a 4-2 decision today. The Angels tallied three times in the eighth, then staved off a Seattle rally which brought in one counter in the ninth.

Seattle

Seattle	3	10	1
Los Angeles	4	11	0

Fisher and Beard, Kearse (7); Mallory and Todd.

PENDLETON CALLS OFF BIG ROUNDUP

Pendleton, Ore., Aug. 1—(P)—The granddaddy of rodeos—Pendleton roundup—has adjourned in favor of a bigger roundup, "the roundup of the Axis nations," directors announced today.

Decision to suspend the famous western classic of bucking broncos, Indian powwows and wagon-train pageants was voted despite recent military approval for the show.

Sentiment of the directors was expressed by Association President Sam Thompson: "There's a bigger round-up under way, a round-up of the Axis nations and that show simply must go on." It was the first time in 33 years the roundup has been cancelled.

COLEMAN TO COACH

Corvallis, Aug. 1—(P)—Ralph Coleman, OSC baseball coach will organize recreational and physical education programs at the Pilot Training camp near Madras during the next six weeks. He left for Madras yesterday.

TAXI BAN URGED

Portland, Aug. 1—(P)—The OPA today requested that the order prohibiting the use of taxicabs for trips to amusement centers, ball games, night clubs, race tracks and other non-essential purposes be enforced by the Portland city council.

REISER HOMES IN EIGHTH TO GAIN DODGER VICTORY

Umps Reverse Decision—Cubs Maul Davis—Phils And Braves Win.

Brooklyn, Aug. 1—(P)—Pete Reiser, batting on borrowed time, smacked a three-run homer in the eighth inning today and the tallies were exactly enough to give the Brooklyn Dodgers a 9-6 decision over the Chicago Cubs.

The Dodgers, who were destined to win an argument sooner or later, finally prevailed upon an umpire to chance a decision, although it probably couldn't happen any place except in Brooklyn.

With the Dodgers leading, 6-2, and two men on and two out, Reiser cut at a 2-2 pitch which he barely ticked. The ball popped into the mitt of Catcher Clyde McCullough and Umpire Lee Ballanfant called the National league batting leader out on strikes.

But the Dodgers claimed that the ball struck the dirt before McCullough caught it and Umpire Babe Pinelli backed them up in their protest. Ballanfant reversed his decision and called Reiser back to the plate.

Pistol Pete smashed Hiram Bithorn's next pitch over the right field wall for three runs that didn't look especially important at the time.

However, the Cubs went to work on Curt Davis in the top half of the ninth and drove him to the showers, scoring four runs on six of their 11 hits before Ed Head put out the fire.

Davis gained credit for the victory, his 11th of the season compared with five defeats.

Chicago

Chicago	6	11	1
Brooklyn	9	14	1

Schmiltz, Fleming (2), Bithorn (7) and McCullough; Davis, Head (9) and Owen.

Boston, Aug. 1—(P)—The Boston Braves bunched three of their seven hits off Ray Starr in the tenth inning, today to push across the winning run and gain a 2-1 extra-inning triumph over the Cincinnati Reds.

Phil Masi started the trouble with a single after one was away. Manny Salvo attempted to sacrifice but was given a hit when Frank McCormick, Redleg first baseman, accidentally kicked the ball foul. Tommy Holmes then lashed a clean single to center, scoring Masi from second.

(10 Innings)

Cincinnati	1	9	1
Boston	2	7	0

Starr and R. West; Salvo and Masi.

Philadelphia, Aug. 1—(P)—Merrill May's single in the 12th inning and Tommy Hughes' brilliant pitching gave the Philadelphia Phils a 2 to 1 triumph over Pittsburgh today.

Nick Etten opened the 12th with a single and Stan Benjamin, running for Etten, advanced to second on Ron Northey's sacrifice. May's hit broke up the game.

(12 Innings)

Pittsburgh	1	7	1
Philadelphia	2	7	1

Gornicki, Sewell (10) and Lopez; Hughes and Bragan.

New York, Aug. 1—(P)—The St. Louis Cardinals divided a doubleheader with the New York Giants today and dropped half a game farther behind the Brooklyn Dodgers, who lead the National league by nine lengths.

Lefty Max Lanier pitched the Cards to a 3-1 decision in the opener, yielding only five hits and getting the help of five double plays and a two-run homer by Enos Slaughter, but the nightcap went 11 innings before Babe Barna settled it for the Giants, 5-4.

First game:

St. Louis	3	8	1
New York	1	5	0

Lanier and W. Cooper; Sunkel, Adams (8) and Danning.

Second game:

New York	5	13	2
St. Louis	4	10	0

(11 Innings)

Beazley, Dickson (7), Adams (8), Pollet (8), Krist (8), and Odea; Carpenter, McGee (10) and Mancuso, Danning (10).

FAIR DATES SET

Hillsboro, Aug. 1—(P)—The Washington county fair will be held Sept. 4-5, Manager Leon S. Davis announced today.

San Francisco, Aug. 1—(P)—(U.S.A.)—Butter, 92 score 42½; 91-40½; 90-39; 89-37½. Eggs and cheese unchanged.

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He's Back in Big Time Again



Van Lingle Mungo, now in a Giants uniform after Brooklyn farmed him out to Minneapolis, worked hard in his first appearance with New York. He went seven innings and gave seven scattered hits, but the Giants lost to the Cubs 4 to 2 and Van got credit for a loss. He's putting his heart and a grimace or two into his work in this picture made in New York.

YANKS LEAD CUT TO ONLY 11 GAMES

St. Louis, Aug. 1—(P)—The St. Louis Browns broke loose against Charley (Red) Ruffing today with some more of their newly discovered power, crushing the New York Yankees, 7-3, as Steve Sundra limited his former teammates to eight scattered hits.

With the second-place Boston Red Sox stopping the Detroit Tigers, the defeat cut a full game off the Yankee lead in the American league, which now stands at 11 games.

The Browns clipped Ruffing for ten of their dozen hits and scored all their runs off him before they chased him to the showers in the fifth inning.

New York

New York	3	8	0
St. Louis	7	12	1

Ruffing, Lindell (5), and Hensley, Ferrell (8); Sundra and Sewell.

Detroit, Aug. 1—(P)—The Boston Red Sox pushed over three runs in the seventh inning to defeat the Detroit Tigers, 9 to 8, today in a see-saw battle by five errors, two of which gave the Sox three unearned runs in the first inning.

Boston

Boston	9	14	3
Detroit	8	14	2

Wagner, Brown (4), Ryba (7), and Conroy, Peacock (7); Newhouse, Wilson (3), White (4), Manders (8) and Tebbetts.

NEW PUBLICITY HEAD

Corvallis, Aug. 1—(P)—The Oregon State college athletic department today announced selection of Irwin Harris, former editor of the college year book, as athletic publicity director. He graduated from OSC in 1941.

LOCALS

Billfold Stolen—Mrs. L. A. Thomas of 141 N. Fir reported to police yesterday that her billfold had been stolen from her home. It contained a fishing license, auto stamp and other papers.

Two Are Fined—Carl Christensen was fined \$5 in city police court Saturday for driving an automobile without an operator's license. Harold Brown was fined \$1 for parking his car too long.

Soldier Promoted—Mrs. Minnie Snyder, 506 Haven street, received word from her son, Donald Snyder, this week that he had been promoted to corporal. Young Snyder is stationed with a tank division at Pine Camp, New York.

Bible School—Daily Vacation Bible school will open Monday at 9 a. m., at the Four-square Gospel church, corner Central Avenue and Jackson street with Mrs. Nellie Jennings, of Kearney, Neb., instructor. Children aged four to fourteen years are invited to attend.

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HOOD RIVER HEAD MAY COACH ROOKS

Corvallis, Aug. 1—(P)—James Carr, former coach at Hood River high school for 12 years, has been recommended as freshman football coach and a member of the Oregon State college physical education department, Percy Loece, director of athletics, announced today.

Carr is a graduate of O. S. C. who returned last winter to work for a master's degree in education which he received last spring. He helped with coaching work last fall and will assist with the varsity squad this fall before taking over freshman coaching. Whether he will coach any other freshman sports is not decided, said Loece.

Before starting his work here Carr will go to St. Mary's in California, leaving Saturday, to spend two weeks in the invitational navy physical fitness program.

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EIGHT SONS VALE MOTHER IN WARS

Vale, Aug. 1—(P)—Eight sons of Mrs. Ida Harris, daughter of a Union captain wounded at Gettysburg, are on the rolls of Uncle Sam's armed forces.

Six sons saw action in the first world war and two of the present conflict her two youngest sons enlisted—Whittier J. in the army and Everett E. in the navy.

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MEETING CALLED TO END BUS ROW

Portland, Aug. 1—(P)—AFL union officials tonight called bus drivers and shop employees of the Oregon Motor Stages company to a meeting here Sunday in an attempt to settle a two-day-old strike that has tied up bus transportation in most of northwestern Oregon.

Officials, who declined to be named, said the strike was unauthorized. It came after mediation had started on demands for wage increases of undisclosed amounts.

Following the noon meeting, another session for non-striking employees of the Eugene city bus system, also operated by Oregon Motor Stages, will be held, union officials said.

SALEM, DEFENSE AREA

Washington, Aug. 1—(P)—The federal housing administration has designated Salem as a defense housing area because it is within commuting distance of Camp Adair, Senator McNary (R-Ore.) said yesterday.

NEW SHIP RECORD

Washington, Aug. 1—(P)—America's shipyards completed 71 cargo ships and tankers of 790,300 dead weight tons in July, setting a world record for steel ship construction for the third consecutive month.

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WHIRLAWAY LOSES ON SLOPPY TRACK TO IRISH HORSE

Defeat Stuns Crowd—Rounders Leads All The Way At Arlington.

Chicago, Aug. 1—(P)—A gallant Irish-bred colt named Rounders stunned a crowd of 30,000 by defeating Whirlaway, turfdom's leading money winner, by three and a half lengths in winning the \$25,000 added Arlington handicap today.

The sloppy condition of the track and the top-weighted impost of 130 pounds were contributing factors in the crushing defeat of Whirlly who won the 1941 Kentucky Derby. Rounders carried only 103 pounds.

The imported Rounders, owned by Emerson F. Woodward, wealthy Texas oil operator, with Jockey F. A. Smith piloting him, pulled in front immediately after the start and lead all the way.

Rounders ran the mile and a quarter in 2:04.

Starator, second to Whirlaway in the Kentucky Derby a year ago, was third, eight lengths further back. Pumogun was fourth and Sirocco last.

The soggy track all but ruined the race. Four were scratched from the original field of nine. They were L. B. Mayer's Reading, 2nd, Darby Dan farm's best seller, Hal Price Headley's Equitable and B. B. Robinson's No Competition.