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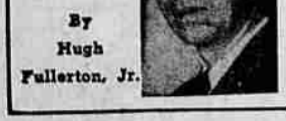
Klamath Men Regard Order With Caution

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22 (AP)—Hunters soon will be able to purchase ammunition again.

The war production board disclosed today that it plans to remove temporarily its ban on sales because animals and birds are causing widespread crop and livestock losses in many parts of the country.

The ban originally was imposed in May, 1943, relaxed for the 1943 fall hunting season and restored last January 1. WPB told its ammunition industry advisory committee that an order would be issued later this week permitting sales for hunting purposes. Approximately 3,000,000 pounds of brass is available for ammunition production during the fourth quarter of this year.

The advisory committee suggested the brass be used to produce 130,000,000 shotguns shells, 240,000,000 rim fire cartridges and 8,000,000 center-fire cartridges.



Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

Sports Briefs

NEW YORK, Aug. 22 (AP)—Overseas sports roundup:

THE SANDSTORM LEAGUE

Here's how they play GI baseball in the middle east, as related by Larry Leonard: "Our baseball team was engaging a quarter-master unit when all of a sudden the QM boys voiced protest against the umpiring. Finally they tossed out the umpire. They put in another umpire (told Du-rocher to try it some time) and this new ump was one of our other players who had just come out of the hospital. Well, our team, realizing the hitting ability of the kid we had umpiring, tried to take him out as ump and use him as a pinch-hitter. The other team protested strongly they finally walked off the field and the game has to be played over."

SICILY

From "perpetual" Private Doc Goldstein: "A few days ago a local army all-star baseball team thumped some navy all-stars. I sat alongside a high ranking navy officer who commented on the army shortstop thus: 'That shortstop has potentialities. In a few years he'll be ripe for the big leagues'... The boy was GI Billy Cox, property of the Pittsburgh Pirates."

Army to Ship Sports Goods To Battle Front

NEW YORK, Aug. 22 (AP)—The army will ship approximately 20 million dollars worth of athletic equipment overseas during 1944, it was revealed today by Lieut. Col. Henry W. (Eskey) Clark former Harvard football star who recently was appointed head of the new athletic branch of the special services division.

Col. Clark and Capt. Brown Bolte, who looked over the European and Mediterranean areas while Clark was in the Pacific, agreed that softball, volleyball, boxing and horse shoes, are the principal soldier sports because they require less space and equipment than other games.

"The GIs don't wait for the fighting to end," Clark said. "On Saipan they were watching movies while there still were Japanese snipers around. I saw one little island in the Marshalls where there were eight softball and one hardball diamonds and one in the Aleutians has 40 softball fields. And I see they're already making good use of those stadiums Mussolini built in Italy."

Former Eugene Coach to Help With Rockets

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 22 (AP) Coach Matty Matthews has announced that Fritz Kramer, ex-Washington State college backfield star, would help train the Portland Rockets of the new West Coast Pro league.

Kramer was Eugene high school coach until ill health forced him to abandon the post in 1942.

The Rockets open against the Seattle squad here September 3.

Athletics Take First Year Series

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 22 (AP) The Philadelphia Athletics took the season series edge over another American league club for the first time since 1941 last night when they defeated the Chicago White Sox for the 12th time this year.

The Sox were the victims in '41, too, when they lost 12 to the A's.

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Nice Going, Fellow!



His Naval Air Station teammates congratulate Shortstop Harvey Storey after he socked a home run in the second inning of the game against the Eugene All-Stars Sunday which the navy won 17 to 3. An unidentified stranger approaches from the left with a sum of money he promised to the first player who would hit a home run. Behind the stranger is All-Star Catcher Retger. Other players are, left to right, First Baseman Gay, Pitcher Olson, Right Fielder Miller (almost hidden), Storey, Left Fielder Weller, and Umpire Hasbroke.

Angels, Stars Lock in PCL Top Series

By The Associated Press

League-leading Los Angeles and second-place Hollywood locked in the crucial and outstanding series as the Pacific Coast Baseball league starts the 21st of its 24-week schedule tonight.

Hollywood's Stars are but six games behind the strong-driving Angels who won the league pennant in 1943.

Meanwhile, the up-and-coming Portland Beavers, 7 1/2 games behind Los Angeles, entertain Sacramento, next-to-last in the eight club listings.

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Doerr Holds Tight to L. A. Batting Lead

NEW YORK, Aug. 22 (AP)—Bobby Doerr of Boston held tight to the American league batting lead today despite a new challenge from Lou Boudreau of Cleveland and Stan Musial of St. Louis squeezed past the ailing Dixie Walker of Brooklyn in the National's red hot chase.

According to averages through Sunday's games, Doerr was hitting .324 and enjoying a slim four-point edge on Boudreau who advanced from fourth to second, passing Dick Siebert of Philadelphia and Pete Fox of Boston.

Milt Byrnes of St. Louis grabbed seventh place among the American's top 10 and Stan Spence of Washington took ninth with Wally Moses of Chicago and Vern Stephens of St. Louis dropping out of the select circle.

Musial topped Walker by one point at 355 but the Brooklyn favorite returned to the lineup on a full-time basis Sunday after 10 days of pinch-hitting chores due to an ankle injury. Johnny Hopp of St. Louis at .346 and Joe Medwick of New York at .340 stepped into the title picture with healthy gains.

Huskies Put On Suits for First Grid Practice

SEATTLE, Aug. 22 (AP)—After almost a month of gym-suit drill, five full squads of University of Washington footballers donned their suits yesterday in the Huskies' official opening practice.

Coch Ralph (Pest) Welch sent his charges into backfield blocking drills and contact line play for the guards and tackles.

The first squad lined up with Gail Bruce and Dick Hagen, ends; Bill McGovern and Fritz Osterhout, tackles; Les Steiner and Jim McCurdy, guards; Gordy Berlin, center; Bobby Zech, quarter; Andy Walsh, left halfback; Whitley King and Dick Hultgren, right halves; and Keith de Coursey, fullback.

Armstrong Pounds Out Close Decision Over Willie Joyce

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 22 (AP)—Former Triple Title Holder Henry Armstrong continued his renewed comeback drive last night by pounding out a narrow 10-round verdict over Willie Joyce of Gary, Ind.

Armstrong, 139, weathered an early round buffeting and came through with a savage ninth and tenth round attack that won the nod over his 140-pound opponent.

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Gutteridge Hits Homer For Browns

St. Louis Second Baseman Socks Annual Homer For Victory Over Washington

By JACK HAND

Associated Press Sports Writer

Mr. Pepper Pot of the St. Louis Browns, alias Don Gutteridge, won't be in the front row when they count the most valuable player ballots in November, but he was the No. 1 man on the ticket today in St. Louis.

The little second baseman from Pittsburgh, Kas., waited until last night to get his annual home run and picked the right spot—in the 12th inning of a 3-3 ball game with Frank Mancuso on base. Gutteridge hit one homer last year and one the year before. Up to last night in Washington, he hadn't connected for all four this year.

When the ex-Cardinal gave the league-leaders a 5-3 victory over the Nats' Mickey Haefner, he gave them a shot in the arm that may shake them out of their troubles. Luke Sewell's men had dropped four in a row, their longest losing streak of the season and their critics were saying they were due to crack wide open, especially after the 12-1 drubbing in Sunday's second game.

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Paul Brown to Lay Course For Great Lakes Eleven

By JERRY LISKA

GREAT LAKES, Ill., Aug. 22 (AP)—Lt. Paul E. Brown, Ohio State's dynamic, young football strategist, is a coaching king-pin again, but instead of guiding his erstwhile "Baby Buckeyes," he'll be steering the course this fall for the Great Lakes' Bluejackets. Brown's acendency yesterday

to the head coaching berth the past two years by Lt. Col. Paul D. (Tony) Hinkle, Ohio State's athletic director, hardly surprised the football fraternity.

For the past several weeks as Hinkle's "assistant" Brown was calling all the shots for Bluejackets in an all-Ohio practice. As a matter of fact, generally was believed Brown since he donned navy blue.

The accent is on youth as Brown's Bluejacket roster is concerned. He has eight and 10 linemen with college experience while the rest of Bluejackets are mainly high school stars.

If it stays intact, Great Lakes backfield will include Don Avery of Minnesota, Jim Van and Bob Hanlon of Notre Dame, Jim Youel of Iowa and Teixeira of Texas.

Trapshooting Meet to Open

By HAROLD HARRISON

VANDALIA, O., Aug. 22 (AP) This little Ohio town of some 500 population—made famous as the permanent home of the Amateur Trapshooting association—was ready today for its annual big moment, the 45th renewal of the Grand American trapshooting tournament.

For the next three days upwards of 900 of North America's most expert marksmen will make Vandalia and its environs front as they blast away at 500 clay targets each.

This is the second straight year the Grand has been conducted on a three-day and bring-your-own shells basis. In previous years the meet ran eight days and all contestants were required to buy their shells on the ATA grounds. The war put an end to that.

The exact number of entrants won't be known until the firing gets underway but Ray Loring, ATA manager, predicted there would be as many as a year ago when 38 states and three Canadian provinces were represented.

Portland, Tucson To Meet For Legion Sectional Title

BILLINGS, Mont., Aug. 22 (AP)—Portland, Ore., and Tucson, Ariz., were matched as finalists tonight of the section American Legion Junior ball tournament.

The game, billed for 8:30 p.m., marks the second time two teams will have met in this tourney. Portland club out an 8-3 victory against Tucson Sunday night to go to the finals. Tucson gained championship bracket by beating Aberdeen, S. D., bowing Portland and then staying the running with last night's 5-3 triumph against the South Dakota champs.

Carlson to Be 1944 Pelican Football Equipment Manager

Charles Carlson, mathematics teacher last year at KUHS and due to take over the chemistry teaching department this coming year, will be equipment manager for the Pelican football squad this season.

Carlson will replace Art Mason as equipment manager. Mason has been granted a release at his own request from his duties as chemistry and physics teacher at the high school.

Modoc Field Grid Buildings Painted, Repaired

When the grid aspirants come to the Modoc field equipment houses and dressing rooms this fall to check out their football togs and prepare for practice, they will see that the athletic layout has been completely renovated.

The main field house, which contains the larger things such as the waterwagon, and is located next to the main field house, has been completely repainted on the outside.

Red paint has been applied to the roofs of all the buildings. The inside of the main grandstand has also been repainted.

Girl to Tackle Grid Coaching Job

KIMBERLY, Ida., Aug. 22 (AP) Pretty Jean Parsons will coach the Kimberly high grid team this season.

She did so well last year as varsity basketball coach, said Superintendent J. B. Fridley, that the board decided to let her tackle the football job, too.

Cheer up! Summer has mightily near burned itself out!

We wish that the mercury were like all the rest of us—lacked ambition to even move.

Service Resumed

SPOKANE, Aug. 22 (AP)—Resumption of Northwest Airline service between Portland and Spokane began Sunday. Mayor Earl Riley of Portland and a group of Portland businessmen were passengers on the initial flight.

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