

Craters to Invade Crescent City Diamond Sunday

LEAGUE LEADERS MEET CELLARITES IN SECOND WEEK

Ashland Goes to Roseburg — Grants Pass to Glendale—Balkovick Looking Over Hurling Candidates

Southern Oregon League		
Team	W.	L.
Roseburg	10	1,000
Crescent City	10	1,000
Grants Pass	10	1,000
Medford	0	1,000
Glendale	0	1,000
Ashland	0	1,000

Games Next Sunday

Medford at Crescent City.
Ashland at Roseburg.
Grants Pass at Glendale.

Southern Oregon league ball clubs begin their second week of play Sunday, with the three leaders, winners of opening battles last Sunday, tangling with the cellar trio.

Roseburg's surprising Pirates, who took a 10-inning thriller from the Glendale Loggers, entertain the Ashland Lithians on Finlay field. Batteries will probably consist of George Barr on the mound and Cliff back of the plate for Manager Chuck Taylor's Pirates and Lowell Brown or Wayne Combest in the box for Ashland and Al Simpson wearing the big mitt.

At Crescent City, Ralph Deo will attempt to repeat his six-hit pitching performance at the expense of Manager Mike Balkovick's Medford team, while the latter will start either Ray Erickson, Ray Tunga or Larry Pepper in the box. Henry Malinverno will catch for the California outfit while Manager Balkovick will do the Medford receiving.

An intense rivalry will be resumed at Glendale, when Manager Judd Fernoll sends the Loggers to meet the Pirates against the Loggers of Jake Gipe. Last year a near riot ensued at a Merchant-Logger battle over a foul ball decision, threatening for a time to disrupt the entire league. Neither team has any love for the other, and one of the most bitter games of the year seems in store.

Batteries for Grants Pass will be Phil Griggs to Alvin Hartman, and for Glendale, Hugh Merritt to Frank Thompson.

Games last Sunday uncovered many weaknesses and strengths in the six clubs. Ashland booted the ball nine times in losing to Crescent City, 2-9, and is spending an intensive practice-week on defense. Roseburg displayed a powerful hitting team by hammering over six runs in the tenth frame to break a 9-0 deadlock. Grants Pass, in shutting out Medford, 9-0, served notice that it is rebounding from the baseball doldrums of the past two years, and that young Phil Griggs, the COC hurler, must be ranked as one of the finest in the league.

Some fine batting exhibitions were turned in by individual performers. Roseburg's Baker, right fielder, topped them all with four hits in six trips including a home run and four tallies batted across. Thompson, Glendale catcher, also hit for the circuit and Al Silva, Crescent City left fielder, collected four blows in six chances.

Official league batting averages

HOW THEY STAND

(By the Associated Press)

Coast		
Team	W.	L.
Sacramento	21	11
San Diego	20	13
San Francisco	18	18
Los Angeles	17	14
Seattle	16	15
Portland	12	19
Oakland	12	19
Mission	10	22

National		
Team	W.	L.
Pittsburgh	9	2
St. Louis	8	4
New York	7	5
Boston	7	5
Chicago	6	6
Philadelphia	4	7
Brooklyn	4	9
Cincinnati	2	9

American		
Team	W.	L.
New York	8	3
Detroit	7	4
Boston	6	3
Philadelphia	5	4
Cleveland	4	5
Washington	3	7
St. Louis	3	6
Chicago	3	7

will be released following Sunday's games, and each week thereafter. There will be no first-game averages announced.

Eugene "Alleyette" Leads Tournament

YANCOUVER, B. C., May 6.—(AP)—Daisy Stalizer of Eugene, Ore., last night went into first place in the class "A" singles of the women's northwest international bowling congress with an aggregate of 864 which also included the high single game in the tournament, of 232.

Paired with I. Sharman, the couple rolled 836 in the class "A" doubles event. They were the only two United States' entrants bowling last night.

LOUIS NOVA FLATTENS THEODORATUS IN 8TH

OAKLAND, Cal., May 6.—(AP)—Louis Nova of Oakland, former national amateur heavyweight champion, chalked up another knockout victory today in his short career in the professional ranks. He knocked out big George Theodoratos in the eighth round of a ten-round match here last night.

Theodoratos of San Francisco, a one-time football star at Washington state college, who also recently turned pro, was floored for nine-counts in the seventh and eighth rounds before a right to the jaw ended hostilities.

Nova weighed 198½ and Theodoratos 218.

RUFFING ENDS HOLDOUT WITHOUT GAINING AIMS

DETROIT, May 6.—(AP)—Charley (Red) Ruffing, holdout pitcher of the New York Yankees, put on a uniform again today after reaching an agreement in a 1937 contract in which his baseball club made no concessions. Ruffing said he would sign a formal contract as soon as Baseball Commissioner K. M. Landis lifts his suspension.

HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC SECRETARY APPOINTED

BAKER, May 6.—(AP)—The Oregon High School Athletic association will have its first full-time secretary June 1, when Troy D. Walker, principal of Baker high school, opens headquarters in Portland, June 1.

His appointment by the Oregon state athletic board to succeed John L. Gary, resigned, was announced Wednesday.

Lester D. Harris, principal of the junior high school here, will succeed Walker as head of Baker high school.

SCHAEFER TRIMS HOPPE IN PORTLAND EXHIBITION

PORTLAND, May 6.—(AP)—Jake Schaefer, 28-2 balking billiard champion, defeated Willie Hoppe here, winning three out of four matches Wednesday.

In the afternoon Schaefer took the 28-2 balking match, 125 to 92, losing to Hoppe in the three-cushion event, 25 to 20. Schaefer made a clean sweep of the night matches, winning the first 125 to 51 and the three-cushion 25 to 22.

Closing time for Too Late to Clammy Ads is 1:30 p. m.

CRATERS DEFEAT CAMP WIMER IN EXHIBITION TILT

So far as a harrassed scorekeeper could figure out after six innings of crazy baseball, Medford's Craters defeated COC Camp Wimer yesterday afternoon at the fairgrounds field, 25-4, in an exhibition game.

Ray Erickson and Larry Pepper divided the Crater mound duties; Erickson working the first four innings and allowing only two hits and whiffing eight. Pepper, in his two innings on the rubber, gave up a pair of hits.

Phil Griggs, who shut out Medford in the Southern Oregon league opener at Grants Pass last Sunday, pitched the final frame for Wimer, and was nicked for baseballs by George Gitsen, Donovan and Wally Rickett. Previous to Griggs' appearance, two COC hurlers utterly failed to stem the Medford onslaught.

Manager Mike Balkovick of the locals used his entire squad in the practice affair. Three members of Coach Linn Mills' Talent high country class B champions played for the Craters and gave good accounts of themselves.

MISSIONS BREAK RUN OF DEFEATS

(By the Associated Press)

A triple play, good pitching and perfect fielding won a baseball game for the Mission Reds, their first victory in eight starts.

The Reds, most consistent losers in the Pacific Coast league baseball race, defeated the Los Angeles Angels, 5 to 3, yesterday. They gave their right-handed pitcher, Lee Roy Hornum, errorless assistance while he limited the Angels to eight scattered hits.

Max West of the Reds and Bobby Mattick of the Angels hit homers.

Seattle nosed out Portland in a 12-inning game last night, 7 to 6, and San Diego easily defeated San Francisco, 7 to 2. The Sacramento-Oakland game was postponed because of a charity boxing program at Oakland. The teams will play a double-header Friday night.

ARM INJURY CLOUDS FUTURE OF FELLER

CLEVELAND, May 6.—(AP)—The immediate pitching future of Bob Feller, on the shelf for nearly two weeks with a muscular injury to his "million dollar" right arm, was in doubt today.

Manager Steve O'Neill of the Cleveland Indians said he didn't know when the Iowa schoolboy would make his second appearance of the season because the arm ailment had proved more serious than originally expected.

O'Neill said the club's plans to start Feller this week-end were shattered by the young strikeout sensation's report that his arm still hurt in batting practice Tuesday.

Scores Yesterday

(By the Associated Press)

Coast		
Team	R.	H.
Seattle	7	11
Portland	6	8
Turpin, Horne and Fernandez; Carson and Cronin; Wilson.		

National		
Team	R.	H.
San Diego	7	15
San Francisco	2	7
Ward and DeTore; Flowers and Woodall.		

American		
Team	R.	H.
Mission	5	12
Los Angeles	3	8
Hermann and Sprinz; Lieber and Collins.		

Sacramento-Oakland postponed account charity boxing matches.

National		
Team	R.	H.
St. Louis, 13; Boston, 1.		
New York, 7; Detroit, 3.		
Chicago, 17; Philadelphia, 4.		
Cincinnati, 8; New York, 5.		

American		
Team	R.	H.
Philadelphia, 7; Chicago, 6.		
New York, 7; Detroit, 3.		
Boston-St. Louis, rain.		
Washington-Cleveland, rain.		

MEDFORD FISHERMEN ENTER MARSHFIELD'S STRIPED BASS DERBY

Entry blanks were made available today at the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce for the first annual striped bass derby to be held on Sunday, May 23 in the Isthmus inlet under sponsorship of the Marshfield Elks lodge.

First Medford team to enter is composed of Frank Peri, Kenneth Anthony and Frank DeSouza and from the first letters of the names they derived the name of their aggregation, the "Pads."

The derby will be held from 2 to 4:30 p. m., the winner to be the team hauling in the most pounds of striped bass in the allotted time. Entries will consist of a boat with three fishermen, men, men, women or both.

A variety of prizes, donated by Marshfield merchants, will be awarded. There will be a queen coronation ceremony, a band concert and other features to entertain spectators. Parking space has been provided for 300 cars.

The contest is fashioned very largely after Medford's first annual catfish derby and the local association will furnish the crown for the queen.

It is expected that the Elks lodge in Medford, Ashland and Grants Pass will help to promote the bass derby and that anglers and spectators from these cities will attend the Marshfield contest.

J. W. Flanagan, Marshfield postmaster, is general chairman.

Girls Challenge Dads To Match

Girls of the senior high school physical education classes have challenged high school dads to a volleyball match of three games, to be played during the all-school fair tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the girls' gymnasium.

Ray Henderson has been appointed captain of the dad's team and all men accepting the challenge are requested to call him at 770 or 784-L. Miss Carin Degermark is coaching the girls' team which has been practicing for five weeks and expects to administer a sound trouncing to their opponents.

BOWERMAN PICKS TRACKSTERS FOR MEET IN K. FALLS

Coach Bill Bowerman of the Medford high Tigers announced today his track and field squad that will compete in the fifth annual southern Oregon-northern California meet, on Modoc field in Klamath Falls next Saturday afternoon.

Sponsored by the Klamath Falls 20-30 club, a total of nearly 20 teams will enter, according to reports from the Pelican city. Over 50 invitations were mailed out.

Figured to offer the greatest threat to the five-year domination of the Pelican team are Medford, Bend and Corvallis. To date, entries received include, Medford, Corvallis, Grants Pass, Bend, Alturas, Lakeview, Klamath Falls and Wreka in the class A group; and Chillicothe, Fort Klamath, Bonanza, Keno, Dorris, Henley, Malin, Merrill and Tulelake, in the class B bracket.

Coach Bowerman said this morning that, according to his form sheet, Medford was good for 30 points, with 40 needed to win the meet. However, his compilations were based on the minimum expectancy of his team and he stated that if several of the Tiger performers turned in better-than-expected times, Medford stood a good chance of winning.

Bobby Ettinger and Crosby will be entered in the century, and Tyler and Crosby in the 220-yard dash, he said. In the 440, Abbott and Linnell will carry the Medford banner; in the half-mile, Werner and Jones will perform; in the mile will be Barker and Reich; and in the hurdles, Bowerman and Luther will take care of the high and Bowman and Hill the low.

Howard will be the only Medford entry in the discus, javelin and shot-put. Ettinger will compete in the broad jump; Horner in the high jump; and Hill in the pole vault. The relay team will be composed of four of the following six sprinters: Ettinger, Crosby, Hill, Bowman, Linnell and Childers.

Because of the great number of athletes competing, only two entrants in each event will be allowed. The Medford squad will leave here Saturday morning and return that night.

32 SALMON LANDED AT HILTON'S PLACE

GRANTS PASS, May 6.—(AP)—Yesterday's banner salmon fishing day on the Rogue saw five Klamath Falls anglers succeed as well or better than local residents. Mrs. Charles Rose, John Stewart, and Art Pease each took the legal limit of three chinooks. Charles Rose and Cliff Hogue were content with two each.

Thirty-two fish were taken at Hilton's hazyed alone, and the annual influx of out-of-state anglers was well under way.

BELCASTRO AND BRITT MEET IN MAIN MATCH ON MONDAY PROGRAM

Pete Belcastro and Alvin Britt will meet in the main event of Promoter Mack Lillard's weekly grappling card at the Medford Armory next Monday night, it was announced today. The two tangled two weeks ago, with Britt winning by virtue of his painful arm-breaker, barred early this week by the Medford boxing commission.

In the middle event, Toots Estes and Cowboy Billy McEwen will face each other in what should be one of the fastest and cleanest affairs ever staged here. Both are superb grapplers, and Promoter Lillard, in announcing the card, said he considered the bout a "natural."

Salior Dick Trout, a clean-wrestling newcomer from San Pedro, Calif., will tangle with an old favorite in George Lagoski, the raging Russian Lion. Lagoski has been appearing in and around Spokane, Wn., since leaving southern Oregon several weeks ago, and will be welcomed back with open arms by fans who consider him one of the best showmen in the game.

OREGON DEFEATED, 6-5, BY COUGARS

EUGENE, May 6.—(AP)—Oregon university will seek revenge today on the Cougars of Washington State college, who scored a 6 to 5 victory over the Webfoots yesterday and slipped into first place in northern division baseball conference standings.

It was a hard-fought, even-even game throughout, with Bill Sayles of Oregon and Mel Marlowe, Cougar southpaw, both faltering after five innings of shut-out pitching.

Score: R. H. E.
W. S. C. 6 9 3
Oregon 5 12 3
Marlowe, Selkoe and Eastman; Sayles and McLean.

Shadow Disclosed As Columbia Grad

PORTLAND, May 6.—(AP)—The Red Shadow disappeared from the wrestling horizon last night when the 235 pound grappler doffed his mask during a bout with Vincent Lopez of Los Angeles and was introduced as James Casey Morrissy, law graduate of Columbia university, New York.

The two went to a draw in 43 minutes, winding up a two-hour match interrupted a week before when both men were disqualified.

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BEARCATS SMOTHER ALBANY COLLEGIANS

ALBANY, May 6.—(AP)—Scoring almost at will, the Willamette university Bearcats swamped Albany college in a baseball double-header here, by scores of 21 to 10 and 20 to 0.

Bill Anton held the Buce to two hits in the five-inning nightcap.

DOG RACING TO START LATTER PART OF MAY

PORTLAND, May 6.—(AP)—Murray Kemp, manager of the Multnomah Kennel club, said last night grayhound racing here would open between May 24 and May 31, with exact dates to be announced in a few days. The Oregon state racing commission granted the club a 60 day permit.

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