

SPORTS

CRIPPEN PITCHES TWO HIT BALL TO DOWN BEND, 4-2

Steve Crippen pitched a fine two-hit ball game last night as Medford's Craters beat the Bend Elks, 4 to 2, in the first tilt of their two-game series at the fairgrounds park. The teams clash at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Tommy Hawkins, catcher, struck the blow that gave the Craters their sixth Oregon State league victory in seven starts. With two mates aboard in the sixth inning and the score tied at 2-all, Hawkins smashed a double against the left-center boards to tally both runners. The hit was especially welcome to Hawkins, for he played with the Elks for three years.

Crippen fanned seven with his sweeping curve ball and but for a defensive blowup in the fifth frame he would have had a shutout. Bend scored both their runs in this inning, without virtue of a hit, as McDonald, Cook and Crippen, himself, committed boots.

Rocky Peterson scored Medford's first two runs to put his team into a 2 to 0 lead. In the first inning he doubled to left and came across when first stop Graser threw wild for short on McLean's grounder. Peterson again started things in the third with a single to right, and after Cook sacrificed him to second he tallied on McLean's hot single to left-center.

After Bend deadlocked the count in the fifth the Craters came back to ice the contest in the next heat. Patterson opened with a single to left, Kerr walked and then Hawkins got his whopping two-bagger for the ball game.

Jim Farmer went the route for the Elks and gave up nine blows while fanning eight. He displayed a terrific fast one, but the Craters were able to bunch their clouts for the victory.

Bend's only hits came when Barton singled in the fourth and Hurney duffed in the ninth. Peterson, with two hits, led the Crater attack and came up with two beautiful catches in left field.

Score: R. H. E. Bend 2 2 3 Medford 4 9 3 Farmer and Kremers; Crippen and Hawkins.

Silverton, Ore., June 1.—(P)—Bunching blows for five runs in the seventh, Eugene defeated Silverton 9 to 3 in a State league baseball game here to night. Madison's triple was the highlight of the Eugene rally. Fredericks, Silverton pitcher, hit four for four.

Score: R. H. E. Eugene 9 9 1 Silverton 3 13 2 Wiltshire and Cloninger; Fredricks and Reed.

Salmon Gaffer Fined Charged with gaffing salmon at Gold Ray dam Friday, Virgil L. Wright, 30, of Central Point, was fined \$25 and \$4.30 costs and sentenced to serve 30 days in county jail by Jacksonville Justice of the Peace H. C. Meachem Saturday morning. The jail sentence was suspended on payment of the fine and costs.

NEWS VIEWS

By HALE WHEELER

ACCORDING to the Wyoming Stock Growers' Association, cattle rustlers are now being trapped by aerial cameras. (Time out while the James boys turn in their graves). The modern sheriff snatches a kodak from his hip pocket and keeps shooting till he has used up all his color film. Right now the cameras are mainly to record various brands—but if the trend continues, the tough cowpokes will settle their arguments outside the Last Chance Mail shoppe by rapid fire single shots with their box cameras—and the winner to be decided by the nearest professional photographer.

The Hollywood Hawaiian, Dorothy Lamour, is in another strong episode—she's been in so many of them it just seems to be a matter of form now.

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LANNING OR REGO TO OPPOSE BEND ON MOUND TODAY

Battling tooth and nail for the first-half pennant in one of the most bitterly-contested races in Oregon State league history, the Medford Craters collide with Bend's powerful Elks at the fairground field this afternoon at 2:00 in the second game of their two-tilt series. The first fracas was played last night.

Big Bill Lanning, ace right-hander, or Jimmy Rego, south-paw, is slated to fling against Bend today, with the Elks shooting Bob Houtchens, star-board pitcher, back at the locals.

Prior to last night's game, the Craters and Albany were deadlocked for first place, each with five wins and one loss, with Silverton trailing in second spot with six victories and two defeats and Eugene in third with five and three. Bend held fourth position with three and three.

With the first-half struggle ending next week-end, the Craters desperately need a victory this afternoon to remain in the running. Albany is playing the Portland Babes this week-end and is expected to sweep the two-game series, putting it squarely up to Medford to at least break even against the fast-coming Bend club.

Bend came to Medford strengthened by the acquisition of Wally Graser, all-state shortstop of the 1939 season, and both the defensive and offensive power of the team immediately skyrocketed. Murel Nehl, catcher and outfielder, has been Bend's big offensive gun thus far, with a batting average of .385. But Andy Hurney, Bill Hatch, Jack Gordon and Walker are expected to break loose any moment.

Medford, also, will take the field today with a new shortstop—Alex McDonald, young Grass Valley (Ore.) high school coach and two-year vet of the Western International league. The Craters have been powered at the plate by Wray, Crippen, Cook, McLean and Patterson.

State league batting averages, not including games of last night, reveal that Roy Orren, chunky little Silverton third baseman, is leading the pack with a hair-raising .552 from 18 blows in 19 trips. Crippen of the Craters is second with .462, followed by Wray, Rego and Cook of Medford, all of whom are batting over .400.

Following are the averages for players participating in three or more games:

Table with columns AB, H, Pet. listing player statistics for various teams.

MIDGET RACES TO RESUME JUNE 11

H. A. (Howdy) Murray, local representative for Bobby Rowe of Portland, announced yesterday that the next midget auto racing program would be held here Tuesday night, June 11. Locale will be under the lights of the new fairgrounds baseball park.

Several new drivers will be on hand to pilot their baby thunderbolts around the oval, Murray stated, in addition to many of the boys who appeared in the first two races.

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JUST ANOTHER 'DEAN'—Not all the baseball 'Deans' are Dix and Daffy, for here's Arthur L. 'Chubby' Dean, who's been pitching baseball headlines for the Athletics. A native of Mount Airy, N. C., he used to pitch at Duke.

ROGUES JOURNEY TO COAST TODAY

Table for Southern Oregon League showing Won, Lost, and Pct. for various teams like Grants Pass, Crescent City, etc.

Ray Tungate will pitch for the Medford Rogues today as the locals travel to Crescent City for a Southern Oregon league game. Lefty Mike Koll is scheduled to work for the home club.

Other loop clashes find Grants Pass at Roseburg and Gold Hill at Ashland. All games start at 2:30.

Manager Doc Gitzen said the Rogues would line up with George Gitzen catching, Tommy White on first, Johnny Gitzen on second, Orv Hampel on short, Jimmy Lewis on third, Sam VanDyke in left, Piche in center, and Dick Sakrada in right. The team will leave from Lewis Super service station at 9 a. m.

Joe Gray, Grants Pass outfielder, leads all league batters with an average of .379, from 11 hits in 19 trips. Medford players hitting over .250 follow:

Table listing player names and their batting averages for Medford players.

FLUHRER FAVORED FOR PERL TROPHY

George Harrington and W. H. (Heinie) Fluhrer, first and second flight winners, respectively, will battle 18 holes this afternoon for the John A. and Frank Perl spring handicap tournament title at the Rogue Valley Golf club. The pair will tee off at 1 o'clock.

Because he will receive a 20-stroke handicap—one swing on each hole and two on the sixth and ninth greens—Fluhrer, local business man, is a slight favorite to defeat his low-handicap opponent. Fluhrer's handicap is 25; Harrington's is 2.

Cass Heads Drivers A Southern Oregon Race Drivers' association has been formed, with Eugene Cass, president; Russ Jordan, secretary; treasurer and Leo Oberchain, driver's representative. It was

PITT TRACK CREW WINS IC4A TITLE

Cambridge, Mass., June 1.—(P)—Although without a single first-place winner in a competition that saw five new meet records set and another equal, the University of Pittsburgh gained its second IC4A track and field championship in four years today at Harvard stadium.

By putting together five and a half second places, plus a third, a fourth and a fifth, the Panthers rolled up 29 1/2 points and nullified the mighty lift that Norwood Ewell, sensational Negro sophomore, gave his Pennsylvania State forces by winning both dashes and the broad jump.

Ewell's "triple," the first in IC4A competition since 1937, when Columbia's Ben Johnson won the same three events while Pittsburgh was gaining the team title, enabled Penn State to take second place with 24 points.

California, the pre-meet favorite, tied with Yale for third honors with 20 points and New York university was fifth with 19 points.

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BULLETIN

Seattle, June 1.—(P)—South-paw Bill Walker conquered first inning trouble tonight to hand Seattle a 2 to 1 victory over Hollywood in a Pacific Coast baseball league night game and to put the Rainiers two games ahead in the league standings.

His victory was Seattle's fourth in its series with Hollywood, compared to two losses. The teams play a double-header tomorrow.

Walker hit the first Hollywood batter, Frenchy Uhalt, tonight. Bill Cissell then singled, sending Uhalt to third, from where he scored on a freak play at the plate. Edo Vanni snagged a long fly and burned the ball to the plate in an attempt for a double play. The umpire had already signaled Uhalt out when Catcher Gilly Campbell dropped the ball, giving Hollywood its lone score of the contest.

Score: R. H. E. Hollywood 1 3 1 Seattle 2 3 1 Fleming and Dapper; Walker and Campbell.

BROOKLYN DROPS BATTLE TO CUBS, CARDS DEFEATED

Chicago, June 1.—(P)—Al Todd's homer, leading off the 12th inning, gave the Cubs a 4 to 3 victory over the slipping Brooklyn Dodgers today, after the Chicago outfit had come from behind to tie the game up with a three-run blast in the sixth.

The Dodgers not only dropped the decision, which sank them three full games behind the National league leading Cincinnati Reds, but they also lost their classy rookie shortstop, Harold (Pee-Wee) Reese. One of relief pitcher Jake Mooty's slants in the 12th hit Reese on the back of the head and knocked him out.

The score: R. H. E. Brooklyn 3 9 0 Chicago 4 8 1 Carleton, Pressnell and Mancuso; Raffensberger, Mooty and Todd.

Cincinnati, June 1.—(P)—The Cincinnati Reds trounced the Boston Bees 3 to 2 today behind Gene Thompson's three-hit pitching, but the Bees played under protest as the result of a second inning incident.

Frank McCormick singled to start the second and Ernie Lombardi waited out Bill Posedel to a three-nothing count. On the fourth pitch Lombardi thought Umpire Bill Stewart waved him to first. Ernie started to walk and McCormick sauntered toward second.

Stewart, however, meant the ball was a strike. Catcher Al Lopez of the Bees threw to second and McCormick was tagged. After huddling, the umpires sent McCormick back to first and made it 3 and 1 on Ernie. Manager Casey Stengel of the Bees protested—then Ernie doubled, scoring Frank.

The score: R. H. E. Boston 2 3 0 Cincinnati 3 9 0 Posedel and Lopez; Thompson and Lombardi.

St. Louis, June 1.—(P)—The Philadelphia Phillies defeated the Cardinals, 5 to 4, today behind the 4-hit pitching of Hugh Mulcahy but Morrie Aronovich's pinch single in the eighth inning was the clincher.

It was a great day for pinch hitters, for the Cardinals had tied it up 4-4 that way. Score: R. H. E. Philadelphia 5 11 3 St. Louis 4 4 4 Mulcahy, Brown and Atwood; McGee, Shoun, Russell and Owen.

New York at Pittsburgh postponed, rain.

SOFTBALL PASSES READY FOR KIDS

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Postponed twice because of rain, the season will try to get started Tuesday night at 8:00 o'clock at the stadium, with 12 clubs from the class A and class B leagues swinging into action in six games. A parade at 7 p. m. also is scheduled.

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FOXX HOMER IS VICTORY MARGIN OVER WHITE SOX

Boston, June 1.—(P)—Behind the seven-hit pitching of young Mickey Harris, the Boston Red Sox opened their second home stand of the season today by edging out a 2 to 1 victory over the Chicago White Sox on the strength of a screaming fourth inning home run by Jimmy Foxx.

The slugging first baseman poled Jack Knott's pitch into the deep left centerfield screen, bringing home outfielder Ted Williams who had singled ahead of him. The blow was Foxx' twelfth homer of the season and boosted his runs batted in total to 41.

Score: R. H. E. Chicago 1 7 1 Boston 2 9 1 Knott, Brown and Tresh; Turner; Harris and Desautels.

New York, June 1.—(P)—The Yankees toyed with the St. Louis Browns through four innings today, then exploded a four-run bomb in the fifth and went on to an 8 to 5 victory to hit the 500 mark in the win-and-lose standings for the first time since May 3.

Score: R. H. E. St. Louis 5 9 1 New York 8 12 1 Biddill, Kramer and Swift; Susce; Chandler, Murphy and Dickey.

Washington, June 1.—(P)—Detroit swamped the Nationals, 12-3 today as Buck Newsom pitched the route for the Tigers to gain his sixth victory of the season. The Tigers blasted Wilis Hudlin, recently released by Cleveland and signed by the Nats, from the mound after two innings.

Score: R. H. E. Detroit 12 19 2 Washington 3 12 2 Newsom and Sullivan; Hudlin, Krakauskas, Jacobs and Ferrell, Early.

Philadelphia, June 1.—(P)—Pitching one of the best games of his career, Lee "Buck" Ross yielded only two hits today in twirling the Philadelphia Athletics to a 6 to 1 victory over the Cleveland Indians.

Score: R. H. E. Cleveland 1 2 1 Philadelphia 6 9 2 Allen, Dobson, Harder and Hemsley; Ross and Hayes.

JOE'S CHALLENGER IN RIALTO FILM

Arturo Godoy, Chilean heavyweight who recently battled champion Jos Louis 15 rounds to lose on a decision, makes his first screen appearance in "Grandpa Goes To Town," a Higgins family picture showing at the Rialto theatre Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Godoy and Siapsie Maxie Rosenbloom, former lightweight fighter, box an exhibition match in the movie, said to be one of the best of the Higgins family series.

While Godoy has never before appeared in a motion picture, Rosenbloom is getting to be a regular feature player, earning plaudits for his special brand of comedy.

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BEAVERS FINALLY DOWN OAKS AFTER 6 LOSSES IN ROW

Portland, June 1.—(P)—The Portland Beavers finally broke through for a victory today after losing six games in a row, five to Oakland in the current Pacific Coast league series. The score was 2-1 and the game went 10 innings.

Byron Speece, 38-year-old submariner pitching his twentieth season in organized baseball, turned the trick. He held the Oaks to five hits and shaded Oakland's Ben Cantwell, who was hit hard but was good in the pinches.

Manager John Frederick opened the tenth inning rally with a single. Rosenberg was walked purposely and the bases became loaded when Vergez booted Muller's grounder that had doubleplay written all over it. Marshall's single off Chapman's glove won the game.

Score: R. H. E. Oakland 1 5 2 Portland 2 12 0 Cantwell and Conroy; Speece and Fernandes.

Los Angeles, June 1.—(P)—Pitcher Dick Newsome of San Diego stopped the Los Angeles batters cold today, allowing but two hits and hurling his mates to a 6-1 victory.

The win was Newsome's ninth of the season. He has lost only two games. Score: R. H. E. San Diego 6 11 3 Los Angeles 1 2 2 Newsome and Detore; Sal-laid; Thomas, Berry and Hernandez, Holm.

San Francisco, June 1.—(P)—Lynn King, speedy center fielder of the Sacramento baseball club, paced his team to a 3-2 victory over San Francisco in a Pacific Coast league game here today.

Score: R. H. E. Sacramento 3 9 0 San Francisco 2 10 0 Freitas and Grik; Guay and Sprinz.

(Hollywood-Seattle, night game.)

Cinch Second Place

Moscow, Ida., June 1.—(P)—Washington State college clinched second place in the northern division, Pacific Coast conference baseball race, by defeating the University of Idaho, 8 to 2. Sophomore Bill Sewell fanned 15 men.

SALEM JAP STAR TO MEET ARABIAN ON ARMORY CARD

Mainly because of the appearance of Don Sugal, the sensational Japanese matman from Salem whose dazzling maneuvers disgraced Bulldog Jackson last week, Promoter Mack Lillard looks for a near-capacity crowd to jam the armory tomorrow evening for his 100 per cent scientific grapple presentation.

Sugal, who collides with Prince Selaki Mehalikis in the six-round middle attraction, scored a terrific hit with customers who witnessed his complete and thorough victory over Jackson. The Jap boy, clean as a whistle, displayed a remarkable variety of plain and fancy tactics. His speed and cleverness actually bewildered the Bulldog, and local clients are of the opinion that Sugal is definitely on the road to a word championship.

With Mehalikis as an opponent Monday eve, the Jap flash will have an opportunity to open wide his bagfull of tricks. The Prince likes nothing better than to face a clean, clever opponent, and with both grapplers cutting loose with their entire legitimate guns the result should prove to be a hair-raiser.

Main event action, over the one-hour limit, will be furnished by Ernie Piluso and the Black Panther, two more sparkling workmen. Herb Parks of Canada and Bobby Chick will open the program.

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