

Advance Ticket Sale Lags For S.F. Giants

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SAN FRANCISCO (UP) — The gold mine that the Giants hoped to work when they came to San Francisco, it now appears, is going to take a lot of "sticking."
"Our advance ticket sales haven't lived up to expectations," Peter Hoffman, Giant ticket manager, said today.
"We have a little stadium and I thought there would be a mad rush to get season tickets to assure a seat, but it hasn't worked out that way."
"So far, our advance season-ticket sale totals only 2,940—that's what we can guarantee for each game this year. That doesn't look

like much compared with the 7,500 they are talking about for the Dodgers in Los Angeles."
ONLY ONE SELLOUT
The only game that is sold out is the first one—when the opening day crowd on April 15 will come near to bursting the walls at Seals Stadium. That number will be under 25,000, however, compared with the 102,000-seat edifice for the Dodgers in Los Angeles.
In another year the Giants will move into a new 45,000 seat stadium, and the Dodgers, in two years, will down-grade to a 50,000-seating arrangement.
Hoffman said that the average pre-season ticket sale in New York for the Giants was only about 2,800.
"But we had lots of room at the Polo Grounds," he pointed out. "Here I thought there would be a rush due to a shortage of space."
Hoffman isn't discouraged. He figures that when baseball starts hitting the headlines and interest in winter sports wears off that the fans will turn their attention to baseball and start making their purchases.
The prices here range from \$3.50 for a box seat to \$2.50 reserved; \$1.50 in the pavilion and 90 cents in the bleachers.

Arcaro Gets 4,000th Win

ARCADIA, Calif. (UP) — "The only tension I felt was what you newspaper fellows created yourselves," veteran jockey Eddie Arcaro declared following his 4,000th turf victory.
Arcaro left for Florida's Hialeah track Thursday night after scoring No. 4,000 in the 8th race aboard Ban Thursday. He is scheduled to ride Mahan in the \$100,000 Widener Handicap at the Florida track Saturday.
"It was just another day of racing for me, but I'm glad to have reached the 4,000 mark," he said of Thursday's feat. "I'm going to go right on riding, probably not another 27 years, but a few more anyway."
Arcaro, who turned 42 only a day before achieving the milestone, is in his 27th year of racing.
He will be presented with a large silver plate following the fourth race here next Tuesday.
Arcaro is the third rider in history to reach the 4,000 mark and only the second on the American turf. Johnny Longden is the champion with 5092 winners. Retired Sir Gordon Richards of England has 4870.

Phil Rookie Pleads Guilty

SPOKANE, Wash. (UP) — Ed Bouchee pleaded guilty to two counts of indecent exposure involving girls aged six and ten and the once-promising professional baseball career of the husky Philadelphia player remains in question.
Judge Ralph P. Edgerton ordered a pre-sentence investigation Thursday for Bouchee, 24, a rookie standout at first base for the Phillies last season. The judge tentatively set March 5 for sentencing, but said it might be sooner if the investigation were completed quickly.
Indecent exposure is a felony in Washington state and carries a possible sentence of up to 20 years in prison, but Bouchee could receive probation. He remained free under \$2,500 bond.
The Philadelphia baseball club has refused comment on the case but showed its interest by retaining a lawyer, Robert Stoeve, who appeared at the arraignment along with Bouchee's regular counsel. Stoeve said he did not know what the club planned to do.

Phil Moyer Tops Gonzales

PORTLAND (UP) — Young Phil Moyer poured on a steady body attack which, coupled with a fourth-round knockdown, gave him a unanimous decision over Pedro Gonzales of Rankins, Pa., in a 10-round middleweight bout here Thursday night.
The Portland boxer scored the knockdown with a flashing right that had Gonzales on the canvas for an eight count. But Gonzales appeared strong the rest of the bout as Moyer was unable to follow up the advantage.
Also aiming at the body in late rounds, Gonzales piled up points in the sixth with a series of stiff jabs to Moyer's head.

Grade School Play Day Set

The annual City Grade School Basketball Play Day will be held for Class B boys Saturday morning between 9 and 12 o'clock at Fremont and Roosevelt according to Joe Peak, director of the city school's physical education department.
About 120 boys will take part in the play day divided into four leagues. The American League will play a double elimination tournament and the National, Western and Eastern Leagues will play a round-robin schedule.
The public is invited to attend the morning sessions at no charge.
Next Saturday, March 1, the Class A basketball play day will be held at Mills and Fairview schools. March 8, Peak announced, will be the date of the fifth grade basketball tournament. The annual grade school free throw championship will be decided on March 13 at Fremont.

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BASKETBALL

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COLLEGE BASKETBALL
Notre Dame 83, NYU 77
Massachusetts 64, Holy Cross 60
St. Louis 103, St. John's (NY) 92
 Rutgers 55, Newark Rutgers 73
 Delaware 65, Swarthmore 73
 Indiana (Pa.) 82, Tulane 59
 MICHIGAN
 Oklahoma 82, Oklahoma State 48
 Miami (Fla.) 86, Ohio U. 72
 Auburn 64, Olivet 29
 Emporia State 74, Pittsburg (Kan.) 61
 Bethel (Maine) 68, Northwestern (Minn.) 59
 SOUTH
 South Carolina 61, Clemson 60
 Virginia Tech 75, The Citadel 44
 Furman 66, Richmond 62
 Miss. Southern 72, Spring Hill 65
 Ball. Loyola 89, Western (Md.) 59
 Belmont Abbey, Calverton 64
 SOUTHWEST
 Arkansas Tech 97, Hendrix 73
 Montana 71, New Mexico 43
 Arkansas A&M 69, Ouachita 65
 FIVE WEST
 Seattle 78, Montana State 77
 Utah 97, Denver 73
 Pacific Lutheran 44, Central Wash. 42
 TOURNAMENTS
 West Virginia Conference
 Quakers
 West Va. Tech 74, Glenville 68
 Morris Harvey 90, Fairmont 73
 West Va. Wesleyan 88, Bethany (W.Va.) 61
 West Liberty 74, Bluefield State 60
 Volunteer State Conference
 First Round
 Union (Tenn.) 78, Milligan 74
 Belmont 76, Bethel, Tenn. 74
 Austin Peay 61, Utten, Martin Branch 60
 Lipscomb 66, Lincoln Memorial 75
 Midwest Athletic Assn.
 First Round
 Lincoln (Mo.) 66, Central State (Ohio) 64
 Kentucky State 78, Jackson (Miss.) State 75
 OREGON PREP BASKETBALL
 Sub-District 7-B Tournament
 Enterprise 71, Joseph 45
 Union 66, Wallawa 49

Nicks Need NBA Triumph

By UNITED PRESS
The New York Knickerbockers, last in the standings but first in attendance, meet the Philadelphia Warriors at Camden, N. J., tonight, needing a victory to "stay alive" in the Eastern Division race of the National Basketball Association.
The Warriors, in third place in the Eastern Division, two and one-half games ahead of the Knicks, led all the way in beating the Syracuse Nationals, 110-97, Wednesday in the first game of an afternoon doubleheader at Boston. The Celtics came from behind to edge the Cincinnati Royals, 94-92 in the nightcap.
In other games tonight the Detroit Pistons are at Cincinnati and the Celtics, needing only three victories in 10 remaining games to clinch the Eastern title, are at St. Louis. The Hawks need only two victories in 12 games to clinch the Western Division title.

YANKS FLY FAR

FALUN, Sweden (UP) — Art Tofke of Lake Telemark, N. J., and Asten Samuelstuen of Steamboat Springs, Colo., turned in the best practice jumps Thursday in a workout for an international ski-jumping meet here Sunday. Both are members of the U.S. nordic combined ski team.

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Cal In PCC Stretch Drive, Meets Idaho

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
California's Bears start a stretch drive for their second straight Pacific Coast Conference basketball championship Friday night at Idaho against the Vandals.
The Bears, just one victory ahead of UCLA, will meet the PCC's top offensive club in Idaho. Cal is the conference's top defensive club and showed an improved offensive last week when they defeated Southern California 90-62 and Stanford 67-59.
After Idaho, the Bears continue their Pacific Northwest invasion against Washington State Saturday and Oregon Monday.
Cal has consistently displayed a well-balanced attack with Don

McIntosh, Al Buch, Earl Robinson and Bob Dalton averaging between nine and 11 points per game.
Idaho Capt. Gary Simmons has scored 250 points in 11 games for an average of 22.7 points and high individual honors in the PCC.
UCLA and Southern California stay at home this weekend with the Bruins playing host to Stanford on Friday and Oregon State Saturday. The Trojans meet Oregon State on Friday and Stanford Saturday. The two games each night will be played as double-headers at Long Beach.
Cal coach Pete Newell remained cautious about his team's chances for the weekend journey, although he was definitely pleased about the Bear's performance against Southern Cal.
Idaho spilled UCLA at Moscow last week and allowed Cal to take exclusive hold of first place with an 8-2 record compared to the

Bruin's 8-3. Oregon State stands third with a 7-3 record.
In other coming games, Washington meets Idaho at Moscow on Saturday and Washington and Washington State clash Monday at Pullman.
Smart holds the PCC's top rebounding percentage of 16.6, followed by Gambee with 15.6, Hal Duffy of Oregon with 14.3, Franklin with 13.1 and Dick Haga of Stanford with 12.2.

Bevos Sign Pair

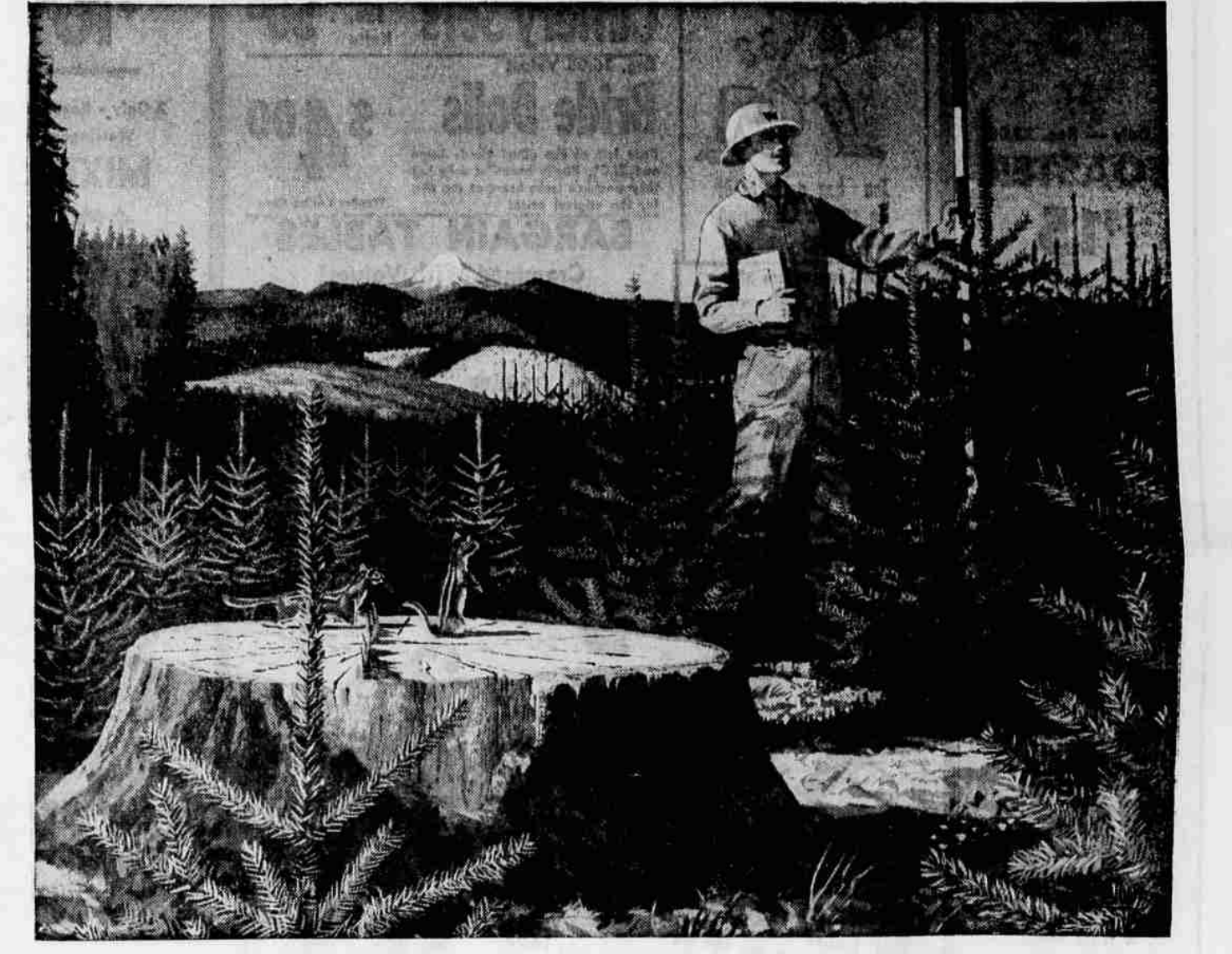
PORTLAND (UP) — Catcher Danny Baich and utility player Jack Lohrke have signed contracts for the coming baseball season, the Portland Beavers of the Pacific Coast League said Thursday.
Baich last season hit .208 in 65 games with Portland. Lohrke was obtained at the end of last season from Seattle.

Prep Wrestling Tourney Opens

CORVALLIS (UP) — Oregon's high school wrestling tournament opened here Friday, with Newberg on hand to defend the state title it won last year.
Newberg has six wrestlers entered in the two-day meet, but none of them won titles at the tourney last year.
Sweet Home, with 10 entrants, and Redmond with 15, are two of the early favorites to take the team title.
There are 156 matches scheduled Friday and 104 Saturday. Championship bouts will be held Saturday night.

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Wages and Salaries	\$106,433,578
Taxes	\$ 45,335,793
Additions to plants, equipment, roads, timber and timberlands	\$ 56,836,753
Employees at Dec. 31	20,435
Taxes paid per employee	\$ 2,218
Net income per share	\$ 1.76
Dividends paid per share	\$ 1.00

Last year Weyerhaeuser invested about \$57 million in new plants, equipment, roads and timberlands. This was done to improve and expand facilities for manufacture of building materials, pulp and paperboard. Also a merger was effected with the Kieckhefer Container Corporation and The Eddy Paper Company, operating paperboard mills in the East, and 30 plants throughout the nation producing shipping containers, milk cartons and other specialty packages. The purpose was to improve the long-term prospects for increased utilization of the forest crop and to provide a broader market for the Company's paperboard production.

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