

# Beavers Get Edge on Baxes' Homer

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Two-run homers were served up by the half dozen in Pacific Coast league play Thursday night.

Jim Baxes hit one in the top of the ninth to give Portland a 6-5 decision over Tacoma. Jim Dyck and Ray Barker each had one to lead Vancouver to a 7-0 waltz over Sacramento and George Froese did it to help San Diego down Seattle, 7-4.

The other two two-run circuit clouts were waffled in losing causes. Joe Taylor had one for the Rainiers and Jose Pagan turned the trick for Tacoma.

In the other game, Spokane smashed eight two-base hits to defeat Salt Lake City, 13-4.

All eight PCL teams change opponents today. Spokane moves into San Diego, Portland goes to Sacramento, Tacoma stays home to host Vancouver, and Seattle journeys to Salt Lake.

Lovenguth Gets Win  
The game winning homer by Baxes gave Portland an even split with Tacoma in a four-game series. Lynn Lovenguth, who pitched three innings of shutout relief ball, took the win, his 12th against seven losses. The loser was Giant starter Don Chopte.

Dyck and Barker's four-baggers helped veteran hurler George Bamberger to his ninth win of the year.

Bamberger gave up nine hits, struck out five and walked one in scoring his shutout. He was backed up by three double plays.

Froese's smash put San Diego into a 2-2 tie with the Rainiers and from there the Padre's went on to gain their only win of the three-game set.

Reed Needed Help  
Howie Reed got the win for the Pads although he needed relief help from Ken McBride. Seattle starter Dave Stenhouse, an 11 game winner, took his 11th defeat.

The Spokane Indians, with eight of their hits being two-baggers, scored in six different innings. Curt Roberts, Tony Roig and Ramon Conde each had a pair of doubles to lead the winners at the plate.

Ray Semproch needed relief from Chuck Churn but stayed around long enough to

take his fifth win without a loss.

**LINESCORES:**  
Portland — 600 048 002—6 7  
Tacoma — 120 002 005—5 12 1  
Michalen, Anderson (6), Kennedy (6), Lovenguth (7), and Gonzales, Chopte, Moutant (9) and Haller.

Vancouver — 200 300 020—7 9 9  
Sacramento — 000 000 000—0 9 3  
Bauslerger and Wilson, Corin, Diza (4), Raymond (9) and Rowell.

Seattle — 200 000 020—4 6 1  
San Diego — 230 000 200—7 12 1  
Stenhouse, Wall (2), Fitzgerald (6) and Devan, Reed, McBride (8) and Carreon.

Salt Lake — 000 000 301—4 13 5  
Spokane — 114 201 048—13 18 1  
Rowe, Pepper (4), and Hall; Semproch, Churn (7) and Pagliaroni.

## All-Comers Track Meet On Saturday at Ashland

Ashland — Participation in the summer all-comer track and field meets held at Ashland and Medford has been good, according to Dan Bulkley, director of the next meet, to be held at Southern Oregon college this Saturday.

Total entered in all divisions has climbed from about 60 participants in the first meet to over 100 in the last meet, a high for the season. Junior divisions (ages 6-16) have seen the greatest increase in entries.

The high school and open divisions have had athletes coming from such points east as Klamath Falls, Lakeview, Bonanza, Henley, and Paisley. From the north and west have come regular entries from Grants Pass, Cave Junction, Rogue River, Central Point, Eagle Point, and Jacksonville, as well as a large number from Ashland, Medford, and Phoenix.

In the meet last week it was necessary to run a special division for girls seven and under because of the large number of entries in this age group. With awards being given for five places in each event, over more than 200 ribbons attached to certificates were awarded in the junior divisions. Close to 100

## Woods, Water, Wildlife

By Hank DeVoss

It is interesting to note that the area representative of the Oregon state sanitary authority, Mr. Ted Gerow, is planning to open an office in Medford. Apparently he has heard the cries of anguish coming from those of us who are interested in clean water and clean air. It is to be hoped that local conditions will so affect Mr. Gerow that he will see that our laws against pollution will be more rigorously enforced. Maybe he finally realized that the water taken from the Rogue for use by the city of Grants Pass contained the green horror of Bear creek. (His present office is in Grants Pass.)

**DEAD ALREADY**  
The game commission has been having trouble with the summer steelhead being trapped at Gold Ray dam. The fish have been dying before they could be transferred to the hatchery at Butte Falls. Investigation by the geologist revealed that C. columnaris was the initial infection which was followed by a secondary infection that killed the fish in two to four days.

**TO THE RESCUE**  
Modern drugs came to the rescue and the situation is well in hand. The fish were

put into the liberation tanks of the truck on the same day they were captured and treated en route to the hatchery. The game commission now has over 100 fish in the hatchery ponds and hopes to get 30 more. These fish will spawn early next year and the fry will be the first residents of the Medco pond on the Butte Falls-Prospect road. When they reach migratory age they will be released into the tributary that will carry them down to the main stem of the river and on down to the sea.

**SKI FEVER**  
Several reports have come in on an outbreak of ski fever at Howard Prairie reservoir. Symptoms seem to consist of a need to use the whole reservoir, especially on Saturday or Sunday when more fishermen are present. The nicest thing to be said regarding the outbreak of fever is that those involved probably don't know the infection is dangerous.

**THE ANGLER'S LOG**  
The small downstream migrants in the lower Rogue canyons are feeling the heat. They are dying in 78 degree water and this is to be expected since 74 degrees is the upper limit of their tolerance. The temperature-flow studies will be most welcome if they can show a way to increase the flow and lower the temperature of this water by

means of a high dam in the upper river. Otherwise we will always lose the fish we gain by improved spawning and management.

**Diamond Lake—Trouting** FF&W will find a few and a tied-down caddis fly has brought luck to some. There is some success drifting a FF&W but the wind has to be just so.

**Fish Lake—Is very good** Catches are showing some bigger fish. Limits are including fish up to 16 and 17 inches. First luck on trout FF&W or stilling with single eggs.

**Four Mile Lake—Evening fishing** is exceptionally good. Limits of rainbow and Kokanee are being extracted by use of FF&W.

**Howard Prairie—Off and on** fishing luck seems to be the mode. Bank fishermen are getting a few and sunken flies are good sport for those in the know.

**Klamath Lake—Fishing** has been slower this week. Chuck Alcock of

Grants Pass caught an almost 12-pounder. Harry Ellis of Medford had an Andy Recker for an 8 1/2 pounder.

**Lake of the Woods—Is pretty good.** Limits of rainbow and Kokanee are still coming out. Best bet seems to be stilling with worms. Lou Bates of Medford came up on par with Fish Lake. Lots of 8 to 11 inches.

**Willow Creek—Swimming** is excellent.

**THE OPTIMIST'S CORNER**  
All the news of better and faster highways spell less time traveling to and from fishing grounds. The only trouble is that the easier it gets to go fishing, the more people find they can go. A fisherman has to be single-minded to the extreme to avoid looking over his shoulder as he hurries to his favorite hole. Let's hope these super highways start a new craze, like going to Los Angeles for the week end.  
GODD LUCK!

## SPORTS

### Ashland Bears Defeat Indians

Ashland Bears massed all their scoring in the last two innings yesterday to down the Central Point Indians in a Southern Oregon Junior Baseball southern division Pee Wee league contest.

Three bases on balls, a hit by Byrd and an error realized three runs for the Bears in the fourth canto. In the fifth with two out they picked up four runs with another three walks and hits by Roberson and Byrd. Pierson three-bagger for Ashland.

Dennis McGrath tripled for Central Point in the third inning to drive in a run which tied the score at 3-all. Glenn Watson had two triples for the Indians and Jim Blank had two hits for CP. The Indians had the bases loaded when the game ended.

Medford Tigers finished southern division play yesterday with lone hold on first place by drubbing the Ashland Cubs 27 to 7. Jacksonville beat Eagle Point 19 to 2 on Tuesday to tie those teams in the northern division behind the first place Central Point Braves. Medford Wildcats were second in the south sector.

### Cheney, National Guard Nab Softball Victories

JACKSON COUNTY SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Lithia Lumber	12	4	.857
S-W Floor Covering	9	4	.692
Butte Falls	8	4	.667
Cheney Studs	7	6	.538
Timber Products	6	8	.500
National Guard	5	8	.385
Mail Tribune	6	8	.429
Civil Service	0	13	.000

Cheney Studs are certain of no less than a tie for fourth place in the final regular season standings of the Jackson County Softball association.

The Studs bounced National Guard 11 to 3 last night to take lone hold on fourth. Guardsmen came back in the only other game of the evening and whipped Mail Tribune 11 to 4.

A scheduled Timber Products-Butte Falls ruckus was not played but the two teams may get together this evening on the high school stadium turf here.

TP softballers showed up for rivalry last night but a good number of them left the park when it was indicated that BF would not send a team because players were involved in firefighting. Then a group of young BF athletes, who had been rounded up, appeared at the stadium.

**Five Run Innings**  
Cheney last night had two five-run stanzas. In the first frame the scores were on five walks and three hits and in the second runs were on two bases on balls, two hit batters and three safeties, including a double by Steve Shorey.

The Guard had a five-run

### Death Claims Billiard Star

Belmont, Calif. (UPI) — Welker Cochran, whose three cushion matches with Willie Hoppe were classics of billiards history, died Thursday night at his home in this San Francisco suburb. He was 63.

Cochran, who had suffered a coronary seizure two years ago, was stricken again while watching the Republican National convention on television.

Cochran's career began at the age of 13 when he was discovered by Frank Gotch, the great wrestler, playing in Manson, Iowa, where Cochran's father had a billiard room. Gotch made arrangements for Welker to study the game under Lanson W. Perkins in Chicago.

### Thornton To Speak At Northwestern

Salem (UPI) — Attorney General Robert Y. Thornton will be a guest professor next Monday at Northwestern university's annual short course for prosecuting attorneys in Chicago.

He will deliver the opening lecture. It will be the third time he has lectured at the school.

### PHILS RECALL PITCHERS

St. Louis (UPI) — Buffalo pitchers Al Neiger and Art Mahaffey donned Philadelphia Phillies uniforms today after being called up from the International league club. The Phillies, at the same time, released outright to Buffalo pitchers Humberto Robinson and Taylor Phillips. Robinson had an 0-4 record this season while Phillips, a southpaw, was 0-1.

### GAME POSTPONED

New York (UPI) — An annual professional football all-star game between the best players of the National and American leagues proposed today by Harry Wismer, president of the New York Titans of the AFL, Wismer suggested that the first game take place at New York's Polo Grounds in August, 1961, and be patterned along the lines of baseball's annual All-Star games.

### HALL OF FAME

Augusta, Ga. (UPI) — Betsy Rawls of Spartanburg, S. C., four-time U. S. Women's Open golf titlist, has been elected member of the Ladies' Professional Golf association Hall of Fame. Only 11 other women had previously been selected for this honor, and none had been named in the last 10 years. Miss Rawls, who won her fourth open title last week, also captured the championship in 1951, 1953 and 1957.

### LINESCORES:

Ashland Bears — 000 34—7 5 0  
CP Indians — 110 11—4 6 2  
Voth and Pierson; Watson and Miller.

### LINESCORES:

Nat'l Guard — 201 06—3 2 3  
Cheney Studs — 350 1x—11 9 1  
Parent, Hale (1), Burns (2) and Burns, Hale (2); Garrett and Perkins.

### LINESCORES:

Mail Tribune — 201 10—4 6 4  
Nat'l Guard — 045 2x—11 8 2  
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