

Sports

Bums' Newcombe Tops Majors In 2 Statistics

NEW YORK (AP)—Big Don Newcombe of the Brooklyn Dodgers, who led the major leagues in winning percentage in 1955, also topped the hurlers in batting with a sizzling .359 average. Newcombe, a left-handed batter, collected 42 hits in 117 times at bat. Seven of his safeties were home runs, breaking the National League record held by Hal Schumacher of the New York Giants and Jim Tobin of Boston. Figures compiled by The Associated Press also showed Tuesday that Ruben Gomez of the Giants was the only other regular pitcher to bat .300. He hit it on the nose with 18 safeties in 60 trips. Mickey McDermott of the Washington Senators was the American League's leading batter among pitchers with a .263 average. Willard Nixon of the Boston Red Sox was runnerup to McDermott with .261 on 18-for-69.

Sports In Brief

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS MARKSMANSHIP
MACOLIN, Switzerland (AP)—Lt. Edgar O'Hair of San Antonio won the marksmanship competition of the modern pentathlon championships with 194 out of a possible 195. The United States is seventh in total team standings, trailing Hungary by 1,500 points.

Ring Record

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
NEW YORK (AP)—Ludwig Lightburn, 128½, British Honduras, outpointed Hocine Khafri, 136½, Algeria, 10.
NEW ORLEANS (AP)—Charley Joseph, 159½, New Orleans, stopped Sammy Walker, 154, Holyoke, Mass., 8.

Badger Athletic Boss Victim Of Heart Attack

MADISON, Wis. (AP)—Guy M. Sundt, 57, University of Wisconsin athletic director and one of the school's greatest all-around athletes, died of a heart attack early Tuesday. Sundt entered Madison General Hospital Monday for a checkup after he complained of feeling ill. He returned home later in the day, however, but then went back to the hospital at night.

The University of Texas football team has used the split-T for four seasons. This year they have added the "belly series."



THEY'RE ALL FIRST—The second winning triple dead-heat in the history of major track racing since the advent of the photo-finish cameras 21 years ago is witnessed (above) at Agua Caliente, Mexico. Coming to the wire on even terms in the eighth race are Stormsora, on the rail, Change Speed (middle) and Beaufair (4), on the outside. Only other triple winning dead-heat was staged by Brownie, Bossuet and Wait Bit in the Carter handicap at Aqueduct, New York, June 10, 1944. (NEA)

Japanese Club Rallies To Tie Touring Yanks

SENDAI, Japan (AP)—A Japanese all-star team went hitless until the last inning Tuesday but held the New York Yankees to a 1-1 tie in a game called at the end of 10 innings because of darkness. Both runs were unearned.

Pair Of Duck Hunters Bag Escaped Jailbird

JACKSON, Mich. (AP)—The Drake brothers went duck hunting and bagged a jailbird. Donald and Roland Drake were hunting seven miles from Peck prison camp when they spotted a man crawling through a field. It was Arthur Prewitt, 32, of Detroit, who had escaped from the prison camp.

The brothers held him at gunpoint and hailed a passing state police car. Prewitt has resumed serving 5 to 15 years for armed robbery.

Farm Belts Being Toured To Get Price Support Views As Guide For Legislation

By OVID A. MARTIN
Associated Press Farm Reporter
ST. PAUL, Minn. (AP)—The Democratic-controlled Senate Agriculture Committee was not ready today to follow the lead of two potential party presidential candidates on the big farm issue. Opening a nationwide tour to weigh farmer views on sagging prices and income, committee members brushed aside—for the time being—the action of Adlai Stevenson and Gov. Averell Harriman of New York advocating a return to high, rigid farm price supports of the Truman regime. Last week Harriman and Stevenson criticized the Eisenhower administration program of flexible price floors as being inadequate to assure farm prosperity and urged renewal of the old system. "We want to hear from the farmers themselves before we make any decision on new legislation," said committee chairman Ellender (D-La.). His words were echoed by Senators Holland (D-Fla.) and Young (R-ND). In its tour, the committee plans to visit the Western corn belt, the spring wheat area, the West Coast Southwest, the South and the Northeast before returning to Washington to draft legislation. Holland said he would continue to fight for the flexible support system. He said Democrats are about as badly split on the high-versus-flexible issue as they were a year ago when many voted for the GOP plan. **Rigid Supports** Ellender declared there is no chance of Congress restoring high, rigid supports next year. President Eisenhower would veto them if it did, he said. Ellender and Young agreed there would be a better chance of getting Congress and the administration to accept legislation modifying the flexible support plan. They proposed that the top quality portion of major crops be supported at 90 to 95 per cent of parity, but that the poorer portion be supported perhaps as low as 50 per cent. The flexible support range is 75 to 90 per cent of parity, while the Truman era supports were at 90 per cent. Parity is a standard for measuring farm prices declared by law to be fair to farmers in relation to prices they must pay. Both said such a change would discourage production of low-quality crops which they said farmers are now encouraged to grow, but which pile up in government surplus stocks because they are unwanted. "Such a plan," said Young, "would take the Republicans off the spot."

Hydroelectric Projects' Importance To Resources Emphasized By Sec. McKay

LINCOLN, Neb. (AP)—Secretary of the Interior McKay Monday suggested the possibility of reserving the long-range revenue-producing capabilities of hydroelectric projects for use in financing future water resource developments. McKay made the suggestion in a speech before the National Reclamation Assn. in which he cited the John Day Dam on the Columbia River as an example where Congress could reserve the power revenues for development of other projects after a 50-year payback period. "Congress would be secure in the knowledge that revenue from this structure, as well as from other dams financed by the federal government, would be available for such purposes," McKay said. "This is only one of several methods by which revenue produced in water resource development may make a contribution to additional water resource development, including reclamation and irrigation, and the financing of additional appropriations from taxpayer money." McKay did not pinpoint the other methods. The secretary said that Congress has authorized construction of the John Day Dam by the Army Engineers between Washington and Oregon at an estimated cost of 310 million dollars, with 273 million of that to be reimbursed to the treasury over a 50-year period from power revenues at 2½ per cent. **Cities Private Firms Offer** He added that three private power companies have offered to put up the 273 million dollars in exchange for the power to be generated during the 50 years with the entire structure, power facilities and all remaining federal property. Under that proposal the government would be spared putting up the 273 million dollars. "At the end of 50 years," McKay said, "the government would be released from all obligations to the utility and own the complete structure." "Then the Congress could make a decision as to the future operating plan for the facility. 'If Congress desired to earmark power revenue for resources development by means of special legislation or through a basin account, it would be entirely possible.' "We could then proceed with long-range irrigation development."



BIG GAME BOY—Allen Shivers stands proudly beside a trophy of a hunting trip on the Ponder Ranch in Brewster County, western Texas. The nine-year-old son of the Texas governor was with dad's party.

Mule Aids Battle In Coal Mine Fire

WALTONVILLE, Ill. (AP)—Officials at Orient mine No. 3 have brought in Pee Wee, a veteran pit mule, to help fight a two-week-old fire in the big southern Illinois coal mine. All electric power underground has been cut off since the fire started at the mine owned by the Freeman Corp. of West Frankfort, Ill. Pee Wee, pressed into service Saturday, is helping the handful of men, working without gas masks, to move material and supplies for state mine rescue crews advancing into the area in which the fire is confined. Pit mules gave way to electric motors at most big mines over 30 years ago. The 13-year-old Pee Wee was recruited from a little mine. "She's a pretty smart old coal miner," one miner said. "You can't fool her and she knows what to do."

Sutherland Do-A-Deed Club Meets Again On Nov. 5

The next meeting of the Sutherland Do-A-Deed Club is scheduled Nov. 15, reports correspondent Mrs. Brittain Slack. Mrs. Edna Powers will be hostess. At the last week meeting at the home of Mrs. Francis Smith, a salad and dessert luncheon was held.

Two Glide Men Shoot Bear While Hunting For Deer

By MRS. ARTHUR SELBY
Two Glide men, hunting for deer in two widely separated areas of the North Umpqua, were unsuccessful in getting their deer but bagged two black bears. Jack Schloeman, hunting on his father's ranch in the Little River area, Saturday morning shot a bear, judged to be two years old, which dressed out 125 pounds. Schloeman is having the hide tanned to use for a rug, as the coat was very heavy and in fine condition. Tom Amos and Dale Bonnell, loggers, after returning from work Thursday afternoon, went hunting in the Rock Creek area. They were astounded when a bear and her half-grown cub ambled out of the woods. Amos shot the mother bear, which weighed 180 pounds. The little cub escaped. **Moving Nearly Completed** The Douglas County Lumber Co. have almost completed the moving of its mill from Rock Creek to the Winchester site. The mill has been in operation the past 14 years. The company has torn down the five cabins built on the O&C land which had been occupied by mill workers, but the houses, bunk house and cook house near the mill remain. Some of the houses are occupied by the woods crew. The last of the Douglas County Lumber mill employees are moving this week. Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Morgan and family have moved from camp to Melrose to a new home which they purchased this summer. Mr. and Mrs. "Short" Morgan and family have moved to Roseburg. The two brothers will continue to be employed by the lumber company at the Winchester mill.

Laundry Machine Traps Two Boys

CHICAGO (AP)—Thirst and hunger were the only ill effects suffered by two 9-year-old boys trapped for 15 hours in the steel drum of an old laundry machine. The boys, Robert Hook and James E. Hardcastle Jr., stopped at the display lot of a laundry equipment company Saturday afternoon on their way to a movie. With them was 8-year-old Billy Stephens. Robert and James decided to investigate the interior of a big commercial laundry machine stored on the lot. They climbed inside. Billy playfully closed the door on the perforated drum. The door would not open. Billy said nothing to anyone until early Sunday when he was pressed by the frantic parents of the missing boys. He finally told police and firemen. Rescuers found both boys calmly sleeping in the giant tub.

Wedemeyer Sorry He Asked Russia Join War

OMAHA (AP)—Gen. Albert C. Wedemeyer (ret.) is sorry he recommended that Russia be brought into the war against Japan. "I wish now that I hadn't," he said at a news conference Monday. "I did not know about the availability of the atomic bomb and the success of our orthodox bombing against the Japanese homeland." Gen. Wedemeyer was commander in China-India-Burma during World War II. Just before the Yalta conference Gen. Wedemeyer said he was asked his opinion by Gen. George C. Marshall, then chief of staff. He urged Russian entry "in order to conserve American lives."

Elephant War Hero Gets Communist Honor

BERLIN (AP)—Visitors to the Warsaw zoo now can feed candy to a Red veteran decorated in the Indochina battle of Dien Bien Phu. The hero is Jasio, a big elephant donated by the Communist Vietnamese government of North Viet Nam. "During the famous battle of Dien Bien Phu, he carried weapons, ammunition and food under a hail of enemy bullets to advanced lines," the East German news service ADN summed up Jasio's combat activities.

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District Club Meeting To Draw Sutherliners

Eight members will attend a district garden club meeting, and luncheon at the Idlewild Park Lodge Monday, Oct. 31, it was reported at the last Sutherlin Garden Club meeting. Also during the short business meeting, four women were admitted as new members. They are Mrs. Vern Liesinger, Mrs. Archie Clarno, Mrs. Arthur Bennett and Mrs. Anton DeGroot. Mrs. C. J. Bielman, horticulture chairman, gave a report on tulips and lilies. Club members then went to Roseburg where Mrs. Horace Berg gave a demonstration of dried arrangements at her home. It was reported by correspondent Mrs. Brittain Slack that Mrs. Bielman, Mrs. Ralph League and Mrs. F. W. Osterhouse will be hostesses for the Nov. 17 meeting at the Bielman home. The subject at the meeting will be arrangements appropriate for Thanksgiving.

Umpqua Garden Club To Have District Meet

The district meeting of the Umpqua district of Oregon Federated Garden Clubs, Oct. 31, at Idlewild Lodge, will begin with a coffee hour and registration from 9 to 10 a.m. Luncheon will be served at 12:30 p.m. Mrs. Flox from Central Point, Siskiyou Dist., will be the honored guest speaker for the day. All committee members in the North Umpqua Club are asked to meet at the home of Mrs. Slatery, Oct. 24, at 12:30 p.m.

Stevenson Says U. N. Has Shown Survival Power

CHICAGO (AP)—The United Nations during its first 10 years has shown "vitality and survival power," says Adlai E. Stevenson. Stevenson, 1952 Democratic presidential nominee and onetime U.N. delegate, predicted that history will say of the first 10 years of the U.N. "that mankind has stood closer to the brink of annihilation—and also moved farther in the direction of peace—than in any decade in civilization's history." "Scores of nations and myriads of men have learned in these 10 years the methods of cooperation," the former Illinois governor told some 500 persons at a United Nations awards luncheon Monday.

Japanese Woman Third Wife Of Author Michener

CHICAGO (AP)—Author James Michener, 48, whose books often deal with better understanding between East and West Sunday married Mari Sabuawa, an American-born woman of Japanese ancestry. The Rev. Jitsuo Morikawa, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Chicago, performed the ceremony at the Graham Taylor Chapel on the University of Chicago campus. Mrs. Michener, 35, was born at Las Animas, Colo. It was her first marriage. She is assistant editor of the American Library Assn. Bulletin, Chicago. Michener, author of "Tales of the South Pacific" and other books, has been married twice previously. Both marriages ended in divorce. The couple plans a world honeymoon tour, stopping first in Australia.

MALES, PLEASE NOTE

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP)—Love—or the lack of love—is often to blame when a person gets sick and wants to stay that way, a prominent psychiatrist said here. The psychiatrist, Dr. Theodore A. Watters of New Orleans, said a woman often will take advantage of illness to get attention from a "house of a husband" who has neglected her.

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