

# Northwest Coast Loop Play Opens

Portland, Seattle Hosts To California Diamond Men

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE  
 Portland 22, Oakland 4-1.  
 Portland 7-6, Hollywood 4-11.  
 Los Angeles 5-1, Sacramento 4-3.  
 San Diego 10-0, San Francisco 9-1.

**By The Associated Press**  
 Coast league baseball makes its 1941 debut in the Pacific northwest tomorrow with the two top teams clashing in Seattle.

While the pace setting Sacramento Senators and the 1940 championship Seattle Rainiers fight it out, the third-place San Diego Padres will be in a perfect position to climb past them into the lead at the expense of their hosts, the lowly Portland Beavers.

The top trio came through the week-end in customary style with two victories to a single defeat to widen the gap between them and the five losing clubs.

**Bonetti Singles**  
 Julio Bonetti, Los Angeles pitcher, was responsible for Sacramento's sole loss when he singled in the ninth and scored the deciding run on Johnny Moore's double to win yesterday's opener 5-4. A walk sandwiched in between a pair of doubles in the fifth gave the Senators the two-run margin for a 3-1 decision in the nightcap. The Sacs breezed through the Angels 6-3 Saturday.

Three hits in the tenth, topped by Pinch Hitter Bill Lawrence's triple, won yesterday's nightcap for Seattle over Oakland 3-1. Three double plays by the Seattle infield helped offset the 13 hits Paul Gregory allowed the Oaks in the opener. The Rainiers won 9-4 to regain their winning stride after losing 1-0 Saturday before the three-hit pitching of Jack Salveson.

**Breaks Tie**  
 Mpl Mazzera's three-bagger plus a sacrifice broke a 9-9 tie in the eighth to give San Diego a 10-9 win over the San Francisco Seals. The Seals put three of their hits together in the third inning of the nightcap to win 1-0 while Lefty Mel Marlowe scattered the four Padre hits over the five innings the game lasted. San Diego hammered out 16 safeties to win 10-1 Saturday.

In their greatest spurge of the season the Portland Beavers won two out of three week-end games from Hollywood to double the number of their season's victories. The Beavers won yesterday's opener 7-6 and then refused to form by dropping the nightcap 11-6. Ad Liske held the Stars to four hits Saturday while the Beaver's bunched four in the tenth to win 3-0.

The Stars entertain Los Angeles this week while Oakland plays at San Francisco.

## U. C. Defeats Nebraska in Track Meet

BERKELEY, Calif., April 21 (UP)—University of California won 11 of 15 events Saturday to defeat University of Nebraska 89 to 42 in an inter-sectional dual track and field meet which featured excellent performances in the middle-distance running events.

Grover Klemmer, California's brilliant quarter-mile, defeated Gene Littler of Nebraska in 47 seconds flat—six-tenths of a second slower than Ben Eastman's world record of 46.4.

Bob Glenn of Nebraska won the mile in the spectacular time of 4:10.1—believed to be the second best mile performance ever turned in on the Pacific coast.

LOS ANGELES, April 21 (UP)—The Stanford university track and field team, top-heavy with power in the middle distances and field events, Saturday defeated the University of California at Los Angeles, 85.5 to 45.5.

A sparse crowd of 100 saw and slightly cloudy, although there was sunshine for most of the running events.

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# Sports News-Herald

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## Derby Eligible



One of the Kentucky Derby eligibles, dated up for the 67th running May 3 in Louisville, is Our Boots from the Woodvale Farm stable. Last year this colt won three out of six starts, earned \$71,351 for Owner R. G. Merton.

## "Honest Bob" Quinn, Boston Syndicate Purchase Bees

**By BILL KING**  
 BOSTON, April 21 (AP)—For the second time in his half-century of baseball, Bob Quinn is heading a syndicate-owned club that he hopes will be a pennant winner for his beloved Boston.

Last night that esteemed veteran, popularly known as "Honest Bob," proudly announced that a dozen loyal friends had joined forces with him for the purchase of the 73 per cent controlling interests in the Boston National league club held for the past five years by C. F. Adams, wealthy Boston sportsman. Among them were Casey Stengel, the club's manager, and Francis Oumet, the former national open and amateur golf champion, now a Boston broker.

## Local Gunmen Score 74 in Oregonian

Klamath Gun club shooters Sunday racked up a total of 74 in the final weekend of the Portland Oregonian's 16th annual shoot held in conjunction with a registered shoot at the Wocus traps.

Several Bend gunmen attended the club's weekly clambake. An outstanding bit of firing was scored by Mendenhall of Grants Pass, a guest scattergunner, who leveled out 98 birds out of a possible 100. Al Brotherton, a new shooter, shattered 57 consecutive birds.

Firing in the Oregonian, an eight-week competition which serves as an elimination for the state meet, P. Hilton and F. R. Olds scored perfect 25's and H. E. Hauger marked up a 24.

## Portland Cyclists Win Idaho Places

LEWISTON, Ida., April 21 (AP)—Two Portland, Ore., motorcycle riders won places in the Lewis Clark Motorcycle club's hill climb here yesterday.

Joe Burke, Portland, was first in class B, riding his vehicle 172 feet up a steep, 220-foot hill. Wilbur Hansen, Portland, was third in class C with a climb of 170 feet.

## Wood Pushes Short Backswing

(This is the first of six informative and instructive articles on golf.)

*By Craig Wood*  
 Winner of Masters' Tournament and Golf's Foremost Teacher

NEW YORK, April 21—A late start is not necessarily fatal to a successful golfing career.

I caddied at Lake Placid, where I was born, November 18, 1901, and at Saranac Lake at the age of 13, but did not take the game seriously until I was 20.

Ice hockey was my sport while a student at Clarkson Tech, Potsdam, N. Y.

I had visions of building skyscrapers, bridges and seeing through other feats of engineering.

Until 1922, I teed off with a driving iron.

Prior to taking my first professional job at the Winchester, Ky., country club in '28, I had a tough time getting around under 80.

I was an assistant bookkeeper in a tobacco house at Winchester... served as a professional throughout the summer.

I worked on my tee shots... finally decided a short, restricted, three quarter backswing suited me best.

Blessed with brawny forearms and mighty wrists, I naturally had less hand action than other shotmakers. I am still a power hitter.

While it is a bit longer than it was when I broke in my swing is a good one for the average player to copy.

It is insurance against over-swinging, a common fault of the duffer.

**HANDS GO NO HIGHER THAN LEVEL OF EYES**

Playing a wood, I take a square stance with toes pointed outward.

The ball is teed off the left heel.

I advise pupils to keep the left hand firm to avoid letting the club fall over the shoulder.

At the top of the backswing, the player should avoid letting

the hands go higher than the level of the eyes.

At the top, the face of my club is 50 per cent closed.

In a later article I will tell how a closed face has helped my game.

In my initial tournament, the Kentucky Open of '33, I finished second to Bob Peebles, then the professional of the Louisville Country club. He had a 144 to my 145.

So, you see, it seems I was destined to be a runner-up at the very outset.

I have built a reputation as a runner-up, which is one of the principal reasons why winning the Masters' tournament over the gorgeous Augusta National course this spring gave me so much satisfaction.

The victory demonstrated to all that it pays to keep swing-

# Muddled Majors Open Second Week of Play

## Boston Sox, Giants Pace Leagues

Cincinnati Reds Next to Last in National Loop; Hits Mark Weekend Games

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
 Chicago 11, St. Louis 16 (10 innings).  
 Cincinnati 7, Pittsburgh 4.  
 Boston 7, Philadelphia 5 (10 innings).  
 Brooklyn 10, New York 9.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
 Cleveland 4, Detroit 2.  
 Boston 14, Washington 8.  
 New York 19, Philadelphia 5.  
 St. Louis at Chicago, postponed, rain.

**By BILL BONI**  
 Associated Press Writer

This, marking the start of the second week of the major league baseball season, should by rights bring a pause for reflection, a check-back on the pre-season estimates and how they are holding up under the early firing.

In the light of yesterday's developments however, this corner defies anyone to come up with a reasonable, logical analysis. This corner itself has not yet even come up for air, buried as it is under base hits and horrible statistics.

For those who insist on analysis, however, here is the situation:

In the National league the New York Giants, who were not supposed to make the first division, are in first place, having lost their first game in six starts to Brooklyn yesterday, 10-9. The Cincinnati Reds, favored to repeat for the pennant, are next to last and attained that eminence only by winning their last two games, including a 7-3 job over the Pittsburgh Pirates yesterday.

In the American league, barring the presence of the scorned Boston Red Sox in first place with a record of five wins and no (none at all) losses things are not quite so strange. After all the Cleveland Indians and the New York Yankees are figured to run one-two either way you name 'em and at the moment they're running two-three.

In the National league there were four games. These produced, says the adding machine, 62 runs, 100 hits, 16 errors and 27 pitchers, or an average of 15 runs, 25 hits, four errors and seven pitchers per game. There were three games in the American league. These turned up 52 runs, 67 hits, 12 errors and 15

## Husky Shell Crew Shatters Record

Washington Defeats California in Annual Three-Mile Classic; 14:28

OAKLAND, Calif., April 21 (UP)—University of Washington's smooth-stroking varsity crew defeated University of California by three and two-thirds lengths in record-smashing time on Oakland estuary Saturday to win Pacific coast collegiate rowing supremacy for 1941.

Washington won the junior varsity race by a length and an freshman race by three-quarters of a length in the preliminary races of this annual regatta which started in 1903.

Washington and California crews rowed the fastest races in the history of the regatta today. Washington's winning time was 14 minutes 28 seconds—18.3 seconds faster than the brilliant record of 14:46.3 turned in about a half hour before by the Washington junior varsity.

California's trailing varsity crew covered the three miles in 14:39—second fastest performance in the regatta's history.

The Washington varsity crew, stroked by Veteran Ted Garhart, pulled away from the California shell at the start and increased its lead with nearly every stroke down the rippling, three-mile estuary course. The Huskies were pulling away steadily at the finish line under the Fruitvale bridge where a crowd of about 8000 watched the races in sunny weather.

Washington, in winning the junior varsity and varsity races today, again established itself as a hot favorite to capture the Poughkeepsie regatta on the Hudson river.

All the six crews in the regatta were aided by a brisk favorable wind and helping tide.

Coach Al Ulbricksen of Washington, pleased with the performances of all his crews, said his "biggest surprise" was the sensational performance of his junior varsity outfit which for a short time today was the all time champion for both Lake Washington and Oakland estuary.

The Jayvees, described by Ulbricksen as "doormats" for the varsity and freshmen in training, defeated California in the record-breaking time of 14:46.3, two and one-tenth seconds faster than the old record of 14:48.4 established by the California varsity in 1939. The California junior varsity's losing time was 14:51.

The best time for the varsity race ever rowed in regatta competition at Lake Washington, Seattle, was 15:48.6, achieved by Washington in 1938. Lake Washington times have consistently been slower than Oakland estuary times because of differences in water and weather conditions.

## Tuesday Set for Bonanza Smoker

BONANZA — Tuesday, April 22, is the date set definitely for the championship smoker at Bonanza high school. Starting at 8 o'clock the fights will be run off as follows:

Boxing division — James Bradshaw versus Charley Hartley; Kenneth Bradshaw versus Bill Hood; Wesley Hankins versus Danny Givan; Walter Ritter versus Drury Macbeth; Art Mondoe versus Bob Ross; Jack Rogers versus Victor Flackus; George Bray versus Walter Smith; Jackie Driscoll versus Billy Custer; Andy Lovelady versus Paul Fitzhugh.

Wrestling — Gordon Givan versus John Harbison; Cole Fitzhugh versus Bud Harris; Paul Fitzhugh versus Andy Lovelady.

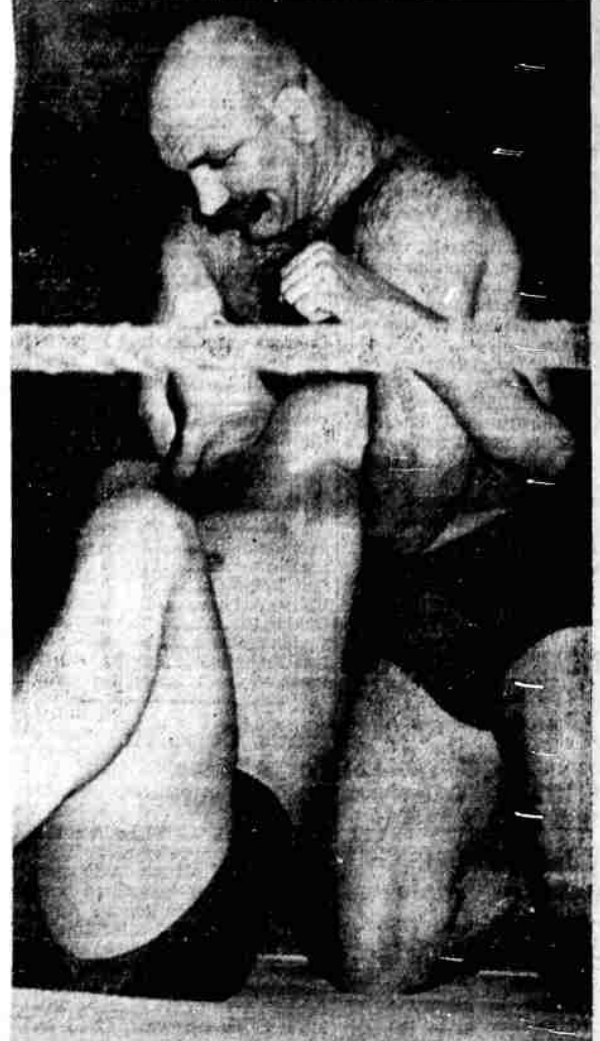
pitchers, also an average per game of far too many.

In both leagues there was only one pitcher able to go nine innings. He was the Yankees' Red Ruffing, who gave the Philadelphia Athletics 10 hits but got such stupendous support from his mates he could have pitched 'em underhand. This support took in three homers, two by Joe Gordon and one with the bases full by Joe DiMaggio; six straight hits and eight runs in the fifth, and a sixth-run ninth.

The score was 19-5, and the victim Chubby Dean who had humbled the Yankees in their home opener but lived to regret it.

In the senior circuit things were even better, or worse. The Dodgers and Giants drew a record Polo Grounds crowd of 56,314, and every man got his money's worth, what with five homers, two by Mel Ott; nine pitchers, and the winning run scored from second by Dolph Camilli after the Giants' Babe Young had hit Alex Kampouris in the head while trying to force the Brooklyn infielder at second.

## Ouch, That Hurts



Tiger Steve Tsakoff, a belligerent Bulgarian veteran of many years' grappling, above is apparently torturing Iron Gus Johnson with a punishing facelock. The pair met on last week's armory card, Johnson winning a two-fall decision. This week Tsakoff will be back ransling Johnny Nemanic and Johnson will grapple Danny Savich of Utah.

## Gun Club Shoot

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J. C. Vanderwert	22	B 25 22 25 24-96 20 18 24 25-87
Dee Haines	20	C 21 24 18 23-86 20 21 24 23-88
W. Howard	19	C 25 23 24 24-96 23 21 23 21-88
N. Reed	23	A 23 24 23 24-94 21 24 21 23-89
E. E. Driscoll	21	B 25 24 25 25-99 21 20 20 22-83
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P. Puckett	19	C 25 24 25 23-97 20 20 20 18-78
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O. Lane	20	C 23 22 20 21-86 23 24 23 22-92
H. E. Hauger	20	C 24 21 24 25-94 22 20 19 19-80
G. W. Houston	20	C 18 24 25 22-89 18 22 40
Mendenhall	23	A 23 24 24 24-95 24 24 25 25-98
F. R. Olds	19	C 25 23 25 23-96 23 21 23 21-88
S. L. Woodard	21	B 22 25 24 23-94 23 21 20 23-87
M. E. Cornett	20	C 21 22 23 25-91 25 22 25 20-92
H. Baum	20	C 21 23 25 24-93 23 21 22 19-85
J. H. Martin	22	B 24 21 21 25-91 18 17 20 22-77
A. Brotherton	18	D 17 22 25 25-89 20 23 18 22-83
J. F. Adams	18	D 21 23 24 21-89 19 24 21 22-86
P. Dalton	18	D 16 11 17 12-56 14 18 17 23-72
V. Bewley	20	C 23 23 23 24-93 23 23 23 23-91
R. Stearns	19	C 19 23 23 23-88 21 21 25 16-83
W. E. Lamm	19	C 21 23 23 24-91 22 22 21 21-86
Don Fish	19	C 21 25-46 20 19 21 23-83

## OREGON NETTERS LOSE SALEM HI GOLFERS WIN

EUGENE, April 21 (AP)—The University of Oregon tennis team dropped a 7-3 decision to the Eugene-Portland Leader tennis shop here Saturday. Wayne Sabin, nationally-ranked amateur, played for the victors.

EUGENE, April 21 (AP)—Salem won a five-way high school golf match here Saturday by scoring 32 points to defeat Albany with 30, University (Eugene) 27, Eugene 23 and Corvallis 8.

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Craig Wood, left, in position he takes at top of backswing for drive. Right, the Masters' champion illustrates duffer's common fault—over-swinging. Hands have gone higher than approximate level of eyes. Club has dropped over shoulder.

ing in any line of endeavor, regardless of the breaks.

I have no complaints. I owe much to the great game of golf. Though I so frequently have been runner-up in major tournaments, I consider myself fortunate to have done as well as I have. I have won a full share of important tournaments.

**WINTER CIRCUIT AIDS YOUNG PLAYING PROS**

Getting back to the start of my professional life, my showing in my first tournament led to my being offered and accepting the position vacated by Bob Peebles. I held the Louisville post until 27, winning the Kentucky Open of '25 and the Kentucky P. G. A. of '28.

Eager to obtain a connection around New York, I became assistant to George Fotheringham