

Grants Pass Elks Expect More Talent

Grants Pass—(Special)—Manager Mel Ingram, like other pilots in the Southern Oregon Baseball League, won't have his Grants Pass Elks team at full strength when the semi-pro season opens this week end. The Elks play Drain on Saturday and Sunday.

Help anticipated by Ingram includes at least one pitcher and some players from University of Southern California.

Brad Lucas, ex-Grants Pass high pitcher, probably will be moundman for the Elks' Saturday scuffle. He has a good record this season as a freshman pitcher at Willamette university. Choice for Sunday appears to lie between Ralph Hartman, pitcher for Bakersfield in the California league last year, and Jim Eggers, from Illinois Valley N.Y.

Other hurlers on the GP staff are George Herr, from this year's Grants Pass high nine, and Phil Lewis, a GP prepster last year. Herr is now in Albany with the high school team for the state tourney.

Catchers listed are Mel Drews, Glenn Reese and Bob (Tiger) Smith, a Southern Oregon collegian, will not be available this week end because of school baccalaureate. Drews may be at Albany yet Saturday with the GP high team in the state A tourney. Possible fielders for the Elks this week are Bill Seymour, from Southern Oregon, first base; Dick Toney, from Lewis and Clark college, second base; Ron Owings, SOC, shortstop; John Hammons, GP semi-pro vet, third base, and Dick Nix, SOC; Clint Reese, semi-pro vet, and John Eggink, Grants Pass junior prep nine. Another probable outfielder.

Chuck Nevi is expected to be a utility infielder. He also is still with the prep nine. Another probable outfielder is Ed Goldman. He played for the Oregon State college Rooks last year but was out of school this year.

Williams Off Restricted List

Boston —(U.P.)—Ted Williams was to come off the restricted list today but it may be another few days before he takes off the wraps officially and makes his first American League appearance of the season for the Red Sox.

To make room for Williams on their roster, the Red Sox optioned pitcher Russ Kemmerer to Louisville of the American Association.

Boston Manager Mike Higgins insists it is strictly up to Williams as to when he wishes to play.

"Whether Ted can play or just pinch hit will depend on how he feels," Higgins said.

If Williams feels he is ready to start in left field, Higgins said he will move Gene Stephens, who is hitting .408, to center field and bench Jim Piersall.

Dow Finsterwald Leader in Open

Ft. Wayne, Ind. —(U.P.)—Dow Finsterwald, unrattled by the "big name" golfers hot on his heels, led the pack today into the second round of the \$15,000 Ft. Wayne Open with a sizzling 7-under-par 65 under his belt.

The precision swinger from Bedford Heights, Ohio, left the field of 94 others behind Thursday with his consistent nines of 32 and 33 on the par 72 Elks Country Club course.

Doug Ford, Kiamasha Lake, N.Y., who won the event last year with a 72-hole total of 270, was one of a group of 11 pros and one amateur to hit 69.

Also in the top 26 were Gene Littler, Palm Springs, Calif., the No. 2 money - winner this season; former champ Art Wall, Ponca Manor, Pa.; Frank Stranahan, Toledo, Ohio, formerly a top amateur, and Julius Boros, Mid Pines, N. C.

KYJC To Carry Midweek Boxing

New York —(U.P.)—The Wednesday night boxing shows, which previously had been televised, also will be broadcast starting June 1. The broadcasts, which will start at 10:15 p.m. EDT, will be carried by 350 stations in the ABC network and will be beamed as far as Alaska and Hawaii.

Radio station KYJC, Medford, will be among stations who will carry the Wednesday night boxing shows starting June 1.

SPORTS

Individual Events Should Rouse Interest in PCC Tiff

Eugene —(U.P.)— Powerful Southern California is favored, as usual, to capture the Pacific Coast Conference track and field title here today and tomorrow but some of the individual events were expected to keep interest abuzz.

Some of the nation's top college milers are among the contestants, including NCAA champ Bill Dellinger of Oregon. There seemed little likelihood of a near four-minute mile, however.

Southern Cal's Ernie Shelton, the one-shoed high jumper, again will be shooting for the legendary seven-foot mark. He has been near six-foot-10 inches all season.

Oregon, Northern Division champ for the past two seasons, has strength in the distance events but seems outmanned by the powerful Trojan squad. Stanford and UCLA are strong in the field events and hurdles.

Preliminaries were scheduled this afternoon. Field events will start at 3:30 p.m. Saturday with running events to begin 30 minutes later.

Dellinger won the PCC title last season with a 4:14.8 mile. But his three chief competitors have run the mile at least three seconds faster this season with Bob Seaman of UCLA tops at 4:10.7. Other top flight milers are Sid Wing and Marty Montgomery of Southern California.

Ken Reiser of Oregon could win the two-mile but faces stiff competition from Bob Hunt of UCLA, Chuck Strong and Will King of Stanford and Lou Gourley of Idaho, and Fernando Ledesma of USC who has run under 9:10 this season.

Jim Bailey, the Oregon soph, has the best time in the 880 by a full second but if Seaman should run this race also he would provide stiff competition.

Bob Gary of Washington State was a double-winner threat in the 100 and 220 yard dashes. Walt Garrett of Stanford was a favorite in the 440 along with Mike Larrabee of USC and Russ Ellis of UCLA.

Ray Martin of USC and Don Vick of UCLA both have put the shot more than 55 feet. Vick will challenge versatile Des Kock's also of USC, in the discus. Stanford's John Bugge and Chuck Kimball were strong contenders in the javelin with Jerry Church of Oregon State, Ed Bingham of Oregon and Koch and Bob Voiles of USC also contenders.

The broad jump appeared an evenly matched event among Oregon's Martin Pedigo, UCLA's Chuck Holloway, Stanford's Frank Hermann and Jon Arnett of USC.

Lake o' Woods Resort Opening

Ice on the lake thawed two weeks ago and fishing should be good for rainbow trout at Lake o' Woods. That is the report of Mrs. Tom Neeley, Medford, one of the resort proprietors.

Trout angling season at the lake starts on Saturday, May 28.

Mrs. Neeley stated that the resort will be open for business with boats, motors and cabins for rent, groceries for sale and coffee shop available.

Dead Indian and Klamath Falls routes to the lake are open but the road from Fish Lake to Lake o' Woods were reported closed. Roads around the lake were being plowed this week and were expected to be open by the week end.

George Bosley, caretaker at the lake, purchased a Sno-Cat last fall. He has found it satisfactory for reaching all summer homes during the winter to check for damage Mrs. Neeley reported. He found little damage from wind, snow and ice. A tree fell on the Lavenick cabin and considerably damaged one room.

The Neeleys went to the lake early in May, being taken in by Sno-Cat. They reported one tree down but no damage to the cabins.

Helbig's Hitting Paces Tri-City

Dwane Helbig of Tri-City was in a hitting mood last night and his clouts helped the Braves to a 10-1 victory over Lewiston in one of two games played in the Northwest League.

Helbig wasted no time getting under way, smacking a four-run homer in the first inning. He singled in another run in the ninth for good measure.

Wenatchee enjoyed a five-run inning and the league-leading Chiefs saved it until it was needed. Wenatchee got five in the eighth to break a 4-4 tie and hand Yakima a 9-5 defeat.

A scheduled Eugene at Spokane game was postponed because of rain.

Drain Mound Corps New This Season

Roseburg — Major difference in the Drain Black Sox of the Southern Oregon Baseball League this season will be a complete new corps of pitchers.

Del Coursey and Carl Wickham will be missing from the defending championship team. Hurlers in their places will be Bob Diller, Jerry Bartow and Dick Weaver.

Diller pitched for Grants Pass in the SOL last summer. This year he had a 2-0 record for Linfield college which is coached by Roy Helser, manager of the Black Sox. Bartow, a Washington State college athlete, won't be available until the June 11-12 series with Coquille. Weaver was hurler for the Eugene Cascades last year.

Bettendorf New Jerry Bettendorf, third baseman from Oregon State college, is another newcomer to the Sox.

Returning infielders are Don Porter and Vern Marshall, first basemen; Ad Rutschman, second baseman; Bob Buob, shortstop and Bob Cellars, third baseman. Porter had a .364 hit average and a .636 slugging mark at Linfield this year. Marshall had a .340 mark in batting at Linfield. Rutschman, ex - Linfield, has been a coach at Hillsboro high, and Buob is an Oregon State. Cellars has been with the University of Oregon Frosh.

Bill Beard, veteran pro and semi-pro player, is back as catcher. Returning outfielders are Pat Wohlers and Ted Wilson, a couple of veterans.

Helser is still trying to line-up a few players.

Drain entertains Grants Pass Saturday and Sunday.

Costa Opposes Perez Tonight

New York —(U.P.)— Featherweight contenders Carmelo Costa and Lulu Perez, two speedy kids from Brooklyn, meet tonight in a TV-radio 10-round bout that could provide the fastest ring - action of the year.

Moreover, the battle of these two jet-scrappers in Madison Square Garden will decide which shall continue toward a shot at the 126-pound crown. Right now the division is utterly devoid of a worthwhile challenger for Sandy Saddler's title.

Costa is ranked sixth among contenders; Perez, seventh.

Tonight's principals are the fastest men in their class—perhaps the speediest, pound for pound, in any class. But neither can approach Saddler in explosiveness.

Black - haired Perez, the 22-year-old son of a hotel chef, is a fair puncher, and he is a slight favorite at 6-5 to win tonight.

Sports Broadcasts

Radio station KYJC has announced plans to interrupt its programs at intervals on Monday to keep listeners posted on the progress of the Indianapolis auto race.

GRANTS PASS, ALBANY LOSE IN STATE DIAMOND TOURNNEY

Albany—(U.P.)—Columbia Prep meets Central Catholic of Portland, and Oregon City meets The Dalles tonight in semi-final action in the 1955 state prep baseball tournament.

The Dalles edged Albany 1-0 in last night's feature game. Irwin Fandry tripled and scored on an error for the game's only run. Winning pitcher was Denny Peterson, who struck out 11.

In other games, Columbia Prep eked past Springfield, 4-3; Central Catholic defeated Cleveland 3-1, and Oregon City out-classed Grants Pass 12-2.

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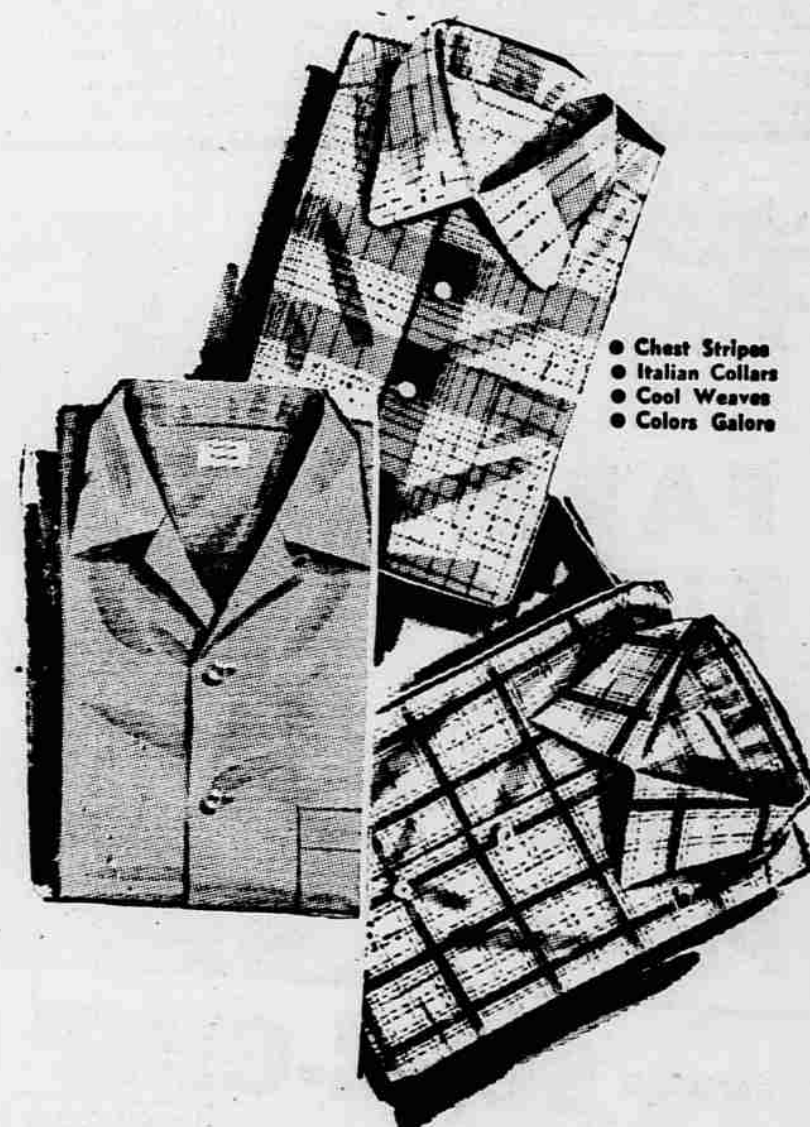
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