

Crater High Baseball Nine Blasts Eagle Point 10-2

Central Point—Crater high utilized its 10 hits, nine Eagle miscues and the two-hit hurling of Fred Herrmann and Wayne Allen here yesterday to whack Eagle Point 10 to 2 in a non-league baseball game.

The Comets got five of their runs in the first inning on singles by Allen and Herrmann, five errors and a fielder's option. Five more went over home plate in the sixth canto on a triple by Herrmann, singles by Neil Green, Thurman Striplin and Randy Campbell, a fielder's choice and a base on balls. In the seventh panel Bob Fowler,

Ed Koch and Striplin singled for a marker.

Eagle Point picked up a single counter in the fifth inning when Dean Tibbits doubled and tallied with the aid of errors. Comet errors and Dusty Gerbing's sacrifice bunt allowed Tibbits to get the other Eagle score in the seventh chucker.

Herrmann pitched for five innings, permitting a hit and a run, walking one and whiffing nine batters. Allen allowed a hit and run, struck out two and walked one in two innings. Eagle twirler Dennis Boren fanned seven and gave up one base on balls.

Striplin and Herrmann each got two hits for Crater. Errol Tresham slapped one of the two Eagle safeties.

Eagle Point meets the Grants Pass junior varsity at GP on Friday while Crater is host the same day at Central Point for two games with Medford, one a Southern Oregon conference counter.

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Herrmann, Allen (6) and Campbell, Boren and Tresham.

Heavy Week Of Activity For Athletes

Spring sports among high schools in this section of Oregon are in full swing. That is evidenced by this week's heavy schedule which reaches its peak on the week end.

Activity opened last night with Crater and Eagle Point baseball teams meeting. This afternoon Medford was to oppose Grants Pass in Southern Oregon conference baseball and Rogue River was to play at Talent in the Jackson County B league.

St. Mary's of Medford trackmen and Glendale go to Rogue River for a triangular session on Wednesday and Jacksonville will face St. Mary's at the fairgrounds here on Thursday in B league baseball.

Medford, Crater Vie
In Friday baseball Medford will take on Crater at Central Point in two games. Ashland will vie at Klamath Falls in a doublebill. Butte Falls will play at Prospect, Crater junior varsity will travel to Jacksonville and Eagle Point will meet the Grants Pass jayvees at GP.

Also on Friday Eagle Point will be host to Illinois Valley and Phoenix in a three-way track meet and Medford will entertain Roseburg in a tennis match. Junior high action will match the McLoughlin and Grants Pass seventh, eighth and ninth graders here.

Saturday track competition will feature the Grants Pass Rotary tussle with Medford, Crater and Roseburg as guests. Ashland will be host to Klamath Falls. Medford's golf team will go to Coos Bay on Saturday and the tennis team has a date at Klamath Falls.

Dayton, Ohio—(U.P.)—A pair of Detroit bowlers held to their newly won spot atop the doubles of the Women's International Bowling Congress as rolling continued today. They scored an 1,173.

Basketball's Top Big Men On Pro Tour

Oregon State College, Corvallis—State of Oregon basketball fans, who in the past several years have watched some of the tallest college players perform, will have a chance to see the best "big men" of the professional circuit here Saturday night, April 20, when the touring Boston Celtics meet the Major League all-stars.

Although a large crowd is expected to watch the professionals make their only state of Oregon appearance, plenty of good seats are still available and can be purchased either at the ticket office in the Coliseum or through the malls. All seats are reserved and are priced at \$2.50 each.

Most of the players is a young man well familiar to Willamette valley fans who watched the University of San Francisco spin western regional NCAA titles here in 1955 and 1956. He is 6-10 Bill Russell, who out-dueled OSC's Swede Halbrook here in 1955 and the lad who led USF to a pair of national championships. Russell was one of the stars of the year for Boston, although top rookie honors went to his teammate Tom Heinsohn.

10-Year Veteran
Second biggest man is also a Celtic, 6-9 Arnie Risen, a 10-year veteran in the NBA who originally played for Ohio State. Two 6-8 players—both with the all-stars—are Dolph Schayes, Syracuse, and Neil Johnston, Philadelphia. Keeping them company in the "clouds" are three 6-7 standouts—Boston's Jack Nichols and Heinsohn and All-Star Bob Houbregs of the Fort Wayne Pistons.

In the 6-6 and 6-5 "shorter" classification come Mel Hutchins, Dick Hemric, George Yardley, Cal Braun, Jim Loscutt and Lou Tsiropoulos. Smallest man on either squad is Dick McGuire of New York, although Boston's Bob Cousy stands at 6-1 and his teammate Bill Sharman at 6-2. There are some critics who claim that Cousy and Sharman are far more valuable performers than any of the big men in basketball today.

The squads started their tour Monday in Des Moines, Ia., and before appearing in Corvallis will be at Denver, Salt Lake City and Spokane. A large throng at Corvallis would insure future visits by the touring professionals.

Mails Says Juvenile Delinquency Would Be Reduced If Youngsters Felt Parents Cared for Them

By SCOTT BAILLIE
San Francisco (U.P.)—Walter (The Great) Mails, Cleveland's 12-admitted hero of the 1920 World Series, thinks juvenile delinquency would be reduced if youngsters felt that their parents really cared for them.

"Some people seem too laconical now about their children," the debonair southpaw said today as he looked out the window toward where a few small fry were sneaking onto a bus through the exit doors. "I've been to high school graduations where kids have shown up all alone to get their diplomas. The parents chose to stay home or go some place else."

Mails, who carefully has built his own reputation as a brash ballplayer into a legend, said that one of his great moments came when he took the mound to pitch and saw his folks in the stands.

Little League Helps
"Then I knew they were interested in me and in what I was doing," Mails said. "It meant a whole of a lot."

Now enjoying his second term as publicist for the San Francisco Seals, Mails made his observations in the wake of recent teenage riots which have plagued his native Marin county about 20 miles north of here. "Something ought to be done about bringing families closer together," he continued. "The Little League has helped accomplish this and we need more projects along that line."

Mails has his own pet program which still is waiting to be launched. He would like to form a traveling squad consisting of golfer Harvie Ward, swimmer Ann Curtis, basketball Hank Luisetti and pro football tackle Lou St. Claire. All are established in their field.

"They would go from school to school telling assemblies what

SPORTS BOWLING

CLASSIC LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
Crater Girls	4	0	1.000
Shady Cove	3	1	.833
Eagle Point	3	2	.600
YMCA Girls	2	2	.500
Howard	2	2	.500
Central Point	2	4	.333
Oak Grove	0	4	.000
Griffin Creek	0	4	.000
Elk-Trail	0	4	.000

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Milwaukee Confident Of '56 Flag

Milwaukee, Wis. — (U.P.) — The Milwaukee Braves, baseball's most successful team in history at the turnstiles, but runners-up in the standings two years in a row, opened their most critical season today since moving here from Boston four years ago.

Fans in Braveland expect a National League pennant this season, after the near-miss in 1956 when two losses in the final series with St. Louis gave the pennant to Brooklyn by one game.

The Braves from manager Fred Haney to the batboy are confident they can win the top prize. So confident, they didn't make any trades or bring up any talented rookies from their farm teams to strengthen the two alleged weak spots in their lineup—second base and left field.

Critics to the contrary, the Braves' starting lineup today at Chicago was the same one used most of last season, including second baseman Danny O'Connell and left fielder Bobby Thomson.

The critics said the Braves would have to find replacement

Redding Victor In Team Ruckus

Redding, Calif., golfers defeated Rogue Valley Country club men 68 to 24 Sunday in a team match at Redding.

Dick Bailey, Redding, was low gross for the day with a 66 card. Jim Sheldon had low card for Medford linksmen, Deane Lambert was low net for RVCC with a 70.

In the match between the pros, Ed Laustalot, Redding, had a 70 and Al Williams, Medford, a 73.

In Saturday ball sweepstakes at the Medford course, Ed Hall was low gross with a 75. Bill Catey, Paul Meyer and Bill Marshall tied for low net with 71s. Blind bogey went to Gain Robinson and Merle Emmians with 81s.

ments for O'Connell and Thomson if they hoped to cop the pennant. Trades involving the pair were rumored many times during the winter, but nothing materialized.

Haney has said all along that he feels he can win with his 1956 lineup, despite criticism that it lacked "courage" in the clutch.

THREE CO-CAPTAINS

Atlanta, Ga. — (U.P.) — The Georgia Tech basketball team established a precedent today when it named three players as co-captains. They are Jim Johnson, Gary Phillips and Terry Randall.

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