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GRANTS PASS LOCAL TRIMS TEAM EASILY

Ashland Pitchers Fail to Get Usual Support in Ragged Contest

STILL OUT IN FRONT
Klamath Beats Medford and Locals Still at Top. Hard Game Ahead

LEAGUE STANDING

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Ashland	6	4	.600
Klamath Falls	5	5	.500
Medford	5	5	.500
Grants Pass	4	6	.400

Ashland's erstwhile puncture-proof infield blew up yesterday and Grants Pass won, 8 to 5, in a heart-breaking game at the Jackson Hot Springs park. Grants Pass held the upper hand from start to finish, with Michaels chuking a good brand of ball and tightening up like an automatic vice any time the going started getting rough.

Emory Davis started the hurling for Ashland and was pitching a good game in spite of his ragged support. Thinking that a change in pitchers might pep the team up, Captain Watts sent Sunny Mohler in to relieve Davis, but the change did no good. The infield simply had an off day and booted a lot which should have been easy outs.

Grants Pass gathered in three easy runs before Ashland got started, and when Ashland scored one, Grants Pass came right back and got a couple more.

The score
Ashland's big chance came in the eighth inning when a succession of hits and a wild heave by the Grants Pass second baseman tied the score at five all. For a time it appeared the game could go to extra innings, but Grants Pass came back in its half of the ninth and pounded out three more scores off Mohler, the runs coming from a couple of hard hits plus some more infield errors. Ashland tried hard in its final time at bat but the game ended with a runner on second base.

The locals still maintain their leadership in the league, as Klamath Falls was taking Medford into camp while Grants Pass was making it look bad for the locals.
Looking at the game from a philosophical standpoint, the defeat probably was the best thing

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STUDENT IS KILLED IN KLAMATH CRASH

Walter S. Green is Only Holiday Fatality in Oregon on Sunday

SAN FRANCISCO, July 26.—(UP)—Death in a tragic guise claimed comparatively few victims the past week-end, with 15 in California and one in Oregon. There were no tragic deaths in Washington. The Oregon fatality was the death of Walter S. Green, 22, student at the University of Southern California, who was killed in an auto crash at Klamath Falls.

THIS ISSUE

is distributed gratis to the guests of The Lithia Springs and Ashland Hotel and to the campers at Lithia Park and Jackson Hot Springs camp grounds—a total of approximately 200 copies each day—in order that Ashland's visitors may know something of our city.

- Ashland Natatorium
- The California Oregon Power Company
- Lithia Springs Hotel
- Hotel Ashland
- Lithia Park Board
- Jackson Hot Springs
- City of Ashland
- Talent Irrigation District

ASHLAND CITIZENS TO HONOR MAN WHO ASSISTED TAX BILL

W. H. Gore of Medford to be Honor Guest at Banquet Tuesday Night

Ashland residents will offer their tribute to the public spiritedness of William H. Gore at a complimentary banquet at the Lithia Springs hotel tomorrow night. It was Mr. Gore who played a prominent part in the passage of the Stanfield tax refund bill, through which Jackson county will profit to the extent of \$750,000.

Reservations for the banquet are now being made, and inasmuch as it will be limited to 100 persons, those desiring to attend the function are urged to make their reservations at the chamber of commerce offices at once.

O. F. Carson, president of the chamber of commerce will preside. The banquet will start at 7 o'clock.

OPERATOR OF MOVIE MACHINE IS BURNED

Tacoma Theater Employee Bravely Sticks to Post in Face of Danger

TACOMA, Wash., July 26.—Sticking to his post in the operating room of a local motion picture theatre last night, Orin M. Jacobson, was painfully burned while fighting flames which destroyed several thousand feet of film. The theatre was emptied before many realized that a fire had broken out. Outside of the projection room, the house was undamaged.

BIG NARCOTIC HAUL IS MADE IN SEATTLE

Federal Sleuths Take Opium Valued at \$30,000 From Japanese Boat

SEATTLE, Wn., July 26.—Opium valued at between \$20,000 and \$30,000 was seized by customs inspector late yesterday aboard the blue fullen steamer Taitbyhus, which docked from Yokohama. Three hundred twenty half-pound cans of the drug were confiscated.

COAST GUARDSMEN ARE FOUND GUILTY

Crew of Rum Chasers Held Following Marine Court Martial

SAN PEDRO, July 26.—(UP)—Court martial of members of the crew of the coast guard cutter 559, was concluded today without announcement of the findings. Boatswain John De Zeeuw and the other defendants were held at the end of the court martial, indicating the men had been found guilty.

The cutter was accused of capturing a rum runner while aiding in the search for Almea Semplo McPherson and later selling the liquor that was confiscated.

Town of Cushman Damaged by Fire

CUSHMAN, Ore., July 26.—(UP)—Damage of about \$60,000 was caused yesterday by a fire of undetermined origin which destroyed the general store, post office, warehouse and local cannery. The loss of the cannery is serious as it was taking care of the local fruit crop.

PLAN LIGHT PLANT
ABERDEEN, Wash., Aberdeen city officials are proceeding with preliminaries looking toward the construction of a new \$2,000,000 municipal hydroelectric plant, authorized by a city election.

WOMEN BADLY BEATEN UP IN STATE PRISON

Grand Jury Will Probe Conditions in Arkansas Penal Institution

CRUELTY IS REVEALED
Former Inmate Tells of Brutal Floggings Which Female "Cons" Got

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., July 26.—Conditions in the Arkansas state prison farm for women—where, according to an affidavit three women were shackled and flogged by a male guard—will be investigated by a grand jury, it was learned today.

The investigation of conditions on the farm was ordered by the grand jury shortly before Leona Bruos, who has just been paroled from the farm, filed an affidavit; telling of the alleged torture meted out to three women inmates of the farm.

Affidavit Signed
The affidavit charged that Winona Green, serving a life term for murder; Eunice Gregory, serving a term for grand larceny, and Ada Hay Smith, were shackled to a flogging post and given thirteen lashes as punishment for an attempt to escape.

"I heard the licks and heard the screams of the women," the affidavit states.
Threats Made
"It was common knowledge in the jail, but every one was told to remain quiet or be punished."

"I heard the guard say he was looking for the three women and that he would give them hell when he found them."
"The girls said he gave them thirteen lashes and beat them with a long leather strap until the blood came."

"After the girls were flogged, they were placed in a stockade and they are there now on a bread and water diet, and sometimes bread and milk diet."

COOS GIRLS ACCUSE MEN IN SACRAMENTO

Two Taxicab Drivers Held in Jail on Charges of Alleged Assault

SACRAMENTO, Calif., July 26.—Charged with attacks on Alice Boerman, alias Moore, 16, and her half-sister, Rose Hilbert, 20, of Marshfield, Ore., Arthur Hancock and Andrew Ferrola, Sacramento taxicab drivers, were held in the city jail here Wednesday.

The girls also were detained, pending disposition of the case. Charges were preferred by the girls following their arrest on the streets here by police officers on the lookout for two other young women reported missing in Oregon.

Autoists Refuse To Heed Siren of Local Fire Truck

Two local motorists are scheduled to appear in police court either tonight or tomorrow on charges of failing to give the right of way to fire apparatus. Charges were to be filed this afternoon because two motor vehicles refused to get out of the way of the fire truck yesterday while it was responding to a call. An auto caught fire in front of the East Side Pharmacy but it was extinguished without much damage.

A brush fire late in the afternoon burned to the edge of the Thornton Wiley orchard before it was put out. About 20 ricks of wood were destroyed.

Weak From Hunger, Mrs. Scott Vows She'll Stick



With Russell Scott, her husband, sentenced to hang in Chicago on Oct. 15 for murdering a drug store clerk, Mrs. Catherine Scott is starving herself in a glass cage on the stage of a Detroit theater to raise money for his defense. She stays in bed with a nurse constantly in attendance, as the photo shows, and, although she admitted she was weakened after the first few days, she vows she will stick to the fast.

LAST OF LINCOLNS PASSES IN VERMONT

Surviving Son of Martyred President Dies Today at Family Home

MANCHESTER, Vt., July 26.—(UP)—Robert Todd Lincoln, the last surviving son of Abraham Lincoln, was found dead at his summer home here today. The body was found at his summer home here today. The body was found when servants went to awaken him. He had been dead about four hours.

Lincoln would have been 83 years old on August 1. He was the eldest son of the martyred president and the last descendant to bear the family name. A widow and two daughters survive him. He had not complained of feeling ill and had taken his usual automobile ride yesterday, retiring at the usual hour.

RELIGIOUS WAR IN MEXICO IS BETTER

Both Church and State Strive for Gain in Anti-Catholic Fight

MEXICO CITY, July 26.—(UP)—Mexico is in a turmoil as, with less than a week remaining before the new anti-Catholic laws go into effect, both church and state are making drives in an effort to retain their respective powers. It is understood that beginning next Sunday Catholic priests will assume the status of private individuals and church properties are expected to go into the hands of prominent Catholics.

Peppy Assembly Given At Normal

The Western Oregon club of the Southern Oregon state normal school staged a peppy and interesting assembly this morning, with a series of stunts and music which kept the students interested throughout the assembly period. The committee in charge of the assembly was headed by Miss Myrtle Chamberlain, a teacher in the Glencoe school at Portland. About 30 young women took part in the pantomime, with Miss August Parker of Klamath Falls assisting at the piano. Students from practically all the counties of Western Oregon participated. Mrs. Cora Burns of Portland presided.

VISIT LITHIA PARK

While you are a guest in our city, be certain to visit Lithia Park, a playground of many acres, with the main entrance at the Plaza, where Nature's deepest beauties are found along the walks that lead you through the forest bordering on Ashland creek.

Gus Moser Today Becomes Governor For Brief Tenure

SALEM, Ore., July 26.—(UP)—State Senator Gus Moser of Portland, today was holding down a job which the voters of Oregon a few years ago refused him. He is serving as acting governor of the state, by reason of the presence in Cheyenne, Wyo., this week of Governor Pierce. As president of the senate, Mr. Moser serves as acting governor of Oregon until Governor Pierce returns to the state.

A few years ago the duties of governor devolved upon the secretary of state during the absence of the governor, but this law was changed in 1921 and Senator Moser is for the time being Oregon's chief executive officer. He will be here for a few days this week to sign routine papers but is not expected he will function in any other capacity.

Drunken Driver Knew Where He Was Headed For

BELLINGHAM, Wash., July 26.—Driving his automobile down the street here yesterday, E. D. Minster was so drunk, police said, that he didn't know where he was.

As proof of the assertion they cited that he butted his car into the curb at the very front of the police station.
Yes, Ed's still in jail.

Band Practice to Be Held Tonight

The Ashland municipal band will hold its regular practice at the city hall tonight, starting at 8 o'clock, according to announcement by Carl Loveland, director. The band is now mapping out its program for the Lithia Park concert Thursday evening.

Woman Hangs Self At Friend's Home

SEATTLE, July 26.—Using a silk stocking as a noose, Mrs. Eva Shimpf, 52, from Helena, Mont., hanged herself here today.
Her act was attributed to a nervous breakdown.
Mrs. Shimpf, wife of Fred Shimpf, contractor, came here with her daughter and Mrs. Augusta Bell, a family friend, two weeks ago.

Former Resident Is Buried Here

Funeral services were held this afternoon at H. C. Stocks Undertaking Parlor for John A. Stanley, 67, who died in Oakland July 24. Interment was in the Hargadine cemetery. The body arrived in Ashland on train No. 12 this morning. Mr. Stanley was a resident of Ashland several years ago.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT AT LITHIA PARK TO DRAW MANY PLAYERS

Drawings Made Today for Southern Oregon Tourney Starting Tuesday

Tennis players from all parts of Southern Oregon will be here tomorrow for the annual Lithia Park championship tourney which will get under way on the park courts at 10 o'clock. Drawings for the first round of matches were completed this morning. The tournament will continue for three days, and the winners in the various divisions will play the winners of the recent Medford tournament for the Southern Oregon championship.

The tournament is being held under the auspices of the Ashland chamber of commerce. Following are the drawings as announced today:

Open Singles
Allen vs. Baggs, Doremus vs. Fish, Devoe vs. D. Goy, Beeson vs. Mahan, Abbott vs. Dr. Ogle, De Geneault vs. Hulan.
Gregg vs. Penney, Ramsey vs. Purdin, B. Joy vs. Ketch, Bailey vs. Franklin.

Open Doubles
Bailey and Boggs vs. Gregg and Allen; Beeson and Fish vs. Doremus and Mahan; Penney and Devoe vs. Joy and Goy; Bryant and Ramsey vs. Ogle and De Geneault.
Senior Singles
Ketch vs. Franklin, Devoe vs. Ramsey, Bailey vs. D. Joy, Purdin vs. B. Joy.
Senior Doubles
Bailey and Purdin vs. Joy and Goy.
Junior Singles
W. Purdin vs. D. Joy, R. Beeson vs. H. Fitch, L. Winetrouit vs. B. Joy.
Junior Doubles
Purdin and Joy vs. Fitch and Beeson.

RUSSELL SCOTT MAY YET ESCAPE NOOSE

Confession of Brother That He Was Actual Slayer Seen as Hope

CHICAGO, Ill., July 26.—(UP)—New plans were under way here today to save the neck of Russell Scott, under sentence of death for the murder of Joseph Maurer, a drug store clerk, in an attempted holdup two years ago. Attorneys for the condemned man saw a ray of hope in the confession of Robert Scott, Russell's brother, that it was he instead of Russell who fired the shot which killed the drug clerk. Robert Scott is now serving life imprisonment for the murder.

"MA" FERGUSON IS DEFEATED IN TEXAS

Dan Moody Wins Democratic Nomination by Wide Margin

DALLAS, Tex., July 26.—(UP) Feminine control of Texas apparently ended Saturday with the returns of the democratic primary which showed that Dan Moody, young attorney general, had defeated Governor Miriam A. Ferguson for the democratic gubernatorial nomination by a wide margin. The returns this morning give Moody a majority of all votes cast, so if he holds this majority there will be no question of a run-off primary. Under the Texas law a candidate must get a majority of all votes to win a nomination.

Visit to Ashland Greatly Enjoyed

Mrs. Elizabeth Ogilvie, formerly Elizabeth Hargadine, is returning to Portland today after a visit with friends here for the past two weeks. It was her first visit to Ashland in 21 years. Her father, R. B. Hargadine at one time owned practically all the business district of Ashland. He had the first store building here located on the Applegate farm. He also had one of the first stores at Yreka. Mrs. Ogilvie said she enjoyed her visit to Ashland hugely as it gave her opportunity to renew many of her early friendships.

Mad Dog Bites Youthful Prince

SINIA, Roumania, July 26.—Crown Prince Michael of Roumania, five-year-old son of Prince Carol and Princess Helen was bitten by a mad dog today and has been rushed away from here to Bucharest for Pasteur treatment.

LOCAL YOUTH INJURED WHEN AUTO CRASHES

Harold Kincaid Aged 17, Suffers Fractured Skull in Motor Accident

Light Touring Car Crowded Off Pavement Late Saturday Night

Harold Kincaid, 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Kincaid of this city, is hovering between life and death at the Sacred Heart hospital in Medford as the result of injuries sustained last Saturday night when a Ford touring which he was driving left the highway and crashed into a telephone pole near the Neil Creek road south of the city.

The boy was thrown through the door of the car and struck a telephone pole. His head was badly fractured. Attending surgeons hold out but slight hope for his recovery.

Although the police have not yet been officially notified of the accident, it was reported that three cars attempted to pass on the highway and the Kincaid car was crowded off the pavement and went into the ditch. The injured youth was rushed to the hospital at Medford in an ambulance which arrived shortly after the crash.

OFFICERS WILL SEEK CLUES IN PORTLAND

Gaines Murder Probe Extends to Oregon, Prosecutor Admits

SEATTLE, Wash., July 26.—Following new clues in the state's case against Wallace C. (Bob) Gaines, accused of the murder of his daughter, Sylvia, 22, Prosecutor Ewing D. Colvin and Luke S. May, his investigator, prepared today to make a hurried trip to Portland, Ore.

Colvin was expected to arrive here this afternoon from Everett where he has been attending the prosecutors' convention. He was to meet May here and the two were to leave this afternoon for the Oregon city.

While admitting that while the clues which they have been running down led to Portland, and that important evidence may develop there officials refused to discuss what phase of the case was involved.

People of France Criticize Mellon

PARIS, July 26.—Scarcely had Andrew W. Mellon, American secretary of the treasury, stepped on European soil, before the boulevard demonstrators of Paris raised the cry, "Down with Mellon." "Down with Mellon — Down with Borah — Down with Debits!" cried the thousands as the French gave a demonstration surpassed only by that of the Herriot cabinet fall.

SWIMMING

Two sanitary and delightful plunges are available to tourists and others who visit Ashland during vacation days. The Ashland Natatorium, just two blocks below the new Lithia Springs Hotel has two large plunges always available. At Jackson Hot Springs is a large open air plunge with bubbling mineral water.

Get the habit of a daily swim in either of these plunges. It will keep you fit during these summer days.