



DISTRICT CHAMPIONS—The District 6 A-1 and Southern Oregon conference champion Medford high baseball team will play South Eugene on the Medford high diamond on Friday, May 24, at 3 p.m. in the state quarterfinals. From left, kneeling in the picture are John Siebert, manager, John Gates, Stuart Young, Wayne Couch, Dick DeFley, Ron Edmonds, Dan Miles, Mike Barnes, Bill Piche and manager Steve Cutting. In the back row, from left, are Assistant Coach Tom Marier, Ken Phipps, Mike Neathamer, Bill Enyart, Gary Miller, Darryl Stockton, Jack

Forde, Larry Sander, Herb Vallee, Tom Barker, Don Anderson and Head Coach John Kovenz. Medford wound up with a 13-1 record in the conference and a 17-4 season slate. The games billed with Klamath Falls yesterday were canceled. Yesterday the coaches worked with infielders and pitchers. Today it was to be with pitchers and outfielders and the whole squad is to drill tomorrow. Gary Frohreich was brought up from the junior varsity to pitch batting practice. South Eugene won District 5 in a playoff with Roseburg.—(Knackstedt photo).

Always Room at Top Speaker Tells Eagles

Eagle Point — "There's always room at the top," Norman Martinson declared here last night at the annual banquet honoring the Eagle Point High school athletes.

Martinson, assistant professor in the Oregon State university physical education department advised, "Prepare yourself to be at the top" but warned that "it takes lots of work."

He told the athletes who are planning to go on to school to "try to pick the school that will make you the best you can be."

In analyzing what one gets out of high school sports, Martinson took the letters which spell "athlete." He said that A is for attitude, T for training, H for habits, L for leadership, E for enthusiasm, T for teamwork and E for excellence.

The evening's principal speaker maintained that habits (skills) should be developed that one is able to use after schooling is complete. He reported that there is a direct correlation between participation in athletics and leadership.

On teamwork, the OSU instructor pointed out that in later life many of the honored athletes would be working with teams on their jobs and that esprit de corps is necessary for a business to produce its best.

Make Own Breaks
Martinson described excellence as the most important quality and said that athletes should want to do their best at all times.

"Officials don't win or lose ball games," Martinson asserted, "it's the individuals themselves." He added, "You make your own breaks."

Spring sports award winners were announced and those who won football and basketball awards were introduced. Track awards were Bob Bonner and Ed Hanscom, honorary team captains; Sam Charters, most valuable; Jim Jensen, most improved; Joe Meyer, best freshman, and Bob Colpitts, best sophomore.

In baseball honors went to John Linder, most valuable and leading hitter, and Rick Chamberlain, most improved. Charles Pomeroy was presented the KOIN radio certificate as an exceptional candidate in consideration for the Portland station's athlete of the year award. Eagle Point High School Principal Richard Traylor made the presentation.

Pomeroy Cited
Pomeroy also was cited as outstanding senior, most valuable player and Shrine game selection in football and for all-state and all-league selections, team captain, and most valuable in basketball.

Football awards included Dale Chamberlain, most inspirational; Bob Henderson, best back, and best lineman, Bob Bonner. In basketball they included Duane Whaley, most improved; Pomeroy and Richard Short, best rebounders; Wilbur Boatwright, best defensive player and outstanding senior, and Joe Meyer, outstanding freshman.

Lettermen's club plaques of appreciation for their support

of EP athletics were presented to Steve Wilson and Murray Bartling by Pomeroy.

Boys and girls tennis teams, pep band, majorettes, the rally squads and the E-Gals were among those honored.

Participants in the program were Vern Steward, Dale Bates, Kenneth Vannice and Leif Ostmo, coaches; Charles Martin, band director; Mrs. Dale Bates, in charge of the rally squads, and the Rev. Warren Christensen. Don Hanlin was master of ceremonies. E-Gals served the dinner.

Wheeler, United Win Shutouts

Two shutouts were scored in the Jackson County Softball association last night.

John Wheeler Logging beat Keith Schulz Garage 3 to 0 and United Grocers whipped Medco 7 to 0.

Milan Kurtz, who pitched a one-hit game for Wheeler with two walks and 10 strikeouts, also homered. Kay Vaughn and Jack Brown doubled for the Loggers. Mort McIntyre got the only Schulz hit. Don Cain pitched an eight-hitter for Schulz, walking one and whiffing two.

Blair Antonucci also pitched a one-hitter for United Grocers, walked two and fanned 10. Dale Matheny hit two for two for United, one a home run. Dick Meister swatted two for three and also homered. Medco's Connie McQuerry allowed seven hits and five walks. He struck out one.

Central Point plays Tru-Mix at 6:30 o'clock at Jackson school this evening. The CWA-Jay Allen game set for this evening has been moved to Thursday and will be at Jackson.

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Wheeler 022 001 3-3 8 0
Cain and Jordan: Kurtz and Munyon

Beatty, Snell Modesto Foes

San Francisco—UPI—Track and field promoters around the world have been trying for two years to get Peter Snell of New Zealand and Jim Beatty of the United States together to run the "miracle mile" race of the century.

But it took Tom Moore, director of the California Relays at the little city of Modesto, Calif., to swing the deal. The race will be staged Saturday night and in addition to Snell and Beatty, three other sub-four minute milers, Bobby Seamon, Jim Grelle and Cary Weisiger, will be in the race.

Snell holds the world's record at 3:54.4, and Beatty is the fastest of the other campaigners at 3:56.1.

Austrians go to considerable pains to make the foreigner feel at home. They even outfit the city police with badges identifying the foreign languages they speak.

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE SPORTS

George Flanagan Jr. Opposes Dalton in Fast Draw Contest

George Flanagan Jr., a member of Gun Fighters Inc., a local gun club, will engage Jack Dalton in a fast draw contest before the main event of tomorrow night's professional wrestling program at Medford armory.

Dalton beat Flanagan by the narrowest of margins, in the opinion of three judges, when they met here in March but this time a timing device will be used which will give a more accurate check on the fast draw of each participant.

Dalton, who claims to have the fastest draw in the country, is an expert horseman and says he is a direct descendant of the infamous Dalton Gang of wild west days.

He will team with his brother Jim, himself no slouch at the rough and tumble side of wrestling, in a tag team match against Rocky Colombo and Andre Drapp. Drapp, a handsome and colorful matman, has been headlining cards in the northwest for several weeks and recently drew 4,000 fans when he defeated Maurice "Mad Dog" Vachon in Seattle.

One More Chance for Len Sutton

Indianapolis, Ind.—UPI—Len Sutton's car, which he lost in the southwest turn of the Speedway while practicing for 500-mile race qualifications, was expected back on the track today, despite hitting the wall twice Tuesday.

Sutton was anxious to get back at practice because he has only one more opportunity to qualify for the Memorial Day classic. Twice he has taken the green flag in the time trials and twice pulled in. You get only three chances.

Sutton, runner-up to teammate Roger Ward in last year's "500" escaped injury when he cracked up Tuesday while running at about 146 miles per hour.

Other than Sutton's meeting with the wall, action at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway was slow Tuesday. Because of poor weather conditions, only nine cars were on the track all day and high winds held down speeds.

BOTTOMS UP
Chicago—UPI—U.S. distillers of gin and brewers of beer saw marked production increases last year, according to Commerce Clearing House. Gin production rose more than 2.3 million gallons to a total of 20.6 million gallons while beer output jumped 3 million barrels to 96.4 million barrels.

UNDERCUTTING
New York—UPI—A Japanese manufacturer plans to market a 16-inch color television set in the United States next fall carrying a price tag of \$300. The cheapest U. S.-made set is a 21-inch model selling for \$450.

Chicago—UPI—The nation's mailmen transport \$20 billion worth of valuables every year. Insurance companies pay out about \$3.4 million annually to policyholders whose mail and express shipments are lost in transit, the Journal of American insurance reports.

New York—UPI—The owner of a Swedish-made car in New Hampshire has one of the most unique license plates in the state, reports an auto firm. The plate reads: "I Roll." That's the English translation of the Latin word Volvo, name of the car.

Catalina George Drake, a local favorite during the heyday of wrestling at the old Bartlett st. armory, returns to tangle with Soldat Gorky, also an old armory attraction, in the semi-windup.

One other match completes the card, which starts at 8:30 p.m. Reserved seat tickets are available at Lamport's Sporting Goods store in Medford.

GP Team Victor Over Ashland

Grants Pass—Grants Pass high concluded its Southern Oregon conference baseball slate with a 4-12 record by defeating Ashland 2 to 1 and 8 to 7 here yesterday.

Ashland finished with a 2-14 mark on suffering its fourth loss to the Cavemen.

Singles by Bill Standley and Don Summers, a stolen base, a wild pitch, a walk and an error gave Grants Pass its runs in the fourth inning of the first game. Ashland scored on a single by John Rhodes, a stolen base, a sacrifice by Jan Susee and an error.

Susee got a double and Rick Pierce a single to round out Ashland hitting. GP pitcher Jim Thompson fanned 10, walked two and hit two. Rhodes, chucking for Ashland, registered two walks and four strikeouts.

Standley singled home the winning run with two out as Grants Pass rallied with four runs in the bottom of the seventh inning of the second game. Don Morrow homered. Lyman Keisecker and Tom Blanchard hit triples back to back. A wild pitch led in the tying run. A single and an error put Rich Wolny in position to score on Standley's hit.

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Ashland 010 000 0-1 3 1
Grants Pass 000 200 2-2 2 2
Rhodes and DeBoer; Thompson and Peters.

Ashland 000 340 0-7 7 2
Grants Pass 020 020 4-8 12 4
Tilford, Barger '71 and Kindell; Newman, McCormack '61 and Peters.

Shade Trees in Need Of Being Fertilized
Washington—UPI—When you fertilize your lawn, don't forget your shade trees. They need special attention.

U.S. department of agriculture plant specialists recommend at least two pounds of a commercial fertilizer such as 10-6-4 for each inch of trunk diameter, applied any time from early spring to mid-summer. The fertilizer can be put into holes in the ground under the tree's branches. Use a crowbar to punch holes about two feet apart—eight inches deep in heavy soil and 30 inches deep in light or sandy soil.

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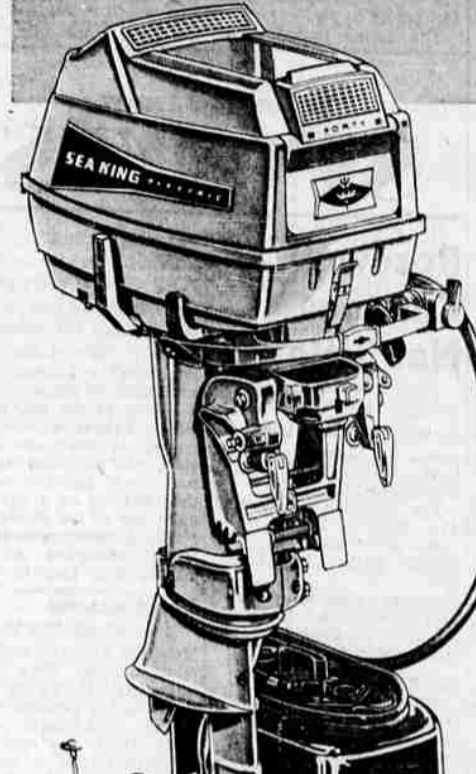
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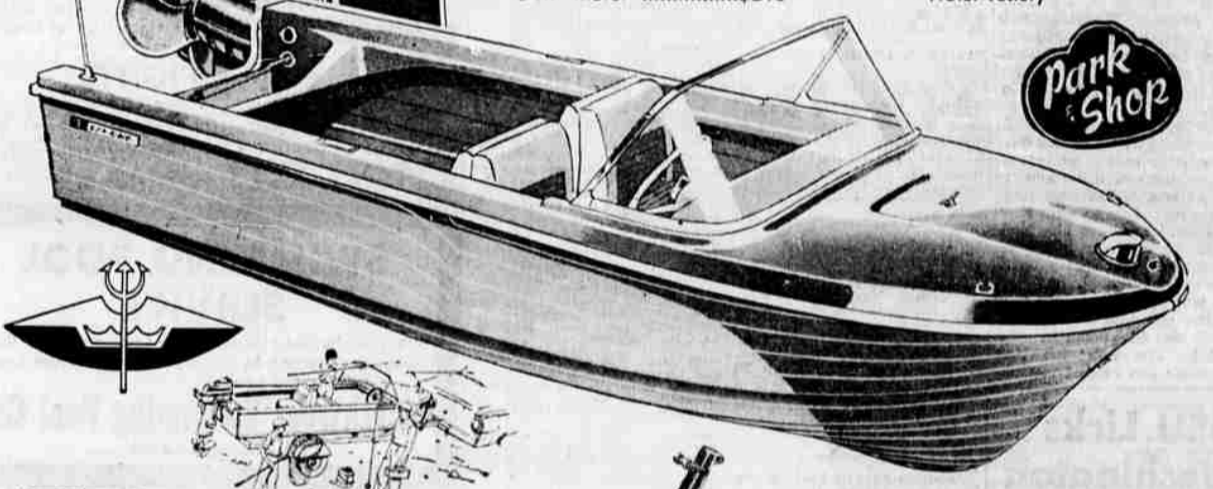
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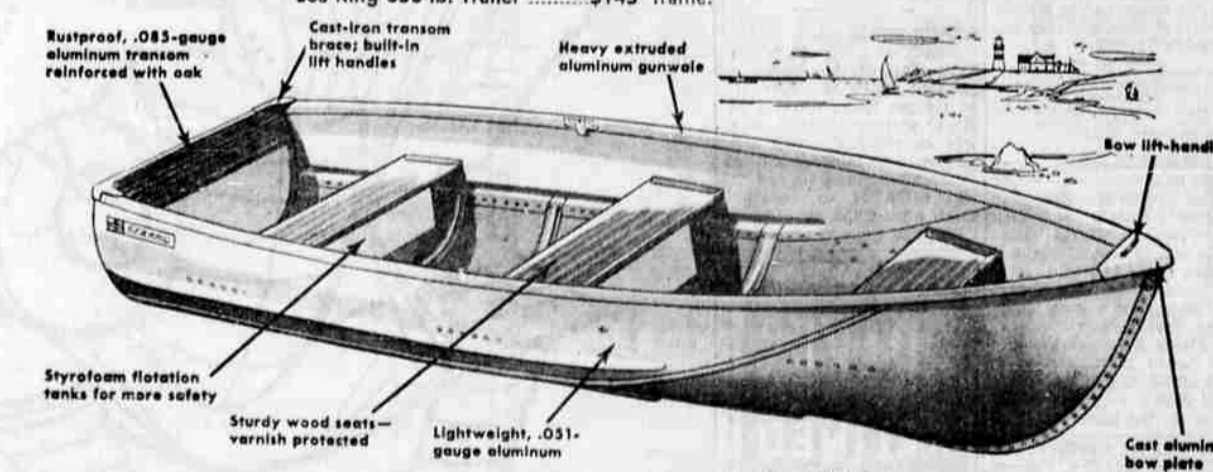


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