

RINGLORE



By JIM MALONEY

Lakeview Here Sunday

Merchants To Pitch Miller

By RED HURD
Lakeview is looking for a pitcher who can go all the way as the Gems move into Recreation Park tomorrow, 1:30 p. m., for an Oregon-California League clash with the Klamath Merchants.

The loss of Bobby Long was bad news for Lakeview, good news for Klamath Falls. Long twice whipped the Merchants but was picked up by La Grande for mound chores. La Grande simply handed Long a more attractive package.

It's likely the Gems will fill in the nine innings tomorrow with several pitchers—until they find one who shows signs of going the route.

STARTER
Max Martin, Bly prepster, may get the opening nod. And the game may see Wes Dollarhide and Vic Lasater doing some twirling.

For the Merchants it will probably be Fran Miller on the mound. Manager Hil Hatfield indicated this week.

The Merchants currently hold the cellar jointly with Alturas, both with just one win in four outings. Lakeview and Burns are tied for the top spot, just one setback in as many starts.

But without Long the picture may change and the Merchants are playing with the idea of fattening up in the win and loss column tomorrow.



CATCHER RON OWINGS (right) seems to be telling Hank Decker "It's great to be back." Owings, along with five other members of the Klamath Merchants, has been in National Guard camp the past two weeks. Decker moves from first base to right field for tomorrow's clash with Lakeview. George Hanson, another returnee, goes to first base.

Editor's note: A real nice guy and a resident of Klamath Falls is a man who, during his boxing career, beat seven world champions, yet never owned a title himself. He's big Jim Maloney, one of the top heavies in the nation during the Twenties, who has fought the likes of Primo Carnera, Jack Sharkey, Johnny Rivera, Tom Heeney and others. This introduction, "Ringlore," a column Jim will write off and on and we know you'll enjoy his stories, based on real-life ring experiences. Some more background on Jim: The Boston-born slugger was known for awhile as "The Boston Fishmonger" due to a short, and unprofitable, venture in the fish-peddling business, "Dynamite Jim"—the nickname that stuck—had some 122 fights, both amateur and professional, winning at least 100. He whipped one light heavyweight champion, Jack Delaney, and six foreign and American heavyweight champions between 1924 and 1925. He retired in 1933, moved to Klamath Falls in 1951, where he has worked for a transfer company, tended bar and done some mill work. He's 59 years old now, married his wife Kathryn seven and operates the Pearce Beauty Salon.)

Primo Carnera recently graced our fair city with a good performance as a wrestler.

"Da Preem" came to America as a novice as far as fighting goes, but was soon on the way to a title match. This came much faster than he was entitled to but he made the grade.

On his way to the title match he met and defeated several second and third raters, and won all of them until he came to Boston to fight yours truly. Then he met his first defeat.

After this fight the pressure, because he had that I had to have a body-guard most of the time! I would not "do business." Everything known in ring treachery was tried in that fight but he still lost.

Later we were rematched in Miami, after he was instrumental in Ernie Schaff's death. Al Capone was his handler and close friend. We were invited to Capone's Palm Island home where he had a palatial mansion. We had dinner there and the Waldorf Astoria could not have done better. The knives, forks and spoons were gold plated, dishes were trimmed in gold and the "hardware" was all blue steel.

During the evening several people were called on to speak and when I was asked to recite a poem I had written myself called "The Newsboy." Capone seemed so impressed he later called me out on the patio to tell it over again.

I walked home that night with a feeling of contentment with my lot in life compared to his.

A few days later "Da Preem" and I had our match; this one Capone "won." Barry was the referee and in one blaze of action at the final bell he quickly raised Capone's arm and was swiftly removed from the ring by several swarthy-looking gentlemen.

"Somebody put the fix in some place," the papers wrote, "somebody got to somebody." THEY DID NOT GET TO ME.

I was in white coat seemed to sense my unwarranted defeat and before the fight sent a lovely bouquet of flowers. I've always wondered who she was and how she seemed to know how this fight would end.

Today "Da Preem" is going very well as a wrestler.

SENIORS
Klamath's Jim Kerns broke up the Portland monopoly in the Senior Golf Tourney yesterday at Rogers Golf and Country Club. Kerns was the low net winner in Class AA (golfers 59 and over) with a 67. Low gross winner when that division was Tom West of Portland with an 82. West, 74, shot an eagle 2 on the Number 5 hole.

Low gross winner in Class A was George Larson and Lee Ryan, both Portland, shot 71's for low net honors in Class A.

Prizes were also given Fleskes for the closest-to-the-pin shot on Number 3 and Drew Cleren, Portland, for the longest drive in Class A.

Similar honors went to Ralph Macarney, Klamath Falls, closest to the pin on Number 7, and Kerns, longest drive on Number 1 in Class AA.

Broncs, Yakima Trade Players
LEWISTON (AP) — The Lewiston entry in the Western International League announced Friday the trade of Pitcher Don Carter to Yakima of the same circuit in exchange for Infielder Bud Helms. Carter had a 1-1 record with the Broncs this season.

Win By Tribe Starts Yank Fans Wondering

By BEN PHELAGAR
Associated Press Sports Writer
When even the Cleveland Indians can beat the Yankees maybe it's time to take this five game New York losing streak seriously.

Every other American League club had defeated the Yankees this season. But in seven games the mere sight of a New York uniform caused the second place Indians to roll over and play dead. So what happened last night?

The Yankees threw the ball around in the first inning like fugitives from Class D and presented Cleveland with four gift runs.

Such generosity couldn't be overlooked, even by the Indians, and Larupin Larry Doby and right-hander Bob Lemon made sure it didn't go to waste.

Doby parked a pair high up into the seats in the third and fifth innings and only a do-or-die ninth inning two-out homer by pinch hitter Johnny Mize saved the Yankees from their third shutout of the year. Mize's blow was the last of only five hits off Lemon. The final score was 7-2.

Giardello Trounces Durando

By JACK HAND
NEW YORK (AP) — Joey Giardello found Ernie Durando so easy that now the 22-year-old Philadelphia middleweight is talking about a title shot.

"We beat Durando easier than a little kid," said Tony Ferrante and Carmine Graziano, his co-managers, in the dressing room after Friday night's decisive victory at Madison Square Garden. It was hard to tell who was talking, they both were so excited.

"If Bobo Olson don't want to fight Randy Turpin, we'll take it," they said. "We want the title. We're going to see Christenberry."

Christenberry is Robert K. chairman of the New York State Athletic Commission with whom the Giardello troupe has more than a passing acquaintance.

Giardello, who needed five stitches to close a gash under his left eye, controlled the fight against a bewildered Durando. He hooked and jabbed at long range and tied him up inside. Durando never was able to unlimber his vaunted right hand punch.

Herald and News

SPORTS

RED HURD, Sports Editor

Speed Show Spiced

Sunday Rifle Shoot Billed

The Moose Rifle Range will be jammed with sharpshooters tomorrow in the all-day third annual outdoor smallbore tournament sponsored by the Klamath Falls Rifle and Pistol Club. Starting time is 8 a. m.

Motorists are advised to follow signs at intersection of Shasta Way and Alameda to reach the site of the tourney.

National Rifle Association rules will apply in the nine-match gun meet.

Tournament Chairman John H. Athey said hot lunches will be available throughout the day at the range. Athey is also chief statistical officer; Ray Tallow serves as executive officer; O. L. Johnson chief range officer.

Lodgers Lead By One Game

Travel Lodge leads the Women's City Softball League—but by a slim one game.

The Lodgers outlasted Malin last night, 11-9. The teams went into the game with identical 7-1 records. Sherry Larson, third baseman, knocked her first home run of the season for the Travel Lodge team.

Mary Lee Butler pitched a shut-out for Oregon Wool as the Woolies slaughtered Big Y, 24-0. Midland won its first game of the season, out-hitting the Millers, 21-18.

Pot Race Added To Program

A Pot Race has been added to Sunday night's hardtop program at Gens. Speedway and heat races have been lengthened.

The fourth show of the season may see more California cars on the line as south-of-the-border pilots continue to put their stamps of approval on the local track.

Time trials open 6:45, with the first of the heat races scheduled for a 7:30 start.

The Pot Race, the special event, makes the show a 10-race program. Twelve drivers on a first-come first-served basis will be in the race with a \$5 entry fee. The \$60 will be split among the winners.

The first four heat races jump from six laps to eight, the final heat, formerly eight laps, will go to 10.

In addition to the special event and the five heat races, there's the Trophy Dash—where the winner gets a "bonus" kiss from cutes Betty Karnes—plus a Consolation Race, Semi-Main and Main Event.

The Main Event, the last on the program, is over 25 laps; the Semi-Main goes 15 laps.

Shooters Aim For Cup Leg

Another leg on the Balastr Trophy is up tomorrow, 10:30 a. m., when the Klamath Gun Club holds its regular shoot on its Wocus range.

Marion Grant, J. D. (Skinny) McMillan and Vern Moore currently hold one leg each on the hardware. It takes three for permanent possession.

Moore, club president, said a good crowd was expected as the shooters practice for the Pacific Grand shoot at Elko, Nev., July 25.

Peace Team Wins Fourth

Peace Memorial kept its perfect record intact in the Pee Wee National Softball League last night, notching its fourth win, a 24-0 slaughter of Silant Real Estate.

In the American League, Fluhrer's Bakery stepped up to a tie with Thomas Insurance for the league lead by whipping Eastside Electric, 25-4. The Thomas team was idle; both hold 3-1 records.

In other games, Motor Investment edged the 20-50 team, 7-5, in the National League, and the Jaycees nipped Eastside Pharmacy, 11-9, in the American League.

Harvey Haddix, southpaw pitcher for the St. Louis Cardinals, was accidentally hit by a shotgun blast when five years old and still carries two pellets in his body.

BOWLING

MOORE MIXED DOUBLES

C & J Booth	W 4 3 5
F & R Phelps	W 4 3 5
G & M Mills	W 4 3 5
H & Y Rosterella	W 4 3 5
J Campbell & C Beard	W 4 3 5
M & I Douglas	W 4 3 5
C Hooper and G. Bingham	W 4 3 5
G & A Thomas	W 4 3 5
Toumb & L. Harris	W 4 3 5
D. Robb and R. Duff	W 4 3 5
J & D Cox	W 4 3 5
V & D Douglas	W 4 3 5

Vern Toumb and LaRayne Harris added up an even 1200 series to lead the Moose Mixed Doubles League last night. Next in line were Dave Robb and Ruth Duff with an 1170.

These two teams tied for the high single game, 416.

High single line was rolled by Gino Rosterella, a 223. Robb had a 212. Toumb put together the high series, 583, followed by Robb with a 554.

THE STANDINGS

By The Associated Press
AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
New York	46	18	.719
Cleveland	38	26	.594
Chicago	39	28	.582
Boston	37	32	.536
Washington	32	35	.478
Philadelphia	31	36	.463
St. Louis	24	45	.348
Detroit	19	46	.292

Friday's Results
Cleveland 7, New York 2
Chicago 5, Boston 3
Philadelphia 8, St. Louis 5
Detroit 7, Washington 3

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
Seattle	53	35	.602
Hollywood	52	35	.598
Los Angeles	50	40	.556
Portland	42	41	.506
San Diego	39	49	.443
Sacramento	38	49	.437
San Francisco	38	50	.432
Oakland	37	50	.425

Friday's Results
Seattle 4, Oakland 1
Hollywood 8, San Diego 7
San Francisco 8, Sacramento 3
Los Angeles 4, Portland 3

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
Milwaukee	41	24	.631
Brooklyn	40	25	.615
St. Louis	38	26	.594
Philadelphia	35	25	.583
New York	33	31	.516
Cincinnati	26	37	.413
Pittsburgh	24	47	.338
Chicago	20	42	.323

Friday's Results
New York 9, Chicago 6
St. Louis 7, Philadelphia 0
Brooklyn 4, Milwaukee 3
Cincinnati 8-4, Pittsburgh 4-1

Western International League

	W	L	Pct.
Salem	35	21	.625
Lewiston	34	21	.618
Edmonton	30	26	.531
Vancouver	32	24	.571
Wenatchee	27	32	.458
Tri-City	25	31	.446
Calgary	25	34	.426
Victoria	25	32	.439
Spokane	25	33	.431
Yakima	20	38	.397

Friday's Results
Edmonton 10-5, Vancouver 4-4
Salem 7, Tri-City 2
Wenatchee 9, Yakima 3
Lewiston 6, Spokane 5
Victoria at Calgary, postponed, wet grounds.

Minor League Baseball

By The Associated Press
INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Springfield 4-3 Ottawa 2-3
Buffalo 9-1, Syracuse 2-0
Montreal 4, Baltimore 3
Rochester 1, Toronto 0

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION
Mobile 3, Birmingham 2
New Orleans 7, Atlanta 3
Chattanooga 4, Little Rock 0

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Columbus 6, Toledo 5 (14 innings)
Kansas City 6, Minneapolis 4
St. Paul 9, Louisville 1
Indianapolis at Charleston, postponed.

TEXAS LEAGUE
Fort Worth 5, Oklahoma City 2
Dallas 4, Tulsa 1
Houston 3, San Antonio 2
Shreveport 2, Beaumont 1

WESTERN LEAGUE
Des Moines 6, Sioux City 2-4
Pueblo 5, Denver 2
Wichita 8, Colorado Springs 3
Lincoln 4, Omaha 1

PIONEER LEAGUE
Idaho Falls 7, Salt Lake City 3
Boise 11, Billings 2
Malheur Valley 4, Great Falls 3
Ogden 4, Pocatello 3 (11 innings)

Delaware Park's stakes program calls for a total of \$305,000 to be distributed for 14 feature events. This is the highest in the track's history. The meeting opens for 32 days on May 29.

Senators Stretch Win Skein

By The Associated Press
The red-hot Salem Senators extended their current win streak to 10 games in a row Friday night as they maintained their slim one-half game lead over Lewiston for the Western International League leadership.

The Senators edged by the Tri-City Braves, 3-2, while Lewiston was winning a 6-5 squeaker from Spokane's Indians.

The third and fourth place clubs changed places, however, with the Edmonton Eskimos moving in behind Lewiston on the strength of a double win over Vancouver, 10-4 and 5-4. The Capilanos slipped to fourth.

In the league's only other action, the Wenatchee Chiefs clubbed Yakima's tail-end Bears, 9-3. The Victoria-Calgary tussle at Calgary was postponed because of wet grounds.

Salem got all the runs it needed in the first frame. A walk, a single, two outfield flies and a double gave the Senators their three runs and their tenth straight, the longest victory skein of the 1953 season.

The Braves collected singles in the second and the sixth.

Ray McNulty, Edmonton hurler, was the top man for the Eskimos in their twin win over the Capilanos. McNulty won his eighth game of the season in going the distance in the opener and slapped a pinch-hit single to left to drive in Edmonton's winning run in the last of the ninth in the second game.

Another fine pitching and batting performance was turned in by Wenatchee's Charlie Oubre, who went the distance for the Chiefs in their victory over Yakima. Oubre also connected for two safeties, good for four runs on the Wenatchee side of the ledger. He scattered nine Yakima hits.

At Lewiston, Bronco Manager Bill Brenner won his second game in as many nights as he twirled the Broncos to their win over Spokane. Lewiston put the game in the cooler in the eighth inning as they scored four runs on two singles, two doubles and a walk. It was the seventh straight setback for the Indians.

Softball Leaders Post Wins

Suburban Tavern — W 1, L 1, Pct. .500
Bill's Place — W 1, L 1, Pct. .500
Elks — W 1, L 1, Pct. .500
Knappe — W 1, L 1, Pct. .500
Kiewit — W 1, L 1, Pct. .500
Southern Pacific — W 1, L 1, Pct. .500

Standings
Suburban Tavern — W 1, L 1, Pct. .500
Bill's Place — W 1, L 1, Pct. .500
Elks — W 1, L 1, Pct. .500
Knappe — W 1, L 1, Pct. .500
Kiewit — W 1, L 1, Pct. .500
Southern Pacific — W 1, L 1, Pct. .500

Woods Whips Chavez in 10

SPOKANE (AP) — Hard-hitting Bobby Woods, Spokane, punched out a 10-round, unanimous decision over Fabula Chavez, Los Angeles, before 1,505 fans at the Spokane Baseball Park here Friday night.

Woods, 20, scored repeatedly with his left and had the 23-year-old Los Angeles fighter reeling as the final bell sounded. Chavez was handicapped by two cuts which Woods opened, one over each eye. Chavez weighed in at 135, Woods at 123 1/2.

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Upright's Blow Nips Beavers

By The Associated Press
Seattle and Hollywood are still locked in a terrific fight for the Pacific Coast League leadership, but Hollywood acted like a Class D club for several innings of its game with San Diego Friday night.

Seattle dispatched Oakland, the PCL tailenders, 4-1, and Hollywood nosed out San Diego, 8-7. San Diego had a 7-2 lead on Hollywood in the seventh, chiefly because the Hollywood pitching was ineffective and the fielding spotty. The Stars pushed over four runs in their half of the seventh and San Diego catcher made two of them possible by interfering with a runner on the base path when he did not have possession of the ball.

TWO HOMERS
The Stars won the game on two prodigious homers off Theophile Smith, who took over the pitching in the ninth to protect a 7-6 lead. Tommy Saffell hit the first with one down over the right field wall, and Lee Walls the second with two down over the left field fence.

Seattle remained a half game in front of Hollywood by virtue of the good pitching of Al Widmar. He scored his 12th victory against six defeats as he scattered eight hits. Catcher Ray Ortel won the game by smacking his 17th homer of the year with one on in the fourth.

Bounces Back

San Francisco, which has been plagued by injuries and a losing streak, bounced back for its second win against Sacramento as Elmer Singleton went the distance for an 8-3 decision. The Seals collected 12 hits off three Sac pitchers while Singleton was scattering seven blows.

Los Angeles edged Portland, 4-3. Dixie Upright, Angel outfielder, lofted a homer out of the Portland park in the eighth inning for the winning margin. Bob Spicer, who relieved Angel Starter Cal McLish in the sixth, blanked the Beavers the rest of the way. Lyman Lunde was touched for 13 blows and was charged with the defeat.

Waldorf Quits Jefferson Job

PORTLAND (AP) — Eric Waldorf, football and track coach at Portland's Jefferson High School for 23 years, resigned Friday to enter private business.

Tom DeSilvia, his assistant for the past two years and former Oregon State College football star, is expected to succeed him.

Waldorf's teams won nine city football and three city track championships.

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