

SPORTS

BROOKLYN LOSES
DISORDERLY GAME
TO BOSTON, 2-1

Boston, Aug. 8.—(P)—In a disorderly game in which Pitchers Manny Salvo and Whit Wyatt threw what looked suspiciously like old fashioned "bean balls" time after time, the Braves nipped the Dodgers 2 to 0 today to chalk up their second win in a row over the league leaders.

All hands, including the 5,484 customers, felt they were sitting on a powder keg most of the afternoon—and on several occasions the fuse was all lit and ready to go. As a matter of fact, the umpires twice had to break up promising free-for-alls between the two clubs, just as players were charging at each other with what could hardly be construed as friendly intentions for a get-together.

Only two batsmen were hit but there were many number of "near misses." Wyatt brushed Salvo's uniform with one of his slants in the seventh inning. In the eighth there was no doubt when one of Salvo's shoots plunked against Wyatt. The Dodger elbow was so puffed about it, he hurled his bat out toward the mound, but his aim wasn't as good as it usually is, and the stick slid right out to shortstop.

As Wyatt walked to first, Salvo stroled over to the first-base line. Manny's teammates, Sibby Sisti and Max West rushed over to intercept him. The entire squads of both clubs poured out and milled around the infield until Umpires Lee Ballanfant, Al Barlick and Babe Pinelli restored order.

Sisti scored both the Braves' runs.
Brooklyn 0 3 0
Boston 2 5 1
Wyatt and Owen; Salvo and Lombardi.

CRAIG WOOD WINS
CANADIAN TITLE

Toronto, Aug. 8.—(P)—Craig Wood, United States open champion, won the Canadian golf title today by shooting a par 72 in the final round for a 72-hole score of 275—13 strokes under par for the distance.

Wood, who started the day tied for the lead with Ralph Guldahl of Santa Fe, Calif., at 135, shot a four-below par 68 in the morning round but concentrated entirely on "safe" shots during the afternoon.

The new champion fired a 66 over the Mississauga club course in the first round Thursday and then came back with a 69 on Friday.

The veteran Mamaroneck, N. Y., pro finished four strokes in front of Mike Turnesa, White Plains, N. Y., who soared from deep in the rack today to a spectacular 65. That total equalled the competitive course record Ben Hogan of Hershey, Pa., established Thursday.

ARMORY STILL DARK

For the second Monday night in a row the Medford armory will remain dark tomorrow night as Promoter Mack Lillard's wrestlers continue their vacation from local action. Lillard plans to reopen his weekly mat cards either August 17 or 24, with several new faces on the program. He is at present contacting grapplers in California, northern Oregon and Washington for a series of appearances in the local arena.

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Major General Charles H. Gerhardt, commander of the 91st Infantry Division, will participate with other 91st division officers in the rodeo and horse show to be staged at the fairgrounds park next Friday and Saturday nights under sponsorship of the Jackson County Sheriff's Posse. The general, shown above on his horse, will ride with the army's jumping horse class.

YANKEES THRESH
MACKMEN 8 TO 4;
BROWNS TRIUMPH

New York, Aug. 8.—(P)—After losing their last two games on the road, the Yankees came back to their own ballyard today and made themselves right at home with a three-home-run attack that easily trounced the Philadelphia Athletics 8 to 4.

Connie Mack threw his ace, Phil Marchildon, at the Yankees, and the bombers proceeded to trump him in a hurry. Charley Keller clouted his 17th homer of the year with two aboard in the first inning; Bill Dickey whacked his first of the campaign with one on in the third and Buddy Hassett belted his fourth with a mate waiting in the sixth. With these seven runs coming on homers, it was no trick at all for the Yanks to hand Marchildon his ninth loss of the year against 13 victories and break his five-game winning streak.

Philadelphia 4 13 0
New York 8 10 3

St. Louis, Aug. 8.—(P)—Defending fourth place, the St. Louis Browns defeated Detroit today, 6 to 4, for their second straight victory over the slumping Tigers, who now have lost five in a row.

Each team made only seven hits, but the Browns clinched the game in the first inning with a 4-run outburst against Rookie Hal White. Don Gutteridge walked as a starter and scored on Harland Clift's double. Vernon Stephens' single added the second tally and Chet Laubs followed with his 21st home run.

Detroit 4 7 0
St. Louis 6 7 1

White, Manders (6), Wilson (8) and Tebbetts; Auker and Hayes.

HAWAIIAN YOUTH
SETS SWIM MARK

New London, Conn., Aug. 8.—(P)—Broad-shouldered, 17-year-old Billy Smith of Maui, Hawaii, power-stroked his way today to a world record in the 440-yard style race, a feature of the national A.A.U. men's outdoor swimming championships at Ocean Beach Park's Olympic pool.

The 190-pound Hawaiian schoolboy, defending his title, sped through the green water in four minutes, 39.6 seconds, slashing more than a second off the international standard recorded eight years ago by Jack Medina of the University of Washington.

The tanned, husky Smith finished 20 feet in front of his buddy, Keo Nakama of Ohio State, and left the rest of the field far out of the picture.

So good was Smith's performance that Larry Johnson of Boston, national A.A.U. swimming chairman, described it as "phenomenal."

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FINISHES SIXTH,
SO BETTERS BOO

Chicago, Aug. 8.—(P)—Alsab, the celebrated \$700 bargain horse, making his first start since running second to Shut Out in the \$53,000 Belmont stakes on June 6, ran out of the money in a \$2,500 six furlong handicap at Washington Park today.

Unable to keep up with the blistering pace, in a field of six, Alsab, laid up for two months because of a leg injury, finished fourth. He went to the post a 9 to 5 favorite and was greeted with mingled boos and cheers by the crowd of 25,000 when Jockey Basil James brought him back in front of the grandstand. The sum of \$23,516 was bet on Alsab across the board with \$15,220 going on him to triumph.

The winner was Defense, owned by Norman Church of Los Angeles, which won in the sizzling time of 1:11 four fifths of a second off the track record. Sales Talk was second beaten a length and a quarter with Wolf Wood third. Then came Alsab, nearly six lengths behind the winner. The prices on the winners were \$9.00, \$5.00, and \$3.80.

OUTHIT RAINIERS
DEFEAT BEAVERS

Portland, Ore., Aug. 8.—(P)—Back in winning stride, the Seattle Rainiers defeated Portland today, 5-3, for their 12th Pacific Coast league victory in 13 starts. The Rainiers converted four hits and an error into four runs in the second inning and accepted another in the seventh when Pitcher Bob Fitzke balked in Ed Kearse.

Portland outhit Seattle, 9 to 7, but the Beavers could score only two runs in the fifth on two hits and a walk and one more in the sixth on a walk and two singles.

It was Portland's fifth loss to Seattle in six games, and the 12th in 13 consecutive contests. Seattle 5 7 1
Portland 3 9 1
Budnick, Fisher (6) and Kearse; Fitzke and Levich.

San Francisco, Aug. 8.—(P)—The Hollywood Stars batted in two runs in the tenth inning this afternoon to break a 2-2 deadlock and hand the San Francisco Coast League club its third straight loss by a margin of 4 to 2.

Sam Gibson was the losing pitcher, Bill Thomas the winner. Hollywood 4 11 1
San Francisco 2 9 3
Hilcher, Thomas and Atwood; Gibson and Sprinz.

Los Angeles, Aug. 8.—(P)—Los Angeles, after dropping three games to the upstart Oakland Aacorns put the visitors in their place today with a 12-1 setback and prevented them from prematurely clinching the present Pacific Coast League series. Oakland 1 7 3
Los Angeles 12 13 0
Kleinke, Phippen (3) and Arimondi; Raffensberger and Todd.

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TO RIDE IN SHOW

Final plans are rapidly being formulated for the rodeo and horse show at the fairgrounds park next Friday and Saturday nights, sponsored by the Jackson County Sheriff's Posse as its contribution to the activation celebration of the 91st Infantry Division Saturday morning.

Army and civilian riders and horses will participate in the gala affair, and there will also be exhibitions of fancy riding, trick roping, calf roping, wild bucking horses and bucking Brahma bulls.

Major General Charles H. Gerhardt, commander of the new 91st Infantry Division, will ride with other officers in the army's jumping horse class, and he and some other member of his family are scheduled to ride in the pleasure horse class. The 91st division's cavalry drill team will stage four events.

The stock horse class, open to everybody, will be judged 40 per cent on conformation, 20 per cent on stopping ability, 20 per cent on reining and 20 per cent on general handiness of horse.

The pleasure horse class is also open to all, as is the family horse class, in which two or more members of a family participate. These events, it was emphasized, are all open to the public, and the committee in charge cordially invites all to enter.

Also on the schedule are three and five-gaited horse classes, and possibly some driving horse classes.

Final arrangements for qualification of entries will be announced later.

STATE SEMI-PRO
CHAMPS GO EAST

Portland, Aug. 8.—(P)—The Portland Boilemakers, semi-pro baseball champions of Oregon, will leave tomorrow for the national semi-pro tournament at Wichita, Kas.

Manager Vern Reynolds has strengthened his lineup by signing players from other semi-pro teams.

Players include Pat Knoop and Frank Roelandt, catchers; Duke Windsor, ince Pesky, Andy Frahier, Oscar "Red" Miller and John Bubalo, pitchers; Monroe Dean, Bob Baer, Reynolds, Eddie George and Barney Koch, infielders; Leonard Younce, Bill Taitt and Dick Koehler, outfielders.

The team's first game will be Aug. 15. The opponent has not yet been determined.

SPEECE CAN'T DO
STUFF AT EUGENE

Portland, Ore., Aug. 8.—(P)—Byron Speece, suspended pitcher of the Portland Pacific Coast league baseball team, is ineligible to play for Eugene in the semi-pro state league. Secretary Ray Brooks said today.

Brooks said that although the state league was not affiliated with the minor league association, it endeavored to conform in a general way to its rules and would not permit a suspended minor league player to participate in its games.

He said Eugene had signed Speece, who was suspended July 23 because he refused to travel to Seattle for a series. Speece said he wanted to return to his trade of carpentering and would play only home games.

PIRATES BATTLE
CARDS 16 INNINGS
FOR A 5-5 TIE

Pittsburgh, Aug. 8.—(P)—The Pittsburgh Pirates and the St. Louis Cardinals battled 16 innings today to a 5-5 tie which will be played off Monday, an open date for both clubs.

The Pirates had five pitchers in the lineup and the Cardinals four before darkness halted the contest. The game was stopped 11 minutes because of weather in the sixth inning.

Terry Moore's pinch double with two out scored Frank Crespi from first to tie the game in the eighth and neither club scored after that. M. Cooper started for the Cardinals but went out in the third inning after Vincent DiMaggio singled with the bases loaded to drive in two runs. The Pirates scored three runs in the second inning on DiMaggio's double, three singles and an intentional pass. St. Louis 5 12 1
Pittsburgh 5 10 1

M. Cooper, Krist, Gumbert and W. Cooper; Hamlin, Lanning, Dietz, Wilkie and Lopez.

Cincinnati, Aug. 8.—(P)—Four ancient righthanders dominated the action at Crosley field today where the Cincinnati Reds and Chicago Cubs split a doubleheader. The Redlegs won the opener 2-1 over 12 innings, and Bill Lee scattered five singles for his 11th victory for the Cubs in the nightcap, 3-0.

Lon Warneke gave 10 hits over the 12 frames of the first contest and had a 1-0 lead on Paul Derringer when Derringer was lifted for a pinch hitter in the eighth. Joe Beggs finished and won for the Reds.

First game:
Chicago 1 7 0
Cincinnati 2 10 0
Warneke and McCullough; Derringer, Beggs and Makeman.
Second game:
Chicago 3 8 0
Cincinnati 0 6 0
Lee and Scheffing; Starr and West.

LEAGUE TO PLAN
DIMOUT CHANGES

Spokane, Aug. 8.—(P)—Club owners of the Western International baseball league will consider tomorrow at Tacoma the transfer of games to comply with the Pacific Coast dimout order, Bill Ulrich, owner of the Spokane Indians, said tonight.

Ulrich, who has been under a physician's care, said he would not be able to attend the special meeting called by Pres. Robert Abel for noon Sunday, but would be represented by Hugh Pace, Indian business manager.

Games scheduled for Tacoma and Salem after the dimout deadline probably will be transferred to Spokane and Vancouver, Ulrich said.

PATTY BEATS FALKENBERG
Culver, Ind., Aug. 8.—(P)—Budge Patty, Los Angeles, became the national junior singles champion for the second straight year when he defeated Tom Falkenberg, Hollywood, Calif., 6-2, 4-6, 6-3, 6-4, in the finals of the National Junior tennis tournament at Culver Military academy today.

AL WRIGHT ENLISTS

Portland, Ore., Aug. 8.—(P)—Al Wright, second baseman for the Portland Beavers, said today he would enlist in the navy Monday at Seattle. He added that he hoped to be able to complete the baseball season with Portland.

Portland, Aug. 8.—(P)—Leonard Gehrke, Lincoln high school coach, was ordered to active duty today in the army as a first lieutenant.

SALEM PLANS TO
USE 'CON' PITCHER
GIVEN 'BRUSH-OFF'

Salem, Ore., Aug. 8.—(P)—"Big Luke" Crosswhite, the Oregon penitentiary lifer with the smoke ball, was knocked off the professional baseball ladder today before he got a chance to start climbing.

The towering, 30-year-old 200-pounder received the brush-off in quick succession from every one concerned except the Salem Senators of the Western International league who signed him Thursday as a pitcher.

And by the time Judge W. G. Brannham, commissioner of minor league baseball, Charles A. Sprague, Oregon's governor, and George Alexander, warden of the state prison, said their pieces, the Salem club had nothing to offer.

Bramham telegraphed that Crosswhite "or any other convict" could not be signed or played.

The warden withdrew his permission for "Big Luke" to pitch for Salem in a navy relief game Monday night "or any other game."

The club had announced that Alexander would permit Crosswhite to take the mound for the Senators' home appearances.

The governor said Crosswhite, convicted of slaying a state policeman 10 years ago, should "not be exploited as a permanent pitcher for Salem or any other nine."

That left "Big Luke" right back where he was before Thursday—the star pitcher for the Oregon penitentiary Prison Greys.

GOLF AND BONDS
KEEP BING BUSY

Seattle, Aug. 8.—(P)—Bing Crosby was a busy young man today.

He drew the largest crowd—15,000 persons—ever to jam victory square, downtown rallying point for war bond sales, at noon, and a new record was set for sales of bonds and stamps—\$117,039.95 for the day.

Then he opened the Post-Intelligencer's annual hole-in-one golf tournament, but didn't come close to the nearest scoring circle, which is 13 feet from the cup on the 110-yard hole.

HOME SEASON OF
CRATERS CLOSES
WITH PASS TODAY

The pace-setting Medford Craters close their 1942 Oregon-California league home schedule against the Grants Pass Merchants at the fairgrounds park here this afternoon at 2:30. Manager Dutch Lieber's crew will end their loop season in a two-game series at Klamath Falls next week-end.

The other circuit clash pits the second-place Pelicans against Dorris' tough Lumberjacks at Dorris. Opening games in the two series were played last night.

Manager Lieber was undecided last night who he would send against Grants Pass, but young Al Wimer, the University of Oregon southpaw, seemed the likely candidate for Crater hurling chores. Wimer beat the Merchants early in the season with a nifty performance, but in later trips to the mound displayed considerable wildness. He has been working out steadily and believes he has overcome that weakness.

The Craters, who have captured 16 and lost four games to build up a two-tilt lead over Klamath, not counting games of last night, are expected to line up with Norm Worthingley catching, Lieber on first, Johnny Gitzen on second, Don Fawcett on short, Harold Lange on third, Vic Waite in left, Al Wray in center and either Paul Hoffard or Glen Swanson in right.

CALIFORNIA BAN
ON DEER HUNTING
DUE EARLY DATE

San Francisco, Aug. 8.—(P)—The fish and game commission has recommended to the state department of natural resources that deer hunting in northwestern California be suspended, and it appeared today the actual closing order would come probably no later than Monday.

The commission's recommendation was made at the request of the army's western defense command, although some commissioners said they saw no necessity for the closure and the entire body adopted a resolution

San Francisco, Aug. 8.—(P)—OPA officials announced today that studies are under way to save logging truck tires by eliminating routes that parallel railroads.

petitioning Lieut. Gen. J. L. De Witt to reconsider.

Action came following a public hearing yesterday at which one protest after another was laid before the commission.

General DeWitt asked that the season be closed because of extreme fire hazard he said he was convinced it represented. A similar request, made earlier, led to a ban on deer hunting in the southern coastal counties even before the season opened August 1. It was to have continued until September 15.

ORTIZ, NEW KING
OF BANTAMS WAS
ONCE BEAN PICKER

By Robert Myers

Hollywood, Aug. 8.—(P)—The new bantamweight champion of the world is a 25-year-old Mexican who a few years ago picked beans in his native Imperial valley of California for \$2 a day.

The ex-beanpicker, Manuel Ortiz, lifted the bantamweight bauble off the weary brow of Lou Salica of New York Friday night in a 12-round match that kept 6,000 fans alternately excited and bored.

The El Centro lad won going away, as they say around the horse parks, but the game little New Yorker, a veteran of more than 10 years in the prize ring, gave his best when he knew from the outset that his crown was slipping away from him.

He tried to fight in close and got whipped. He stood off and let fly from long range, and the long-armed Mexican boy slapped him across the ring.

It was revenge for Ortiz. Salica outpointed him in 1939, two years after Ortiz, winner of the National Golden Gloves title at Boston as a flyweight, had emerged from the amateur ranks.

Salica earned his guarantee of \$8,000. Ortiz got \$250. The card netted \$17,298, and some \$10,000 will be turned over to buy athletic equipment for army camps in this region.

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