

Oregon Tech, Humboldt In Three Game Series

Oregon Tech's young, but surprising baseball team will hit the road tomorrow for Arcata, California for three games with the Humboldt State Lumberjacks.

Tomorrow night the Mile High Campus team will meet the Jacks in a single game and then take on the hometown team Sunday afternoon in a doubleheader.

The Owls and Humboldt have played two ball games already, with each team taking one game. The Jacks invaded Klamath Falls last weekend for a doubleheader, and won the first game 8-3 and the Owl nine jumped back to take the nightcap 7-6 when Humboldt's pitcher had a spell of wildness in the eighth inning.

At Kirkland will probably send Arvey Nelson, Ron Wright and Ray Carrow to the mound against Humboldt, while he can call on Glen Marcum and Ron Meyer for relief if they are needed.

His infield still poses a problem that Kirkland will try to remedy in the three games this weekend. At first base will be either Don Vest or Marcum, and Larry Chisney will probably get the call at second base. Third base will probably be handled by Lee Oliver and Larry Jeter, a three year letterman, will probably complete the keystone combination at shortstop.

The Tech outfield seems pretty well set with Warren Osborn, Odie Canada and Lew Emerson from left to right respectively. This trio has added lots of punch to the Owl line up and more is expected by Kirkland, if Canada can pick up his hitting eye.

Catching for the Owls seems to be one of the strongest positions on the O.T.I. squad. Dick Joslyn, a hard hitting youth from Drain, supplies plenty of savvy to handle the Owl pitchers.



HUMBOLDT STATE PITCHERS will have the tough task of facing these two Oregon Tech hitters when the two teams meet tomorrow night and Sunday afternoon at Arcata, California. Dick Joslyn, left, and Odie Canada are being relied upon to supply plenty of punch for the Tech team.

Brenner Takes Over Vancouver

(Editor's Note: This is the first in a series on the prospects of teams in the Western International Baseball League, written for The Associated Press by the sports-writers who follow the teams throughout the season).

By CLANCY LORANGER Sports Writer, The Vancouver Province

VANCOUVER, B.C. (AP)—There's another new broom in the front office of the Western International League's baseball Capitanos, and in the best traditions of new brooms, it has swept quite clean.

When last year's general manager, Dewey Soriano was called to greater things—he's the new G.M. of Seattle's Coast League entry—an old Vancouver favorite, Bill Brenner, was whisked up to take his place.

Brenner, who had managed the Caps from 1946 through 1950, had been hibernating at Lewiston for two seasons as manager, after a year as field boss at Yakima. He was happy to return to the Caps—in triplicate, more or less. Besides his job as general manager, Brenner will also serve as field boss and figures, on his 22 victories last year, to be the ace of his own pitching staff, too.

At this stage, Brenner's squad, with a lot of new faces, looks more formidable than the 1953 team, which got by on pitching and the hitting almost exclusively of Manager Harvey Storey, who has since moved on to Salem as manager.

Brenner's pitching should be as good as last year's. Besides himself, he's added George Nicholas, an excellent right-hander making a comeback; Bill Franks, another right-hander from Spokane; and Lefty Tom Del Sarto, last year with Yakima. They should replace Louie Myers and Van Fletcher, currently with Seattle. Pete Hernandez is there, too, but will likely return to the Caps.

The Caps are stronger in catching, with big Nick Pesut backed up by Bob Duretto; the infield should have much more punch, with newcomers Ellis Daugherty, via Colorado Springs at first, ex-Coast Leaguer Marv Williams at second, veteran Ken Richardson at third, and returnee shortstop Jim Clark.

K. Chorlton is back in center field, and he'll be flanked by Bob Wellman in left, maybe—he's still with Seattle; and either Danny Holden or Arnie Hallgren, both Vancouver boys, in right field.

Consensus: Pitching, excellent; hitting, much improved; fielding, adequate.

Sports in Brief
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

BASEBALL—Baltimore Orioles defeated Chicago, 3-1 as 48,354 fans greeted the city's first major league game since 1902.

BASKETBALL—GREAT LAKES, Ill. — Andrews Air Force Base, Washington, D.C., won the interservice championship by beating Great Lakes 81-66 in overtime final.

RACING—SAN MATEO, Calif. — Decur II (\$40,000) won feature at Bay Meadows.

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Pelicans Divide With Medford Nine

Derby Faces Problem

By GAYLE TALBOT
NEW YORK (AP)—All we've been able to gather from a thorough reading of the racing papers the past few days is the conclusion that they're finally going to be forced to run the Kentucky Derby in at least two sections. Otherwise the 3-year-old classic will look like a May Day parade.

Since both Turn-to and Portershouse were declared out, nobody seems to be scared of anything that's left, including Correlation, the current favorite by default. The fact that Eddie Arcaro, the only five-time winner of the event, has given his royal consent to ride Goyamo isn't expected to frighten anyone out either.

A typical day's report on workouts shows 48 eligible colts still getting in their practice ticks at various tracks, not counting those entered in races on the given afternoon. A trainer is quoted as saying, "Everybody has a chance now. It should be fun."

Something's got to give within the next three weeks unless Col. Bill Corum, the head of Churchill Downs, is to be faced with a weighty problem.

One of the more dramatic turns of the spring has been the successful comeback of Hal Newhouser to win a contract with the Cleveland Indians estimated to be worth \$15,000. Still short of his 33rd birthday and an even 200-game winner during his career with Detroit, the left-hander was cut last July, apparently washed up with an incurably sore arm.

Two months ago he accepted an invitation from his old friend and teammate Hank Greenberg to work out with the Indians at their Tucson training camp. It was considered a nice gesture on Hank's part. He probably was the most surprised man in Arizona when the eccentric lefty began to look like his old self in exhibition games. Finally, last week, Hank called the former boy phenom in to talk contract.

So what happened? Hal, according to the grapevine, didn't think too much of Hank's offer. It seems that other clubs had heard about his new lease on life too and had been talking money to him, as they had a perfect right to do under baseball law. Newhouser broke up the first conference by saying he would have to talk it over with his wife.

There was no transcript of the conversation, but the outcome was that Hal eventually returned and accepted Hank's terms. He had, however, upheld his long-time reputation as a tough bargainer. Hank, they say, looked like a man who had barely escaped having his hand chewed off by a family pet.

MINOR LEAGUE SCORES
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Charleston 2, St. Paul 1
Louisville 6, Kansas City 5
Columbus 13, Minneapolis 12
Indianapolis at Toledo, postponed
TEXAS LEAGUE
San Antonio 9, Oklahoma City 2
Tulsa 4, Houston 3
Beaumont 9, Fort Worth 3
Shreveport 10, Dallas 4

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION
Atlanta 3, Chattanooga 2 (10 innings)
Birmingham 3, Nashville 1
Memphis 7, New Orleans 5
Mobile at Little Rock, postponed
TEXAS LEAGUE
San Antonio 9, Oklahoma City 2
Tulsa 4, Houston 3
Beaumont 9, Fort Worth 3
Shreveport 10, Dallas 4

MAPS FOR FISHERMAN
SCHENECTADY, N.Y. (AP)—John and Robert Moran have combined their hobbies into a fishing service for anglers.

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Yakima, Caps, Lewiston Post Wins

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Yakima, Vancouver and Lewiston warmed up for the forthcoming Western International League baseball season Thursday with exhibition game victories.

Yakima racked up its fourth straight pre-season win, drubbing the Salem Senators 10-1 behind five-hit pitching by Ted Edmunds and Vertis Elmore.

Vancouver's Capitanos, playing at Clarkston, Wash., shellacked Pocatello of the Class C Pioneer League 7-1 in seven innings, and Lewiston trounced the W.L.'s Tri-City club 9-5.

At Yakima, Edmunds held the Senators to two singles during his five-inning stint on the mound, and Elmore gave up three more in the last four innings. The Bears meanwhile collected 11 safeties off the offerings of Larry Borst and Jack Hemphill.

Vancouver scored three times in the first inning at Clarkston, two of them on a triple by Arnie Hallgren who later homered for the Capitanos. Pocatello managed only four hits off Bob Moen and Dave Roberts.

At Lewiston, the Broncs out-hit Tri-City 12-8 with Jose Bache carrying the big bat for the winners. Bache hammered out a pair of doubles and a pair of singles.

Mars Upsets Nate Brooks
CLEVELAND (AP)—Mickey Mars, who says he "waited five years" for the bout, boxed well enough Thursday night to upset Nate Brooks.

Brooks, the fancy-stepping North American bantamweight champ, said he "didn't really figure I lost" the 10-rounder but two judges and a referee decided otherwise.

Brooks, a 2-1 favorite in the betting, hit the canvas for a fourth time in the eighth round.

Rocky Castellani, a Clevelander rated the No. 1 challenger for Bobo Olson's middleweight title, won on points from Pedro Gonzales, a former railroad spike pounder from Rankin, Pa.

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RICKYS won the class A championship of the 10th annual Men's City Bowling Tournament that is being held this week at Lucky Lanes Bowling Alley. The team is comprised of, left to right, Fran Ramsey, Clarence "Doc" Gansberg, Don Miller, Jim Crismon and Fred Klink. — Photo by Floyd

Woods-Morgan In 'A' Doubles Lead

Double and single play got underway last night at Lucky Lanes with the A doubles team of Carl Woods and Boyd Morgan jumping off to the lead and Vance Hawley and Russ Avery took the lead in the class B division.

In single action, Jack Bothwell took the early lead with a 655 total and Al Hakenwerth was second high in the A lineup with a 612 score. Vance Hawley took over with a 609.

The combination of Woods and Darnell and Merlin Teppets grabbed second place with 1156 pins. Tim Wilder and Walt Risse combined scores for a third place total of 1143.

In the all-events class, Hakenwerth took the first evening lead with a 1580 total and Darnell captured second spot with a 1526. Bill Baker is third in the A all-events with a total of 1493 pins.

In Class B doubles, George Grant and Warren Scott wound up behind the Hawley-Avery team with a 1183 score. The leaders score was 1253 pins for the evening work.

Floyd Wynne and Bob Dirschl were third high in the B division with a pin total of 1182.

The B singles were topped by Virgil Nole with a 665 and Russell Brackman, who collected a 641 total. H. Rotrock was third with a singles score of 599.

The B all-events class was led by Brackman with a 1473 score while Morgan and Nole were second and third with scores of 1424 and 1419.

Action continues tonight at 6:45 on the Lucky Lanes alleys in both the doubles and singles play.

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