

SPORTS

Rogue Loop Launching Scheduled

Campaign for District 6 A-2 southern division honors opens this evening with two games in the Rogue league.

Phoenix goes to Cave Junction to encounter Illinois Valley while Rogue River is host to Glendale.

Practices for the Phoenix Pirates this week saw three days of real hard work. A lot of attention has been given to pass defense, a glaring Pirate weakness. And, Phoenix has sought to perfect its blocking against different types of defense. An increase in squad to 30 players has given the Pirates a chance to really scrimmage.

Coach Jack Woodward said he felt his Phoenix club took the game too lightly when it lost last week to Brookings. He said he thinks the team will be more ready for IV.

Rugged Work

Rogue River, according to coach Bob Sandgren, has not looked too sharp in practice. But, the Chiefs have not lacked for enthusiasm and eagerness despite rugged tackling and blocking work that has made for bumps and bruises.

One tackle, Tim Murdock, of the Chieftains, has an injured arm but is expected to see service. Jerry Van Dorn, quarterback, returned to the RR squad yesterday after being sidelined three days by flu.

Glendale is reported to be as big as Rogue River. It has a pair of hard-charging guards and a big fullback.

STANDINGS

United Press International AMERICAN LEAGUE

W.	L.	Pct.	GB
X-Chicago	92	59	609
Cleveland	87	63	380 4 1/2
New York	78	73	517 14
Detroit	75	76	497 17
Baltimore	72	79	477 20
Boston	64	88	427 27 1/2
Kansas City	63	88	417 29
Washington	63	88	417 29

X—Clinched pennant.

Thursday's Results

(No games scheduled.)

Friday's Probable Pitchers
 Baltimore at New York (night)—Peppers (15-9) vs. Ford (15-10)
 Washington at Boston (night)—Pascual (17-10) vs. Brewer (10-12)
 Kansas City at Cleveland (2 p.m.)—Daley (16-13) vs. Briggs (6-9) and McElish (19-8)

Saturday's Games

Chicago at Detroit
 Kansas City at Cleveland
 Baltimore at New York
 Washington at Boston

NATIONAL LEAGUE

W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Milwaukee	87	67	556
Los Angeles	84	67	556
San Francisco	82	68	543
Pittsburgh	78	74	513 6 1/2
Chicago	73	78	483 11
Cincinnati	72	80	474 12 1/2
St. Louis	69	82	457 15
Philadelphia	63	88	417 21

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MacKay, Bueno No. 1 Seeded

Berkeley, Calif. (UPI)—Mary MacKay of Dayton, Ohio, and the sensational Mario Bueno of Sao Paulo, Brazil, holds the top seeds for the 70th annual Pacific Coast Tennis championships which start Saturday.

The 19-year-old Brazilian, who won the United States and Wimbledon women's singles crowns this year, will be taking her first shot at the Pacific Coast title.

Another star in the large foreign field which will see action at the Berkeley Tennis Club is Ramathan Krishnan, India's leading player. He holds two wins this year over erratic Alex Olmedo.



WINS BROWN JUG—Veteran driver Clint Hodgins gets a modern-style Little Brown Jug trophy-punch bowl and cups—and a handshake from Rep. Robert W. Levering (D-Ohio). Hodgins drove Adios Buter to a world's record 1:59.4 in the pacing classic. The women are Racheal Colby of Columbus, Ohio, left, and Mary Ann Lee of Cleveland, Ohio. (UPI Telephoto)

Woods, Water, Wildlife

By Hank DeVoss

The steelhead fishing was supposed to be a little on the slow side last week end but there were a few fishermen in the Galice area who had a ball. Fish weighing up to five pounds were caught and lures were working as well as flies. Most of the fish were in the half-pounder category, which didn't lessen the sport one bit.

FABULOUS STORIES

Some really weird stories are coming up as to the size and availability of this early run. Fishermen at Mule creek are reported to have hit 50 fish on the week end. A party of three boats and six fishermen is supposed to have tied onto over 124 steelhead during a three day trip. This embryo fly-fisherman hit six in spite of having the line tangled around his ears most of the time. I landed only one and enjoyed every minute of it.

SPECULATION?

Many of us may be wondering why we are so lucky this year in having a good fall run for the second year in a row. The answer could be that this is the second year the screens at Savage Rapids dam have been in operation and for the first time, in almost 40 years the downstream migrants are getting by this fish killer without being cut to ribbons or passed down the irrigation canals. Part of the answer also lies in the increasing number of diversion ditches that are being screened every year by the game commission.

WHERE DID THEY GO?

Since the rain last week end there may be some question as to where the fish will be now. A report from the counting station at Gold Ray dam says there are small steelhead showing up so it may be safe to say that there are steelhead scattered from the mouth to above Gold Ray dam and chances probably are as good one place as another.

BASIN VS. TRIBUTARY

Today there was a meeting being held by our congressman Charles Porter to determine what the issues are regarding the so-called flood control projects in the Rogue River basin. He will find there are some parties who are ready to push their own pet irrigation projects to the possible detriment of an overall basin development project. There are those who believe immediate work should be done to authorize and get funds for certain projects on the tributaries. Their main argument is that this should be done because they are non-controversial.

HOW MANY DIPS?

There is a possibility that if we send our congressman to congress too often with a

Red Hat Days Begin For Hunting Season

Red Hat Days in Oregon began today and will continue through the hunting seasons.

The Days are aimed at good feeling between sportsmen and landowners and at safety with both fire and firearms. Twenty-eight organizations, landowners and sportsmen's groups, are sponsors of the program to promote sportsmanship afield.

Hunters again will be asked to sign the Red Hat pledge on cards donated by the Keep Oregon Green association. The pledge is to "be law abiding, to respect the rights and property of others and be careful of fire and firearms."

Co-chairman of the program for Jackson county are Earl Knight and Russell DeForrest. They have urged business establishments and others to cooperate by planning special displays or other activities during the hunting season.

Progress has been made in the past few years with Red Hat efforts in reducing trespass, hunter-caused fires and acts of vandalism.

The two chairmen pointed out that most landowners themselves are avid outdoorsmen who understand the value

RED HAT DAYS



of the American wildlife principle of common ownership and readily sympathize with sportsmen who wish to share in its privileges. They said, however, that the property owner has but little choice but to post his land when a few individuals endanger life and property.

PROBERS CALL DEMPSEY

New York (UPI)—Jack Dempsey, promotional director of Rosensohn Enterprises, Inc., has been asked to appear at the state attorney-general's office next Wednesday in connection with the beleaguered organization's fight promotion of the June 26 Ingemar Johansson-Floyd Patterson heavyweight title fight.

Adios Butler Reigns in Class

Delaware, Ohio (UPI)—Adios Butler reigned today as the top 3-year-old pacer of the year and perhaps one of the best of all time.

The bay colt sped to a world record 1:59 2/3 mile here Thursday in winning the Little Brown Jug in straight heats to become the first horse ever to win pacing's triple crown.

He had won the Cane Futurity and the Messenger Stake and with the \$28,335 won in the Jug, boosted his earnings to \$156,258 for his owners, Paige West of Snow Hill, Md., and Angello Polillo of Scarsdale, N. Y.

Driver Clint Hodgins, a 52-year-old Canadian with a fine sense of humor, said it was "a little rough out there," when he climbed out of the sulky after the record mile in the grand circuit classic.

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Two Cons Seized; Others at Large

By United Press International

Two of three convicts who escaped from a work camp at Darrington, Wash., were recaptured in Seattle today. Two other convicts escaped from the state prison in Walla Walla Thursday night.

The three convicts who got away from the work camp tied up an unarmed guard and three state employees before escaping in a pickup truck.

Milton Ventura, 30, and Billie Combs, 33, were apprehended in Seattle. Still at large was Jess Bullock, 40.

Oregon state police said they had been alerted that two other convicts, Estel M. Davis, 29, and Louis Woodford, 28, escaped from Walla Walla Thursday night.

Ventura, Combs and Bullock had been sent from the penitentiary to the honor farm near Vaucover. They were taken to Darrington with a special work party to gather pine cones which the prisoners use in craft projects.

Before making their getaway the trio took a total of \$70 in cash, four credit cards and a guard badge from the four men.

Unit Permits Still Available

Portland—Oregon deer hunters are advised that unit permits are still available in about half of the game management units. These unfilled units are located in southeastern, eastern, and northeastern Oregon and down through the Willamette valley and the central Oregon coast.

Hunters wishing to apply for the either-sex deer permits should see their license agents. All license agents have been furnished with a list of unfilled units showing the number of permits available in each unit.

Controlled season tags are also available in the Cedar Creek area and the Willowa and Snake river pack areas. A fee of \$5 must be submitted for the controlled season tags.

Sport Parade

By OSCAR FRALEY
 United Press International

New York (UPI)—Forty years of shame and disappointment ends next Wednesday for a team which needed four decades to recover its pride and honor.

It will be a historic moment when the Chicago White Sox run out onto the field to open the World Series. It's the first time they have had the chance since 1919.

Which was the year they became the "black sox" for selling themselves to the gamblers.

The story has been told often, and will be told again, how the 1919 Sox "dumped" the Series to the Cincinnati Reds. They were 5 to 1 favorites and considered one of the greatest teams of all time. They lost the series, five games to three, and it wasn't until a year later that eight of them were unmasked and banned from baseball for life.

Gamblers Were Patrons

Yet, in a way, baseball owes the sullied eight a debt of gratitude.

Without their downfall, baseball might never have completely cleaned its flannels. Without them, Judge Kenesaw M. Landis might never have been named commissioner and set a pattern of uncompromising vigilance which exists today.

Because baseball, without a central head, was ripe for the plucking. In those days, gamblers were among the most honored patrons. Every ball park had a "gamblers section" and ball players posed willingly with such notorious and unsavory characters as Arnold Rothstein, Scarface Al Capone and Nick the Greek.

Even the club owners were not without contributory guilt. Charles Stoneham and John McGraw saw nothing wrong with owning the Giants as well as a race track and gambling casinos in Havana. They didn't see the threatening connection until Landis handed them an ultimatum.

"The damned fools," growled the white-thatched jurist. "They don't even realize I'm doing this for their own protection."

Easy for 'Fix'

Thus it was easy for the gamblers, as early as mid-season of 1919, to start working on the World Series "fix." And, so "innocent" were those connected with baseball that no investigation began even though the odds had dropped from 5 to 1 to even money as the Series opened.

It wasn't until late the next season, when a Chicago grand jury indicted eight White Sox stars, that the scandal broke. The eight, and five co-conspirators, were cleaned in a sensational trial. And out of it came the heart-rending request of a wet-eyed youngster standing on the Cook County courthouse steps as he looked at the great "Shoelless Joe" Jackson and cried: "Say it ain't so, Joe."

Joe said it wasn't.

But it was. And so was the fact that Landis, after lengthy hearings, barred for life Jackson, and fellow outfielders Happy Felsch and Fred McMullin; infielders Chick Gandil, Swede Risberg and Buck Weaver, and pitchers Ed Cicotte and Claude Williams.

NO FUNDS AVAILABLE

The deer killing canal on the Howard Prairie projects will not be covered or fenced this year because the Bureau of Reclamation does not have any funds available at this time. They are planning on 200 additional crossings to be built of redwood slabs and will keep the ditch dry from October 1 until next April. It looks as though we will have to enlist the aid of our local congressman to ask congress to provide the additional funds to the Bureau or we will have our blacktail herd drowned out on us.

THE ANGLER'S LOG

That eyesore of a good fishing lake called Fish Lake will be a beauty to see by next year. The forest service has nine fallers in there right now and every snag is expected to be down by the first of next week. The bunching and burning of the snags will continue through next year and should be completed by the end of 1960. Aside from the fact it should have been done 40 years ago it sounds like a wonderful piece of work by the forest service. Good for them!

Diamond Lake

No report from Diamond this week. I think we can assume the fishing is getting better though reports from anglers indicate the big fish are not hitting and catches are in the 12 to 15 inch category.

Fish Lake—The water is up two feet and boats can use the whole lake. Private boats can be launched also. The lodge will be open next week end and cabins are available to hunters.

Lake of the Woods

Limit catches are being caught by trolling. Fish are averaging over 12 inches. The resort will close next Wednesday.

Willow Creek—Fishing is darn good. FF&W and flies are doing the best. Average size is over 12 inches. A bucktail coachman picked up a 3-pounder this week.

THE OPTIMIST'S CORNER

There are rumors of a large steelhead run on the Klamath river down by Happy Camp. Some fish have been caught by Scott's Bar and the salmon are reported from there on up to the racks at Hornbrook. This should be good news for those who get lost easily because there will be steelhead available to the north, south and west of any fisherman starting from Medford.

Any Men Bowlers Interested in Wednesday Night 170 & Under Scratch League Please Call or Contact...

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BODY CARRIED AWAY—Friends and relatives watch as the casket containing the body of John Guzman, 16, is carried from St. John's Roman Catholic church in The Bronx, N.Y., after a Requiem Mass. Guzman was slain by a member of a street gang Monday. Unidentified youth at top, supported by two others, almost collapsed during the services. (UPI Telephoto)

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Roseburg Man, 37, Killed Near G. P.

Grants Pass (UPI)—A Roseburg man was killed and two persons injured early today in a one-car accident about seven miles south of here on Highway 199, state police reported.

Del Edward Gaines, 37, apparently was killed instantly when the car failed to negotiate a curve, went over an embankment and flipped over on its back, police said.

Darla V. Delbrouch, 20, suffered a broken right leg and cuts about the face. Diane M. Hayes, 17, was hospitalized for treatment of undetermined injuries.

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by "Chuck" Batten

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