

# Rogue Relay Track Encounter Here on Saturday Afternoon

**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:**  
 1 p.m.—Pole vault and high hurdles.  
 1:30 p.m.—Shot put and high jump relays.  
 2 p.m.—140 relay and javelin.  
 2:15 p.m.—1-mile relay.  
 2:30 p.m.—Discus and broad jump relay.  
 2:45 p.m.—380 relay.  
 2:50 p.m.—Distance medley.  
 3:00 p.m.—Shuttle hurdles.  
 3:15 p.m.—Mile relay.

Biggest track meet of the 1961 season on the Medford High school oval is scheduled on Saturday.  
 It's the 22nd annual Rogue Valley relays with the Medford Black Tornado and the Medford Kiwanis club as hosts.

The five northern Oregon conference schools, Crater, Ashland, Grants Pass, Klamath Falls and Medford, are the contestants. As many as 15 athletes are expected to participate. Ashland, ranks of which are thin, likely will enter more than 20 athletes. Other schools are to have 30 or more in action.

Medford is the defending titlist and is expected to battle it out with a power-laden Grants Pass aggregation for the Kiwanis trophy. The two schools rank as top contenders because of their greater depth and because of strength shown in previous events this season.

## Hood Out of Meet

The Black Tornado of Medford saw its title hopes suffer a blow this week when something gave way in the top of Mike Hood's foot as he was running in practice. He was being counted on in the high hurdles and in the broad jump and high jump relays. Coach Dean Benson said that Hood will miss tomorrow's encounter and possibly the Haywards on the following week end in Eugene. There is no broken bone, Benson reported.

## On the "uncertain" list for Ashland is Dave Colwell, vaulter and javelin man, who has an elbow infection.

There will be 13 events in the Saturday meet. Only javelin, discus, shot put and pole vault will be scored on individual basis. All other contests, including the shot put, high jump and broad jump, will be relays. In the shot and broad jump the distances of the three best jumpers of each school will be totaled and in the high jump the three top heights for each school will be added.

## Shuttles on Turf

The shuttle hurdles will be another three-man event and will be back and forth on the turf rather than around the track with each runner going 100 yards. Other relays will have four participants from each school. The distance medley will be for 2 1/4 miles with runners going three-fourths of a mile, a half-mile, a quarter-mile and a mile.

This will be one of two appearances on its home oval this year for the Tornado. Medford's only other home meet is a dual in May against Grants Pass.

Medford holds 11 of the 13 records in the meet with one of the 10 shared by Ashland. Two are held by Grants Pass and one by Marshfield which made its last appearance here two years ago.

The meet will open at 1 p.m. with the high hurdles and start of the pole vault. Henry shows promise in the 440.

## MEDFORD ROSTER:

Pole vault—Bill Charley, Nick Litgren; javelin—Frank Kinney, Phil Baird; discus—Wayne Cowan, Tom Bortis, John James; shot put—Roy Shaw, Walt Ayres, Bill Charley; 440—Mike McCallough, Dick Gordon, Jim Schmidt or Scott Hampton; Phil Humphreys, alternate Dick Andrews; 880—Humphreys, Kent

Blew, Scott Eaton, Bob McIntyre, alternate Gordon; 2-mile—Ron Caulkins, Jim Snodgrass, Bob Rix, Don Miller, alternate Fred Keith; mile—Charley, Rix, Blew, McIntyre, alternates Keith and Snodgrass; distance medley—Dennis Brumback, Bruce Neidermeyer, Bill Rupp, Bill Dahlstrom, alternate Shaw; broad jump—Blew, Humphreys, Sieg, Gary Spafford; shot put—Bortis, Al Funston, Cowan; high jump—Eaton, McIntyre, Dale Stanfield; shuttle hurdles—Eaton, Andrews, Ayres, CRATER ROSTER:

Pole vault—None; javelin—Wayne Martin, Gilbert Harrison, Dick Muller; discus—Bill Kropp, Tom Kimball, Rick Lester; 440—Gary Wald, Bob Robinson, Jerald Brown, W. Martin; shot put—Kropp, Dave Molloy, Dennis Edwards, Dave Burns; high jump—Dwight James, John Champ, Paul Branson, Nate Henry; 2-mile—Ron McAvin, David Hixon; 880—Wald, Robinson, Brown, W. Martin; distance medley—Steve Howell, Bob Larson, Nate Olson, Burns or Loren Cockran; broad jump relay—Champ, Brown, Rix, Tom Richardson, Champ or Baird; mile—Joe McCarley, Dennis Hamlin; shot put—Stewart, A. Graham, Bonzon, Harrison; broad jump—Higginbotham, O'Leary, Shepard, Isabel; 440—Higgin-

botham, Hull, Christensen, Graham; 880—Pilkington, M. Hull, Graham, Staley; 2-mile—Marshall, Montgomery, Waterman, Chronister; mile—Pilkington, Marshall, Chronister, Staley; distance medley—McLain, Lindquist, DeCoursey, Aleria or Fraender; shuttle and high hurdles—Cowan, Smith, Leary.

## KLAMATH FALLS ROSTER:

Pole vault—Ron Hitchcock, Ray Thorne; javelin—Allen Phillips, Bob Shaw, Bob Deardis; discus—Gary Hancock, Grover Dahn; high hurdles—Dale Sides, Jim English; 440—Larry McClure, Jim Kaler, Ken Lewis, Charles Richey; 880—Richard N. Brown, H. 10.5, Richey; 2-mile—Bill Roberts, Don J. Foster, Don Piper; mile—Albert, Doug Buckett, Jim Maxwell, Foster; distance medley—Jack Mitchell, Dahn, Piper, John Lewis; broad jump—Phillips, Dahn, Stacks, Kaler; shot put—Les Husted, Hancock, Charles Rooks, Rick Curran; high jump—Ash, Phillips, Gene Nelson, Dick Scott; shuttle hurdles—Sides, English, Ash.

## ASHLAND ROSTER:

Pole vault—Dave Colwell, Dan Lewis, Jeff Baker; javelin—Colwell, Dan Lewis, Dean Jackson; discus—Mike McCartney, Dave Everett, Richard Barnett; high hurdles—Bob Voss, 410—Tom Hess, Dan Cabalis, Richard Haver, Jim Schweizer; 880—same as 440; 2-mile—Farley Brown, Duke Wallace, Virgil Osborn, Ron Kirsher; mile—Osborn, Dave Dixon, Wallace, Gordon, Seif, distance medley—Bob Ford, Kirsher, Seif, Buell; broad jump—Voris, Forrest Farmer, Eric Jackson, Jack Mills, Larry Padria, Russ Blair, Vern Allen; high jump—Farmer, Kirsher, Seif, Kirsher, shuttle hurdles—Farmer, Jim Hamilton, Voris.

## GRANTS PASS ROSTER:

Wally West, Hughes, Ricks, Van Koten; alternates: McIntyre, Javelin—Ausland, Graham, 500 yds; discus—Curtis, White, Gries; high jump—Paulus, Dowsler, Shepard, Hamilton; shot put—Stewart, A. Graham, Bonzon, Harrison; broad jump—Higginbotham, O'Leary, Shepard, Isabel; 440—Higgin-

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TORNADO SHORTSTOP — Dan Miles, above, is shortstop for the Medford high baseball team which is playing this afternoon at Ashland. The Tornado goes to Roseburg on Saturday for an afternoon doubleheader.

## SPORTS

### North GP Winner in Track Tilt

North Grants Pass ninth grade took first in nine of the 14 events and seconds in 10 and swept two events yesterday to defeat Hedrick of Medford 81 to 41 in a junior high track meet.

### RESULTS:

1500—McCormack, N. Cole, N. Lindeman, N. 106-8.  
 High hurdles—Isabell, N. Randall, N. Brown, H. 10.5, 75—Van Koten, N. Henry, H. Magruder, H. 98-3.  
 Three-fourths mile—Jones, N. Hatt, H. Walstrom, N. 3:51.8.  
 Mile—Peterson, N. Wymen, N. Dehn, N. 47-7.  
 800—Henry, H. Magruder, H. Richard, N. 38-0.  
 High jump—Brown, H. Wymen, N. Head, N. 5-4 1/2.  
 Broad jump—Gain, H. Wright, N. Murray, H. 10-3.  
 Low hurdles—Van Koten, N. Sparke, N. Richard, H. 215.  
 150—Verstrate, H. Wright, N. Parrish, N. 118-0.  
 880—Cole, N. Cornett, N. Knight, H. 1:23-3.  
 Javelin—Dean, N. McCormack, N. Murray, H. 137-1.  
 Relay—Hedrick (Swartwager, Magruder, Verstrate, Henry), 47.4.  
 Pole vault—He first, Van Koten and Sparlin, N. Brown, H. (10 ft).

### OSC Downs Linfield

Corvallis (UPI)—Oregon State walloped Linfield 14-3 and 7-4 in a baseball doubleheader to extend its victory string to seven here Thursday.

### Beavers Split In Tulsa Tiffs

Homestead, Fla. (UPI)—The Portland Beavers split an exhibition baseball doubleheader with Tulsa here Thursday.

### Bulldogs Cop Cinder Event

The McLoughlin Junior High Eighth grade boys tennis team opened the season Wednesday in impressive style by swamping Hedrick 6 to 0.

### CLACKAMAS PICKS

Clackamas (UPI)—Bill Geister, who has served as head wrestling coach at Myrtle Point high school for the past five years, Thursday was named to the same post at Clackamas high school.

### FIGHTS

THURSDAY BOUTS  
 United Press International  
 Camden, N.J.—Len Mathews, 138, Philadelphia, outpointed Ed-Ed Armstrong, 140, Elizabeth, N.J. (10).

## Woods, Water, Wildlife

By Hank DeVoss

Apologies seem to be in order to those who would have been happy to try out the fishing in the game commission management area if only they were sure of the way out to it. It isn't too far, and since the fishing has been somewhat exciting it should be tried during this interim between trout seasons.

### THE WAY

The game commission management area is west and north of the Camp White mills. It is found by taking the Crater Lake highway as far as the Desert Service station and turning off left on to Agate road as the highway starts to swing to the right.

Another left turn within a quarter of a mile will lead him straight to the management headquarters buildings and the ponds. The largest pond can be seen quite easily as it is close to the buildings and to the right of Gregory road. There are two ponds that hold catfish, blugill and bass.

Three smaller ponds on the management area are to be found by keeping on Agate road beyond the mills to Mill-stary slough. These ponds are stocked with catfish. These ponds can't be fished out, and according to the experts, heavy fishing makes for better fishing.

Another large pond is planned below the present large one by the headquarters buildings. It will contain 20 acres of water and the same assortment of fish as the one above.

### FISH, FISH, FISH

Occasionally the complaint is heard that the game commission gives very little attention to the needs of the sportsmen of southern Oregon. It might be of interest to the complainers to attempt to digest the following bit of news.

The planting program for the Rogue river district during 1961 will bring in a grand total of over a million fish!

### OVER A MILLION?

That's what the man said. The exact number is 1,273,000 fish from fry to legal size. The Rogue, Applegate and Illinois systems will get a total of 135,000 legal size rainbow trout. The lakes will get 614,000 rainbow from fry to three inches in size. Fish lake will get another 40,000 eastern brook of the three-inch size.

Willow creek reservoir will get 100,000 kokanee salmon of fry size. The Rogue will get 59,000 summer steelhead of yearling size and the Medco pond will start with a nursery crop of 150,000 for future release when they reach migrating size. A release of 25,000 spring chinook yearlings will be made as part of the commission's program of augmenting the world-famous run of these fish. A total of 150,000 large mouth bass fry will be released in the three warm water reservoirs that are managed for spiny-ray fisheries.

### THE ANGLER'S LOG

The 1961 salmon season has several fish on the credit side of the ledger. The first one was landed on Monday afternoon off of Hanson's board at the Galice ranger station and was the only one beached out of three hooked. It was caught by Neil Thompson and weighed in at 19 1/2 pounds. Three more fish were landed in the Galice area on Tuesday, but Wednesday presented a river that was a muddy mess. No one knew the source of the mud that stopped fishing until very late in the day. Gold Beach reported that 80 chinooks were landed over the week end.

### THE CHINOOK

The Rogue river spring chinook has quite a reputation for fighting qualities as well as its fame as the finest eating salmon on the West Coast. Weighing in at 16 to 20 pounds when four years old, this fish is a worthy opponent

## Grade School Games Played

West Side, Oak Grove, Howard and Washington were among winners yesterday in Medford district elementary school baseball.

West Side beat Ruch 8 to 3, Oak Grove clipped Jacksonville 15 to 4, Howard ran over Griffin Creek 13 to 2 and Washington shellacked Jefferson 15 to 0.

Phil Taylor smashed a grand slam homer for Oak Grove in a 14-run third inning. Taylor, on the hill, ran into trouble in the second inning and Brad Thompson, in relief fanned the four batters he faced.

Winning pitcher Rickie Frohreich homered with two on for Howard. Griffin Creek had a double play, shortstop Denzil Carney to second baseman Mike Cartwright, Larry Young tripled with two on and Victor Johnson doubled for Washington and Mike Garnier hit for two bases for Jefferson. Mike Hickey, chucking for Washington, fanned five batters.

**LINESCORES:**  
 Ruch ..... 000 3-3 4 3  
 West Side ..... 134 x-6 4 1  
 Oak Grove ..... 15 4-0 1 5  
 Jacksonville ..... 04 0-4 1 5  
 Griffin Creek ..... 0114-13 6 5  
 Washington ..... 130 54-13 4 4  
 Howard ..... 001 01-2 3 3  
 Griffin Creek ..... 130 54-13 4 4  
 Frohreich and Moser; Carney, Fowler (2), Sander (4), Cartwright (5), Sander (3), Schlep (3) and Killingsworth.

Washington ..... 438 0-15 9 1  
 Jefferson ..... 000 0-0 2 5  
 Hickey and Landis; Hale, Barnes (1), Peterson (3), Smith (4) and Wager.

### VERO BEACH, FLA.—UPI—The Spokane Indians gave up an unearned run in the last of the eighth Thursday to hand Greenville a 7-6 victory.

**TO COACH PITTSBURGH**  
 Cleveland, Ohio (UPI)—The new Pittsburgh entry in the American Basketball League, with Neil Johnston signed as its coach, now turns to the job of getting players. Johnston, former coach of the Philadelphia Warriors, signed for a two-year term Wednesday.

### HERMAN TO SCOUT

New York (UPI)—Babe Herman, equally famous for his eccentricity as for his batting feats, has been signed as a scout by the New York baseball team of the National League. Herman played for the old Brooklyn Dodgers from 1926 to 1931 and again in 1945.

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