

Cardinals Finish Short Baseball Tryout Session



Hughie East, former major league pitcher and now scout for the St. Louis Cardinals, and two other Redbird talent hunters, ended a brief tryout session at Recreation field yesterday without any definite commitments to local diamond hopefuls and have gone on to Eugene in further quest for baseball prospects. East is pictured here giving Irv Whitl a hand with a bat. The Cardinals organization already has a string on Whitl.

Dodger Fans Order Early Brooklyn Stretches Win Streak To Eleven

Sampson Put Into Top Bout

Phil Sampson, the ex-Reno southpaw who is now making his home in Klamath Falls and is making something of a name for himself in local fistic circles, gets top billing on next Tuesday's armory ring card, his first 10 round bout.

Sampson has appeared locally twice in the past, both his fights being scheduled for either four or five rounds, but he hasn't had to go to any great lengths yet. He knocked out Jiri Burton in two heats and chided Dean Abney in the first.

His next fight will be against Chuck Brown of Portland who is reputed to be something of a slugger. Brown has never been in the ring here, but will be coming up against a fellow who not only is reputed to be a slugger but who has proved it very convincingly.

Monte Montgomery, the popular Indian lightweight, is paired off for the second 10 rounder on the Tuesday card, fighting another Portland youth who is very well known, Chris Gregory. Gregory may be more than a match for Monte because among his accomplishments is a draw with Duane (Buzgaw) Hoag, and Montgomery has twice been knocked out by the flying fists of the Buzgaw.

Promoter Mack Lillard has lined up the two 10-stanza bouts, a double main event, in place of a reappearance of Emery Jackson. The San Francisco colored boy would like to fight here again but there was not an opponent on the horizon for this card. He'll probably be headlining a local fight card in the near future.

Tickets for the Tuesday battle were placed on sale at Matt Pinningan's sporting goods store this morning.

Realty Price Drop Seen In Future

PORTLAND, July 30 (AP)—Pacific Northwest states can expect a sharp reduction in realty values when deflation begins, Dr. William A. Irwin, American Bankers association economist, said here last night.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

LOS ANGELES—K. O. Hooker, 190, Portland, Ore., outpointed Billy McClure, 196, Los Angeles, 6. SAN JOSE, Calif.—Tony Bosnich, 190, San Francisco, knocked out Frisco James, 176, Los Angeles, 2. PRESNO, Calif.—Sal Perea, 147, San Francisco, outpointed Shelt Rangel, Fresno, 10. BROOKLYN—Herbie Kronowitz, 158½, Brooklyn, outpointed Joe Agosta, 156½, New York, 10.

Prepare now for the future—learn your trade in the United States navy.

Advertisement for Cal-Ore Tavern, Highway 97 South, featuring 'It's CAL-ORE TONITE' and 'CAL-ORE TAVERN'.

By The Associated Press. Flatbush faithful today were exhibiting haste to order world series tickets, with hardly a soul in Brooklyn holding any doubt over the Dodgers' participation in the October classic.

They had plenty to support their contention, for last night the Brooks, behind the superb pitching of Rookie Harry Taylor, whipped the St. Louis Cardinals, chief threat to their pennant hopes, 4-0.

Yesterday's victory increased the Dodgers' National League lead over the runner-up Redbirds to eight full games and stretched their current victory string to 11 straight, the highest streak in the league this season.

On the mound, Taylor held the runless Cards to three hits to register its ninth win against three losses. At the plate he drove in the first Dodger tally in the sixth inning with a squeeze bunt. He batted in two more in the eighth with a tremendous triple and carried the final run in himself a moment later.

The New York Giants remained in third place, nine games behind first, when they nipped the Cincinnati Reds 2-1 in a night game at Cincinnati. Will Marshall's 26th home run proved to be the deciding tally.

Held to two hits for six innings, the Chicago Cubs broke loose with a five-run attack in the seventh to defeat Philadelphia 5-4 for their 13th success in 14 games with the Phils.

Ernie Bonham, ex-American league pitcher, won his ninth game against three defeats this season as he pitched the Pittsburgh Pirates to a 6-5 victory over the fourth place Boston Braves in a night game at Pittsburgh.

The Boston Red Sox dropped 19½ games behind the idle American league leading New York Yankees by losing a 3-1 decision to Bobby Feller and the Indians in Boston.

Philadelphia's fourth place Athletics outscored the Chicago White Sox 5-2 in a night game at Philadelphia. Hank Majeski, A's third baseman was beaned by a pitched ball by Earl Harrist in the fourth inning and was carried from the field on a stretcher. The extent of the injury has not yet been determined.

The St. Louis Browns welcomed the Senators 8-2 in a night game at Washington.

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Drastic Hunting Changes

WASHINGTON, July 30 (AP)—The fish and wildlife service indicated today that duck-hunters will encounter the most drastic hunting rules in a decade this fall—regulations reminiscent of the duck-depression mid-thirties.

The agency is keeping its autumn marsh-mauling schedules secret until President Truman and Secretary of the Interior Krug approve them, but those acquainted with the waterfowl situation predict that the season will be cut to 30 days. It was 45 days last fall, and 80 days in 1945.

Frederick C. Lincoln, assistant to the director of the fish and wildlife service, said the regulations have been completed and are now under consideration by the justice department, budget bureau and other agencies concerned. They may be made public as early as next Friday or Monday, he said.

Lincoln acknowledged that reductions beyond the 1946 season, bag limit, possession limit and shooting hours virtually would mean the return of the hunting conditions of 1935 and 1936, during the duck depression.

All-Time Record Salmon Caught

CAMPBELL RIVER, B. C., July 30 (CP)—The all-time record tye salmon caught at this famed Central Vancouver island fishing resort was shattered today when Raymond E. Slocum of Oakland, Calif., landed a 76-pound fish.

Slocum, who was using No. 36 tackle, won a diamond button, cherished award for record catches. The giant fish was landed following a 50-minute struggle and was three and one-half pounds heavier than the previous record catch made in 1941 by Mrs. Grace Randall of Vancouver.

New Library At Whitworth Campus

SPOKANE, July 30 (AP)—A new library, to memorialize Harriet Cheney Cowles, wife of the late William H. Cowles, Spokane newspaper publisher, is to be built on the Whitworth college campus, President Frank Warren said today.

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Beeber Has Tough foe At Peoria

Local Entry Puts Rounds of 81-76 In For Qualifying

PEORIA, Ill., July 30 (AP)—The National Junior chamber of commerce golf tournament today moved into a match play showdown with two 18-hole rounds scheduled to trim a field of 64 qualifiers to 16 tie contenders.

In the spotlight were co-medallists Boo Peters of Kansas City, Kas., a last-minute arrival with a set of ancient clubs, and Wesley Brown, a three-sport prep star from Chattanooga, Tenn., who stroked two-under-par 142 in yesterday's 36-hole qualifying test.

Peters, who arrived just in time to set out with the last threesome in an 84-player field, today tested his patched-up clubs against 14-year-old Rufus Hughes of Paducah, Ky., who qualified with 155.

Brown's first round opponent was Dick Pogue of Watertown, Minn., who shot 154 yesterday.

Walker Inman, Augusta, Ga., who yesterday lapped a neat 146, hooked up with Ray (Spike) Beeber of Klamath Falls, last year's runner-up, who qualified with 157.

Defending Champion Al Mengert of Spokane, Wash., who won the inaugural 1946 tourney on his home course, was unimpressive in qualifying with a 152, ten strokes off the pace, and faced possible trouble in his opening match with Doug Campbell of Madison, Wis., who shot 154.

Complete scores for qualifying rounds by Pacific Northwest players were: Bucklin 77-72-149; May 76-73-149; Dick Estey, Portland, Ore., 76-76-152; Mengert 75-77-152; Beeber 81-76-157, and Glenn Sheriff, Seattle, 78-80-158.

Frisco May Hire Negro

SAN FRANCISCO, July 30 (AP)—Charles H. Graham, president of the San Francisco Seals of the Pacific Coast league, said last night he had authorized "preliminary negotiations" for purchase of negro outfielder Sam Jethro of the Cleveland Buckeyes.

A left-handed hitter, Jethro leads the negro major leagues in stolen bases.

Consummation of the deal would make Jethro the first negro in the coast circuit.

Fox Promised Bettina Fight

SPOKANE, July 30 (AP)—Veteran Tiger Jack Fox of Spokane held a slight margin of public favor today as he prepared to go into the ring tonight against Jerry McSwain, hard-hitting Californian.

Fox has been promised a rematch with Melio Bettina of Beacon, N. Y., if he gets by tonight's go. Bettina knocked Fox out in the ninth round in a 1939 meeting for the New York state version of the light heavyweight championship.

Darigold Holds Playoff Berth

PORTLAND, July 30 (AP)—Darigold creamery held a berth in the state American Legion junior baseball tournament today, joining Hood River and the winners of the Woodburn-Tigard and Albany-Drain play-offs for the roster at the big meet in Salem this week-end.

Darigold overwhelmed Aero club 9 to 3 last night behind the six-hit hurling of Ken Jensen.

Navy To Northwest

SEATTLE, July 30 (AP)—The U. S. Naval academy has definitely selected the Puget Sound area for its football training site this fall, Senator Magnuson said today. The squad is expected to arrive in late August to train on Whidby Island, he said.

SPORTS

CARDS MAKE OVERTURES TO FEW YOUNG PLAYERS

The St. Louis Cardinals tryout camp at Recreation field closed up a shop around noon yesterday after a very brief session and the talent hunters, Hugh East, Vidi Hinal and Ray Blake, moved on to Eugene for a three-day camp in further quest of diamond ivory.

The scouts did not make any definite commitments to the local baseball hopefuls, but did casually mention to two or three of the lads something to the effect that "you'll probably hear from us again."

East and his companions on the talent trail did not make public the names of the lads they were considering, working on the theory that they'd just as soon keep it a secret, what with so many other major league scouts active in the area.

The Cardinal camp was a hurried affair and not at all the type of work performed several weeks ago by scouts from the New York Yankees.

The Yanks held a school, teaching the young players the fundamentals

HOW THEY STAND

Table with columns: AMERICAN LEAGUE, W., L., Pct. Rows include New York, Boston, Detroit, Philadelphia, Cleveland, Washington, Chicago, St. Louis.

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That Dull Thud... Suds Bump Beavers Into League Cellar

Fourth-place Seattle dropped their northern neighbors, Portland, into the Pacific Coast league cellar last night in a 14-3 rout that saw 20 bases on balls.

Seattle took 13 walks while Dick Barrett, winning his sixth in a row, issued seven passes. Seattle collected 15 bingles to five for the Beavers.

A lightning triple play, pulled by Los Angeles' Johnny Ostrowski with the help of First Baseman Larry Barton, featured the Los Angeles-Seattle game last night in which the Seals toppled the league leaders 5 to 1.

The triple play, believed the first registered against San Francisco in at least 10 years, was executed in the first inning with none out. With the bases loaded, Third Baseman Ostrowski nabbed a one-bouncer off the bat of Ray Ortle, Ostrowski stepped on third to force Hugh Luby, dashed to the line to tag out Don White and then sizzled the pill to Barton at first to beat Ortle by a step.

Cliff Melton hung up his eleventh victory of the campaign for the third-place Seals and limited Los Angeles to six hits.

But Los Angeles maintained its four-game lead over second-place Oakland as Hollywood trounced the Acorns 14 to 7. Hollywood bats accounted for 19 hits off three Oakland pitchers.

Tom Seals held Sacramento to seven scattered hits and won his 11th game of the season as the San Diego Padres took a 7 to 3 victory over Sacramento.

Ascetic Look Not Official

Lou Savoldi, whose deep-socketed eyes give him a sort of ascetic appearance but who is a jack-in-the-box wrestler rather than a mystic, is matched with Al Szasz for the armory mat opener Friday night.

The bout is set for three rounds and figures to be a crowd-pleaser of clean grappling—something that can't be counted on from the rest of the card. Both Savoldi, from Tulsa, and Al Szasz, from St. Louis, are exponents of the more scientific side of the game.

The other two matches on the weekly card should be rough-houses. Pete Belcastro is scheduled for five heats with Tex Hager, the main event fracas, and Buck Davidson is paired with the Russian roughie, Leo Karlinko, in the other five-rounder.

Congdon Wins Seattle Golf

SEATTLE, July 30 (AP)—Tacoma's Chuck Congdon, four strokes down at the start of the day, rallied for a three-under-par 70 yesterday to sneak out a one-stroke win over Ted Longworth of Portland in the Washington State Open golf tournament.

Congdon had a 54-hole total of 214, while Longworth, troubled by the narrow fairways, slipped to a final-day's 75 and a 215 total.

The amateurs take over today for the five-day state meet.

Bobby Litton, Seattle, and Emery Zimmerman, Portland, tied for third at 217, with Ken Tucker of Everett fifth at 218. Tucker shot pars on the first 17 holes and went one over on the 18th.

Leading the amateurs at 220 was Harry Givan of Seattle, trailed by Lou Jennings, Portland, at 221.

Softball Loop Vetoes Spikes

The Gun Store will attempt to continue its winning streak tonight at Modoc field when it meets the VFW on the north diamond at 7:30. The other curtain-raiser will see the Elks and Ashley Chevrolet do battle on the north end of the field.

At 8:40, Rickys will meet the Four Star Merchants on the south diamond while the Eagles take on the Bureau of Reclamation on the north playing field.

Players are again reminded that no spikes will be allowed on the field, and that umpires have been instructed to ban any man with spiked shoes.

Icebergs have been known to last more than 200 years.

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