

Crater Baseballers Whip Pelicans Twice

Grants Pass kept its undefeated hold on first place and Crater took over unshared second position in the Southern Oregon conference baseball campaign with victories on Friday.

The Cavemen of GP tripped Coland 3 to 2 in a counting game and 6 to 0 in the non-loop. Crater swept a doubleheader at Falls with both results going into the league standings.

Highlights of the day were the strikeout pitching by Fred Wermann in Crater's second win over the Pelicans and the hit chugging by Mark Fitch Ashland in a losing cause.

Fitch tossed a three-hitter and drove in the winning run with a single in the seventh inning of the finale at Central Point. The Comets got four-hitting from Wayne Allen and slashed out 11 safe blows themselves in whacking the Pelicans opener.

Second Tippetts smashed the Pelits by GP off Fitch. It was a home run with one aboard in the seventh and was the game-winning home run.

Senior School Record

The Crater school total by Herrmann tied the school record he set last year against Illinois Valley. That performance still is tops for the Rogue league, of which Crater is no longer a member.

Score was tied at 2-all as Crater came to bat in the bottom of the seventh inning of the second encounter Friday. Bob Fowler and Paul Beach grounded out. Ed Koch and Thurman Striplin were hit by pitches, and Allen drew a walk to load the bases. Herrmann lined down offering by KF freshman to batter Blake Griggs into right field to break up the game.

Herrmann almost did not go to first on his rap. Seeing Koch cross the base line and started for the bench. Teammates, however, waved and shouted him back on to the bag.

Klamath took a 2 to 0 lead in the first inning on an error, a sacrifice by Smiley Herrera and a single by Joe Tawney. Another error sacrifice again by Herrera and a hit by Butch Kimpston. Crater tied twice in the third frame on two errors, a single by Koch and a groundout by Allen.

Herrmann issued no walks and Griggs gave no passes until the final canto. The Klamath thrower struck out six.

Allen whiffed five and walked four in the opener. He helped with a double and single. Herrmann swatted two three-baggers, Fowler a triple and a single and Neil Green two safeties.

The Comets got four runs on five hits in the third inning, another on three raps in the fourth and two on two hits, a stolen base and a hit batter in the sixth. Pels scored in the seventh on a base on balls, a double by Herrera and single by Bramble.

Asch went to the field in the bottom of the seventh leading 1-1 at Grants Pass as Fitch held the Cavemen hitless. L. Jaquette drew a walk from Ashland chucker and Richard Condray sacrificed him to second. Jack Williams went in to pitch for Jaquette. Tippetts lined for left field.

SOUTHERN OREGON CONFERENCE STANDINGS:

Team	W	L	Pct
Grants Pass	3	1	0.750
Crater	3	1	.750
Ashland	1	3	.250
Klamath Falls	1	3	.250
Medford	1	3	.250

Oregon State Whacks WSC

Corvallis — (U.P.) — The Oregon State Beavers walloped the Washington State Cougars 12-2 Friday in a Northern Division baseball game. It was the third straight loss for the Cougars since they began defense of their Northern division title.

The Beavers tagged Cougar pitcher Roy Davis for 14 hits — including a triple and a double — by sophomore outfielder Kim Bradshaw and three singles by Tom Hunt. The winning pitcher, Syl Johnson, allowed the visitors only four hits.

Brief Cougar Lead

The Cougars had a brief lead when Maury Winter singled home Ron Hare from second in the third inning but the Beavers made three runs on three hits in the same inning.

The Beavers after one run in the fourth inning exploded in the seventh with five tallies for six safe hits. To clinch the game they made three more on three hits in the next inning after Cougar Floyd Damon doubled home Winter from second.



WEIGHTLIFTING AT Y—Jim Clark receives instruction in weightlifting here from Francis (Lucky) Heuer at the YMCA. Heuer is in charge of class scheduled Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 4 to 6 p.m. at the YMCA for boys 14 years of age and over.

B Loop Toga Within Grasp Of Prospect; Talent Wins

JACKSON COUNTY B LEAGUE STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Pct
Talent	3	1	.750
Prospect	2	2	.500
Jacksonville	1	2	.333
Rogue River	0	4	.000

Prospect high was only one game away from the Jackson County B league baseball championship after trimming Jacksonville 3 to 1 on Friday.

Talent was alone in third place after another Friday win. The Bulldogs outscored St. Mary's of Medford 9 to 6. In a Thursday day Butte Falls cemented its grip on second spot by whipping Rogue River 17 to 3.

Don Vannice threw a one-hitter for Prospect against Jacksonville. He struck out 13 batters and walked three.

The Cougars combined a safety by Dave Gardner, a double by Mickey Ring, a walk and a groundout by Vannice for two runs in the first inning. The other marker was in the fifth inning when Gardner singled and stole second base and Vannice singled.

Jacksonville got its run in the last inning when Gary West tripled and raced home on Joe Hogan's bunt.

Smith recorded four-hit pitching for Jacksonville.

Talent broke a 4-all deadlock with three runs in the fifth inning. Paul Connors twirled a six hit game for the Bulldogs. He gave six bases on balls and whiffed eight batters. Ron Weinhold and Bill Snyder each hit twice in three times up for Talent. Weinhold smacked a double.

Butte Falls had an eight-run sixth inning in trouncing Rogue River. The scores came in on six hits, two errors and a base on balls. Bill Irwin, Don Hawkins and Don Ellis each got two doubles for Butte Falls. Byron Cordes collected three of Rogue River's five hits, one a triple.

In scuffles billed for next Friday Prospect will be host to Rogue River, Butte Falls will entertain St. Mary's and Jacksonville will be "at home" to Talent. A make-up game between St. Mary's and Jacksonville will complete the regular B league slate.

Villanova Is Penn Relay Triple Winner

Philadelphia — (U.P.) — Villanova university, with Olympic 400 meter champion Charley Jenkins pouring on the coal in a 46.4 anchor leg, raced from behind Saturday to take the classic mile by two yards and become a triple winner in the Penn relays.

The Wildcats of Jim Elliott, already victor in the sprint medley and the distance medley, chalked up the big win in 3:12.7 when Jenkins overcame a three-yard deficit, fought off terrific challenges by Texas and Morgan state, and then whipped under the wire ahead of Eddie Southern, the Longhorn anchorman. The Texan was a wisp ahead of Morgan State's Bob McMurray, who was clocked in 45.9.

It was the race of a meet that saw six major records and 13 of a minor nature set, and blossomed into a natural when Texas, Villanova and Manhattan, each in the double-winner class, went gunning for the triple crown.

Villanova had salted away the sprint and distance medleys; Texas, in its first appearance at the relays since 1936, equaled the meet records in winning the 440 and 880 relays, and Manhattan, shut out last year, was the winner in the two-mile and four-mile.

Washington Clubs Idaho

Seattle — (U.P.) — The Washington Huskies took advantage of loose Idaho fielding Friday to rack up a 5-0 victory over Vandals in a Northern Division baseball game.

The Huskies got only two hits — one a fourth inning homer by Monte Geiger — off Doug Randall but they capitalized on four Vandal boots to score four unearned runs.

George Kritsonis was credited with the victory for Washington although he pitched only four innings.

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SPORTS

Weightlifting Class At YMCA Starts Monday

A weightlifting class for boys 14 years of age and over will begin Monday at the Medford YMCA.

The class will be conducted each Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 4 to 6 p.m. Francis (Lucky) Heuer will be instructor.

The Y also has a men's and boys' general gym class on Mondays and Wednesdays from 5:15 to 7 p.m. and a men's program from noon until 1 p.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Classes include weightlifting, volleyball, handball, badminton and swimming.

A men's and boys' volleyball class is conducted from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

The Y also has scheduled gym classes to be followed by free swim periods on Mondays and Saturdays for boys in the 9 to 12 age group. Monday classes are to be at 4 p.m. with swim from 4:45 to 5:15 p.m. On Saturday the gym will be open to the boys from 9 to 10:30 a.m. and the point from 10 to 11 a.m. Gym activity will include games, trampolining, relays, stunts and tumbling.

Those interested can obtain complete details on any of the activities by calling at or telephoning the YMCA office.

Joe Louis Heart Condition Better

Chicago — (U.P.) — Things were looking up a bit for former heavy-weight champ Joe Louis. His pocketbook might be at a bit weak but his heart is stronger than first thought.

Louis was told Friday his heart condition had improved enough so that he might be able to resume his job as a referee of wrestling matches. The income tax-troubled Louis is in a position to welcome any source of added revenue.

MHS Golfers Top Pirates

Medford high golfers won from Marshfield 410 to 443 in a match at Rogue Valley Country club yesterday.

Gene Johnson of the Coos Bay club and Tom Hamlin of Medford were co-medalists with 80s.

Medford scores included Phil Mongrain 81, Dick Cople 82, Stewart Schroeder 83 and Gary Harrington 84. For Marshfield John Forrester and Peterson had 87s and Larry Bick 89.

BEARCATS WINNERS

Salem — (U.P.) — Willamette's golf team downed Pacific 72½ to 5½, here Friday in a Northwest Conference match. It was the Bearcats fourth straight conference victory.

Kid Bassey Fight Victor

Washington — (U.P.) — Hogan Kid Bassey's manager threatened to return to England "unless we can sign up a featherweight title fight within two or three days."

Manager George Biddle made the statement following the dazzling American debut Friday night of the powerfully-built Bassey, British Empire champion from Nigeria, Africa. Bassey overwhelmed Miguel Berrios of Puerto Rico by brute force in their nationally-televised 12-round bout to score a unanimous upset, victory. Bassey entered the ring a 9-6 underdog.

The fight was billed as an elimination bout with the winner to meet Cherif Hamia of France for the vacant world title.

In Montreal, Hamia's manager, Philippe Felippi, indicated willingness to match his fighter with Bassey for the crown.

Walker Cupper Defeats Robbins

Pinehurst, N.C. — (U.P.) — Walker Cupper Bill Campbell found security in a red-hot putter Saturday to down defending champion Hillman Robbins Jr., 3 and 2, in the final round of the North and South Amateur Golf championship.

Campbell, a Huntington, W. Va., insurance salesman and father of five, had trouble with his tee shots but could do no wrong with his putter to thwart Robbins' bid to become the first champion to succeed himself in 19 years here.

Crater Frosh Top Hedrick

Crater high freshmen defeated Hedrick Junior high ninth graders 70 to 52 on Friday in a dual track meet here.

The Comet thinclads collected 10 first places, Hedrick claimed four firsts.

RESULTS:

Shot put—Williamson C. Whipple H. Jensen H. 46-3.
Pole vault—Fred C. Goyette and Johnson C. tied second, 10.3.
Javelin—Johnson C. Turner C.; Anderson H. 131.9.
High hurdles—Michael C. Beach H. Humber C. 10.8.
75 dash—Griggs H. Woods C.; Eldred C. 30.3.
High jump—Michael C. Mee H. Moore H. 5-5.
Three-fourths mile—Farrish C. Cantrell H. Lump C. 3:40.2.
Broad jump—Griggs H. Mee H.; Turner 18-1.
150 dash—Griggs H. D. Gillaspay C. R. Gillaspay C. 16.2.
660 dash—Beach H.; Jensen H.; Burns C. 1:42.8.
440 relay—Crater (Eldred, R. Gillaspay, D. Gillaspay, Woods), 3:52.

Referees For Basilio Card Named

Ring officials for the professional boxing card at Hedrick Junior high school gym on May 6 were announced today by Promoter Harry Chipman, who will present the card in cooperation with the Portland Boxing club.

Chipman said that Earl Yoakley, veteran referee, will be the third man in the ring for the exhibition by Carmen Basilio, world welterweight champion, and for the main event, Amos Lincoln, Portland, will clash with Bill Mathias, Oakland, in the 10-round finale.

Hugh Jennings, PAL club boxing instructor and former outstanding amateur in midwest rings, will referee the four preliminary matches.

Chipman said that judges will be Jimmy Zack, also connected with the Medford PAL club, and Don Cain, Oregon State Police officer.

Tickets for the card are on sale at Lampport's Sporting Goods store, Brown's cafe and the Wooden Shoe lounge in Medford and at the Greyhound Tavern in Ashland.

IV Divides With Eagles

Eagle Point — Illinois Valley and Eagle Point highs split a Rogue league doubleheader here Saturday.

IV's Cougars copped the starter 8 to 3 but the Eagles came back to overwhelm the Cave Junction club 19 to 0 in the second mix.

Eagle Point collected seven runs in the third inning and 10 in the fourth of the second mix. Dennis Boren slapped a three-run homer eand Errol Tresham a bases-loaded triple for the Eagles.

LINESCORES:

Illinois Valley 001 202 3-8 9 1
Eagle Point 011 010 0-3 4 5
Slanaker and Beem; Boren Tresham.

Illinois Valley 000 00-0 0 4 2
Eagle Point 207 (10X)-19 16 0

Yankee Farmhand Batting Champ

Columbus, Ohio — (U.P.) — William J. Fries, a 22-year-old New York Yankee farmhand, was officially crowned the minor league rookie batting champion of 1956 Saturday.

President George M. Trautman of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, designated Fries as the winner of the Spalding Trophy award for his .394 batting average in the Class D Nebraska state league.

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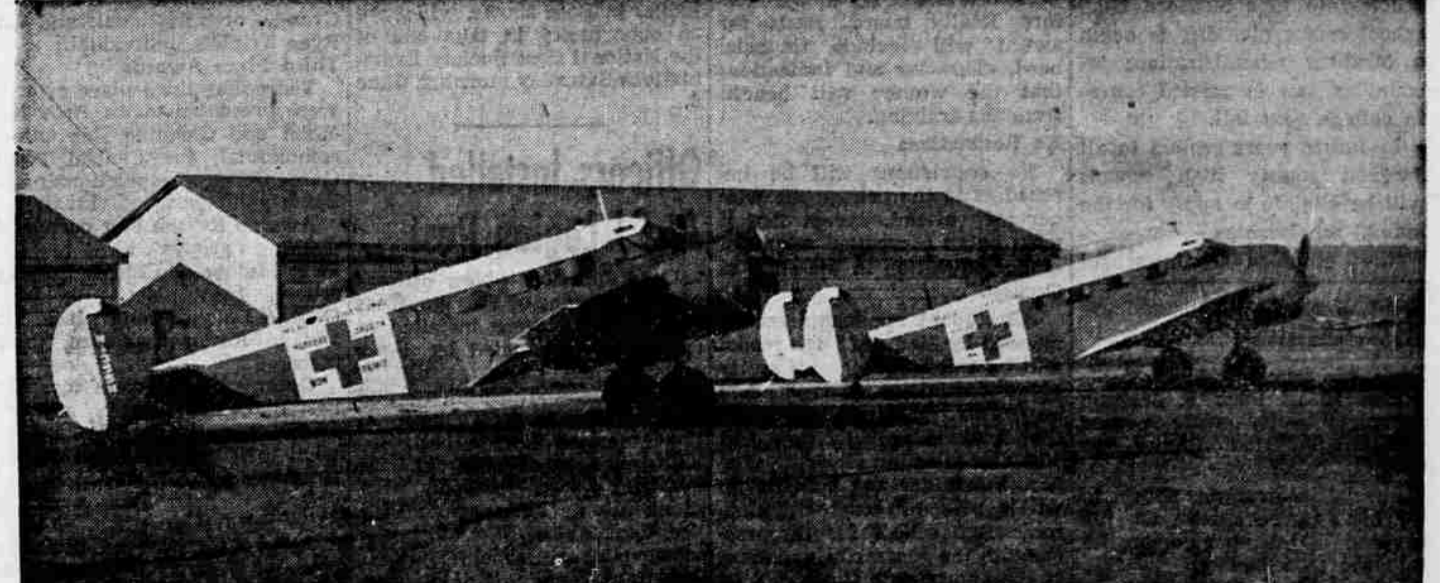
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Neshkahnne 4-0, Nestucca 2-3
Corvallis 6, North Salem 2
Lowell 2, Crow 0
Sandy 6, Dalles 4
Central 6, Beaverton 5
David Douglas 5, Gresham 0
Philomath 3, Sheridan 1
Albany 4, Sweet Home 0
Gaston 7, Coquille 3
Jefferson 4, Benson 4
Cleveland 4, Washington 3
Franklin 5, Wilson 1
Lincoln 5, Rosevelt 4
Hillsboro 3, Parkrose 2
Crater 7-3, Klamath Falls 2-2

BOWLING

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Standings

Team	W	L
Jaycees	25	7
Snoobys	20	12
Jorgensen's Dairy	19 1/2	12 1/2
City Hall	19	13
Domestic Laundry	18 1/2	13 1/2
Richfield Oil Co.	18	14
Communications Workers	17	15
Linninger Ready Mix	17	19
Picard's Jewelers	13	19
Red Blanket Lumber Co.	11	21
Donna Timber Products	10	22
Rail Rogues	8	24

Results:

Team	W	L
Richfield	4	1
Findley	485	451
Kennedy	415	425
Kunz	477	452
Dickinson	488	461
Kreer	Handicap	24
	2356	2394

Red Blanket 1 Jaycees 3
Murray 515 Walsh 433
Eggs 329 DeLearat 383
Stewart 431 Holmes 514
Fuller 446 Bernardi 474
Patterson 329 Gates 11
Handicap 33

2308 2383

Snoobys 3 Donna Timber 1
Allen 412 Lue 477
(Absentee) 411 Harris 434
Friedrich 451 Hartrose 420
Mager 459 Brooks 403
Couch 482 Kessler 422
Handicap 18

2305 2262

Jorgensen's 3 Rail Rogues 1
Schrein 400 Harnsberger 387
Lue 428 McKinstry 323
Athens 436 Hjelm 416
Bauman 477 Hughes 383
Elias 602 Handicap 306

2344 2215

Linninger's 1 Picard's 3
Kincaid 335 Baker 428
Milhoan 415 Picard 501
McGuire 329 (Absentee) 459
Mitchellree 405 Christianson 503
Ross 472 Graham 436
Handicap 219

2245 2327

Domestic 3 CWA 4
Coy 445 Olsen 441
Louis 445 Martineau 432
Casey 483 Eads 457
Knex 418 Thornton 510
Liddell 516 Kelly 432
Handicap 117

2365 2349

FIELD GAME BOX:

Klamath Falls AB R H PO A E
Herrmann 3 1 1 2 1 0
Bramwell 3 0 1 2 0 0
Tawney 4 0 1 2 0 0
Klamath 2b 3 0 1 2 0 0
Tracey, cf 3 0 1 2 0 0
Clark, 1b 3 0 0 2 0 0
McGill, rf 1 0 0 0 0 0
Brown, lf 2 0 0 0 0 0
Ken Bellum, e 2 1 0 0 0 0
Carney, p 0 0 0 1 0 1
Rusth, p 0 0 0 1 0 1
Caldwell 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 26 2 4 18 5 0
*Filed out for Rusth in 7th.

Crater AB R H PO A E
Allen, p 4 2 2 0 1 0
Striplin, 2b, ss 4 2 2 0 1 3
Herrmann, rf, 2b 2 2 2 2 2 1
Campbell, 1b 3 1 1 5 0 0
N. Green, lf 3 1 1 5 0 0
Rainey, cf 4 1 1 4 0 0
Fowler, 3b 2 1 1 0 0 0
Koch, lf 1 0 0 2 0 0
S. Green, ss 2 0 0 0 0 1
Beach, rf 2 0 0 2 1 0

Total 28 7 11 21 7 3

Klamath Falls 000 000 2-2
Crater 004 102 X-7

2ND GAME LINESCORE:

Klamath Falls 101 000 0-2 3 3
Crater 002 000 1-3 3 3
Griggs and Caldwell; Herrman and Campbell.

FIRST GAME

Ashland 101 000 0-2 6 2
Grants Pass 000 001 2-3 1 3
Fitch and Murray; Smith and Tippetts.

SECOND GAME

Ashland 000 00-0 0 2 2
Grants Pass 140 1X-8 6 1
Bowlin, Stemple 3 and P. Simpson; Hayes and Honeycutt, Dicks 5.