From the

SCOREBOOK

Right-Field Fence Helps Oaks: Mr. Scarsella Plays His Part

By ALEX SHULTS

RASEBALL'S Fourth of July milestone is just around the corner-that's the point in a pennant race that so fre-

quently names the winner—but a Fourth of July fireworths display is a tame and silent thing compared with what the Seattle Rainiers' pitching staff is saying about the new right-field fence in Calland

Oakland.

For years Oakland has been just another team in the Pacific Coast League pennant race. The Acorns counted it a great season when they landed in the first division, and when there was enough money in the coffers at the close of the season to pay the bills.

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It's been that way, it seems, ever since
Lyn Lary and Jimmy Reese performed such
double-play miracles around second base that
they won a pennant for the Oaks in 1927 and
were sold to the New York Yankees for a reported \$125,000.

But it's different now.
Owners Brick Laws and Joe Blumenfield,
who bought the club not so long ago, spent
some \$300,000 in reouilding the Oakland park
last winter. New offices, new lighting system.
new press box, new ramps, a new coat of
paint, etc. paint. Oh, yes, and a new right-field fence.

PAINTED on that fence is a sign saying that it's 300 feet

from home plate at the foul line. But 'tain't that far, swear the Rainier pitchers.

And every time they were in a jam last week, with a couple of runners on the bags, up would come Les Scarsella, the big slugger the Rainiers sold to the Oaks a few seasons back, who always has

been able to hit a long ball.

Scarsella lifted those high flies of his, which sprayed against the new fence for base hits last week and home pattered enough runs to give the Oaks six straight wins.

"Half of Scar's hits would have been caught in Seattle," avers Manager Jo-Jo White. But the teams were playing in Oakland, so just look at the Scarsella record for the series:

G. AB. R. H. Pet. Tb. 2b 3h HR. RBI.

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SURE, both teams played in the same park, but that short fence was built for Scarsella, just as Yankee Stadium was built for Babe Ruth.

Both teams always play in the same park, but rival nines used to have a rough ride at the old Civic Stadium, with its short left-field fence, when the old Scattle Indians had Act Hunt, Freddy Muller and fence, when the old Seattle Indians herry Donovan to spray homers there.

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Laws and Blumenned are theatre men who recognized the value of that short fence, built for Scarsella.

It's paying dividends . . Oakland leads the Coast League parade as the teams near that Fourth of July milestone, the Acorns are drawing fans at the gate as they never drew them before, even in the days of Lary and Reese, and Scarsella is wrecking Coast League slugging records.

The rourth of July theory—diamond experts mist that the team ahead on the anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence wins the pennant—points to a Brooklyn-Boston Red Sox World Series next October.

The Red Sox are bowling along eight and a half games ahead of the New York Yankees in the American League, while Brooklyn leads the St. Louis Cardinals by six and a half in the National.

The winter books insisted that the Cards and Red Sox would be the October darlings.

The Coast League race is one of the tightest, with Oakland only one game ahead of San Francisco.

Montreal is setting a dizzy pace in the International League, four and a half games ahead of Syracus, while St. Paul and Indianapolis are and a half games ahead of Syracus, while St. Paul and Indianapolis are fand a half games ahead of Syracus, while St. Paul and Indianapolis are fand a half games ahead of Syracus, while St. Paul and Indianapolis are fand a half games ahead of Syracus, while St. Paul and Indianapolis are fand a half games ahead of Syracus, while St. Paul and Indianapolis are and a half games ahead of Syracus, while St. Paul and Indianapolis are the Saramento Solons W. L. Pet. | Webber, 29 years old, hus been in 11 games this season, minning the same number. | Webber, 29 years old, hus been in 11 games this season, minning the same number. | Webber, 29 years old, hus been in 11 games this season, minning the same number. | Webber, 29 years old, hus been in 11 games this season, minning the same number. | Webber, 29 years old, hus been in 11 games this season, minning the same number. | Webber, 29 years old, hus been in 11 games this season, minning the same number. | Webber, 29 years old, hus been in 11 games this season, minning the same number. | Webber, 29 years old, hus been in 11 games this season, minning the same number. | Webber, 29 years old, hus been in 11 games this season, minning the same number. | Webber, 29 years old, hus been in 11 games the said same number. | Webber, 29 years old, hus been in 11 games THE Fourth of July theory—diamond experts insist that by the Navy.

The Western International League has a tight race, with only a three-game span separating the top three teams—Salem, Wenatchee and Tacoma.

U. S. GIRL BEATS STATE NET MEET STAMMERS

Ish tennis hopes suffered today landing local stars of Saturday, out and was allowed rowed to score the Shortly afterward, Louise Brough [13. Play in the tourney will open winning run in Boston's 5-4 victory over the New York Giants.

Mrs. Jean N. Bostock, generally considered Britain's leading femulations of the Pacific Northwest sectional local property of the New York Giants.

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inine star, in another quarter-final bers only, is being revived after a match, 6-1, 6-2.

America's top-seeded men's doubles team of Tom Brown and Jack that the Tennis Club.

Kramer advanced to the semifinals by defeating Sweden's strong Davis Cup pair, Lennart Bergelin and Bauers', Langlie's, University Book-Torsten Johannsson, 6-1, 3-6, 6-4, store and Athletic Supply Com-

It was the day's second victory for Brown and Kramer, who ear-lier entered the quarter-finals by defeating Tony Mottram and Bob Nicoll of Britain, 6-1, 6-4, 6-4.

Baseball's Big Six

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West Seattle A. C.

71 248 71 86 3355 Vernon Mikhadas, 10 to 66 269 48 93 353 last night in a game in which could be seen a significant of the country of the cou Byron Nelson on Golf:

GALLERIES OFTEN ARE

NUISANCES TO GOLFER

By BYRON NELSON National Professional Golf Champion

to writing a column from them. It is just as well I didn't, because I have a more concrete example to offer after my experience at the recent national open championship in Cleveland, where my caddie, in a selection of the way the first the same time, kicked my ball, thereby costing me a penalty stroke.

It certainly couldn't be considered and duck under the saller way to the mean time, kicked my ball, thereby costing me a penalty stroke.

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It certainly couldn't be considered my caddie's fault, but he was heartbroken. He had caddied for me before and had obtained a fur questions I was asked over lough so that he could work for me before and had obtained a fur every shot. You can't see every shot. Welch of diversity for the means of the means of the same time, the control of the second of the same time, the could work for me before and had obtained a fur every shot. You can't see every shot. You can't see

a chance to see it as they should have, the incident never would have happened.

I've always had the idea that the spectators themselves should "police" a match. And, in doing so, there are a few rules to remember:

When the marshalling is poor, give the players a chance by making a large circle when you gather around them as they are about to make a shot. Believe it or not, you can see better than if you croud up on top of the players. No spectators should be closer to the players at the players and the spectators themselves in a spectator should be closer to the players at the players and the spectators themselves should "police" a match. And, in doing so, there are a few rules to remember:

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I played an exhibition match re-

Today In Majors

NATIONAL LEAGUE

the league-leading Brooks' seventh

straight triumph.

Totals 35 S/25 15 Totals 28 S 27 10

*Batted for Mulligan in aloth, One out when winning run scored, flatted for Casey in Sixth, SBatted for Edwards in eighth, FBatted for Galan in eighth,

WL Pet. We League and American Association —the pitchers all looked alike when the Mad Russian started winging his war club.

ROOKLYN, July 2.—(P)—The Brooklyn Dodgers sent Les Webber, right-handed pitcher, to Cleveland of the American League by the native route today, making room on their roster for Third-baseman Eddie Miksis, recently discharged.**

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runs, plus a double. Chicago-

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(UP)—Fifth-seeded Dorthy Bundy of Santa Monica, Calif., upset the set the Seattle Tennis Club July at th

Indians Beat Browns, 4-2

AMERICAN LEAGUE

CLEVELAND, July 2.—(A)-The Cleveland Indians, aided by a two run error by Mark Christman, defeated the St. Louis Browns, 4 to 2, today to move into fifth place in

MOUNT VERNON, July 2.—(P)

The West Seattle Atheltic Club
baseball team defeated the Mount
baseball

From time to time I had made notes on the reactions of Runs—St. Louis (Laabs, Judnict a golfer to an unruly gallery, but I had never gotten around Cleveland (Case, Fleming, Edwards, W. dell). Errors—Christman, Conway, T. to writing a column from them. It is just as well I didn't, base hits—Stephens, Christman, Edwards, W. dash, base of Strikeouts—By Shries 2. Krakauskas Strikeouts—By Shries 2. Krakauskas Winning pitcher—Lemon.

Ben Geraghty, new team manager, said that Gale Bishop of Bellingham, recently signed by the Boston Braves, will play in the outfield for the team. The only two original team members able to play are Pitchers Milt Cadinha and Joe Faria.

SKIFF

Yanks Give Ex-Rainier Ross Better Job

Bill Skiff, fired three weeks ago as jumping from town to town to help new team manager of the Seattle Rainiers, was "kicked upstairs" by his discharge.

The mite from New Rochelle, N. Y., was appointed supervising field manager of the New York Yankees' farm system, according to a late-afternoon announcement made in New York today.

Before Seattle hired Skiff to succeed the late Jack Lelivelt at the start of the 1941 campaign, the little guy was field supervisor BROOKLYN, July 2.—(P)—
Cookie Lavagetto singled home Art
Herring from second base in the
ninth inning today to give the
Brooklyn Dodgers a 3-2 victory
over the Philadelphia Phils. It was
the league-leading Brooks' seventh

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Results

Standings,

Pacific Coast League

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

American League

National League

12). Only games scheduled.

Second game: Salem Wenatchee Gerkin, Fallin and I. Fitzgerald.

Western International

International League

sey City 3. Balamore 2. onto 3. Buffalo 1; Buffalo

Newark at Syracuse, rain. Rochester at Montreal, wet grounds.

American Association

Southern Association

New Orleans 7, Nashville 3, Chattanooga 9, Mobile 0, Birmingham 8, Memphis 3; Birmingh

Memphis 7. Atlanta at Little Rock, wet grounds.

Texas League

Eastern League All games postponed, rain.

South Atlantic League

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Houston 2, Shreveport 0, Shreveport 6, Houston 3, Fort Worth 3, Oklahoma City 2, Tulsa 6, Dallas 5, San Antonio at Beaumont, rain,

Indianapolis 5, Toledo I. Louisville 7, Columbus I. Milwaukee 7, St. Paul I. Kansas City 8, Minneapolis 4.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS
No games scheduled.
GAMES TONIGHT
Sarramento at Scattle, 8 o'clock.
Oakland at Portland.
Los Anceles at Sacramento.
San Diego at Hollywood.

Novikoff Back 'Home'

manager," was Bill's comment.

PHEASANT SEASONS

"I'll have to keep my suitcase packed,

managers and to juggle players," Skiff told The Times. "Perhaps I'll visit the Pacific

Coast from time to time in my new job."
Skiff also wished Jo-Jo White, his suc-

Lovable, laughing Lou Novikoff comes "home" this week . . .

And Seattle fandom is on trial. If Lou likes us he may yet get his big bat unlimbered to slash the Rainiers out of the Pacific Coast League cellar and conceivably into the first division.

The big outfielder Seattle recently bought from the Phillies has led every minor league in which he has played . . . Western

fans, Larrupin' Lou may get started against the Sacramento Solons this week. He loves the cheers of

Walters, Hetki (1), Shoun (10), Gumbert (11), Heusser (13) and Mueller, Lannanio (13); Dickson, Wilks (8), Brazire (10) and Garagiola, Klutz (10), O'dea wankee, waukee. Then why is Novikoff batting in the third spot for Seattle. Don't

all great sluggers bat fourth?

There are two reasons. No is Earl Torgeson, who does right wember.

At Wenatchee:

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Jo-Jo White, the new manager of the Seattle Rainiers, plans to

Anderson and Spurgeon. Second game: 1040 101 002 8 10 10 Vancouver 000 001 001 002 8 10 10 Vancouver 000 001 001 00 5 0 Carnett (7) and Spurgeon. At Victoria: 101 001 011 5 10 2 Victoria: 101 001 010 0 2 7 4 Federmeyer and Volpi; Paulson, Hess (8) and Clifford.

the Professional Golfers' Association's Northwest sectional championship yesterday with 68-75—
143, one under par for 36 holes at the Trepresents 5.000 farm families. said wanted a 30-day straight season, with the opening for deer, ducks and birds to fall on the same date, figuring it would be better from the conservation standpoint.

Since the tournament also served as the sectional qualifying round for the national P. G. A. tournament, to be held in Portland August 19 to 25, Congdon, Mozel and Tucker played off the tie, Congdon winning the Northwest's second berth with a birdie 3 on the first hole. Lamberger as professional at the host club qualified automatically. Tucker won third place for the tournament with a birdie 4 on the second extra hole. The scores:

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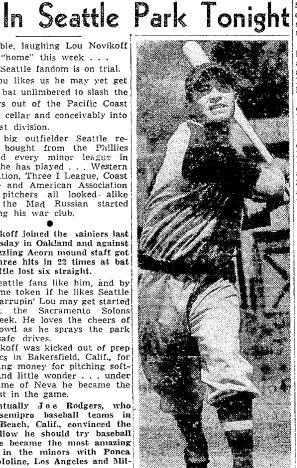
Tellaerty said the state's national reputation as a source of poultry and breeding stock is menaced by increasing outbreaks which have been reported in districts where pheasants have been released.

The Farm Bureau made no recommendations on 1946 hunting dates but stressed that open dates Earl Lowman, 225, of Detroit, four times in the third round last night before scoring a clean knockout at vesting sugar beets, apples and potators.

BASEBALL TONIGHT SEATTLE RAINIERS

SACRAMENTO SOLONS

Game Starts 8:00 P. M. Sicks' Seattle Stadium Tickets Available at Central Ticket Agency, 141! Third Ave. SE, 2856



LOU NOVIKOFF

Farmers Ask Game Board For Relief The later the season the more destructive it would be to the deer

Farm relief against coyotes, pollorum (a digestive disease among birds) and disagreeable hunting the season the better was the thought of many of the experts, dates was suggested by the growing but no dates were voiced. TACOMA, July 2.—(P)—Portits annual report to the State Game

143, one under par for 36 holes at the Tacoma Country and Golf Club. He was one stroke ahead of Chuck Congdon of the home club, Joe Mozel of Portland, Larry Lamberger of Portland and Ken Tucker of Everett.

Singer the tournament also served in the organization, which represents 5.000 farm families, said the Conservation standpoint.

Game Department biologists said June rains destroyed many of the investigate the possibility that pollorum is being spread among state, especially in the Spokane healthy chickens and turkeys by and Palouse countries and south present methods of distributing of the Snake River in the Dayton area.

143 — Emery Zimmerman, Portland, 68-75.

Help against coyotes in Walla at the dog track.

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Walla and Columbia Counties was requested. Flaherty said the sneakland, 72-72.

It was Ray's 40th knockout in a scheduled to reduce the requested to a string of 43 straight victories.



By BOB SUTTON

cessor at the helm of the Rainiers, the best General state-wide deer, elk "Joyner may have his troubles at the and pheasant seasons for next start, but he should be a colorful, successful fall were set today by the manager." was Bill's comment.

Washington State Game Commission, meeting at its Smith Tower Skiff had offers from the New York

mission adopted an annual deer and pheasant season opening throughout the state the second Sunday of October and running 13 days, until changed by the commission. Later seasons may be extended in various of the season of the seasons may be extended in various allowed from a start at Whaler Bay."

Naturally, and the same proximate 35-mile course. In the sailing division the score board read, "No race as no craft covered the course within the time limit of nine hours allowed from a start at Whaler Bay."

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An annual elk season was established, beginning the first Sunday after the close of the deer season and extending through Armistice Day, November 11, until changed

by the commission.

Again this year cock pheasants only may be taken, with a daily bag derstood the task ahead and his page of the task ahead and his page

late as possible in October and ending not earlier than November 3. He also sought an annual season ending the first Sunday in November, saying such would not destroy the deer populace. He asked for a uniform state season, but wanted to put it off as long as possible be-cause of the demand for labor in harvesting the apple crop. E. E. Juday of the Okanogan County Labor Supply Committee sought October 27 to November 3, and wanted a yearly season ending

continuing through the second Sundav in November.

The cattlemen were represented by Paul Spaeth, who asked for an opening after October 15 to allow the stockmen to get their cattle out of the hills.

herds was the opinon of one of the game experts. As for upland birds, the earlier

Washington State Farm Bureau in its annual report to the State Game wanted a 30-day straight season.

Unicume In Sailboaters' Race Failure

By GEORGE M. VARNELL Associate Editor, The Times

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 2.— The power-boat division of the Pacific International Yachting Asso-ciation laughed up its sleeve here last night, when the results of the Whaler Bay to Royal Vancouver Yacht Club's Jericho Station race, first of the four-day regatta racing offices.

Deer and pheasant seasons will program were officially announced.

coincide, opening Summer,
13, and running through Wednesday, October 30. The elk season will run Sunday, November 3, through Monday, November 11.

The companies of the season scoreboard 2showed cume's Sea Scamp, from the Scattle Yacht Club, in first place after an almost perfect race over an approximate 35-mile course. In the sailing division the score board read,

Naturally, all of the power boats finished their race. Equally certain was it that not a single sailing craft covered the full Whaler Ba to-Jericho course under canvas. The wind simply refused to blow with sufficient force to give the sailhoat division a break sailboat division a break.

The quail season was set to coincide with the deer season, but the hunting of Hungarian partridge was closed throughout the state, as recommended by the State Sports Council. The grouse season also was established.

as recommended by the State Sports Council. The grouse season also was established as the first two days of the deer season, where there is a deer season.

Special seasons on deer and clk are yet to be set.

The commission opened its most

matters.

The recommendations for the opening of the deer season were for a later date than that of last year—October 7. State Forestry, United States Forestry, logging companies and the Forest Fire Association asked for an opening to coincide with the general fire clocure October 15.

Paul Davies, speaking for the Central Washington Sports Council, asked for a season starting as late as possible in October and end.

Not discouraged, the sailboat sec-



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