

Knights, Lamms Win First Tilts

NEW BALLPARK DEDICATED IN 1940 OPENER

TONIGHT'S GAMES
National League: Elks versus Copco, 7:30 p. m.
American League: Lowell's versus Kalpine.

More than 1000 fans jammed the bleachers at the new recreation park last night to watch the inaugural games of the 1940 Klamath Falls softball schedule.

Playing two exhibition contests in the dedicatory program, Knights of Columbus edged out last year's champion Weyerhaeuser nine 2 to 1 in an extra inning in the nightcap, and in the opener Lamms' lumbermen poled out a 9 to 8 last inning win over Conwhit.

Under the brilliant new lighting system an opening contest gave the year's schedule a send-off with Mitchell Tillotson, president of Rotary club, hurling the christening pitch across the platter to Police Judge Leigh Ackerman, while Andy Collier, chairman of the city recreation committee, stood at the plate. Collier whammed out a safe hit, knocking Tillotson out of the box and ending the inaugural game.

Moore, Knights of Columbus shortstop, scored the winning run in the nightcap when he crossed the platter on a long drive into right field by Wake-man. Earlier, Moore escaped being tagged on first when a peg from Shortstop Quinn of the Timbermen caromed off his head as he was running back to the first sack.

In the second inning Wake-man pounded out a hit and tallied the initial run for the winners.

For Weyerhaeuser, whose hurler, Broten, pitched some of the fanciest ball of the evening, the lone tally was brought in early in the first inning when Darroch scored for the Timbermen.

Myers, Knights hurler, stayed on the mound for the full route for the winners.

The game, which was to have been called at the end of the fifth, was forced into the extra inning when Darrah, Timberman catcher, caught a short foul fly to retire the Knights with the score knotted 1-1.

Perviance, Knights third baseman, stopped a hot one off the bat of Pitcher Broten and pegged it to first to retire the Timbermen in the first half of that inning with the bases loaded.

In the opener Lamms' lumbermen staged a rally in the fifth inning to pile up five hits and five runs, coming from behind to edge the Conwhit nine.

B. Miller, leftfield, pounded out a single on which Woody and law scored to bring the trailing Lamms nine to within two points of the lead. Then N. Knouss, second base, poled out a two-base hit into right field, scoring Hall. A single by R. Baches brought in Knouss and Miller to give the lumbermen the ball game.

Charles Edwards of Conwhit scored the first hit of the season on an error, and the initial legitimate hit was tabulated by John Anderson. F. Hall, Lamms first baseman, banged out a homer in the fourth inning into deep center field for the first circuit clout on the new field.

In the opening program of officials of the Klamath Falls softball association and Specs Murray, city recreation director, were introduced.

It is estimated that 447,400 passenger cars and trucks were produced during April, 1940, in the United States. This figure is 26 per cent above April, 1939.

"Gypsy Angler" Coming Here



Roy L. "Doc" Haslett, "The Gypsy Angler," who holds annual clinics for fishermen and is a recognized national authority on the art of angling, will give an exhibition for local fishermen and instructions on any problems of the sport Wednesday afternoon at the courthouse lawn. He is shown here with a limit catch of steelhead.

Expert Angler Will Appear In Exhibition at Courthouse

That man is here again, and if you have nothing better to do, he can straighten out the kinks in your casting troubles in a jiffy.

Roy L. "Doc" Haslett, the "Gypsy Angler," who holds an annual clinic for fishermen, will be on the job again in Klamath Falls between the hours of 4 and 7 p. m. Wednesday on the courthouse lawn. An expert of the highest caliber, "Doc" will be glad to help any angler with any problem.

Haslett is a traveling good will man, hired by the tackle companies to spread the gospel of good fishing form, but as far as he is concerned there are no strings attached to his offer and he is glad to furnish the benefits of his experience and knowledge.

An important part of the

"Gypsy Angler's" program consists of demonstrating easy, simple angler's knots worth knowing.

The new Nylon leaders and fly and bait casting lines are in his equipment and fishermen looking for the latest and best in gear have the opportunity of inspecting, at first hand, recent developments in tackle and equipment. Nothing is offered for sale.

Haslett invites sportsmen to bring their own outfits to the demonstration.

"Doc" is a nationally recognized authority on the art of scientific angling. He has had long experience and has fished most of the waters of the Pacific coast, both fresh and salt. He asserts that he can teach anyone to cast a fly in less than 10 minutes time.

WIL Teams Down Coast Leaguers

By The Associated Press
It was the Western International league against the Pacific Coast league Monday night and the junior circuit emerged the victor, 2 to 1.

The Salem Senators beat the San Diego Padres 7-5 in an exhibition game in Salem and the Vancouver Capilanos defeated the Coast league leading Seattle Rainiers in a charity contest in Vancouver 4-3.

The Sacramento Solons were the only victorious Coast leaguers who ventured into WIL territory. They won over the Tacoma Tigers 4-3 in Tacoma but they required 11 innings to do it.

In the only Western International league game the Spokane Indians tightened their grip on first place by defeating the Yakima Pippins in Yakima 5-3.

League score: R. H. E.
Spokane 5 8 0
Yakima 3 8 1
Serventi and McNamee; Kittle and Younker.

Tennists Bound By Regulations

PHILADELPHIA, June 25 (AP)—Joe Hunt, young Davis Cup player and U. S. Naval Academy second classman, isn't going to relax much at the 56th annual U. S. intercollegiate tennis tournament.

He's on "duty status" which means he must wear his white

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Danny Faces Chick at Armory

CLEMENS AND GOODRICH VIE IN WINDUP

Headlining a stellar mat card at the armory, Cowboy Dude Chick will return tonight to Klamath Falls for a main event appearance against the strutting, self-satisfied Hollywood mat maestro, Dan McShain.

With a long list of successive wins behind him since he left the Klamath country on a tour of the southwest, Chick will be gunning for another victory tonight against the rough-and-tumble ex-world champ. The scrap may bring Klamath mat fans one of the fiercest and roughest encounters of the year.

Dangerous Dan last week virtually annihilated the Black Panther, sturdy negro, with a piledriver, grabbing the main event victory in 53 seconds. But fans predict that the going will be much tougher against the husky cowboy. Dude Chick, with his famous airplane spin, has seldom been beaten on the Klamath mat. He is a grappler who delights in meeting a ruffian of McShain's brand and turns his scientific prowess into plenty of fireworks when he finds the sledding rough.

In the semi-windup match Jimmie Goodrich, former Notre Dame football player, will meet the Indian boy, Frankie Clemens. This bout brings a popular, tough grappler to Klamath after a long absence. He is rated as much improved since his last bout here.

In the initial struggle Prince Nihalakis of Arabia will meet George Wagner, newcomer from Texas.

Player Seen As Seal's Savior

By The Associated Press
It may sound silly, on the basis of so short an acquaintance, but San Francisco fans are hailing Froilan Fernandez as the savior of the Seals—all because of one day's play in the Pacific Coast league.

Fernandez, a Wilmington, Calif., boy, was dug up from Yakima in the Western International league, and was so badly needed that he was flown to San Francisco for his Sunday debut. He hit four for eight, including a triple, in the double-header and handled 13 fielding chances at shortstop with a speed and snap the Seal infield has long lacked.

Already railbirds are guessing that President Charley Graham, a great marketer of young baseball material, will net \$60,000 on his \$8000 find when Nanny goes on to greater glory. His zip, moreover, may help boost the seventh-place Seals into the first division and a chance in the September play-off.

Seattle's seven wins in eight games against Sacramento last week seemed to give the steady Rainiers the inside pennant track.

Oakland, which dropped its series with Los Angeles four games to three last week, is in second position and still a big threat, led by Rightfielder Mike Christoff and his .359 batting average.

Christoff tops the coast hitters, but the Angels' Lou Novikoff is hot after him with .358.

Approximately half of the new cars purchased in the United States are four-door sedans. About one-third of the cars are two-door sedans.

Opening Week's Softball Schedule	
First games 7:30 p. m.	
Recreation Park	
National League	American League
Elks vs. Copco	Lowells vs. Kalpine
WEDNESDAY	
Vetz Foreign Wars vs. Conwhit	Kesterson vs. Pelican Bay
THURSDAY	
Big Lakes vs. Great Northern	K. of C. vs. Post Office
FRIDAY	
Long-Bell vs. Lamms	Kennetts vs. Weyerhaeuser

New York Yanks "Go West" When Indians Win 7-1

By JUDSON BAILEY
Associated Press Sports Editor

When the World Champion New York Yankees went west, literally, a couple of weeks ago, they also "went west" figuratively.

There doesn't seem to be any use waiting any longer for them to come home, because they're gone to that place where champions seldom come back from.

Their epitaph was written Monday night in a score: 7 to 1. That was the margin of the Cleveland Indians' victory, a seven-hit effort by Bob Feller for his 11th triumph of the season.

That also was the eighth loss in nine games for the champs, who used to whip through the west like a scourge of grasshoppers. Win, lose or draw in the finale, New York's second swing through the west was nothing short of a disaster.

They were four games out of first place when they set sail. Now they are nine. This is half a game worse than they were a month ago when they were in the American league cellar.

A lot of things are wrong, such as Joe DiMaggio hitting less than .300 for the first time in his life, and in addition the Yanks have some worthy competition for the first time in years.

Cleveland seems to have benefited by getting the Indians' discontent out in the open instead of fermenting in secret and Monday night's victory was the 11th in 13 games since the upheaval against Manager Ossie Vitt.

The outcome increased Cleveland's distance over the second place Detroit Tigers to two full games. The Tigers and most of the other major league teams were rained out Monday.

The only other game to escape was at St. Louis where the Browns battered the Philadelphia Athletics 9-4 with a 12-hit assault that included four home runs. Two of these were by Walt Juddich, one was by Harold Clift with two on and the fourth by Don Heffner. With this aid Elden Auker had an easy time bagging the victory on nine hits.

BASEBALL

MONDAY'S RESULTS
By The Associated Press
NATIONAL LEAGUE
All games rained out.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
St. Louis 9, Philadelphia 4.
Cleveland 7, New York 1.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE
No games scheduled.

WESTERN INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Spokane 5, Yakima 3.
Only game scheduled.

PIONEER LEAGUE
Pocatello 4, Boise 3.
Only game scheduled.

EXHIBITION GAMES
Vancouver (WIL) 4, Seattle (PCL) 3.
Sacramento (PCL) 4, Tacoma (WIL) 3.
Salem (WIL) 7, San Diego (PCL) 5.

By The Associated Press
AMERICAN LEAGUE
BATTING — Radcliff, St. Louis, .365; Finney, Boston, and McCosky, Detroit, .360.
RUNS — Williams, Boston, 50; McCosky, Detroit, and Case, Washington, 49.
HITS — Finney and Cramer, Boston, 82.
HOME RUNS — Fox, Boston, 17; Trosky, Cleveland, 15.
STOLEN BASES — Case, Washington, 15; Walker, Washington, 10.
PITCHING — Rowe, Detroit, 5-0; Newsom, Detroit, 9-1.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Unchanged from yesterday.

Battle Looms In Collegiate

By BILL KING

MANCHESTER, Vt., June 25 (AP)—One of the keenest battles for medalist honors anywhere appeared in the offing Tuesday as the 145 competitors in the national collegiate golf championship, drawn from more than 30 institutions, trained their sights on the last 18 holes of the qualifying competition on the Ekwanok course.

Retiring President Neil Croonquist of Minnesota paced the field Monday when, after being straight down the middle on every fairway, he wound up with a par of 70. That round gave him a single stroke lead over four rivals—Johnny Burke of Georgetown, the 1938 champion, Warren Berl of Stanford, last year's undefeated finalist, Bill Cordingly of Harvard and Bill Clark of Dartmouth.

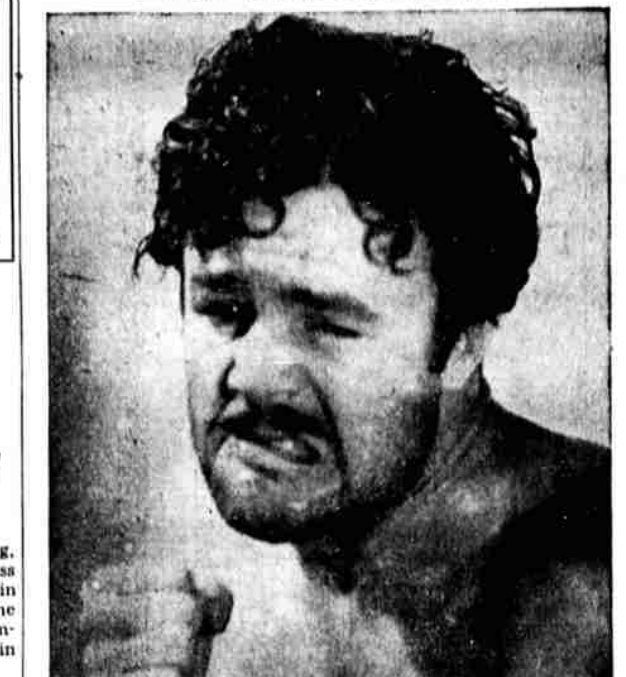
Exactly 63 of the 145 starters turned in cards of 78 or better after making their first round tour of the 6565-yard course, despite a series of showers.

BASEBALL STANDINGS

AMERICAN LEAGUE		W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland		39	23	.629
Detroit		34	22	.608
Boston		32	23	.582
New York		28	30	.483
St. Louis		29	33	.468
Chicago		26	31	.456
Philadelphia		22	34	.393
Washington		24	38	.387

Other leagues unchanged.

Meets Wrestler-Rancher



Danny McShain, above, will get one of his toughest tests tonight on the armory mat when he clashes with Cowboy Dude Chick of Wyoming in the main event of the weekly wrestling program. Since his last appearance here Chick has not lost an encounter and strode into town Monday night confident of continuing his victory streak.

Riggs Upset in Tennis Tourney

RIVER FOREST, Ill., June 25 (AP)—Donald McNeill, 22, Oklahoma City, won the men's singles title of the national clay court tennis tournament with an upset over National Champion Bobby Riggs Monday and Alice Marble, singles queen of the United States and England, won the women's title by defeating Gracy Wheeler, Santa Monica, Calif.

McNeill, ranked No. 3 nationally, defeated Riggs, 6-1, 6-4, 7-9, 6-3 at the River Forest Tennis club. The defeat ended Riggs' quest for his fourth title, a feat which only William (Big Bill) Tilden and Bryan (Bity) Grant, Atlanta, had been able to accomplish.

Miss Marble, Beverley Hills, Calif., defeated Miss Wheeler, 7-5, 6-0 in a match halted once by rain. They were tied at 4-4 in the first set when the rain started. Miss Marble won the next game and then was tied at 5-5 before winning the last two games. She had little trouble winning the second set.

Story with moral: Grandpa's pappy liked Wieland's Beer, too!

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