

The STANDINGS

By The Associated Press NATIONAL LEAGUE

W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	21	7.780
New York	17	6.230
Chicago	15	5.500
Cincinnati	15	5.500
Philadelphia	14	5.152
St. Louis	13	4.812
Boston	12	4.523
Pittsburgh	8	3.047

Thursday's Results
Brooklyn 6, Cincinnati 7
New York 6, St. Louis 0
Chicago 3-0, Boston 0-5
Philadelphia 6, Pittsburgh 2

AMERICAN LEAGUE

W	L	Pct.
Cleveland	18	6.531
Washington	18	6.531
Boston	16	5.952
New York	16	5.952
St. Louis	17	5.952
Chicago	14	5.152
Philadelphia	11	4.073
Detroit	8	3.047

Thursday's Results
Boston 3, Cleveland 2
Washington 4, St. Louis 2
New York at Chicago, rain
(Only games scheduled)

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

W	L	Pct.
San Diego	21	6.088
Oakland	20	5.833
Hollywood	20	5.833
San Francisco	20	5.833
Los Angeles	20	5.833
Portland	20	5.833
Seattle	20	5.833
Sacramento	20	5.833

Thursday's Results
Sacramento 4, Los Angeles 3, 10
San Diego 5, Oakland 3
Hollywood 1, Seattle 0
Portland 4, San Francisco 2

Western International League

W	L	Pct.
Victoria	19	6.729
Spokane	20	6.667
Vancouver	18	6.531
Salem	15	5.484
Wenatchee	14	5.152
Lewiston	13	4.812
Tri-City	11	3.968
Yakima	10	3.636

Thursday's Results
Victoria 8, Tri-City 4
Spokane 4, Wenatchee 1
Vancouver 4, Salem 2
Lewiston 7, Yakima 3

MINOR LEAGUE Results

By The Associated Press INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Rochester 2, Montreal 1, 19 innings
Syracuse 4, Ottawa 0
Toronto 7, Buffalo 1

Only games scheduled

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Louisville 3 Columbus 1, 13
innings

TEXAS LEAGUE

San Antonio 2-3 Houston 1-12
Port Worth 2 Tulsa 0

PIONEER LEAGUE

Boise 6 Magic Valley 3
Great Falls 6 Billings 5
Idaho Falls 9 Pocatello 8
(Only games scheduled)

Home Jinx Sticks To Chiefs

By The Associated Press

The home game jinx continues to plague the Wenatchee Chiefs. The Chiefs, who have won only four Western International League baseball games at home this season, dropped another Thursday night despite rabid fans, four-leaf clovers and other good luck charms donated by fans anxious to break the jinx.

Spokane was the winner, 4-1. It was the 12th loss at home for the Chiefs who boast a 9-3 record on the road.

In other games, Victoria wallopped Tri-City 8-4. Vancouver edged Salem 4-2 and Lewiston downed Yakima 7-3.

SAVEN BLANK

Walt Ponchak's fourth laming homer saved Wenatchee from a shutout in the closing game with Spokane. Kneelobing Dick Bishop held the Chiefs to seven scattered hits for eight innings. Bob Roberts took over when Bishop weakened in the eighth and pitched no-hit ball for one and a third inning. Spokane took the series 2-1.

At Victoria, Tri-City handed the league-leading Tyees their 19th loss for 1952. Only one of Victoria's eight runs was earned as the Tyees cashed in on five Tri-City errors. The Braves revamped their lineup in the second inning when third baseman Tom Marier was benched due to a leg injury. Des Charonins moved from second base to third and pitcher Ken Michelson was installed as second baseman. Three of the miscues were marked against Michelson.

SEVENTH LOSS

Hookie Dale Thomason, a former moundman at Eastern Washington College, received credit for Lewiston's win over Yakima. He gave up only six hits but was taken out in the eighth when the Bears managed to push two men across the plate. It was the seventh straight loss for the cellar-dwelling Bears.

John Gulborg pitched four-hit ball for Vancouver as the Capitanos shaded Salem. Vancouver went out in front in the sixth when catcher John Ritchey scored from second on Jim Wet's safety, and added an insurance run in the seventh.

Bears Favored In Crew Meet

NEWPORT HARBOR, Calif. (AP)—Crews from six Pacific Coast universities—California, British Columbia, Oregon State, Stanford, UCLA and Southern California—are slated to compete in the Western spring regatta championships over a 3,000-meter course here Saturday.

With powerful Washington the only major school missing, California figures to be the finest of the field.

The race program will be held on the North Lido Channel course of the harbor. Official referee is Donald Grant, former Washington crew captain and coach at Yale for 17 years.



6 Records Threatened In PCC Spike Classic

EUGENE, Ore. (AP)—The annual Pacific Coast Conference track meet opens here Friday with Southern California's Trojans favored as usual.

The Trojans have dominated West Coast track more than a decade. This time the Trojans, who have at least three prime candidates for the coming Olympic Games, will be after their 12th straight title.

In the process they could crack three conference records. Three others also are threatened by Olympic team candidates from other schools.

For the assault on the records ideal weather was forecast—clear skies, no wind and temperatures in the mid-70's both days.

Hurdler Jack Davis, discus man Sam Iness and shot putter Parry O'Brien are the Trojans who have the best chance to achieve new marks in the meet, which opens with preliminary heats Friday. The finals will be run off Saturday.

BEST TIME

Davis, who is possibly the best hurdler in the country, already has turned in times that equal the conference records. In the high hurdles he has the country's fastest time of the year—14 seconds flat. In the low hurdles he has a time of 23.1 seconds.

Iness has thrown the discus 182 feet five inches. This has been submitted for a U. S. record. It is nearly 12 feet beyond the conference record.

O'Brien also has turned in the country's best performance in his event this year. He tossed the shot 56 feet 6 1/2 inches. If he can add 10 inches to that, he will surpass the present conference record.

Two performers from UCLA also could join the record-breaking George Brown, currently the nation's best broad jumper, may exceed the 25-foot record set by the Brooklyn Dodgers' Jackie Robinson, who performed for UCLA in 1946. Brown already has jumped 26 feet 3 1/2 inches this year.

Richard also has run the 100-yard dash in 9.7 seconds this year, but so have four other sprinters who are here. The best time in this event has been turned in by Jack Smith of Oregon, who did it in 9.6 seconds, equalling the conference record.

Bob Mathias of Stanford, 1948 Olympic decathlon champion, could take individual scoring honors. He stands a chance of placing in the discus, both hurdles and the shot put.

The Trojans, along with Stanford, California and the host Oregon team are entering 18 men, the maximum allowed. Washington State and Washington are entering 14. Oregon State 10, UCLA 11 and Idaho 4.

Adams Wins For Beavers

By The Associated Press

Paul Pettit, the \$100,000 bonus left hander who couldn't get started his first two years in organized baseball will go after his fifth win Friday night at Seattle where the Hollywood Stars play a Pacific Coast League double header.

Hollywood's Johnny Lindell put on a control show Thursday night as he blanked Seattle 1-0 on four hits. In the other games San Diego beat Oakland 5-3 while Portland dropped San Francisco 4-2 and Sacramento beat Los Angeles by the same score in 10 innings.

The Stars could pull within half a game of San Diego Friday night but they'd need two wins coupled with a Padre loss to do it. They won Thursday night in the ninth inning when Chuck Stevens rapped off a 27-foot triple and scored on Jack Phillips' sharp single to left field that gave Lindell the victory over Al Widmar who had allowed Hollywood only five hits.

Red Adams won his second game of the season for Portland as he tossed the Beavers to the win over San Francisco, ending a five-game losing string for Portland and a four-game winning streak for the Stars.

Two unearned runs in the sixth gave Portland the game. Del Bischoff erred in handling Joe Brovia's high infield fly with the batter reaching second. Eric Tipton was tested out but Eddie Basinski reached base on an error by Len Ratto. Brovia and Basinski scored on an outfield fly by Herm Peich and a squeeze-play single by Adams.

OSAA Makes Grid Change

By The Associated Press

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Herman Hurls No-Hitter

By The Associated Press

Pitching—Curt Simmons, Phils, clouted three-run homer and pitched Philadelphia to a 6-0 three-hit triumph over Pittsburgh.

Batting—Al Dark, Giants, drove home a pair of runs and scored one on a triple and two singles to lead New York to a 6-0 decision over St. Louis.

Today A Star Ago—Clarence Henry, Los Angeles, knocked out Embrel Davidson, Detroit, in the eighth round at Detroit.

TIME OUT!



"Let's see if we can persuade the winner to say a few words."

Beavers, Ducks In Title Set

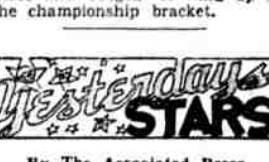
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Wolfe Loses

CALGARY, Alta. (AP)—Calgary's Irish Jimmy Nolan pounded out an unanimous 10-round decision over Dick Wolfe of Portland in the feature event of a boxing card here Thursday night. Nolan weighed 147 1/2 and Wolfe 152 1/2.

Five Years Ago—Light Heavyweight Champion Guy Lesnevich, Hackensack, N. J., knocked out Mello Bettina, Beacon, N. Y., in 59 seconds of the first round at Madison Square Garden.

Three Years Ago—Cornelius Wermersdam broke his own pole vault record, with a jump of 15 feet 7 3/4 inches, at Modesto, Calif.

Medford Loses; Aman Wings Lincoln No-No

ALBANY, Ore. (AP)—Lincoln of Portland looked like the team to beat in the Oregon high school baseball tournament here after scoring a no-hit no-run victory over West Linn Thursday night.

The no-hit 8-0 triumph, pitched by southpaw Jerry Aman, was the top performance of the Thursday schedule which saw The Dalles defeat Medford 2-1, Roosevelt of Portland measure Central Catholic, Portland, 6-2 and Albany plaster Junction City 14-3.

Lincoln, Portland city champion, meets Albany and Roosevelt (tackles The Dalles in semi-finals games Friday night. The winners meet Saturday night for the crown.

In his no-hitter, Aman let only two West Linn batters get to first. One of these was on a walk and the other a hit batsman. He struck out 11.

Albany Pitcher Leroy Babcock did almost as well, serving up a two-hitter to Junction City. What's more he got three hits in four times at the plate to help insure his victory, though Junction City was no match for the winners.

Roosevelt, Portland city runner-up, had little difficulty with the Central Catholic Rams after the first inning. Central scored twice

SCORES

Lincoln (Portland) 8 West Linn 0
Roosevelt (Portland) 6 Central Catholic (Portland) 2
Albany 14 Junction City 3
The Dalles 2 Medford 1

in that frame, as a result of errors. Pitcher Bill Witala had things much his own way after that, yielding but five hits.

In contrast, Central Pitcher Bob Rutter was jerked before the end of the first inning, and his replacement Phil Bartholemey, had trouble with his control.

The game between The Dalles and Medford was a pitchers' duel. Ed Urness of The Dalles gave up only four hits and Derald Wooten of Medford five.

Terry Sherwood tripled and then stole home for the Medford score. Doubles by Dave Jones and Bill Moore followed by an error accounted for The Dalles scores.

The Dalles 000 0-2 5 0
Medford 010 000 0-1 4 3
D. Wooten and R. Wooten; E. Urness and Hyde.
C. Catholic 200 000 0-2 5 0
Roosevelt 210 003 0-6 7 3
Rutter, Bartholemey (1) and Plumb; Witala and R. Neffendorf.
Lincoln 002 321 0-8 9 0
West Linn 000 000 0-0 0 0
Aman and Moore; Eisele and Kilmer.
Albany 022 307 x-14 10 7
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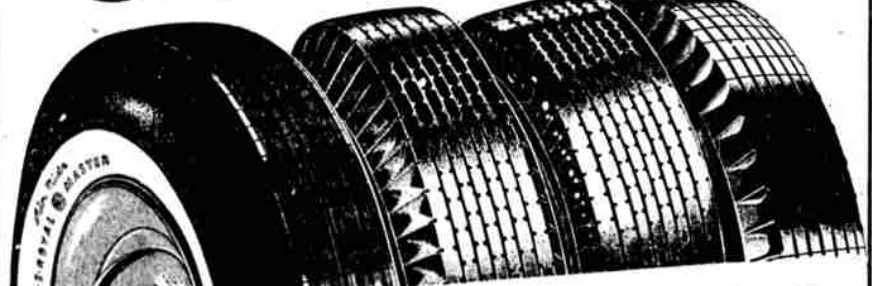
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