

ports Briefs

HUGH FULLERTON, JR. NEW YORK, June 8 (AP)—It's a way from the football season apparently it's the open season on football teams and sports on the Pacific coast...

MINUTE SPORTS PAGE Nobody at West Point will say that football folks there give impression they don't expect play the 1944 Army-Navy game in the conclusion of either sports or West Point...

SERVICE DEPT. Lieut. Glenn Dobbs, ex-Tulsa passing ace, is heading for a post at Colorado Springs, where the second air force will have its headquarters...

Warren to Coach Oregon's Teams for Next Season Eugene, June 8 (AP)—John Warren, duration football coach at the University of Oregon...

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BOWLERS CONTRIBUTE CHICAGO, June 8 (AP)—The bowlers, supporting the Bowlers Victory Legion, in last year contributed more than \$180,000 for the purchase of recreation facilities for men in the armed forces overseas...

It's a "frozen" article you'd, advertise for a used one classified.

Ott Lifts Giants With Two Homers

By JACK HAND Associated Press Sports Writer Mel Ott continued to lift the Giants by their bootstraps, and the Chicago White Sox began to cast their shadow across the American League standings today as baseball swung back into normal stride...

Box Down Detroit Jimmy Dykes White Sox stretched their win streak to seven by downing Detroit, 3-1, in another night game. The Sox are only a half game behind the third-place Tigers, and only three and a half behind the leading St. Louis Browns...

Yanks Reel Boston sent the New York Yankees reeling back under another setback, 8-1, as Tex Hughson grabbed his seventh decision and boss Joe Cronin led the attack with a double and homer. Hank Borowy suffered his second setback of the campaign, fading after the fifth inning...

St. Louis and Chicago in the National, and Washington, Philadelphia, Cleveland and St. Louis in the American were not scheduled.

Tourney Favorites Pessimistic

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McSpaden, who has won \$13,400 in war bonds to Nelson's \$11,290 this year, wasn't even happy that his 73 in a sidebar match yesterday was one stroke better than his rival did.

Nova Lists Second Win Over Marshall

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How Not to Steal Home



In football, Rip Russell might be guilty of illegal use of hands, but here first baseman is being tagged by Bill Raimondi of Oakland in attempt to steal home in Los Angeles. Laundering being what it is, perhaps ex-Cub does not care to risk soiling his best baseball duds.

Barpower Shortage Not Cause of A.R.T.'s Golf Tournament, Says Horse

By JACK HEWINS (Pinch Hitting For USS Newland) SPOKANE, June 8 (AP)—Right from the mouth of Esmeralda the horse we bring you assurance that the barpower problem has nothing to do with the Amateur Round Table's sponsorship of the \$20,000 Professional Golfers association tournament here in August's third week...

Drinklers Taboo "We always ask 'em first if they drink," says Joe Alibi, perennial president of the A.R.T. "Nothing but teetotalers get behind the bar..."

Big and genial Ralph Guldahl here on tour while national open champ, was enticed into an apron and ordered to man the soda spigot. Famous pro footballers, tennis stars, coaches, have mixed flowing dynamite that made ART members look twice at their insurance policies.

Nailing the PGA was the brightest feather in the Round Table's bonnet since Esmeralda gave Capitol hill the galloping dithers with "bundles for congress..."

Esmeralda Open The club in past years has brought Spokane the national public links tournament, the western amateur, several north-west regional events and has its own annual Esmeralda open...

GOOD DIGGER CAMP ADAIR, June 8 (AP)—Sgt. Leno Belarde won a three-day pass for digging the best foxhole in his company. The foxhole was so well camouflaged that umpires, inspecting the foxholes, couldn't find it to inspect.

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Beavers Top Coast Loop, Half Game

By The Associated Press The merry-go-round for the Pacific Coast league leadership today found Portland catching the brass ring and Seattle nudging Hollywood from a third-place tie into fourth.

Portland did all of its scoring after two were out in the sixth inning to defeat Los Angeles, 3 to 2. The victory, coupled with San Francisco's 2 to 1 loss to Sacramento, put the Beavers half a game out in front of the Seals in the tight battle for the top spot.

Seattle's Rainiers had to go 12 innings—their third straight extra-inning game—to best Oakland, 4 to 3, and gain undisputed claim to third place.

Hollywood dropped to the fourth-place spot when San Diego's Rex Cecil fanned 11 and won his 13th victory, 5 to 3.

Trailing by two runs in the last of the ninth, the Rainiers rallied to tie the score after Centerfielder Lloyd Christopher hit a home run to open the inning.

Then in the 12th Dick Gyselman sent home the winning run with a long single to right field after Shortstop Bill Lyman had singled and moved to second on a sacrifice.

Scores: C. H. E. Oakland 3 11 0 Seattle 4 14 0

Los Angeles 2 R. H. E. Portland 3 7 0

San Diego 5 R. H. E. Hollywood 3 6 1

San Francisco 1 R. H. E. Sacramento 2 7 1

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Walking Scoreboard



W. O. Law, anti-aircraft gunner of a Dover regiment, becomes a walking scoreboard of his outfit's success against German planes as he dons captured Nazi flyer's jacket. A metal swastika is pinned on whenever another enemy plane is downed. Gunner Law is chatting with Gunner O. S. Gregson.

Paavo's Belt Issue Hot Salem Row Raises Question About Title Event Stated Here Friday Night

Paavo Katonen, coast light heavyweight champion, will meet George Wagner on the grunt-and-groan mat here Friday night—both whether Paavo's much-talked-about belt will be at stake is not certain at this writing.

Reason: Paavo almost lost the belt in a match with Sneeze Achiu, the jitsu artist, at Salem Tuesday night. In fact, the tricky Oriental beat Paavo, two falls out of three, but the Salem affair ended in a terrific melee that left the question on the belt undecided.

According to the Salem Statesman, the chairman of Salem's boxing commission is holding the belt until he received word from the National Wrestling association as to whether he ought to give it to Achiu or give it back to Katonen.

The krangle at Salem developed over the third and deciding fall, which Achiu took. Both went out of the ropes, where Achiu put a sleeper hold on Paavo, and then climbed back into the ring before the referee's count of 20 had been completed.

Katonen was still outside and the referee awarded the match to Achiu.

Then came the loud pow-wow as to whether the win was legal and Paavo had lost his belt. If the Salem boxing commission official still has it, it's a cinch it won't be here for display at Mack Lillard's Friday night card.

"If it isn't here, and anybody thinks they aren't getting their money's worth, they can get it back," said Lillard.

Wagner has beaten Katonen twice in non-title bouts here in the past two weeks.

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A couple of fast bouts have been arranged to complete the card, which is expected to draw a big crowd.

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Official Dies, Snell Ponders Successor

SALEM, June 8 (AP)—Governor Earl Snell indicated he would wait at least until early next week before appointing a successor to Corporation Commissioner Lloyd R. Smith, who died at his home in Portland Tuesday.

The funeral will be held in Portland Friday.



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