

Medford Nine Beats Yreka 2-1; Crater High Plays Here Friday

Aiming for its fourth consecutive victory, the Medford high school baseball nine takes on Crater high on Friday. Game time at the senior high diamond here is 3:15 p.m.

Lloyd Hart is scheduled to pitch for Medford.

The Black Tornado made it three straight wins against no losses so far this season by defeating Yreka, Calif., 2 to 1 here yesterday.

Locals Held Down

Medford, handicapped for 3 2/3 innings, broke out in the fourth and fifth frames for single runs. Tornado batters went down in order before Yreka pitcher Bud Russell in the first and second innings. In the third stanza, Terry Sherwood got a single but the next three stickmen were retired. There were two out in the fourth before Medford got a man on base.

Pitching by Medford's Derald Wooton was also tight. Although he walked four, he allowed only one hit and struck out 11 batters.

The lone hit Wooton gave up and one of the walks figured in Yreka's only score. Pete Crebbin was walked in the second inning. Barry followed with a single, advancing Crebbin, who then stole third. The next two batters fanned by Fasoletti followed with a rap that was mis-handled by Curt Holzgang at second base and Crebbin tallied.

Maddox Steals Home

Terry Maddox tripled for Medford in the fourth then stole home for a run that tied up the game.

In the fifth Sherwood singled and got to third base on Catcher C. Russell's bad throw attempting to stop the Medford runner at second. John Niles grounded out. Sherwood crossed with the winning run on Holzgang's sacrifice bunt.

The two hits by Sherwood and one by Maddox, all off Bud Russell, were the only blemishes Medford collected. Russell struck out 2 and walked 2.

BOX:	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Fasoletti, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Jones, lb	3	0	0	7	1	0
Rigney, 2b	3	0	0	1	3	0
Winningham, lf	2	0	0	4	0	1
C. Russell, c	2	0	0	2	0	0
P. Crebbin, cf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Hockaday, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Barry, ss	3	0	1	0	1	0
Buckner, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Mikner	1	0	0	0	0	0
B. Russell, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Culp, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
M. Crebbin, lb	0	0	0	0	0	0

*Struck out for Buckner in 7th.

Medford	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Atterbury, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Hart	1	0	0	0	0	0
Lindley, 3b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Conner, ss	2	0	0	1	1	0
N. Landers, lb	3	0	0	7	0	0
Maddox, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
D. Wooton, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
T. Landers, c	3	0	0	11	2	0
Sherwood, lf	2	1	2	0	0	0
Niles, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Holzgang, 2b	1	0	0	1	2	1

*Filed out for Atterbury in fifth.

Runs batted in—Holzgang, three; base hit—Maddox; stolen bases—Maddox, Sherwood, Fasoletti, P. Crebbin. Sacrifices—C. Russell, Holzgang. Left on base—Yreka 6; Medford 6. Bases on balls—Off Wooton 4, off B. Russell 2. Strikeouts—By Wooton 11, by Russell 2. Three hits, 2 runs off Russell in 4 2/3 innings. Earned runs—Medford 1. Losing pitcher—Russell.

Refreshment Facilities Planned at Boat Races

Convenient refreshment stands and a large parking area will be provided Sunday, April 6, when the Southern Oregon Boat club, the Western Speedboat association and the 20-30 club stage outboard motorboat races at Emigrant lake south of Ashland.

A new area east of the usual parking area will be available, also, it was said. This area will provide a good viewpoint, the sponsors reported.

Racers from Oregon, Washington and Northern California have entered. There will be a good representation of local boat jockeys.

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Errors Hurt Portlanders As Seals Post 5-4 Victory

San Francisco—(U.P.)—A white whiskered problem bothered the Pacific Coast League Thursday, with solid arguments to support both sides.

Are the pitchers ahead of the batters this early in the season? Evidence supporting this time-worn theory was introduced at San Diego Wednesday night when the visiting Oakland Oaks downed the Padres, 1-0.

Winning pitcher Lloyd Little southpawed a neat five-hitter. And loser Jack Salveson, trying this season to achieve his 200th PCL pitching victory, allowed seven.

Double Wins

At San Francisco, where the Seals won from Portland 5-4 on pinch-hitting Will Hafe's ninth.

Giants Lose Monte Irvin

Denver, Colo.—(U.P.)—A depressed Leo Durocher, fearing that slugger Monte Irvin will miss the entire season because of his broken ankle, moaned Thursday he has lost his "big guy" and doesn't know how to replace him.

"Irvin was the big guy, the guy that got us the runs," said Durocher in a numbed voice. "How can you replace him at a moment's notice?"

Leg League

The answer, of course, is that you can't quickly replace a star outfielder who led the National League in runs batted in last year with 121 and swung a smoking bat in the "miracle" finish drive that gave the Giants the pennant.

But, with the word from the hospital Thursday that Irvin broke the fibula bone in his right ankle in an unnecessary slide into third base in Wednesday's exhibition game against the Indians, Durocher knows he probably will have to do without Irvin for the rest of the year.

Helser To Join Beavers April 15

Portland—(U.P.)—Roy Helser, who doubles as co-basketball and baseball coach at Linfield college during the school year and pitches for the Portland Beavers during the summer, said Thursday he will join the club April 15 when the Beavers make their first home appearance.

This will be Helser's 11th season with the Beavers. He started with the club in 1942. His biggest years were 1944, 1945 and 1946 when he was a 20-game winner.

He won't join the Beavers on a full-time basis until school is out in June. Meanwhile, he'll be available for home games only.

Gene Smith Desires Scuffle With Saddler

Washington—(U.P.)—Chunky Gene Smith of Washington, with a string of 30 straight victories, seeks a crack at world featherweight champion Sandy Saddler's title this summer.

Smith made Glen Flanagan of St. Paul, Minn., his latest victim Wednesday night when he was awarded a majority decision in a nationally televised 10-round fight at Uline arena. Smith weighed 128 pounds, Flanagan 129.

Prep Cinder Gang Meets Grants Pass

Track and field competitors of Medford high will get another indication of their strength in the district on Saturday when they oppose Grants Pass on the Cavemen's oval. The third annual Grants Pass Rotary meet is set for 2:30 p.m.

"This week-end will be the test," according to Medford Coach Bob Newland. "We look for an interesting afternoon," he added.

Grants Pass loomed a power last week-end when it scored a lopsided triumph in a four-way tangle with Crater, Ashland and Illinois Valley. The Cavemen, who have a host of performers back from last year, now appear the biggest threat to Medford cinderpath supremacy.

Full Distance Saturday Medford romped over Klamath Falls, its usual toughest rival, by an overwhelming margin last week.

Not too good a comparison between the Medford teams, however, can be made from last week's foot race times. Grants Pass was competing in a short distance meet while in the Medford-Klamath struggle only the hurdles and one middle distance event were shortened.

The meet this Saturday will be full distance except for the hurdles. It will be Grants Pass' first full distance test.

About 38 Medford youths will make the Grants Pass jaunt.

B Coaches Will Meet

George Bray, Talent, president of the county B school coaches association has called a meeting of that organization for 11 a.m. Saturday at the county school superintendent's office in the courthouse here.

He said a matter concerning baseball officials will be discussed. The B baseball league slate is to open Friday with Talent at Rogue River and Phoenix at Jacksonville. Prospect's fray with St. Mary's here may be postponed because of work being done at the fairgrounds ball park.

Player Hurt

The six-man football and the basketball schedules for next year will be drawn up at the meeting, Bray said.

A practice fray between St. Mary's and Phoenix was halted in the last of the fourth inning when Melvin Amaro, St. Mary's catcher, was hit in the head with a bat. The wound required three stitches.

St. Mary's was leading at the time 7 to 6.

Honsberger Wins Washington Toga

Olympia—(U.P.)—Ray Honsberger, the veteran Clarkston linkman, ruled Thursday as king of Washington state golfers after he defeated Bill Christie of Seattle one up Wednesday to win his second consecutive state professional golfers' tourney championship. Honsberger beat Christie after 36 holes of play at the Olympia Country and Golf Club course. At the end of the first 18 holes, Christie was five up on the defending titlist. But Honsberger came back with sub-par golf in the afternoon to win.

Moore was a member of the Comanche high school baseball team which was holding a warm-up practice session when the accident happened Wednesday, Police Chief Lee Williams said.

Baseball Kills Oklahoma Youth

Comanche, Okla.—(U.P.)—A baseball hurled by a teammate struck 16-year-old Gary Eldon Moore on the chest, just above his heart, and he fell to the ground dead.

Moore was a member of the Comanche high school baseball team which was holding a warm-up practice session when the accident happened Wednesday, Police Chief Lee Williams said.

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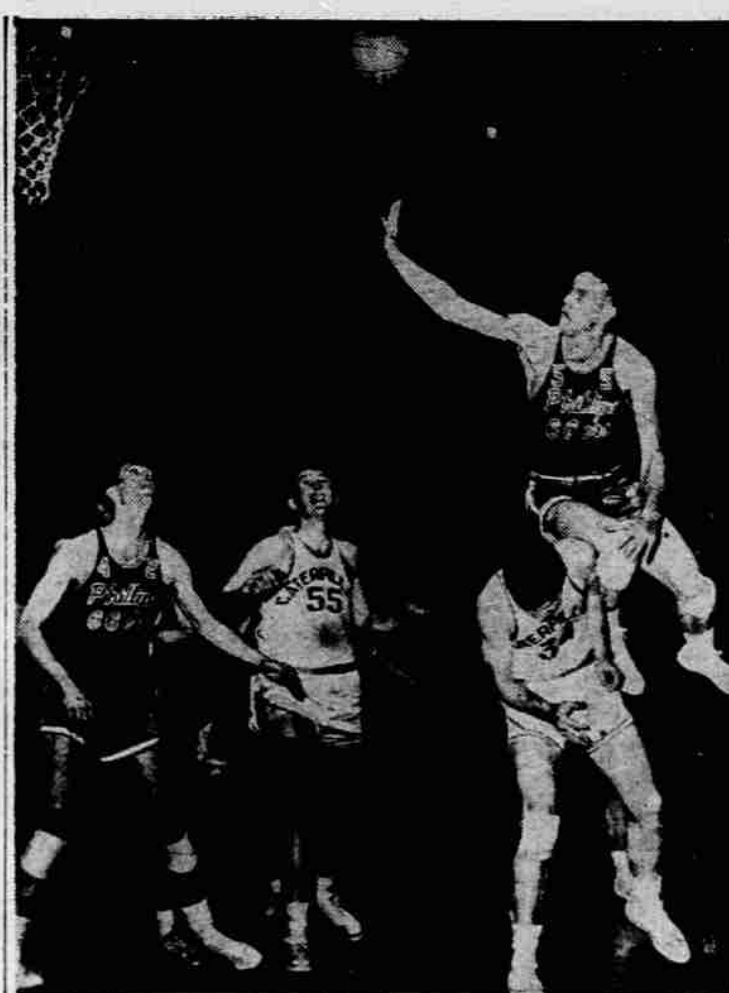
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BEST SEAT IN THE HOUSE—Intent on making a shot, Wayne Glasgow (35) of the Phillips Oilers calmly sits on Howie Williams (34) of the Peoria Caterpillars during a game in New York of the Olympic tryout tournament. Glasgow's eagerness earned him a foul. Other players are Claude Houchin (42) of the Oilers and Frank McCabe (55) of Peoria. The Caterpillars won, 43-30.

Bowerman Radio Program Slated

Bill Bowerman sports program will become a weekly featured broadcast of radio station KYJC, Medford, starting Friday. It will be broadcast at 6:45 p.m. each Friday.

Bowerman, track coach at University of Oregon, is an ex-Medford high athletic mentor and ex-Medford high and ex-University of Oregon athlete. The weekly interviews are to be "straight from the shoulder."

Considerable interest here in the series is foreseen because of Bowerman's former Medford connections. The interviews each week will precede the 7 p.m. broadcast of fights from New York City.

Portland—(U.P.)—Joseph C. Dey Jr., was in Portland Thursday to make final arrangements for the United States Golf association's women's amateur championship at Waverly Country club August 25 to 30.

Phoenix Gun Club Marks Birthday

Phoenix—Phoenix Gun club will have its anniversary shoot on Sunday, April 6, at the club grounds on Fern Valley road.

There will be rifle and shotgun activity. Shooting will be from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. with prizes offered to shooters and non-shooters throughout that time. Lunch will be served at the grounds.

Members of the club announced that a new automatic trap has been installed.

TRACK CAPTAIN NAMED

Seattle—(U.P.)—The University of Washington's track team was without a leader Thursday after Pete Steward, captain and star hurdler, withdrew from school because of illness. Steward was Northern division high hurdles champion last year and had planned to try for a berth on the Canadian Olympic team this season. He is from Oliver, B. C.

GRID COACH NAMED

Yakima—(U.P.)—Robert C. McGuire, Pullman high school coach, has been named head football coach at Yakima high school for the 1952 season. Athletic Director John Zaeplf announced Thursday. McGuire succeeds Dick Sutherland, who was reported to be negotiating for a coaching position with an Oregon school.

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Omaha (Wash.—U.P.)—The We-natchee Chiefs Thursday announced the purchase of third baseman Ben Guerrero from Stockton of the California league. The new infielder has had three years of professional baseball experience.

BASEBALL

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