

**Sports Briefs**

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

**NEW YORK, May 11 (AP)**—According to the table of performances for the AAU primary physical fitness test, a guy over 35 should be able to run 100 yards in 14.5 seconds and a mile in seven minutes or run and walk a mile in ten minutes. . . . What, on an "A" card?

**WRONG TEAM**  
When Bill McKechnie, Jr., arrived in Syracuse to take over as secretary of the chiefs, he ruefully recalled his last previous visit to the city, as captain of the Penn State baseball team in 1935. . . . "I went to bat four times and struck out twice," said Bill. "The other two times I hit into double plays. I learned later that Syracuse U. was thinking about awarding me a minor letter."

**ONE-MINUTE SPORTS PAGE**  
The national collegiate AAU tennis tournament, which was almost allowed to fade out, will be played in Chicago after all. . . . Wiffy Cox, the veteran pro, argues that anyone who has played more than 50 rounds of golf ought to be ashamed to remain in the duffer class. . . . Julie Kogon, the New Haven, Conn., lightweight, is planning a ring comeback—so he can buy uniforms for his softball team. . . . When Gunder Haegg got word to prepare for a trip to the United States, he rushed off to see a dentist friend who made him a bridge for two teeth in two hours. He didn't take time to buy the new overcoat he needed. . . . The Lloyd Marshall-Jimmy Bivins fight probably will be made for a Cleveland ball park in late May or early June.

**TODAY'S GUEST STAR**  
Wilbur Adams, Sacramento, Calif., Bee: "You can believe it or not, but that Jib Tyack, who has been batting cleanup for the Philadelphia Athletics this year, is the same lad who could not make the 1936 Sacramento team. And not being able to make that club is a shady distinction."

**SERVICE DEPT.**  
Some of the marines in the Birmingham, Ala., recruiting office are thinking about transferring to the camouflage department since they fixed up some dummies in marine uniforms that looked so lifelike that Lieut. Commander Gene Tunney saluted one when he dropped in there for a visit. . . . Fort Sheridan, Ill., soldiers say the bravest guy in their softball-playing ranks is PFD. Jack Cramer. He umpired a game between two officer teams and called the colonel out on strikes.

**BEST BETZ**  
When the Rollins college tennis team played Tulane the other day, the No. 1 Rollins player who was picked to play Earl Bartlett, Tulane's southeastern conference champion, was Pauline Betz, national women's champion. . . . And the four "man" team also included Nancy Corbett and Peggy Welsh. . . . Maybe it's a sign of the manpower shortage, but the match drew a capacity crowd.

**Oregon Ships Out Fruits, Vegetables**  
SALEM, May 11 (AP)—There were 662 carloads of Oregon fruits and vegetables shipped out of the state in April, the state department of agriculture said today.  
Carlot shipments included: potatoes 358 carloads, pears 160, apples 96, brine cherries 20, and onions 18.

**Oregonians Lead Field In Ball Race**

Webfeet Crowd Huskies on Final Turn by 4 to 0 Tune; Repeat to Be Played Today

**NORTHERN STANDINGS**  
By The Associated Press

	W.	L.	Pct.
Oregon State	11	3	.786
Oregon	10	3	.769
Washington	5	5	.500
Wash. State	4	8	.333
Idaho	0	11	.000

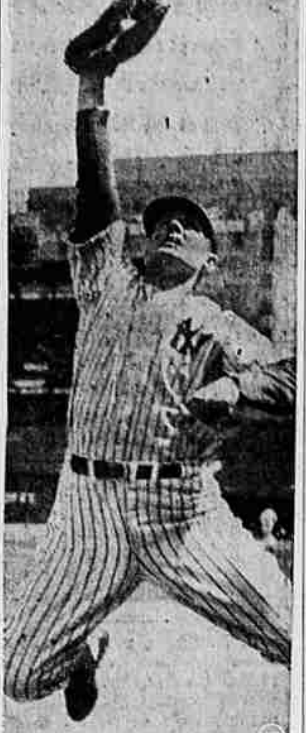
The Oregon schools had the northern division baseball race all to themselves today after the university yesterday crowded Washington out of championship consideration with a 4-0 shutout.  
The two schools play again today and a repeat win for Oregon, which fashioned its victory yesterday against big Doug Ford, the Husky mound ace, will put the Webfoots in a tie for conference laurels with their sister school, Oregon State. The two meet May 15 at Corvallis, and May 17 at Eugene in the last 1943 series for either and the tussles that will settle the race.  
In token series, as far as title contention is concerned, Washington has arguments remaining with Idaho and Washington State, and the two Palouse Hills schools will meet to close the division schedule.  
Oregon yesterday bunched nine hits effectively while Nick Begleries was holding the Huskies to six scattered blows. The contest was errorless until the ninth inning when Washington players booted two. The game failed to produce an extra-base hit.

**Klamath Sport News**

By VIRGIL GROSS  
Remember the City League baseball meeting tonight in the council chambers of the city hall starting at 7:30 p. m. Whether baseball will be played this summer in Klamath Falls is to be decided at this meeting. All interested persons are expected. A city league may be in the offering; but if this is impossible one team could be the answer. There are numerous army teams near by with which games could be arranged; including the army nine at Tulelake, Camp White, the army team at Bend, and also the Japs at Tulelake.  
Al Dollard, Pelican baseball secretary in 1941, is reported in the navy.  
"Red Sanders," old-timer and ex-professional baseball player, is itching to make a comeback this year. He says, "there is still a few years of baseball left in my throwing arm." Red was a left handed pitcher and outfielder in his day with a fast pro-league back east. He was a teammate of "Grover" Alexander when "Grover" got his first start in pro ball.  
Jim Bocchi, KUHS track ace, came home with the bacon from the recent state meet in Eugene. Jim broke the state meet record in the discus with a toss of 139 feet, and took the high jump with a 5 feet 11 inch jump. He tied for top individual scoring honors by earning 10 points and was awarded a cup. Vallancour won a fifth place in the broad jump at the meet.



**Strange Livery**



Nick Etten, purchased from Phillies, is efficient enough in field, has physical advantages left-handedness gives a first baseman, and Joe McCarthy expects him to manufacture a few home runs for the Yankees.

**Stanford Grid Coach Heads for Armed Services**

PALO ALTO, Calif., May 11 (AP)—Another grid coach was headed for the armed services today with the announcement that Harry Shipkey, assistant to Stanford's head football mentor, Marchmont Schwartz, will be commissioned a lieutenant in the navy.  
Shipkey will leave May 22 to attend the navy pre-flight school at Chapel Hill, N. C.  
Coach Schwartz announced that Vic Lindskog, center on Stanford's 1940 Rose Bowl team, will fill Shipkey's job as assistant varsity and freshman mentor.

**Majors Feel for Mad Russian, Chicago's Holdout Outfielder**

By JUDSON BAILEY  
Associated Press Sports Writer  
The major leagues are using the intermission before their first interseasonal strike of the season to feel out trade possibilities and the foremost figure in their discussions of deals apparently is Lou Novikoff, the Chicago Cubs' holdout outfielder.  
Manager Jimmy Wilson of the Bruins disclosed under cross examination last night that three other National League clubs—the Cincinnati Reds, New York Giants and Philadelphia Phillies—have made propositions for the Mad Russian.  
The hitch thus far is that the prospective buyers want to spend money instead of talent and Wilson is insisting on a right-handed hitting outfielder in exchange for the colorful clouter who batted an even .300 last year.  
James Gallagher, general manager of the Cubs, has taken the position, publicly at least, that Novikoff would either have to agree to the Cubs' terms or remain out of baseball. Nevertheless, Gallagher is making the current eastern swing with his ball club and undoubtedly will be asked about Novikoff at various stops.  
Just what rival clubs might be willing to give, or the Cubs take, for Novikoff, is a matter for guesswork. The Phillies, who perhaps need him most, have the least to offer. Besides there is a feeling on the Cubs that if he were traded to Philadelphia he probably would turn up shortly afterward with the Brooklyn Dodgers.  
This is because Branch Rickey of the Dodgers and Bill Cox, the

**Rainiers to Try Blasting Top Angels**

Beavers Gnash Teeth in Seventh Spot; Hope for Better Time With Seals

By The Associated Press  
The patchwork lineup that currently is fighting to uphold the prestige of the Pacific Coast league's Seattle Rainiers will take the home field today in an attempt to halt the leading Los Angeles club which rode into Seattle yesterday with a five game margin after taking six straight from Portland.  
Manager Bill Skiff of Seattle's sixth placers has indicated he will stick to his present infield for the time being, although it has shown some lamentable weaknesses. He will use Hal Turpin on the mound today, opposing Jimmy Lynn, ace of the Angels staff, undefeated so far.  
The Rainiers split a six-game series with the weak hitting San Francisco Seals last week and may snap out of it, but hardly against the Angels.

Portland, once in the first division, will try to pull back up from seventh place against San Francisco on the Portland field. After their lacing at the hands of the Angels, the Beavers may be hard to handle.  
Second place San Diego, faltering badly against Hollywood last week, moves north for a series with Oakland. The ambitious Hollywood Stars, having boosted themselves out of the cellar, will attempt to keep the door closed in the faces of the current occupants, the Sacramento Solons.

**Lewis Ballmen Score Triumph Over Sealers**

TACOMA, May 11 (AP)—The Fort Lewis baseball team scored an 8-7 triumph over the San Francisco Seals of the Pacific Coast league here last night when a double and a single broke an eighth inning deadlock after two were out.  
After spotting the Seals five runs on three hits, a walk and five errors in the second, the army tossers came back to take a 6-5 lead with two runs in their half of the inning and added four in the third.  
The Coast leaguers tied the count twice thereafter, at 6-6 and 7-7, only to lose in the eighth when Morry Engle hit a double and Bill Diehl pounded him across with a single. The twilight game was called in the eighth because of darkness.

**A New Angle**



Here is a different view of Lieut. Cornelius Warmerdam, usually photographed soaring to record-breaking heights on end of bamboo pole. Greatest of vaulters and family enjoy track and field meet as spectators at Edwards field, University of California.

**Stanford's Lady Coxswain Has Been Dunked But Once**

PALO ALTO, Calif., May 11 (AP)—Blonde, 17-year-old Ann Ashley is one girl who doesn't scream when she gets a dunking, in fact, she revels in it.  
Ann is coxswain of the Stanford university junior varsity oarsmen. So when she goes overboard, it means the Cardinals have won and an old tradition is being upheld.  
Her crew of husky six-footers say that Ann, despite her scant 107 pounds, is a hard taskmaster. She barks orders, addressing each man by his last name, when she is at her post. But "off duty" they say she sheds her authority and is a favorite with her athletes.  
So far she has been tossed into the drink just once, when Stanford beat the University of California at Los Angeles. The crew lost to California in the only other race at which she has officiated.  
Miss Ashley came into her unique position—Stanford boasts she is the first girl coxswain in the history of collegiate crew racing—quite by accident.  
She was watching the oarsmen work out one day a few weeks ago and accepted promptly when the boys offered to take her for a trial run.

**John Fulton, Stanford Runner, Breaks Two Records**

LOS ANGELES, May 11 (AP)—Stanford's John Fulton raced to a new American record of 1:18.9 in the 660-yard run Saturday—and at the same time broke the American record of 1:20.3 for the 600 meters.  
This was disclosed yesterday when Arnold Eddy, secretary of SPAAA, said he will apply for both records for Fulton.

**Swede Star Dashes Into Trip to U. S.**

By JOHN COLBURN  
STOCKHOLM, May 10 (Delayed) (AP)—Bashful Gunder Haegg, Sweden's record-smashing distance runner, started on the first lap of a journey to the United States tonight to pit his speed and endurance against America's best athletes "at any place and any time."  
Nervous about making his first trip abroad, the bashful Haegg took a night sleeper to Goteborg where he expected to board a tanker tomorrow for the voyage across the Atlantic, which will take about 23 days. His port of debarkation still is uncertain.  
In an interview with this correspondent before he boarded his train, Haegg said:  
"I love to run and it has always been my dream to go to the United States. I have never been outside Europe and I am looking forward to competing with America's great runners."  
"When I get there I'll run any place at any time, and the AAU can let the profits of any meets go where it finds suitable—whether to war benefits or other funds."

**Red Hitters Top League Slug Marks**

Lonnie Frey Leads All With .397; Cincinnati Men Take Four First Places

NEW YORK, May 11 (AP)—The batting averages in the National and American league have leveled off to something approaching equality in the last week, but the most novel note they revealed today was four members of the so-called weak-hitting Cincinnati Reds among the 10 top hitters in the senior circuit.  
Little Lonnie Frey, even with his batting mark shrunken 70 points from the imposing .467 he sported a week ago, continued to lead both major leagues with .397.  
This average by a veteran who ordinarily is under .280 was surprising enough, but hardly more than that his Cincinnati teammates, Frank McCormick, Eric Tipton and Gerald Walker, all were present among the leaders.  
McCormick was not among the first 10 last week, but he spurted into third place with .353 while Stan Hack of the Chicago-Cubs, who also was missing from the leaders a week ago, soared into second place with .373. Together they crowded the Phillies' Danny Litwiler out of the runner-up slot and into a tie with his teammate, Babe Dahlgren, for fourth at .340.  
Vernon (Junior) Stephens of the St. Louis Browns remained in front of the American league with .392 as compared with his .448 of last week. Oris Hockett of Cleveland made his first appearance among the weekly leaders and grabbed off second place with .360.  
Mike Higgins, who was runner-up a week ago with .418, slipped to third at .353.

**Four Airmen Baled Out of Bomber**

POCATELLO, Idaho, May 11 (AP)—Four army airmen who baled out of a bomber before it crashed 80 miles south of Burley, Idaho, are being treated for shock and exposure, the Pocatello air base public relations office announced today.  
The bombers ran into trouble Saturday night and the wreckage was sighted yesterday. The crew was picked up in the remote Utah-Idaho border country.

**FIGHTS**  
By The Associated Press  
PHILADELPHIA—Gus Dorazio, 1931, Philadelphia, outpointed Joe Baksi, 2051, Kulpmont, Pa., (10).

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**Inside Story of Dead Ball**



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