

The Sporting Page

KLAMATH TOSSERS ENGAGE CRATERS WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Feeling frisky and confident as a result of their sparkling 2 to 1 conquest of Silverton in a State league thriller Sunday, the Medford Craters move into action again Wednesday night against the powerful Klamath-Dorris Lumberjacks in an exhibition tussle under the fair-grounds field lights. The clash will start at 8:30.

Manager Paul Hoffard plans to send Southpaw Jimmy Rego against the invaders, with Tommy Hawkins doing the receiving. Rego, tossed out of Saturday night's Silverton fracas because he protested balls and strikes decisions too vigorously, got in only one and a fraction innings of work over the weekend, and he is fresh and raring to go.

Manager Red Tolbert of the Northern California league club which is composed of last year's members of the pennant-winning Klamath Falls Red Sox and players from last season's Southern Oregon loop Dorris, (Cal.) team, will call upon either Clyde (Curve Ball) Carlstrom or Left-Hander Lowell Brown to do the flinging. Brown is well known here, having hurled for the Craters two years ago. He beat Dunsuir a couple of weeks ago, pitching seven straight scoreless innings.

It will be another busy week for the Craters, for in addition to tomorrow night's game the locals will entertain Hills Creek in a two-game State league series Saturday night and Sunday afternoon. Manager Hoffard, tickled pink by Steve Crippen's great pitching in that 2 to 1 Silverton tilt, is toying with the idea of starting the red-haired right-hander in the Saturday eve game against Hills Creek and following up with Rego Sunday.

The Craters picked up a new shortstop in Silverton Sunday. He is Ted Kerr of San Diego, Cal., who has been with the Salem Senators of the Western International league all spring and during the first three weeks of the regular season. Kerr was Salem's third-string catcher, but was released when Manager Biddy Bishop had to trim his roster to meet league player-limits.

Kerr played shortstop for the Craters in their 2 to 1 victory and twice saved the day with sensational fielding plays on line drives through the box. He will arrive in town for the Hills Creek series and remain here for the remainder of the season, Manager Hoffard said. With Kerr on hand, Rocky Peterson will be shifted permanently to the outfield, his natural position.

The Craters will drill every afternoon this week, with the exception of tomorrow night, at 6 p.m. at the fair-grounds field.

ASK FEDERAL AID FOR COLUMBIA EXPOSITION

Washington, May 21.—(P)—Senator Bone (D-Wash.) introduced yesterday a measure (S-4003) authorizing appropriation of \$100,000 for partial costs of the Columbia River International Exposition to be held in 1942 in Washington and Oregon.

The exposition is to celebrate the 150th anniversary of the discovery of the river and the completion of the Bonneville and Grand Coulee hydroelectric developments.

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

HOW THEY STAND

National League		
	W.	L.
Cincinnati	18	7
Brooklyn	16	8
Chicago	16	12
New York	14	11
Philadelphia	11	12
St. Louis	10	17
Pittsburgh	8	17

American League		
	W.	L.
Boston	18	7
Cleveland	17	9
Detroit	14	11
Philadelphia	12	14
Washington	12	15
St. Louis	10	14
Chicago	10	18
New York	9	16

Coast League unchanged.

RECORD CROWD ON HAND FOR SUNDAY GUN CLUB EVENTS

A record crowd for the season turned out at the Medford gun club Sunday morning to enjoy a long program of events and watch Frank Troeh, world's champion trapshooter in action. Throughout the past week Troeh has conducted a trapshooting school at the local club grounds, instructing both old and new shooters in the most efficient method of breaking the elusive clay target. The school, an innovation in Oregon, met with complete success, the instructor having every hour of the week taken by special appointment. Gun club officials said that Troeh might return to Medford for other classes at some later date this year.

Scores on a number of events shot Sunday follows:

Janitor	18 yds.	Hdp.
Janitor	30450	23-25
Croissant	30450	46-50
Troeh	49250	
Turpin	49250	
Eads	49250-23-25	
Pease	49250	
Lampert	49250	
Lemery	48250-41x50	
Thayer	48250	
Mendenhall	48250-25x50	
Porter	47250	
Bull	46250	
Daniel	46250-22x25	
Hough	44250	
Bowser	43250-23x25	
Bauser, Jr.	39250	
Campbell	24x25	
Young	24x25	
Janitor, L.	20x25	
Janitor, Mrs.	20x25	
Knight	20x25	
Welch	20x25-20x25	

PLAN NATIONAL GUARD FOR ALASKA DEFENSE

Washington, May 21.—(P)—Enlistment of a national guard in Alaska is planned by the army as part of the new defense program for that area.

General George C. Marshall, chief of staff, told senators about this last week when he won a \$12,000,000 appropriation for defenses in that area. The testimony has just been made public.

Weather
Northern California: Generally fair tonight and Wednesday, but overcast near coast; slightly cooler in San Joaquin and upper Sacramento valleys; Wednesday, gentle variable wind off coast.

Tugboat Salvaged
Portland, Ore., May 21.—(P)—A river salvage crew raised the tug Robert Gray from the Columbia river near Bonneville dam yesterday and towed it to a repair yard here. The tug sank April 20 in 30 feet of swift water.

CCC MAKES NEW SAFETY RECORD IN PAST MONTH

District Has Average of Only 3.3 Accidents Per 1,000 Men—Former Mark 4.8

Best safety record in its history was registered by the Medford district civilian conservation corps last month, headquarters here announced today. Recorded accidents last month affected on the average only 3.3 men per thousand. The best previous record, established in March, 1939, was 4.8. The record is compiled on the basis of lost-time accidents, or accidents which necessitate medical attention beyond the day on which the accident occurred. It was explained.

21 Camps Accident Free

Twenty-one of the 32 camps in the Medford CCC district had no accidents at all last month, the record showed. Seven camps reported one accident each, three reported two accidents each and one reported three accidents, a total of 16 accidents in 11 camps. In each accident only one person was injured. There are about 5800 men in the district. Motor vehicle as well as all other types of accidents are included in the record.

"When you consider the number of men involved, the inexperience of most of them with tools and the necessity of teaching them fundamental safety methods, the April record is rather remarkable," said a district headquarters executive.

Lecture Given

Safety meetings of all camp personnel are held twice a month in each camp. At each meeting a designated speaker lectures on safety precautions and analyzes any lost-time accident that has occurred. Circumstances leading up to the accident and what preventive steps might have been taken are discussed.

The CCC has a textbook of strict rules and regulations regarding safety, all designed to inspire and help carry forward the humanitarian and economic movement of accident prevention, the headquarters spokesman said.

Scores Yesterday

National League
Boston 13, Cincinnati 4.
New York 6, St. Louis 0.
Philadelphia 8, Pittsburgh 7.
Chicago 8, Brooklyn 4.

American League
Detroit 10, Boston 7.
Cleveland 10, New York 2.
Chicago 5, Washington 4.
Philadelphia 8, St. Louis 4.

Pacific Coast League
All teams idle.

Fights Last Night

By the Associated Press
Salt Lake City—Tiger Jack Fox, 182, Spokane, Wash., outpointed Al Delaney, 187, Detroit (10).

Baltimore — Harry Jeffra, 123½, Baltimore, former bantamweight champion, outpointed Joey Archibald, 122, Providence, R. I. (15).

San Francisco—Richie Lemos, 128, Los Angeles, outpointed Cristobal Jaramello, 122, Puerto Rico (10).

A brown trout caught in the Logan river in Utah in 1939 weighed 36¾ pounds.

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Billy Hulen Says:
Bread-Eaters to Have Strong Club in Softball Loop

With the softball season drawing near, enthusiasm is gradually working up to red hot pitch, and one of the teams the boys are talking about is Fluhner's Bread-Eaters. . . managed by Jack Long, the Bread-Eaters will be composed of several of last year's Teamster players with the addition of other local stars. . .

The club will be decked in new, improved softball uniforms consisting of caps, jerseys, knickers, sox and warmup jackets in a red, white and blue color effect. . . incidentally, this year's Teamster outfit, according to Long, will compete in the class B league, while the Bread-Eaters will be entered in the class A circuit. . .

Tentative plans are being made by the Rogue Valley Golf club to stage an open tournament here in June. . . the plan is to invite several of the top-ranking Portland pros here for the one-day medal affair and provide a generous purse for the victorious professional. . . the tourney would also be open to local shotmakers, both pro and amateur, with prizes furnishing the attraction to the play-for-fun boys. . .

Poor Curt Davis just can't seem to get started this season after winning 20 games for St. Louis last year. . . he has been socked hard almost every time he toed the slab, the most recent shelling being suffered yesterday when the Giants drove him to the showers after scoring five runs in the first three innings. . . unless Davis starts to win soon the Cards might as well forget their pennant aspirations. . .

Al Wray, Crater centerfielder, didn't leave Medford until 3:30 Saturday afternoon, yet he arrived in Silverton in time to play part of the game against the Red Sox. . . Wray couldn't get off work to make the trip with the team in the morning, so he arranged for a friend to rush him to the northern town as soon as he was free from his job. . . Al no more than arrived in Silverton and changed into his uniform than Manager Hoffard sent him in to pinch hit in the fifth inning with the bases loaded. . . Wray lofted a fly to center in this spot, but he made up for it Sunday by tripling in the fifth inning and scoring the winning run on Riney Cook's single. . .

Eastern experts claim the Cincinnati Reds will win the National league flag by 10 games. . . big surprise of the race thus far is the fine showing of the hitherto Futile Phillies, occupants of the cellar for so long that fans began to wonder if they had a mortgage on it. . . right now the Phillies are in fifth place and are causing trouble to all the allegedly better clubs. . .

Eastbank, (W. Va.) high school baseball nine has knocked off 37 opponents in a row and they can't remember when they dropped their last one. . . when Gold Hill nipped the Medford Rogues Sunday, 7 to 5, it was the first Southern Oregon league game they had won in 16 starts. . . 14 of those defeats

HEADLOCKS BRING PRINCE MEHALIKIS WIN OVER PILUSO

Using a series of devastating headlocks that, to many fans in the audience resembled choke holds, Prince Selaki Mehalikis took the third and deciding tumble from Portland's Ernie Piluso to win their gruelling main event grappling match in the armory last night.

The falls stood one apiece when Mehalikis started his series of bone-crushing headlocks and although his arm appeared to be in direct contact with Piluso's wind-pipe now and then nobody did anything about it. After four and a half minutes of receiving for the painful hold, Ernie was pinned with a body press.

The Prince won the first fall in nine minutes of great scientific wrestling. After the advantage changed hands with lightning-like rapidity, Mehalikis whipped on a Boston Crab and Piluso patted the mat to save himself further punishment.

Four minutes after Piluso had the equalizing tumble, by virtue of several smashing Sonnenberg's off the ropes, a flying tackle and a body press. During this heat the boys took turns sonnenberging each other to the mat, but Ernie's had just a little more oomph.

The Black Panther, aggressive colored boy, withstood Bulldog Jackson's most terrific hammerlocks to trounce the Portland toughie in the middle event, two falls to one.

The Panther brought into play his potent headlock in the second round to grab the first fall, but Jackson came back in the fourth to get his lone tumble by use of an excruciating hammerlock, which he made more effective by breaking the Panther's arm over the ropes and committing other illegal maneuvers.

In the fifth heat Jackson slammed the darkie outside the ring and kept booting him in the stomach whenever he attempted to return. Finally, the Negro flash employed a sling-shot back through the hemp that dropped Jackson dead in his tracks. Panther pinned Bulldog with a body press for the match.

Frankie Clemens used his Indian paralyzer in the fourth round to win the third and telling fall from Villainous Al Ferona in the opener. Clemens also won the first fall in the second round with a press, while Ferona employed a leg-breaker in the third to even the match.

came in 1939, when the Beavers failed to score a single victory, and two were at the start of this campaign.

George M. Varnell of the Seattle Times has figured out that it has cost Phil K. Wrigley of the Chicago Cubs a mere \$13,214.44 for every game Dizzy Dean has won since he was purchased from St. Louis for \$185,000 cash. . . Diz has chalked up 14 victories in over two year's action with the Cubs. . .

ROY PRUITT WINS MAJOR HONORS IN BOWLING TOURNEY

The southern Oregon handicap bowling tournament which ended Sunday evening at the local alleys found scores running much higher than last year. Roy Pruitt with an all events score of 2037 carried off major honors, and Tolly's Gilmore Service proved to be the class of the by taking first place with 3035 pins. Other team scores in the money were Pruitt's Hot Shots 3015, El Sooners 3012, Lewis Super 3007, Long's Screw Balls, 2998, El Premio, 2986.

Long and Paske took first place in the doubles with 1356, followed by Heeter and Miller with 1294, Porterfield and Sims 1292, Pruitt and Stark 1286, Hemstreet and Eads 1283, all of Medford; Piersons and Rengstorff, Grants Pass, 1268; Welch and Bayless, Klamath Falls, 1257; Lahrback and Day, Roseburg, 1254.

In the Singles Roy Pruitt led with 705, Carr of Roseburg 704, Stromberg 688, Rengstorff of Grants Pass 675, Sims 674, McLaughan of Eureka 672, Churchman, Eureka, 672, and Long of Medford 670.

All Events: Pruitt 2037, Long 2033, Carr 1972, Paske 1965, Sims 1942, Eads 1927, Carter 1925, Porterfield 1924.

In the ladies matches Mary Mathes was all events champion with 1682. The Jiffy Way Lunch of Grants Pass was first in the team event with 2601, Fredette's Cafe 2583, Rogue River Hardware, Grants Pass, 2528, and Roseburg Alleys 2525.

In the doubles Mathes and Sherwood held their lead with 1089, Baty and Swoape 1054, Eaton and Miller 1008, Wallace and Sims 1007, Bernard and Lee of Eureka 995.

In the singles Mathes was high with 579, Billings of Eureka 557, Swoape 547, McCollum of Klamath Falls 547, Allen of Grants Pass 540, Eaton of Klamath Falls 536.

All events, Mathes, 1682, Allen, 1596, Grants Pass, 1658, Eaton 1596, Cougle, Grants Pass, 1589, Sherwood 1583 and Sims 1564. This proved to be one of the most successful tournaments ever held in the southern part of the state. There were 33 men's teams and 10 ladies entered representing Klamath Falls, Roseburg, Marshfield, Eureka, Calif., Grants Pass and Medford.

ELLIOTT PITCHES BEAVER VICTORY

By the Associated Press
Glen Elliott of Oregon State hit a three-bagger in the eighth inning to win his mound duel with Sam Baker of Washington 2 to 1 in the opening game of a two-game northern division Pacific coast conference baseball series in Seattle yesterday.

The Huskies go to Pullman to open a two-game series against Washington State Friday. The Beavers go home after today's game to rest up for their contest against the Ore-

FOUR SHOTMAKERS REMAIN IN RACE FOR PERL TITLE

The annual John A. and Frank Perl spring handicap golf tournament has boiled down to four competitors—two low handicap players and a couple of high handicap shotmakers—and after next weekend the stage will be set for the grand climax, the final match for the handsome trophy and title.

Bob Hammond and George Harrington, 2-handicap men and rated among the Rogue Valley club's finest golfers, will battle it out in the finals of the first flight either Saturday or Sunday.

Bob Sherwood and W. H. Fluhner, finalists in the second flight, also will tangle Saturday or Sunday. Sherwood is an 18-handicap performer while Fluhner, who advanced to the finals last week-end with a default victory over Capt. C. Raymond, plays with a 25 handicap.

Following next week-end's final matches in the two flights, the two winners will come to grips the following week-end in the championship struggle. Hammond won his way into the first flight finals by upsetting Eddie Simmons, Harrington trimmed Brother Ivan to become the other first flight finalist, and Sherwood advanced to the second flight finals by eliminating Sebastian Apollo. Capt. Raymond was unable to keep his date with Fluhner, which put the latter in the second flight round-off two.

Burns Prove Fatal

Portland, May 21.—(P)—Burns she suffered Sunday when her dress caught fire were fatal last night for Ramona Johnson, 7, Portland.

The accident happened during a workout at Pimlico. Mioland ran away with an exercise boy, threw him, and then stumbled on a concrete walk.

PORTLAND CUTS LOOSE PITCHER GLEN GABLER

Portland, May 21.—(P)—Portland's Pacific Coast league club released Pitcher Glen Gabler yesterday to make room for Pitcher Raymond Harrell, right-hander obtained from Pittsburgh. Gabler's release was necessary because of the 18-veteran player limit.

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