

SPORTS

Cheney Studs Clash With Black Sox In SOL Contest

The Medford Cheney Studs will be aiming for the .500 mark in Southern Oregon baseball league play this weekend when they meet league leading Drain's Black Sox in a two-game series here.

The series will be one of two major Studs attractions. The House of David furnishes opposition for the Studs here Wednesday night. Game time tomorrow night is 8 p.m., and 2 p.m. Sunday.

Two victories this weekend would give the Medford nine a league record of 10 wins and 10 losses. Drain is one of the league's more powerful hitting teams, and with pitching by either Bill Duer, Jerry Cade or Bob Diller, the Studs may have a tough series to win.

Other Games
While Drain and Medford are playing here, Bend will play at Grants Pass and Bandon, which fanned the Studs two defeats last weekend at Bandon, will

clash with Coquille in other SOL action.

Manager Jack Cooney will pick his hurlers from Warren Noyes, Terry Maddox, Derald Wootton, Marve Sherpt, and Jim Kelly, while Dick Wootton and Howard Morris share catching duties.

The rest of the infield will be composed of Cooney, Jack Fassett, Bob Selsor, Eddie McCullough or Derald Wootton. Maddox, Larry Bingham, Ron Maurer, Bill McLean, Harvey Tonn and Morris are candidates for starting berths in the outfield.

Drain Lineup
Backing up Duer, Cade or Diller on the mound will be Bill Beard or Chuck Dufaro behind the plate for Drain. Beard, who is leading the league in hitting, was batting about .600 a couple of weeks ago and is a mainstay in Drain's hitting department.

Completing the Black Sox infield for the series will be Don Porter, Ad Ruttsman, Bob Sellers or Bob Buob, Pat Wohlert, Ted Wilson, Glen Stetter and Vern Marshall will share outfield duties. Roy Helser, a relief pitcher, is manager of the league leaders. Following the Drain series, the Studs' next league action will be a two-game series at Bend Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 13 and 14.

Banks Near Homer Title

Chicago —(U.P.)— Twenty-four year old Ernie Banks needs only four more home runs to become the greatest homer-hitting shortstop of all-time.

At the rate he's been slamming homers over the left field fence in Wrigley Field this week, the Chicago Cubs' sensational shortstop could break Vern Stephens' old record any day.

Banks belted his 34th, 35th and 36th Thursday off three Pittsburgh pitchers to tie Duke Snider of the Brooklyn Dodgers for the major league lead. He needs only three more to tie Stephens' 1949 record of 39.

With less than two years of major league experience, Banks joined illustrious baseball greats Babe Ruth and Lou Gehrig when he walloped his fourth grand slam homer of the season Tuesday. He has 43 games left in which to become the first player in history to hit five grand slammers in one season.

Banks, who claims he isn't even swinging for the fences, credits his home run spurge to a lighter bat he's using this year.

Probable Pitchers

Portland (Glenn Elliott 4-2 and Red Adams 8-7) at San Francisco (Steve Nagy 3-10 and Don Fracchia 10-9) at Oakland (Chris Van Cuyk 4-8) at Sacramento (Marino Pieretti 12-11) at Los Angeles (Joe Hatten 7-6) at San Diego (Cal McLish 12-8) at Seattle (Howie Judson 8-8) at Hollywood (Red Munger 15-7).

NORTHWEST LEAGUE
L. L. Pct.
Eugene 17 12 .586
Lewiston 17 13 .566
Tri-City 15 12 .555
Salem 15 16 .484
Wenatchee 14 15 .482
Spokane 14 18 .437
Yakima 13 19 .406

Thursday's Results
Salem 2, Eugene 0
Wenatchee 3, Yakima 2 (10 innings)
Lewiston 10, Spokane 6

Seixas Is Favored In Tennis Play

South Orange, N.J. —(U.P.)—Vic Seixas, a regular on the United States Davis Cup team, and Eddie Moylan, who would like to make the squad, were favored to gain the semifinals round today in the Eastern Grass Courts tennis championships.

Seixas of Philadelphia was pitted against Sam Giammalva of Houston, Tex., while Moylan of Trenton, N.J., played Kurt Nielsen of Denmark.

Billy Talbert, the non-playing captain of the U. S. Davis Cup team, already has indicated he will depend on Seixas and Tony Trabert for this year's defense of the Cup, but probably won't name his No. 3 player until the last moment.

Moylan, it is reported, is being considered for the team, but feels he must win this tournament to remain in the running. The New Jersey veteran won the Meadow Club championship last weekend when Talbert defaulted in the fifth set of the finals because of a sore back.

Ham Richardson of Baton Rouge, La., another leading Davis Cup candidate, and Gil Shea of Los Angeles led the way into the semifinals Thursday. Richardson downed Roger Becker of England, 5-7, 6-3, 6-4, and Shea eliminated Johann Kupkenburger of South Africa, 2-6, 9-7, 6-3.

Obedience By Dogs In Sport Show

Members of the Southern Oregon Kennel club will demonstrate dog obedience at the second annual Sportsmen's Show sponsored by the Isaak Walton league at Medford High school stadium Tuesday night. The show starts at 7 p.m.

Mrs. Frank Catalano, a dog instructor and exhibitor, is arranging obedience demonstration details.

Among dogs from the valley which will participate are Skybow, a black Labrador owned by Wally Kirsher of Ashland; Rocky, a dalmatian owned by Barbara Bruse of Medford; Sissy, a pomeranian owned by Margaret Jones of Phoenix; Sonny and Red, boxers owned by Caryl Gibbs of Medford; Tony, a boxer owned by Mabel Day; and Linda, a weimaraner owned by Mrs. Catalano.

The Sportsmen's Show will include displays by the Waltonians as well as demonstrations of spin casting, fly casting, and other sports events.

League Leaders

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Player & Club G AB R H Pct.
Campbell, Bkn. 83 310 59 104 .335
Ashburn, Phila. 101 388 62 127 .327
Post, Cinc. 107 423 77 133 .314
Snider, Bkn. 104 380 92 119 .313
Kluzewski, Cinc. 106 417 75 130 .312

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Kaline, Det. 104 410 95 144 .351
Kuenn, Det. 96 410 69 134 .327
Smith, Cleve. 106 427 82 135 .316
Power, K. City 103 405 62 127 .314
Kell, Chicago 88 296 32 93 .314

Home Runs—Banks, Cubs 36; Snider, Dodgers 36; Kluzewski, Redlegs 35; Mays, Giants 34; Mathews, Braves 29.
Runs—Kaline, Tigers 95; Snider, Dodgers 92; Mantle, Yankees 85; Smith, Indians 82; Mays, Giants 80.
Hits—Kaline, Tigers 144; Smith, Indians 135; Kuenn, Tigers 134; Post, Redlegs 133.
Pitching—Newcombe, Dodgers 18-1; Byrne, Yankees 10-2; Donovan, White Sox 13-4; Loes, Dodgers 9-3; Erskine, Dodgers 10-4.

FIGHTS

Pontiac, Mich.: Gen Linscott, 159.
Pontiac, Mich.: outpointed Al Andrews, 154-12, St. Paul, Minn. (10).
Loul d. e. a. j. 931
Phillipsburg, Pa.: Tommy Bain, 127.
Indianapolis, Ind.: outpointed Babe Beau Jack, 125, New York (8).

Fleck Threatened With Elimination In Golf's All American Tourney

Chicago —(U.P.)— Golf's big names were pursuit players today, chasing Arnold Palmer, Wally Ulrich and Ted Kroll in the second round of Tam O'Shanter's "All American" tournament after the trio tied with four under par 68's for the first 18 holes.

Such players as PGA champion Doug Ford, Mike Souchak, defending champion Jerry Barber, Australian Peter Thomson, the 1954 National Open winner, Ed Furgol, Sam Snead, Cary Middlecoff, Frank Stranahan, Dave Douglas and Open champ, Jack Fleck, were from one to nine strokes behind.

Fleck had the worst score of the pack of prominent players, a 77 which threatened him with elimination after today's play, when only the low 76 scorers and ties will be permitted to continue the final 36 holes in the race for the \$3,420 top prize, payable Sunday night.

Palmer, a 25-year-old pro for less than one year who in 1954 won the Amateur section of this tournament, and Ulrich, 33, knocked par apart on the final holes Thursday to move into the first place deadlock. Palmer finished with an eagle and a birdie on the last four holes while Ulrich, erratic throughout the day, got four birdies and a bogie

on the last five holes.

Kroll, 35, the only one of the leaders among the top money winners, shaved two strokes off par on each nine with a pair of 34's to move into the first place deadlock.

In all, 43 of the field of 146 pro's who completed the first round equalled par or better. Ford had a 69, Souchak a 70, Barber, Thomson and Furgol 71's Snead a 72, and Middlecoff, Stranahan and Douglas 73's.

Patty Berg, Chicago, a three time winner of the women's top prize in this annual affair, was tied for first place in the women pro group with Carol Bowman, a relative newcomer from Oakland, Calif. Each shot a one under par 75 to grab a one stroke edge on Betty Hicks, Palm Springs, Calif., and Betty Dodd, Louisville, Ky.

In the women amateur division, 18-year-old Wiffi Smith, St. Clair, Mich., had the best score of the day, a 74 to take a seven stroke lead over Jackie Yates, Honolulu, the national intercollegiate champion who posted an 81.

Doug Sanders, Cedarhurst, Ga., was the leading male amateur with a 69 while Mason Rudolph, Clarksville, Tenn., and Phillip Scrutton, England, each matched par with a 72.

The Dalles Wins Legion State Title

The Dalles —(U.P.)— The Dalles rallied for four runs in the ninth inning last night to defeat Roseburg 4-2 and win the state American Legion Junior Baseball championship.

Three hits and one Roseburg error combined for the runs, which gave Urness Motors of The Dalles a 3-1 series victory over Roseburg and a birth in the regional finals which start Aug. 13 at Billings, Mont.

Winning pitcher was Denny Peterson, who was judged outstanding player of the tournament. Peterson gave up six hits while his mates clubbed two Roseburg hurlers for 10.

Ron Beamer, Roseburg first baseman, was awarded the sportsman trophy following the

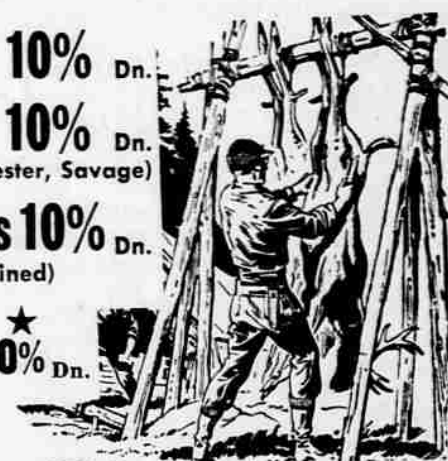
contest, and Irwin Fandrey, The Dalles catcher, won the batting crown with six hits in 11 trips to the plate, a .545 mark.

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Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Brooklyn	74	33	.692	
Milwaukee	58	48	.547	15 1/2
New York	57	51	.523	17 1/2
Philadelphia	54	58	.482	22 1/2
Chicago	53	58	.477	23
Cincinnati	39	57	.407	24
St. Louis	46	57	.447	26
Pittsburgh	40	70	.364	35 1/2

Thursday's Results
Chicago 11, Pittsburgh 10
Brooklyn 11, Milwaukee 10
Cincinnati 4, Philadelphia 3
St. Louis 3, New York 0, night

Friday's Probable Pitchers
Brooklyn at Chicago—Podres (8-6)
Erskine (9-4) vs. Hacker (10-9)
New York at Cincinnati (night)—Liddle (6-3) vs. Black (5-1)
Pittsburgh at Milwaukee (night)—Hall (2-1) vs. Spain (9-11)
Philadelphia at St. Louis (night)—Jackson (8-5) or Simmons (7-9) vs. Arroyo (11-6)

Saturday's Games
New York at Cincinnati
Pittsburgh at Milwaukee
Brooklyn at Chicago
Philadelphia at St. Louis, night

AMERICAN LEAGUE	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Chicago	63	41	.606	
Cleveland	64	42	.604	
New York	63	43	.594	1
Boston	62	44	.585	2
Detroit	57	48	.543	6 1/2
Kansas City	57	44	.561	20 1/2
Washington	36	69	.343	27 1/2
Baltimore	33	72	.314	30 1/2

Thursday's Results
Washington 9, Detroit 6
Baltimore 8, Kansas City 1
Cleveland 6, New York 3
Boston 7, Chicago 3

Friday's Probable Pitchers
Cleveland at Washington (night)—Maglie (10-0) vs. Stone (9-11)
Chicago at Baltimore (night)—Byrd (6-4) vs. Wilson (7-12)
Detroit at New York (night)—Bunne (1-2) vs. Larsen (2-1)
Kansas City at Boston (night)—Maschi (3-3) vs. Sullivan (14-5)

Saturday's Games
Chicago at Baltimore
Kansas City at Boston
Detroit at New York
Cleveland at Washington
x-Maglie had a 9-5 record in the National League this season.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Seattle	41	53	.437	
San Diego	72	36	.663	2
Hollywood	69	37	.548	4
Portland	63	39	.516	8
Los Angeles	63	64	.496	10 1/2
Oakland	56	71	.441	17 1/2
Sacramento	55	72	.433	18 1/2
San Francisco	54	73	.425	19 1/2

Thursday's Results
Portland 4, San Francisco 1 (1st)
Portland 7, San Francisco 5 (2nd, 10 innings)
Oakland 9, Sacramento 3 (1st)
Oakland 4, Sacramento 3 (2nd, 10 innings)
Hollywood 3, Seattle 2 (12 innings)
Los Angeles 5, San Diego 4

Row Series Stand
Portland 2, San Francisco 0
Oakland 2, Sacramento 0
Hollywood 1, Seattle 0
Los Angeles 1, San Diego 0



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