

The Sporting Page

CECIL WHIFFS 13 TO STOP CRATERS IN 3-1 EXHIBIT

Mt. Shasta City, the Northern California league leaders and one of the classiest clubs to show here this season, toppled the Craters in a sparkling 3 to 1 contest at the fairgrounds park last night as the Brothers Cecil, Rex and Ell, celebrated something or other, by accounting for the victory almost double-handed.

Rex, a long, lanky fireballer who threw aspirin tablets in the clutch, struck out 13 Craters and allowed but six scattered blows. In addition, he collected three of the five hits his teammates rapped off Steve Crippen, and batted in one run.

Bill, just as elongated, pounded in the two other Mt. Shasta tallies. So, the score might read: Cecil brothers 3, Medford 1.

It was a spectacular flinging duel between Cecil, who showed the locals the quickest hard one they have seen all season, and Crippen, whose jug-handle was effective as always. In fact, Crippen allowed one less safety than did Cecil and fanned nine to boot. However, Crippen's wildness in the first three innings and a couple of costly errors by Bill Lanning, playing first base, decided the issue in favor of the visitors and gave the local hurler his first setback of the year.

All the scoring was done in the first three frames, with Mt. Shasta tallying once in each of those innings. In the first Crrippen led off with a walk and went to third on Bennett's double to left, from where he scored as Bill Cecil grounded out.

In the second Barney singled to left, stole second, went to third as Lanning threw wild to second base on the steal, and scored on Rex Cecil's triple to right. The visitors got their final tally in the third when Griffith and Bennett walked, and the former scored on Bill Cecil's flyout to left. Griffith had reached third on a passed ball.

The Craters, handcuffed in eight of the nine innings by Cecil's blazing fast ball and a curve that exploded like a nazi bomb, bunched two blows in the third for their lone run. With two gone, Calvert singled into right and Al Wray blasted a triple down the right field line, driving Calvert across.

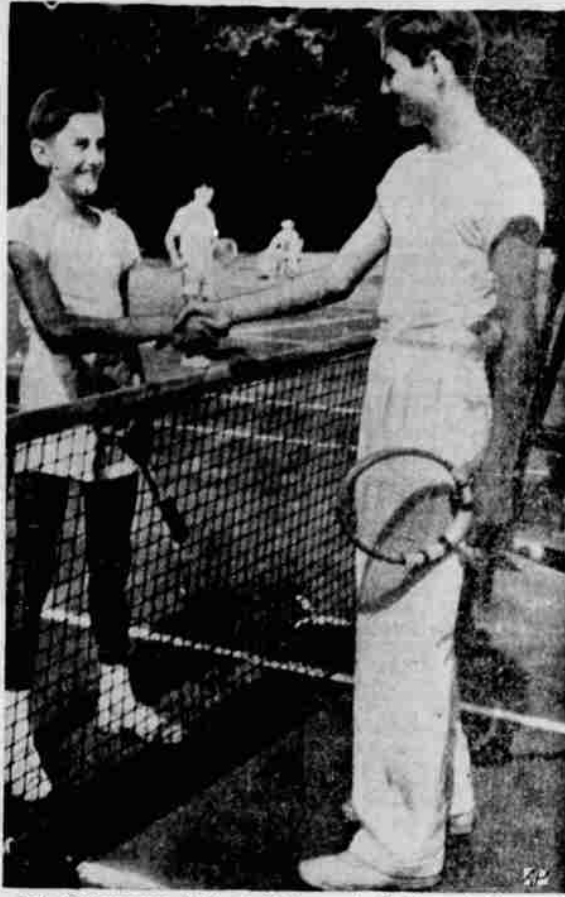
From the fourth inning on neither club could manufacture enough punch to score again. Crippen, in the last six frames, gave up only two hits, while Cecil over the same distance was touched for three.

The Craters simply couldn't touch the big boy when he reared back and pulled the pin. A sample of Cecil's pinch-pitching was in the seventh, when Pacheco led off with a single, stole second and reached third on an error. With nobody out, Cecil cut loose and fanned Hawkins, Crippen and Cook in succession.

The fielding gem of the clash was a running, one-handed catch by Medford's Tommy Hawkins of a foul fly near the grandstand. It was no less than sensational.

Umpire-in-Chief Fred Lennard

First Partners, Then Foes



Bob Falkenburg (left) of Hollywood, Calif., and Jim Brink (right) of Seattle teamed to win the doubles championship of the national boys' tennis tournament at Culver, Ind., then they competed against each other for the singles crown. The west coast boys won in doubles by defeating Allen Richardson of Webster Grove, Mo., and Jack Tuero of New Orleans.

oust-ed Catcher Zigelman from the game in the eighth inning for protesting the calling of balls and strikes too violently but the player was allowed to remain in the game because he was the only catcher Mt. Shasta brought to town. The visitors did considerable beeping all evening, in fact.

Box Score:

Mt. Shasta	AB	R	H	PO	A
Crippen, ss	3	1	0	2	5
Griffith, 2b	3	1	0	1	4
Bennett, 1b	3	0	1	12	0
B. Cecil, cf	4	0	0	0	0
Zigelman, c	3	0	0	12	0
Barney, rf	3	1	1	0	0
Fabero, lf	4	0	0	0	0
Fennis, 3b	4	0	0	0	0
R. Cecil, p	4	0	0	0	1
Totals	31	3	2	27	11

Medford	AB	R	H	PO	A
Cook, 3b	4	0	0	0	2
Calvert, 2b	3	1	1	3	1
Wray, rf	4	0	1	0	0
Sauer, cf	4	0	1	1	0
Pacheco, lf	4	0	1	4	0
Lanning, 1b	4	0	1	8	0
Pacheco, ss	4	0	1	0	1
Hawkins, c	3	0	0	10	1
Crippen, p	3	0	1	1	4
Totals	32	1	6	27	9

Errors: Zigelman, Barney, Lanning 2. Runs batted in: B. Cecil 2, R. Cecil, Wray. Two-base hits: Bennett, Sauer. Three-base hits: Wray, R. Cecil. Steals: Griffith, Pacheco, Pacheco. Sacrifices: Barney. Double plays: Griffith to Crippen to Bennett, Hawkins to Calvert. Bases on balls: R. Cecil 2, Crippen 5. Strike-outs: R. Cecil 13, Crippen 9. Passed balls: Hawkins, Zigelman. Umpires: Lennard and Miles. Time: 2:03.

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QUEEN OF RODEO NAMED THIS EVE AT FREE PROGRAM

A queen of the Medford Roundup Days, the most beautiful of 16 "cow girls" who have tossed their sombreros in the ring for the honor, will be selected at a free pre-rodeo program at the fairgrounds park tonight starting at 8:30. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Along with the queen, who will rule over the rodeo to be staged at the park Saturday night and Sunday afternoon, four princesses will be named by the three judges.

Appropriately, the judges will be composed of two eye specialists, Dr. Charles W. Lemery and Robert E. Lee, optometrist, and Sheriff Syd I. Brown. They will make their choices after the contestants parade in front of the grandstand and listen to the applause of the audience, which will count 40 per cent in the final decision.

Those entered in the queen contest are Harriet Sparrow, Elva Tice, Ethel Tullis, Lucille Young, Babe Harmon, Jeanne Salade, Vera Hale, Betty Lou Baker, Nancy Day, Betty Carman, Nina Tuttle, Susan Vilas, Jerry Bunch, Mrs. C. H. Tison, Joyce Wooldridge and Ruth White.

Events on tonight's program will find a bucking horse performing for the first time under lights, a polo game between two teams composed of local riders and horses, and a potato race.

The rodeo, itself, will open its two-day showing at 8:30 Saturday night, and repeat at 2:30 Sunday afternoon. A parade will be held starting at 6 p.m. Saturday from the fairgrounds. The line of march will be north on Riverside avenue to Main street, west on Main to Oakdale avenue, north on Oakdale to Sixth, east on Sixth to Central avenue and south on Central back to the fairgrounds.

The rodeo is being sponsored by the Medford Athletic association, with all stock and riders being furnished by Everett Telkamp and Howard Pruitt of Medford and Max Barber of Klamath Falls. Otto Kuehle is general chairman of the rodeo, Bernie Thumler is in charge of the parade and Jack Murray is in charge of the queen contest.

SOUTHERN GIRLS COLD IN OREGON

Portland, Ore., Aug. 15.—(AP) If fast swimming will keep them warm, five Louisville, Ky., girls will lug home most of the national women's A.A.U. swimming championships.

At Jantzen Beach, contestants from all sections of the United States and Hawaii tapered off training for the meet's opening tomorrow, but Helen Erhart, national outdoor 30-meter champion, and her four Kentucky companions huddled under coats, glanced dourly at the beaming sun and complained.

"We just can't seem to get warm up here in this newfangled country."

SOFTBALL TO END HERE FRIDAY EVE

Medford's 1940 softball season will end Friday night when the Ray Oil Burners of Seattle, Washington's three-year state champions, play a doubleheader against Medco and Wooden Box at the high school stadium, starting at 8 o'clock.

The visitors will go against Medco, runners-up for the city championship, in the first game, and then collide with the title-winning Wooden Boxmen in the second tilt, starting an hour later.

Wooden Box, winners of the district tournament at Klamath Falls, will be making their last appearance here before entering the state tourney at Salem Monday night.

PILUSO, NAZARIAN SIGNED FOR BOUT

Ernie Piluso and Mike Nazarian were matched by promoter Mack Lillard today to battle it out in next Monday night's main event grapple in the Medford armory. Nazarian has won three straight, Piluso two in a row.

The promoter said that Jack Hagen and George Wagner would also appear on the program, but that opponents for them hadn't yet been signed. Lillard said that Pete Belcastro would probably be one of the foes.

HOW THEY STAND

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Cincinnati	47 37 .644
Brooklyn	43 43 .594
New York	54 48 .529
Pittsburgh	53 51 .510
Chicago	51 55 .495
St. Louis	51 52 .495
Boston	41 64 .390
Philadelphia	34 67 .337
American League.	
Cleveland	67 44 .604
Detroit	65 46 .588
Boston	58 52 .527
New York	56 51 .523
Chicago	51 51 .519
Washington	49 60 .444
St. Louis	45 67 .407
Philadelphia	41 65 .387
Pacific Coast League.	
Seattle	93 47 .664
Oakland	77 64 .546
Los Angeles	75 65 .536
San Diego	71 69 .507
Sacramento	70 71 .498
Hollywood	68 72 .486
San Francisco	62 78 .443
Portland	45 93 .321

Sport Graphs

Billy Hulén Says:

Fite Fans Prefer Slugging Matches To Boxing Bouts

The skimpy advance ducat sales for the postponed Billy Conn-Bob Pastor waiting match proved once again that fight fanatics desire to see guys who can at least break a pane of glass with their fists, instead of the Fancy Daniels . . . the box-fest, put over to September 5, figured to be one of the neatest exhibitions of clever ringwork in several moons, yet the customers were going for it with all the enthusiasm of chickens to water . . .

Lou Nova, the California heavyweight who has been idle for a year, musta saved his dough, or else he has other incomes . . . he walked into an Oakland auto store the other day and bought, for cash, two of their highest priced machines . . . old Jim Thorpe is touring the country's schools and colleges, lecturing on sportsmanship.

Rhymes Eddie Brietz: "To us it makes no rhyme or reason, why the Phils should end the season" . . . to which we are put to add: the Beavers are even worse, under the Scheffer curse . . . Clarence Munn may be Michigan's new grid tator when Fritz Crisler moves into the front office . . . Ernie Piluso looked just a little out of condition in beating Pete Belcastro last Monday eve . . .

Sid Milligan of Eugene will again enter the Southern Oregon-Northern California tournament at the Rogue Valley club over the Labor Day week-end . . . Sid is one of the better Willamette valley clubbers and may cause local areas considerable trouble . . . Eddie Simmons, two-straight winner of the meet, is gradually rounding into form for defense of his toga.

Despite a terrific graduation blow, Medford high's Black Tornado should once more battle it out with the Klamath Falls Pelicans for the Southern Oregon conference championship come autumn . . . Ashland and Grants Pass, the loop's other members, don't figure to topple either of the two big-wigs, although one or both may prove tough.

The Washington Huskies are being tabbed possible Rose Bowlers, so get ready to see them finish in the second division . . . every time the boys put in pre-season plugs for Phelan's eleven, the Seattle club accommodates by losing almost every game on its schedule . . . Oregon State

BEAVERS LOSE TO ANGELS AS USUAL

looks large to us, and Stanford under Clark Shaughnessy might provide plenty of surprises . . . The Craters are negotiating with the Oakland Oaks of the Pacific Coast league for an exhibition tussle under the local glims after completion of the runaway P. C. L. pennant chase . . . The Oaks go barnstorming every season and it looks like they may appear here, which would meet with the approval of everyone concerned . . .

Penned Louis C. Cook of the Douglas (Wyo.) Enterprise: "Mike Jacobs is considering purchasing the Brooklyn Dodgers . . . well, there's one thing about it—the Dodgers in one corner and Joe Louis in the other would draw a mighty big crowd." Manager Tommy Hawkins of the Craters still has a very sore thumb, which was injured by a foul tip several weeks ago.

WASHINGTON GOLFERS DOMINATE TOURNEY

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 15.—(AP) —Three Washington residents and one Canadian remained in the running today as the Seniors' Northwest Golf association championship tournament reached the semifinal stage.

W. Fovargue, Aberdeen, won the fourth place by defeating G. N. Pease, Portland, three and two, Paul Glaser, Seattle, won his semi-final place earlier yesterday with a two and one victory over W. L. McCulloch, Portland, J. P. Loudon, Yakima, and Bernie Schwengers, Victoria, 1937 champion, are the other semi-finalists. The 18-hole final will be played Friday.

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By the Associated Press
If Jim Farley had been watching the New York Yankees new pitching acquisition last night, he might have abandoned plans for buying the club.

Rinaldo J. "Rugger" Ardizola, young Hollywood strikeout master who wears a brand new Yankee tag, lasted a little more than one inning last night as San Francisco humbled Hollywood, 3 to 2, in a Pacific Coast league baseball game.

The other games were just the same old story. Paul Gregory of Seattle dazzled the Sacramento Senators with three-hit pitching to win, 5 to 1.

Oakland won an error-sprinkled, 30-hit game from San Diego, 7 to 6.

Portland lost to Los Angeles, 6 to 4. The basement club got 14 hits off Julio Bonetti, twice as many as the Angels could gather from Ray Harrell and Lee Fallin, but the Beavers let too many potential scorers die on base.

Weather
Northern California: Fair tonight and Friday, but fogs on coast night and morning; slightly warmer in interior; gentle variable wind off coast, but moderate northwest above Cape Mendocino.

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ALDON WILKIE HEADS COAST LOOP PITCHERS

Los Angeles, Aug. 15.—(AP)—Aldon Wilkie of Seattle retained the coast pitching leadership another week, on the basis of games including Tuesday's, with 12 victories and one defeat.

Averages made public today disclosed his teammate, Dick Barrett, remained in second place with 19 wins and four losses. Bill Fleming of Hollywood, sold to the Boston Red Sox, with eight more strikeouts during the week, retained the leadership in that department with 140.

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