

# Gems Saunter Into Loop's First Place

## Double Win Over Browns Holiday Stunt

Mid-season has come and gone for the Far West baseball league and today—for the first time in the two years of league operation—the Klamath Falls Gems stand at the top of the circuit. The Gems won a doubleheader from the Redding Browns last night to slide by the Pittsburg Diamonds.

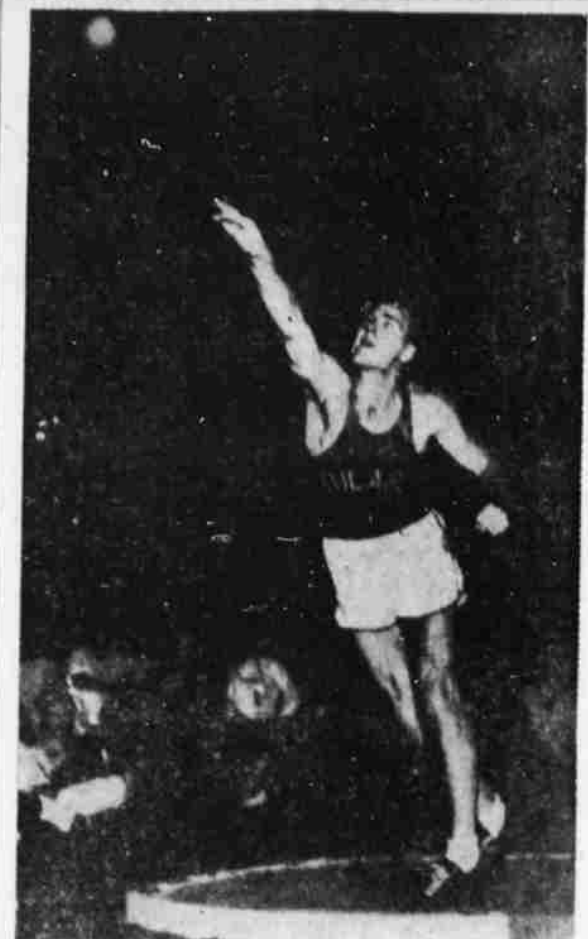
# FISHERMEN HANG TOUGH IN PORT

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 5 (CP)—British Columbia salmon fishermen are still in port today and fishing companies still are insisting they will not sanction boats they own or charter to sell to "pirate buyers."

Last night the Gems took a 3-1 decision in the seven-inning first game, with Stan Gilson outpitching Redding's vaunted George (Junior) Simons, Albany, Ore., youngster signed by the Browns. Gilson allowed three hits, Simons four. But the Gems got all their runs in the fifth inning when Simons was chased.

The second game was a pitching victory for Hub Kittle, who relieved Jim Pendleton when the Spuds were three runs behind in the third inning and went on to win 10-5. Marysville got a one-hit job from Lee Kast is the opener for a 4-0 win over Pittsburg, and a five-hit effort from Pete Swain to take the nightcap 6-2.

Medford beat Willows 6-4 in the opener, lost the nightcap 6-1, and Vallejo beat Santa Rosa 5-3 in their cycle game, lost the second 6-2. Ray Perry of Redding got his 33rd home run of the season in last night's second game with the Gems. The blow came off Pendleton in the third inning, with one man on base.



IN THERE PITCHIN'—Defending AAU Decathlon Champ Bob Mathias heaves the shotput at the 1949 AAU decathlon meet in Tulare, Calif., for a winning toss of 45 feet 3 inches.

## Snickering At Pals

# Kewpie Dick Slaps Ex-Sud Mates, 5-3

By The Associated Press  
Old Kewpie Dick Barrett is laughing up both sleeves at his pals, the Rainiers of Seattle.

The Rainiers relegated Barrett, a veteran of 24 years on the diamond, to relief roles this season and recently he obtained his release, going to the San Diego Padres.

Over the week-end the rugged right-hander got full revenge. He held Seattle to five hits yesterday, setting them down 5 to 3 in the nightcap of a doubleheader. It was Kewpie's fourth win in five starts for San Diego, with two of the triumphs at the expense of his former teammates.

The Padres easily won the twin bill opener behind young Bob Savage, 6 to 1. San Diego took six of nine games in the series to give the Rainiers their worst setback in weeks.

The league leading Hollywood Stars are glad to be rid of Oakland for a while. The Aorns invaded Gilmore field and departed with the series won, five to four. Two homers won both ends of a doubleheader for the Aorns yesterday. Frank Kerr clouted one in the seventh inning of the opener to break a tie, and win 2 to 1. Pinchhitter Lloyd Christopher got the other in the

# "Buried Alive" Champ Comes Up

ZANESVILLE, Ohio, July 5 (AP)—Raymond "Demp" Emmert of Zanesville walked around among the living today—pride of being called "the buried alive champion."

The 40-year-old unemployed World War II veteran emerged from a deluge "grave" yesterday. He had been underground just 40 minutes short of 45 days.

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# The STANDINGS

## FAR WEST LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
Klamath Falls	38	24	.613
Pittsburg	38	28	.576
Willows	37	29	.561
Santa Rosa	34	29	.540
Vallejo	28	41	.406
Marysville	23	39	.371
Medford	21	44	.323

## YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Klamath Falls 3-10, Redding 1-5.  
Marysville 4-6, Pittsburg 6-2.  
Vallejo 5-2, Santa Rosa 3-6.  
Medford 6-4, Willows 4-8.

## PACIFIC COAST

Team	W	L	Pct.
Hollywood	63	40	.612
Seattle	55	48	.543
San Diego	52	49	.515
Oakland	51	50	.505
Sacramento	49	50	.495
Portland	46	53	.466
San Francisco	45	56	.446
Los Angeles	43	58	.426

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Oakland 2-6, Hollywood 1-3.  
San Diego 6-5, Seattle 1-3.  
Los Angeles 4-4, San Francisco 3-4.  
Sacramento 1-11, Portland 4-3.

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	44	28	.611
St. Louis	42	30	.583
Philadelphia	40	35	.533
Boston	40	35	.533
New York	36	36	.500
Pittsburgh	31	40	.437
Cincinnati	29	45	.392
Chicago	28	45	.384

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Brooklyn 7-8, Philadelphia 1-4.  
St. Louis 9-0, Chicago 4-5.  
New York 11-7, Boston 4-8.  
Pittsburgh 2-1, Cincinnati 1-0.

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
New York	48	25	.658
Philadelphia	44	30	.595
Cleveland	40	31	.563
Detroit	39	35	.527
Boston	35	36	.492
Washington	32	39	.451
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# Trap Records Topple At SV

## SUN VALLEY, Idaho, July 5

OP—Two world records were reportedly broken yesterday in the finals of the Sun Valley trapshoot tournament.

Arnold Rieger of Seattle won the high over-all championship with a score of 583 out of 600 targets, and 17-year-old Bill Inlow of Tennesse, Wash., took the junior championship with 199 out of 200.

Jimmy Robinson, trapshooting editor of Sport and Field magazine, said Rieger's mark is a new record. He said Inlow had an average of 964 for the past thousand targets, the highest ever scored by a junior trapshooter.

Mrs. Ruth Ray of Eugene won the women's championship and was runner-up in the Sun Valley handicap.

# Bulla Fires Torrid 69

SANDWICH, England, July 5 (AP)—If he doesn't suffer from writer's cramps, Johnny Bulla has a good chance of grabbing medalist honors today in the British open golf tournament.

The big North Carolinian, now a professional in Pittsburgh, fired a 69 over the Royal Cinque ports course yesterday to tie for second place in the first round qualifying.

Two strokes better was Harry Bradshaw, 35-year-old Irishman from Kilkenny, who carved a five-under-par 67 over the other qualifying course, the Royal St. Georges, to lead the 223 contenders.

After Bulla had shot his 69, he sat down and dashed off 400 post cards to friends back home.

The players switch courses for the second round today. When firing is finished, the low 100 will qualify for the 72-hole championship grind, opening tomorrow.

Two others were tied with Bulla at 69. They were South Africa's Bobby Locke, the tournament favorite, who played Cinque ports near the English channel at Deal, and Ken Broufield, young British pro who played St. Georges.

# Lloyd's Issue New Policy

LONDON, July 5 (AP)—Lloyd's of London is offering Britshers 100-to-1 odds against catching infantile paralysis, smallpox or typhoid.

The world-famous insurance firm started issuing a new policy today which guarantees holders 10 pounds (\$40) a week 'til they've collected \$4000 if they are stricken with any of the dread illnesses. All this for a \$4 premium.

The offer, open only to residents of the United Kingdom, is called the 100-to-1 insurance against epidemics.

# Continue Ball Feud

STANDINGS  
W. L. Pct.  
Klamath Falls 7 1 .875  
Dunsmuir 7 1 .875  
Hill 7 1 .875  
Yreka 4 4 .500  
Mt. Shasta 3 5 .375  
McCloud 3 5 .375  
Weed 2 6 .250  
Shasta Dam 1 7 .125

Klamath Falls and Dunsmuir continued their tandem possession of first place in the Northern California baseball league over the holidays, both teams winning their respective engagements.

The Pioneers defeated luckless Shasta Dam 11-6 in a game played at Gems stadium. The Pioneers collected a dozen hits and committed five errors, while Shasta Dam, last place team in the league, was held to nine hits by Pioneers Manager-Fletcher Fran Miller.

Dunsmuir defeated McCloud 13-8, on only 10 hits and half a dozen errors donated by the Loggers.

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# Japs Now Get Big-Size Shoes

TOKYO, July 5 (AP)—No longer will Japanese men's shoes come in only one width, a narrow one at that.

The custom was originated by imperial decree half a century ago when western dress became formal court attire.

General MacArthur's headquarters decided widened lasts to fit the broad feet of Japanese men should be employed.

Japanese men have cramped their toes inside the narrow width styles or bought shoes many times too long to give their feet room.

# Water Shortage Seen In London

LONDON, July 5 (AP)—Londoners got orders Saturday to quit soaking their gardens and washing their cars. The reason: Britain is having its driest weather in nearly 30 years.

The metropolitan water board said it could allow "for the present," use of hoses to sprinkle gardens and wash cars two days a week. It banned altogether the use of unattended sprinklers and ornamental fountains and said all use of hoses may have to cease soon.

London has gone 19 days without rain.

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# Climbers Scale Sister Mountain

SISTERS, July 5 (AP)—The mountain climbing enthusiasts of Mount Hood's Mazama club—41 of them—climbed the 10,994-foot north Sister peak yesterday.

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# Luscious Luke Knotted For PCL Bat Lead

## Padre Blaster On Injured List But Tied With Maddern

SAN FRANCISCO, July 5 (AP)—Although out of uniform for more than two weeks, big Luke Easter of San Diego is tied for batting leadership in the Pacific Coast Baseball league.

Easter and Clarence Maddern, Los Angeles, each had a .363 percentage.

Max West, San Diego, topped the league with home runs, 30, and runs batted in, 97. Easter was second in runs batted in with 92. And he and John Ostrowski, Los Angeles, tied for second in home runs with 23 each.

The batting averages, including games of Sunday, July 3 for the top ten and Seattle and Portland:

Player	AB	R	H	Pct.
Easter, San Diego	272	99	25	.363
Maddern, L.A. Ang.	167	49	24	.363
North, Holly.	120	14	34	.363
Malone, L.A.	277	98	4	.334
A. White, Berlin	180	52	4	.334
Colman, Sea.	180	52	4	.334
A. Wilson, S.F.-Oak.	249	85	0	.341
E. Handley, Holly.	117	43	1	.332
Mohr, Sea.	230	75	0	.326
Moore, Racin.-S.D.	212	59	0	.326
Thomas, Port.	179	11	8	.312
R. White, Sea.	197	48	2	.312
Burgess, Port.	98	27	2	.312
Layne, Sea.	124	17	12	.299
Becker, Sea.	209	60	8	.299
Nell, Sea.	150	41	4	.299
York, Sea.	153	34	3	.293
Albright, Sea.	208	45	9	.293
York, Sea.	153	34	3	.293
Shawhan, Sea.	221	79	8	.293
Hovula, Port.	200	54	4	.293
Shawhan, Sea.	221	79	8	.293
Sturgeon, Sea.	215	60	8	.278
Shawhan, S.D. Port.	239	72	8	.278
Burgess, Port.	98	27	2	.278
Hastaki, Port.	327	85	3	.278
Burgess, Port.	144	45	1	.274
Gladi, Port.	150	41	4	.273
Lynn, Sea.	200	77	17	.269
Albright, Sea.	208	61	3	.263
Ramsey, Sea.	136	36	4	.263
Wenger, Port.	136	36	4	.263
Farnsworth, Port.	78	19	1	.250
Laine, Port.	78	19	1	.250
Austin, Port.	179	42	3	.245
Mullen, Port.	139	30	1	.231

# Major League LEADERS

By The Associated Press  
NATIONAL LEAGUE  
Batting—Robinson, Brooklyn, .362;  
Schoendienst, St. Louis, .338.  
Runs batted in—Robinson, Brooklyn, 61; Hodges, Brooklyn, 57.  
Home runs—Kiner, Pittsburgh, 11; Gordon, New York, 15.  
Pitching—Brana, Brooklyn, 10-2, .833; Roe, Brooklyn, 8-2, .800.

AMERICAN LEAGUE  
Batting—Kell, Detroit, .348; DiMaggio, Boston, .331.  
Runs batted in—Williams, Boston, 61; Stephens, Boston, 79.  
Home runs—Williams and Stephens, Boston, 19.  
Pitching—Raschi, New York, 13-2, .887; Kellner, Philadelphia, 12-3, .800.

# Net Favorites Stay In Play

PORTLAND, July 5 (AP)—The annual Oregon state tennis tournament went into its second day today with all favorites still in the running after the first day of week-long play.

Emery Neale, No. 1 seed, drew a bye yesterday. The other three seeded men—Glenn Bassett of the University of California; Jack Lowe of the University of Washington and Clyde Knox of Portland, who had no trouble advancing. It was almost wholly a California, Washington, Portland show.

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# Yanks, Bums Still Lead DiMaggio's Return Sparks New York

By The Associated Press  
The Fourth of July has come and gone with the New York Yankees and Brooklyn Dodgers still showing the way in the major league pennant races.

Tradition says the night of the Fourth is the telltale date. If you lead then, you can start building new stands for the world series. Actually it's right only about 50 percent of the time.

The return of Joe DiMaggio to the Yankee lineup after he missed the first 65 games because of a heel injury continues to spark the league leaders. Since Joltin' Joe came back they have won seven of eight, including five straight over the respected Boston Red Sox.

Despite the roaring surge of the Philadelphia A's and the menacing moves by the Cleveland Indians, the Yanks can feel fairly safe with a 4½-game lead over the A's.

The Yankees' Vic Raschi went all the way to win the opener, 3-2, for his 13th victory of the season at the expense of Walt Masterson. In the second, Joe DiMaggio's homer pulled the Yanks up into a tie in the fifth and Billy Johnson's single with the bases loaded in the seventh provided the winning 6-4 margin for reliever Clarence Marshall over Mel Parnell. The Athletics kept pace by trimming

# Softball Tourney

BOISE, July 5 (AP)—The Pacific Northwest regional softball tournament will be held here over Labor Day.

Bill Jamison, president of the Boise softball association, said those competing will include the Boise men's and women's teams as hosts, in addition to the Washington and Idaho champions. Oregon titleholder and runner-up, Seattle metropolitan champs and runner-up, and Portland metropolitan champions.

# Souths Snare All-Star Win

DUNSMUIR, July 5 (Special)—The Southern All-Stars took an easy win over the northern representatives yesterday afternoon here in the Northern California league's annual all-star game. The score was 8-2.

The southerners, drawn from McCloud, Dunsmuir, Mt. Shasta and Shasta Dam, combed three northern pitchers for a dozen hits including one triple and three doubles. Jim Fruzza and Fran Miller got doubles among the north's six hits.

# Sonny Tureman Molalla Champ

MOLALLA, July 5 (AP)—Sonny Tureman of John Day won the all-around cowboy championship of the Molalla Buckaroo in yesterday's finals.

The 28-year-old central Oregon cowpoke beat out veteran arena Champ Gene Rambo for the honors as Gov. Douglas McKay and other state officials helped pack the stands.

Event champions were: Bareback and saddle bronc riding, Tureman; calf roping, Rambo, Shandon, Calif.; bulldogging, Bill Handcock, Roswell, N. M.; bull riding, Harry Tompkins, Ardmore, Okla.

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