

Rogues in Doubleheader Here Tonight; Cards Lose

Medford Rogues will play the Willows Cardinals at the local fairgrounds park in a doubleheader today starting at 6:30 p. m., to close their current home visit. The local Far West league club leaves Tuesday morning to open in Marysville.

By Hank Green
Mail Tribune Sports Editor

They forgot to turn on the heat again out at the ball park last Friday night and by the time nine innings had been played the fans were not the only ones who were chilled because Willows got a cold shoulder from the Medford Rogues also.

As a matter of fact a pretty nifty piece of pitching by a tall youth going by the name of Jack Lloyd was backed by solid hitting on the part of his teammates as the Rogues captured their second Far West league in a row, this time a 6 to 0 decision. Only twice in the game was Lloyd, who today has a one win and no loss record, in serious trouble.

First Inning Blues

First occasion was in the first inning when Bob Hayes and Jim Kyker connected for singles with no one out and in the fourth frame when Jake Helmhuth opened with a double and Gene Clear drew a base on balls, also with none out.

However, Medford's hurler who has been called by Player Manager Tommy Nelson a definite class A and higher league prospect, bore down hard on both occasions and the next three Cards went out in order. He walked but two Cardinals batters.

The Rogues backed him up with a 13-hit attack that saw only three of the safeties fail to count in the run-making.

Martin, Cooney Lead
Martin who lashed out three hits in as many trips and Cooney who was credited with the same ratio led the local attack.

Bob Haddock who played last season for the Pittsburg Diamonds and was bought by the Salem Senators this year, joined the Rogues Friday in time for the game that night. He was released by the WIL club and signed here.

While none of the fielding was on the sensational side of the ledger for either team the infield and outfield made some harder than usual plays. Guglielmo and Bill Adams particularly doing some "country mile" running to pull down a few long drives.

Fielding Rates Good
Al Bolen at third and Russ Stuart at shortstop came up with two or three nice fielding gems, including one by Stuart who had to throw while off balance but the ball went true to the mark at first base. Cooney handled first base with a veteran's poise.

Box score: Medford AB R H PO A E; Stuart as 4 0 0 2 0 0; Adams cf 4 0 0 2 0 0; Martin c 3 2 3 0 0 0; Guglielmo lf 4 1 1 2 0 0; Williams rf 4 1 1 2 0 0; Bolen 2b 4 2 2 0 0 0; Cooney 1b 3 0 3 8 0 0; Haddock 2b 3 0 0 0 0 0; Forrester p 3 0 0 0 0 0

Baseball Far West League; Friday's Results: Medford 6, Willows 0; Marysville 6, Eugene 4; Redding 24, Pittsburg 7; Klamath Falls 32, Reno 3

Pacific Coast League; American League; National League; Scores Yesterday

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SPORTS

Eagle Point Wins, 10-9

Eagle Point, May 6—Eagle Point high baseball team continued in the running for the JJJ championship Friday afternoon by edging Myrtle Creek 10 to 9 in eight innings.

A balk allowing Cahall to score with none out in the extra stanza gave the Eagles the victory. Cahall had singled, stolen second and had gone to third on Forrester's one-baser.

It was the first JJJ loss suffered by Myrtle Creek whose pitchers saw Forrest bang out two singles, a double and a triple in four trips and Mulhollen lashed out a three-bagger to pace the Eagles in batting.

Chamberlain, Doherty and Millard hurled for Eagle Point with Millard receiving credit for the win.

En route to Point travels to Central Point for a JJJ and Southern Oregon conference game on Tuesday.

Booster Club Meet Slated

Members of the Athletics Booster club of Southern Oregon will meet at 8 p. m. Monday in the Holland hotel for its weekly business session with promotion of tennis in Medford one of the primary topics for discussion.

The organization has been asked by several local tennis men to help encourage the sport in Medford as well as promote the idea of more and better tennis courts.

The Booster club will talk over suggestions made by tennis enthusiasts and perhaps take some action.

It has also come to the club's attention that the high school golf team might want help in financing trips as the boys now have to pay their own expenses when traveling.

HOW THEY STAND

SATURDAY MORNING FAR WEST LEAGUE; Klamath Falls W 2 714; Marysville 3 625 1/2; Medford 4 500 1 1/2; Willows 3 500 1 1/2; Pittsburg 4 500 1 1/2; Redding 4 500 1 1/2; Eugene 4 429 2; Reno 3 333 3

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High School Golfers 2nd

Medford high golfers put on an "all out" effort yesterday to overcome a 26 point deficit and at least tie Corvallis for the upstate tourney honors at Eugene but fell five points short as the Tornado placed second to the Spartans.

The local golfers were 26 points in arrears when the first round played at Corvallis ended about three weeks ago and fired some good golf yesterday to come close to winning. Medford finished yesterday the whole tournament with 1,672 to 1,667 for Corvallis.

Placing third in the entire tourney were University (Eugene) with Eugene fourth and Cottage Grove fifth.

Week-end scores including rounds played yesterday and Friday gave Justin Smith of Medford 76-80—156, Phil Getchell 80-77—157, Eddie Oldfield 76-86—162, Billy McAllister 87-81—168 and Bobby Shepherd 92-92—184.

Atlas, Wallick Carded Here

Medford wrestling fans got their way yesterday when Promoter Mack Lillard announced that he has succeeded in signing the Great Atlas, known as the Peacock of the Ring, to meet Leo Wallick, the Chicago pile driving expert, in the feature match of a triple main event card at the armory Thursday night.

Lillard said he had to give the Atlas the biggest financial guarantee that he has paid a wrestler in several years to get him in the ring with the big tough guy. They will go for 45 minutes or two out of three falls.

Pete Belcastro, the Weed wild man, and Eddie Williams, the flying Scotchman, also will be on the card and two other grapplers are yet to be signed.

The first match will go on at 8:30 p. m. and tickets are on sale at Brown's, 101 East Main street.

CALIFORNIA GOLF OPEN

Fresno, Cal. May 6—(U.P.)—Blond Ralph Blomquist, the unknown man from Glendale, vaulted back into the leadership after the third round of the \$3,500 California state open golf tournament today as he posted a 54-hole total of 211.

He said Mel White, another ex-Medford Dodger, was doing well at Santa Barbara. Don Taylor has been sold by Pueblo, Colo., to another class A league club.

Tornado Baseball Club Defeats Ashland 11-3

Medford high baseball players posted their third victory against two defeats Friday afternoon when the Black Tornado romped over Ashland 11 to 3 on the Grizzlies' field.

Terry Maddox on the mound for the Pear city boys allowed the Grizzlies four hits over the seven-inning stretch while he and his teammates pounded out 12 off Hanscom and Johnson. The young Medford right-hander also sliced out three hits in three trips, including a home-run, a triple and a double. He walked his fourth and last time at bat.

Heavy Local Hitters
Gary Boshears with two hits in five trips and Connie Holzgang who lashed out two safeties in four appearances, including a two-bagger, also got more than one hit for Medford.

Other Tornado hits were a single by Singler, double by Dennis Conner, single by Bill Pratt and Don Wilkinson's one-baser. Doubles by Reedy and Melvanna, single by Tenny and a triple by Fowler were Ashland's safe hits.

Big Medford Inning
The Tornado won eight firsts, including the relay, three seconds and three thirds and seven fourths including a tie for fourth place.

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Change in Boxing Date

The Southern Oregon Boxing club today announced a change in their next amateur boxing card from May 10 to May 15 because of the army not being available on the first date.

The main event will send Wild Bull Halsey, who has adopted Medford as a "second home town" following two straight victories here, against Joel Wilson, Oregon and Washington amateur middleweight champion. Halsey won the southern Oregon-northern California title here last month when he defeated Clint Waters. The Halsey-Wilson affair will be for the Oregon championship and Matchmaker Larry Burdette said he hoped to sign Herb Carlson, national intercollegiate champion, to meet the winner here later in the summer.

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Swilich Visitor Here Few Hours

Bill Swilich, former business manager of the Medford Dodgers, was a brief visitor here Friday and was expected again last night for the Rogues-Cardinals baseball game.

Swilich, a full-time Brooklyn scout on the west coast and particularly in California, reported that Larry Shepherd at Billings, Mont., should have a good team this year. Shepherd was player-manager of the Dodgers here the year that Swilich was business manager.

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Medford Junior AAU Trackmen Rate Second

Medford thincalads picked up only one clear-cut first and but one tie for first but compiled enough seconds, thirds, fourths and fifths to take second place Friday night in the annual Medford invitational junior AAU track and field meet on the senior high school oval.

Grants Pass cindermen piled up 60 points, Medford 49 1/2, Klamath 45, Ashland 32 1/2.

Vrooman, Medford, ran first in the low hurdles. Perkins, Medford, deadlocked for top place in the broad jump.

Youths of junior high age participated in the meet. Distances in most running events were shorter than the usual.

Results:
High hurdles—Won by Paylor (G); second Vrooman (M); third Chase (G); fourth Pyle (M); fifth Lyon (K). Time 9.75s.
Shot put—Won by French (K); second Bingham (M); third Dickson (G); fourth Burns (K); fifth Gilmore (K). Time 10.7s.
Three-fourths mile—Won by Lyon (K); second Walsh (M); third Bates (A); fourth Crawford (M); fifth O'Leary (A). Time 3m 30.4s.
Shot put—Won by Herron (G); second Bingham (M); third Roseman (G); fourth Burns (K); fifth Judd (M). Distance 48 ft. 7 in.
300-yard run—Won by Burns (K); second Davis (M); third South (A); fourth Winbolt (G); fifth Miller (A). Time 39.4s.
High jump—Norrick (G) and Tenney (A) tie for first; Paylor (G) and Johnson and Gilmore (K) tie for third. Height 5 ft. 4 in.
Low hurdles—Won by Vrooman (M); second Dickson (G); third Chase (G); fourth Thomas (K); fifth Atterbury (M). Time 13.7s.
150-yard dash—Won by French (K); second Bell (G); third Gaines (M). Time 2.15s.

C. P. Edged By Pelicans

Central Point, May 6—One of the best played baseball games in recent Central Point high school history was seen here yesterday when the Pointers took on the highly-touted Klamath Falls Pelicans even though the C. P. boys did drop a 3-1 decision.

Coach Clarence Mellbye of the Pointers said he was "mighty proud" of the boys. Central Point's Don Johnson allowed the Pels four hits and the Pointers got three off the offerings of Carroll of Klamath.

Johnson struck out eight and walked but two while Carroll fanned 19 and passed seven in the seven inning tilt.

Les "Oakie" Finley with two hits in three trips and Glen Hedgpath who got one for three led the pointers.

Friday afternoon Central point dropped a 9 to 3 JJJ league game to Illinois Valley at Cave Junction. Tom Rapp got two for four and Don Collins a double to lead C. P.

Talent High Defeats Rogue River, 7 to 4

Talent, May 6—Talent high Saturday celebrated another victory in the 1950 county class B conference baseball season after taking a 7 to 4 decision from Rogue River on Friday afternoon.

The Bulldogs are scheduled to meet Butte Falls at Talent next week Friday.

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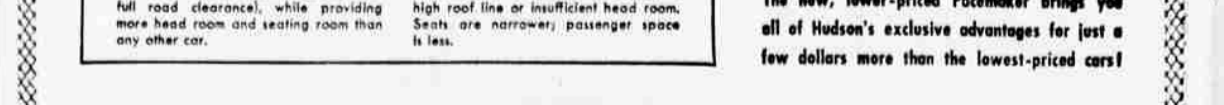
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