

Weekend Fishing Prospects

The regular "Fishing Fun" column was not received in time for publication today. The following incomplete information is substituted.

PORTLAND, June 19 (AP)—Spotty fishing faces Oregon anglers this weekend, the state game commission's weekly survey forecast today.

County reports included: Lane—Fair in western portion, fly catches reported on Ten Mile and Big creeks, trolling catches made at Siltcoos lake.

Douglas—Good perch catches recently at Tahkenitch lake, sea-run cutthroats taken in Winchester bay.

Jackson—Nice catches reported in Applegate country on runners and eggs, some luck on Rogue river trout and salmon angling just fair.

Josephine—Rogue river salmon fishing good in Grants Pass area.

Lake—Fly and bait fishing fair in lakes and streams, good bait fishing in Draves and Thompson valley reservoirs.

Olsen to Grapple Big Chief

Villainous Swede Returns By Demand of Mat Fanatics

A guy whom Klamath grapple fans are anxious to throw pop bottles at returns to the arena next Tuesday night as one-half of a top attraction which should rank high as one of the dirtiest bouts on recent record.

The gentleman is one Cliff Olsen, a Wisconsin Swede originally billed as a "clean, scientific performer." Local fans will remember his single appearance here two weeks ago against George Craig in an armory open as an orgy of unethical razzing.

Next week he tackles huge Chief Thunderbird, Vancouver, B. C., Indian trialhorse for every journeyman grappler in the area. The Chief Tuesday both won and lost a decision to Pete Belcastro.

In the opener, Alberto Corral, popular Mexican, will face Craig, Medford blacksmith. Craig was injured last Monday at valley bout and was unable to appear here Tuesday.

Principals of the semi-windup will be announced tomorrow.

Helser Back to Hurl for Silverton

SILVERTON, June 19 (AP)—Roy Helser, ace left-handed pitching star, has come home to Silverton to play with the Red Sox, semi-pro state league club.

Helser, former ace pitcher for Salem and who was released last week by Portland, has obtained a defense job in Portland.

SECOND NO-HITTER BORDENTOWN, N. J.—Cadet Al Verdel of Trenton pitched second consecutive no-hit, no-run game as he shut out Pennington school, 2-0, for Bordentown Military academy.

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Pelicans at Top Strength For Dorris

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Portland 2 3 275 Grants Pass 6 2 500

Wednesday's Results Medford 11, Grants Pass 4.

While the Klamath Falls Pelicans were preparing this week for an invasion of Dorris, Calif., to tackle the Lumberjacks in a pair of league contests Saturday evening and Sunday afternoon, the Medford Craters slipped in a 12-4 triumph over the hapless Grants Pass Merchants Wednesday night at Medford to take over undisputed leadership of the Oregon-California circuit standings with a record of seven wins and two losses. The Klamaths are a close second with six wins and two defeats.

Local observers were confident Friday that the Pelicans would be at top strength for their series with Manager Red Tolbert's crew that dropped a couple of free-scoring tussles to the Craters on the road last week, 10-7 and 11-9. The hard-hitting 'Jacks will be struggling to get back in the pennant chase, hoping for a double win over their Oregon visitors to turn the trick.

Manager Ernie Bishop likely will name Ken Beham, ace of the Whitman college pitching staff who joined the Pelicans last week, to the mound chore in the Saturday evening contest with Virg Haynes, seeking his fifth straight loop victory, the probable pitching nominee for the Sunday assignment. Virgil Gross, recently signed after a try at professional baseball with the Tacoma Tigers of the Western International league, will be the catcher in one of the tilts while Dave Dixon will receive in the other. Gross was with Big Bill during most of the 1941 season.

Return of Paul Crapo, the distance-hitting baseballer who paced the locals in home runs and runs batted in last season, will bolster the Klamath Falls attack against the Lumberjacks. Crapo is slated to see action in the outfield, probably in left, with Mario Pisan in center and El Hatfield in right field.

Infield of the Pelicans is expected to line up with Bishop on first, Earl Hampton at second, Bob Yancey on third and Bud Larson at shortstop. In case Crapo is stationed at first, Bishop will switch to third and Roy Bradford or Jim Fuller will be to the outfield. With Bradford in the lineup, there will be three southpaw hitters for the Dorris nine to contend with as, Larson and Crapo all swing from the port side of the plate.

The Lumberjack contingent will have its usual infield of Jack Duracha at first base, Murray Marshall on the keystone sack, Earl Brooks at the hot corner and Romo Crispi for shortstop duty. Outfielders will be Orlo Oakes, Bill Snively and either Chuck DeVore or Curly Thompson.

Clyde Carlstrom, the ex-Klamath curve-ball artist who beat the Pelicans, 11-3, with eight hits two weeks ago, will pitch for the Californians in one of the games with Southpaw Jim Snider or Curly Thompson scheduled to hurl in the other frays.

Saturday's engagement will get underway at 6 p. m. with the Sunday contest billed to start at 2 p. m.

Fortas Named to Replace Dempsey

WASHINGTON, June 19 (AP) Abe Fortas, director of the interior department's power division, was nominated by President Roosevelt Thursday to be undersecretary of the interior.

He would succeed John J. Dempsey, whose resignation was accepted yesterday by the president. Dempsey is in the race for the governorship of New Mexico.

ANOTHER COONEY SARASOTA, Fla.—Johnny Cooney Jr., son of the Boston Braves' outfielder, pitched winning ball for Sarasota high.

RENEW HANDICAP DUEL NEW YORK—Brooklyn handicap at Aqueduct, June 27, promises to bring about a return meeting between the handicap stars, Whirlaway and Market Wise.

FARKAS IN WAR PLANT DETROIT—Andy Farkas, Washington Redskins back, gave up a radio job to work in a war factory here.

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NYAC Threatens to Retain AAU Diadem

56th Annual Tournament Starts Today On Randall's Island; Davis, Rice Ready

NEW YORK, June 19 (AP)—New York's greatest collection of track and field stars since the Olympic tryouts at Triborough stadium in 1936 look over that same arena on Randall's island today for the start of the 56th annual national AAU championships.

Held in the nation's largest city for the first time since 1908, the meet has attracted virtually every track athlete of consequence, including 16 of last year's individual champions and all the recently crowned national collegiate titleholders.

The New York Athletic club, winner of the team title six times in the last 10 years, has entered a squad of 49 and is rated a strong threat to the three-year reign of the San Francisco Olympic club, which is defending its championship with 16 men.

The sure winner, however, is army emergency relief, scheduled to receive at least \$75,000 from gate receipts and program advertising.

A notable absentee is Barney Ewell, 100-meter champion in 1941, who was forced out by an injury he suffered in the NCAA meet.

But such defending champion as Harold Davis in the 200, Leslie MacMillan in the 1500, Greg Rice in the 5000, Cornelius Warner in the pole vault and Al Blozis in the shot put will be on hand, along with Charlie Beetham in the 800, Lou Gregory in the 10,000, Forest Eflaw in the steeplechase, Joe Medgyesi in the walk, Arky Erwin in the 400-meter hurdles, Archie Harris in the discus, Billy Brown in the broad and triple jumps, Irving Folwarty in the hammer, Frank Best in the 56-pound weight and Boyd Brown in the javelin.

Bums-St. Loo Feud Flares Forth Again

Dodgers Win First of 'Crooshal' Quintet, 5-2; Tigers Tumble Yanks, 3-1

AMERICAN LEAGUE W. L. Pct. New York 43 16 724 St. Louis 29 33 464

Brooklyn 40 16 714 Chicago 29 33 475

St. Louis 24 21 414 Pittsburgh 24 21 475

Cleveland 22 27 342 Boston 27 34 415

Cincinnati 22 27 342 Boston 27 34 415

Thursday's Results New York 1, Detroit 3. Philadelphia 2, Chicago 7. Washington 7, Cleveland 1. (Only game scheduled)

By JUDSON BAILEY Associated Press Sports Writer

Baseball's fiercest feud in many seasons—the 2-year-old rhab of the rowdy Brooklyn Dodgers and the scrapping St. Louis Cardinals—has broken out again.

St. Louis came streaming into Ebbets field last night with a seven-game winning streak and visions of shoving down the Dodgers' 4½-game National league lead during their crucial five-game series.

But the Dodgers diverted the Redbirds' attention with a free-for-all at second base in the sixth inning and sneaked off with a 5-2 victory that eventually may prove one of the most vital of the season.

It was two years to the day from the game in which Joe Medwick was beamed by Bob Bowman of the Cardinals and Medwick set off the newest strife with a high, lunging slide into Shortstop Martin Marion.

Second Baseman Frank Crespi knocked Medwick down and the players of both squads waded into each other.

Unlike some baseball battles, it was furious while it lasted and several players came out of it with bumps on their heads, skinned faces and other injuries.

Dixie Walker of the Dodgers twisted his leg and had to withdraw from the game and both Medwick and Crespi were banished by the umpires.

When it was over, Lefty Max Lanier was so unsettled he gave up a walk and two singles to let Brooklyn tie the score at 2-2 and had to be replaced by John Beazley to get the final out in the sixth.

The Cards seemed to be still thinking of the skirmish when the Dodgers drove three runs across in the eighth to sew up the game.

This was the only contest carded in the senior circuit and only three games were played in the American league.

Winners Meet In Tonight's Softball Tiffs

TONIGHT'S GAMES 7 p. m.—Knights of Columbus vs. Kalpine.

8 p. m.—Big Lakes vs. Matt Finnigan.

Softball fans are expected to witness one of the best games of the season tonight at Recreation park when the Kalpine Plywood line, boasting one of the best underhand twirlers ever seen here in Verne Adams, former Eugene pitcher, and the Knights of Columbus, perennially among the leaders in the Klamath softball program, tangle in the feature contest of a doubleheader show at 7 p. m.

The knights probably will start George Ford on the mound opposing Adams but will have Tim Sullivan, a capable left-hander on hand to do some hurling if necessary, according to Manager Elwood Hillsbeck of the KC's.

Spectators who saw the two teams win their respective games from Finnigan's and Big Lakes in the year's openers Wednesday night believe that this evening's tilt between the two leaders will be close and hard-fought. Big Lakes and the Finnigan crew will meet in the second game of the night at about 8 p. m.

There will be no admission charge for the softball twin bill, according to Don Drury, president of the Klamath Softball association.

Tigers Tip Spokane, 8-6; Salem Beaten

By The Associated Press

It took 13 innings of hard-fought baseball to do it, but the Tacoma Tigers defeated the Spokane Indians, 8-6, last night to improve their position in the race with Salem for second place in Western International league standings and even up the series at 2-all with the Indians.

The Tigers took an early lead and held a 6-3 advantage when the Indians evened the count with three tallies in the eighth inning. What had been a slugfest then turned into a tight mound duel between Chet Johnson and Hub Kittle.

At Vancouver, the league-leading Capilano pushed Salem back a bit with a 1-0 decision featured by tight six-hit pitching by both hurlers.

And 63 players of a total entry of 96 either equalled or beat the far out of Ridgemoor's official par. Seldom has golf seen a shooting match to equal it.

Leading the field at the first turn in the big charity event were Oley Crisman, a pint-size pro from Alabama, and Mike Turney, each with a 65.

Oley is in the tournament because he won a coin toss against another Alabamian who tied with him in their district qualifying test. He felt lucky to get here at all, and was practically speechless when they finished counting up his card. He played beautiful, nearly flawless golf.

Front Runners

By The Associated Press American League

Batting—Gordon, New York, 376; Doerr, Boston, 352.

Runs—Williams, Boston, 55; York, Detroit, 47.

Home Runs—Williams, Boston, 15; York, Detroit, 14.

Pitching—Based on six decisions—Donham, New York, 94; Haynes, Chicago, 81.

National League Batting—Reiser, Brooklyn, 346; Medwick, Brooklyn, 332.

Runs—Ott, New York, 42; Reiser, Brooklyn, 39.

Home Runs—Camilli, Brooklyn, 10; F. McCormick, Cincinnati, 8.

Pitching—Based on six decisions—Wyatt, Brooklyn, 61; Starr, Cincinnati, 53.

LEAN FOR LEFT HANDERS

NEW YORK—Chubby Dean of the Indians is the only left-hander who has defeated the Yankees this season.



Guy Named Crisman Posts 65 in 'Hale'

Ridgemoor Tourney Duplicates 'Hellzapoppin' as Par Takes Terrific Mauling

By GAYLE TALBOT

CHICAGO, June 19 (AP)—The only thing that possibly could create any excitement in the second round of the Hale America golf tournament today would be for one of the leaders to shoot a 61 and then be disqualified because he was caught using a putter off the tees.

Everything else happened yesterday, leaving the crowds that surged over the Ridgemoor club course somewhat surfeited with under-par golf and sideshow amusements.

Sammy Byrd, the ex-ball player, whose clubs were ruled out as too grooved, played with a borrowed set, so mad he could shoot no better than a par 72.

Jimmy Thomson, known as the longest driver in the business and perhaps the most erratic with his irons, won both the driving and the approaching contests, the latter to his own complete astonishment.

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Note: Detroit, leading the American League, is 10½ games behind New York.

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Cleveland 28 24 538 614 547

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Pittsburgh 23 28 451 514 462

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Sacs Blank Bevos, 2-0; L. A. Drops 2

Seals Club Ex-Leaders, 5-1, 7-6; DiBlasi Hurls Oakland to 8-2 Victory

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE W. L. Pct. San Francisco 5 1 278 Seattle 24 35 479

San Diego 44 10 278 Oakland 24 35 480

Los Angeles 49 13 236 Hollywood 24 35 480

San Fran. 56 21 314 Portland 27 44 380

Thursday's Results: San Francisco 5, Los Angeles 1-4. Sacramento 2, Portland 0. Hollywood 7, Oakland 4. (Only games)

By The Associated Press

The Pacific Coast baseball league leading Sacramento Solons blanked the last place Portland Beavers at Portland last night, 2 to 0, to make up for a loss on the previous night when Portland shut out the Solons 3 to 0.

Blitz Donnelly, ace Sacramento hurler spaced six hits to the Beavers, whose moundsman, Syd Cohen, yielded eight safeties.

Portland rallied in the ninth to jam the bags with two out, but Donnelly calmly fanned Lee Stine, a pinch hitter, to end the game. The teams play a doubleheader tonight.

The San Francisco Seals, newcomers to the upper division, showed themselves to be potential challengers for the pennant last night by beating Los Angeles in a doubleheader, 5 to 1 and 7 to 6.

In the seven-inning opener, San Francisco batters drove Red Lynn from the mound as they slammed his offerings for six hits and five runs in a scoring rally that began in the second and continued into the third.

The regulation nightcap was a free hitting affair in which three Angel hurlers gave up 14 hits to 16 bingles allowed by two Seal pitchers.

Vince DiBlasi, Oakland twirler, also turned out a six-hit performance that gave the Oaks an 8 to 2 win from the Hollywood Stars who had collected 34 hits in defeating the Oaks in the two previous games at Oakland.

Charley Root, veteran Hollywood pitcher, started for the Stars, but gave way to Bill Barisoff in the seventh. Oak batters nicked Root for eight hits and five runs and collected three more tallies off Barisoff on three hits.

A postponement kept the Padres idle at Seattle, but the game will be made up in a doubleheader set for tonight.

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