

# SPORTS—Through The Eagle's Eyes

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## All-Star Nine Is Named Monday Evening by League

Picked Team Will Compete in Tourney Here Saturday and Sunday

Members of the Vernonia Softball League picked an all-star softball nine to represent Vernonia Saturday and Sunday of this week at the time of the district tournament to be staged here. The action came at a meeting of the league called by C. L. Anderson, president.

League play does not close in time for a play off of the winner of the first half and second so that a team can be decided upon in that manner, hence the decision to pick an all-star nine. League play to be held this week will be postponed until next week. The all-star nine has staged practice games during this week to prepare for district play.

The team chosen Monday evening by ballot of the managers named the following twelve men. Fifteen are allowed each team in the play off so that the remaining three which will comprise the pitching staff will be chosen by the team itself.

The team as named Monday gave playing berths to Harold Howard, Bill Byers, Alton Roberson, Glen Hawkins, Ed Carter, Bob Cline, J. Lawson Smith, Earl King, Walt Strankman, Jim Costi, Ralph Aldrich and Otto Maurer.

The team met Tuesday evening at the city park diamond to choose, by ballot, a manager to direct their actions in the tournament.

Appointments were also made by Connie Anderson of those to have charge of preliminary details previous to the staging of the tourney and for the tourney itself. Ted Coon was named to repair the outfield fence and the home plate backstop; Ed Horn will pick umpires for the games and the scorekeeper and assistant; Bert Tisdale was named to arrange the schedule; Bill Washburn, vice-president of the league, will contact several people to collect admission at the gates; Charles Childress will have charge of lining the field.

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### PLAYER AVERAGES

Given below is the batting average of each player named Monday evening to participate in tournament play Saturday and Sunday. This listing gives the number of times at bat, the hits and the average.

Player	AB	H	Ave.
Howard	77	32	.402
Byers	37	14	.376
Roberson	51	17	.334
Hawkins	40	12	.300
Carter	73	21	.288
Cline	84	24	.286
Smith	70	22	.270
King	00	14	.233
Strankman	70	16	.220
Costi	38	15	.190
Maurer	05	11	.170

## SKED FOR TOURNNEY ARRANGED

THREE GAMES TO BE PLAYED BOTH DAYS OF EVENT

A schedule of games for district tournament softball was arranged Tuesday morning of this week which calls for three games Saturday and three games Sunday in the district competition.

The games and the times at which they will be played follows:

### SATURDAY'S GAMES

- 2 p. m.: Scappoose vs. Pope and Talbot of St. Helens.
- 3 p. m.: Astoria vs. Leomon of St. Helens.
- 4 p. m.: Rainier vs. Vernonia.

### SUNDAY'S GAMES

- 2 p. m. Winner of 2 p. m. Saturday game vs. Seaside.
- 3 p. m.: Winner of 3 p. m. Saturday game vs. Winner of 4 p. m. Saturday game.
- 4 p. m.: Winner of 2 p. m. Sunday game vs. Winner of 3 p. m. Sunday game—the winner of this contest to be champion of the district.

## TREHARNE FOLK SEE JUNIOR BASEBALL GAMES AT HILLSBORO

TREHARNE—(Special to The Eagle)—Mr. and Mrs. Hulan Thacker and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Thacker and daughters and Patsy Tisdale attended a family picnic at the home of Mr. Stowell at Hillsboro Sunday. Mr. Stowell is the father of the Mrs. Thackers. Marietta Hodgson returned home

## McCRAE IS NAMED TO MANAGER

WILL DIRECT ALL-STAR NINE IN PLAY OFF OF DISTRICT

Wallace McCrae was named to manager-ship of the Vernonia All-Star softball nine Tuesday evening of this week by a written ballot taken at the field by members of the team chosen the previous evening by league managers.

McCrae has directed the actions of the team during practice sessions so far this week in preparing the men for Saturday's play.

Contact was made Tuesday with Charles Justice, F.O.E. manager to determine the possibility of using Eagle uniforms for tournament play. Justice gave his ok for permitting use of the suits. The Eagle nine is the only completely uniformed team in the league. Sufficient suits are available for 12 men.

## ASTORIA TO FEATURE DERBY

AUGUST 28, SEPTEMBER, 3 ARE DATES OF EVENT

From August 28th through September 3rd, as a special feature of the annual Astoria Regatta, Astoria, Oregon, will be the setting for one of the northwest's biggest salmon derbies.

"The biggest," say derby officials, "for several reasons. First, because fishermen will catch the biggest salmon that can be caught in the great Pacific Northwest; second, because there is offered the largest amount of prize money anywhere, considering the length of the derby—seven days—and also because the Salmon Derby will be run in conjunction with the world's biggest diversified water show."

Prizes for the derby consist of \$100.00 each day for the biggest fish caught that day, or \$700.00 in all, and a four-door Plymouth touring sedan for the biggest salmon caught during the entire seven days. In addition to this, there is a galaxy of other prizes and trophies.

The entry fee for the derby is surprisingly low. \$2.00 permits anyone to fish as entrants for not one, but every day of the derby. Prices for renting boats are also low; a standard of \$2.00 per hour, with a minimum of four hours, has been agreed upon by boat owners. This includes any number of passengers. The boats are clean and will be handled by experienced and licensed operators.

"Fishermen may register and make boat reservations at once," Astoria Regatta officials announced today, "and mail registration, as well as requests for additional information, should be made by writing Salmon Derby Committee, Astoria Regatta Association, Astoria, Oregon."

Friday from Portland where she has been visiting the past two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Carrick and children visited at the Chas. Oldof home in St. Helens Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fulton have moved into the house formerly occupied by John Glassner.

Mr. and Mrs. Peto Scharback and family and Mr. and Mrs. Vernal Pickers and family spent the weekend at Seaside.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Tisdale, Mr. and Mrs. John Tisdale, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Justice and Mr. and Mrs. Kirk attended the junior baseball games at Hillsboro Sunday.

Melbert Wlencke has been on the sick list the past week.

A small group of mothers and their children enjoyed a picnic on the river Thursday.

Mrs. Daisy Ornduff and Willis moved from their ranch near Timber to Vernonia last Saturday.

## PEOPLE OF KIST COMMUNITY ENJOY PICNIC

KIST—(Special to The Eagle)—A group of women presented friendship quilt blocks to Mrs. Clifford Bergerson and to Mrs. Carl Jensen at the home of Mrs. Carl

Jensen Wednesday afternoon. Jello and cake were served.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Terwilliger and daughter, Mrs. Julius Timmerman, Marjorie and Florence Ohler all motored to Portland on business Monday afternoon.

The people of the Kist community enjoyed a picnic on the Nehalem river Sunday. Swimming and baseball were enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Gieger and son visited her cousin in Elsie Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lowinger and son, Donald, visited in Stayton over the weekend. They took in the air show while there.

## MIST RESIDENT HAS OPERATION FRIDAY AFTERNOON

MIST—(Special to The Eagle)—Mrs. Ray Garlock is working at the Knowles home this week while Eunice Larson is at the beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Mills returned this week from Berkeley, California, where Mr. Mills has been attending school the past six weeks.

Oscar Jones has been staying with the Ed Reynolds folks for the past week.

Mrs. Bud Ashby went to Forest Grove Thursday where she underwent an operation Friday afternoon. She is getting along as well as can be expected.

L. Wikstrom spent a couple of days with his family here, returning to Taft Sunday.

Bob Lowden, Buddy Keaton, Sonny Wikstrom and Vernon DeRock went to Taft Saturday to take in the Red Head Roundup. They returned home Sunday evening.

Miss Irene Holce has been at the W. R. Johnson home this summer assisting with the work, owing to Mrs. Johnson not being in good health.

Jim Hill returned to California Thursday with his son to stay indefinitely.

Bud Ashby traded his property with Ohs. Sundland for a house formerly owned and occupied by Ed Birkenfeld and family. Mr. Ashby will move this week.

Mrs. Austin Dowling was a caller of Mrs. I. E. Knowles Thursday.

Mrs. Chas. Sundland and her sister, Mrs. Walter Foster, from California, left Thursday for Sequim, Washington, where they will visit until Sunday evening with another sister, Mrs. Harvey Bogle.

Miss Eunice Larson spent Sunday at the beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin DeRock were host and hostess Saturday evening to a party of young people. Cards were the attraction of the evening. Melvin Saxon, Joe Rooster, Miss Thelma Wikstrom and several others were present.

Mrs. Emma Aldridge came over from Clatskanie last week for a visit with relatives in the valley.

Mrs. Frank Brown from Jewell was a Mist shopper Saturday afternoon.

The Wikstrom family and Mrs. Austin Dowling were movie visitors Saturday evening.

Agnes Batson was a Portland visitor Saturday.

The Chester Larson folks have been making regular trips to Portland almost daily, taking little Mary in for medical attention.

Austin Corli and family have guests from the east. They all journeyed to Seaside Sunday and spent the day there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bridgera were Seaside weekend visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse George were village business visitors Monday.

Bernard Dowling, Donald Sundland, Floyd Label and Carl Ray went to Seaside Sunday.

Many Grangers attended the Pomona at Natal Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Keaton motored to Portland Saturday and returned Sunday.

## Sail for Manila—

Revetend and Mrs. V. A. Gowen sailed from San Francisco Friday morning, August 4, on the M. S. Bengalen, a Dutch freighter. They sailed from Portland July 16 and have been enjoying a two-weeks visit at the fair and with friends in San Francisco and Los Angeles. They made the boat just before sailing. They will touch no ports on the way across and will reach Manila in three weeks taking the southern route, thus avoiding any typhoons. The Bengalen carries only twelve passengers. The Gowens have found the head officers to be most charming people.

## Visits Husband—

Mrs. Jack Roberson is here visiting her husband for two weeks.



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