



RELAXED COACH—Arch Dunsmoor, veteran Eastern Oregon College grid mentor, relaxes in his office now that the football season is finished. Arch still manages to keep busy teaching classes, answering the phone and looking for prospective football players. Now, however, there is time for a break and no worry about next week's game. (Observer Photo)

George Altonburg, Karen Fitzgerald Top Juniors Again

By NEIL ANDERSEN
Observer Staff Writer

George Altonburg continued his domination of the Junior Rifle Club competition as he gained his fourth victory of the season last night. Altonburg fired a 353 to nose out Karen Fitzgerald by nine points. Fitzgerald shot a 344.

Altonburg piled up a five point lead in the prone and sitting positions over his competition. He had a 95 prone and a 93 sitting to 90 prone and 90 sitting for Fitzgerald. The high scoring female sharpshooter took a two point lead after the kneeling position by firing a 92 to Altonburg's 85.

The victory was claimed by Altonburg when he fired a 77 standing while Fitzgerald could manage only a 66.

Tom Long fired a 183 in the prone and sitting positions for a 163. He shot 97 prone and an 86 sitting for his total.

Buster Kidd with a 92 in the prone position lead the field of 19 shooters that competed in that position only.

John McClay missed a tie with Kidd by one point when he fired a 91.

Steve Reeder shot an 83; Joe Roe, 79; and Sharyn Cribbs, 77. Louis Huff and Don Hall both fired 76's for a tie. Pete Rimby had a 74 and Ted Vandenburg hit for 73 points. Carole Schaubers finished with a 53.

NBA Point Race Three Way Test

NEW YORK (UPI) — Bob Pettit, who set an all-time National Basketball Association scoring record last season, today courted himself out of the 1959-60 race which he predicted will be a three-cornered battle among Wilt Chamberlain, Elgin Baylor and Jack Twyman.

"I think all three of them will average more than 30 points a game for the season and easily break my record," said the St. Louis Hawks' star who played his college ball at Louisiana State University. "I just can't see myself beating any one of them. I think I reached my limit last season."

Pettit, a 6-foot, 9-inch, 218-pounder with a velvet touch around the basket, averaged 29.2 points a game and scored 2,015 points last season—both records—but has averaged "only" 24.5 points in the Hawks' first eight games this year. He was held to a mere 11 points as the New York Knickerbockers beat the Hawks, 105-97, Tuesday night.

Chamberlain currently is averaging 37.1 points for the Philadelphia Warriors, Baylor 34.3 for the Minneapolis Lakers and Twyman 34.7 for the Royals — and Pettit thinks they'll be that close at the end of the season.

The Nationals were led by Adolph Schayes' 30 points plus double point-totals by four other players while Sam Jones scored six points in the second overtime to spark the Celtics. Jones and Bill Sharman each had 28 points for Boston and Gene Shue had 25 for Detroit.

Baltimore Favored To Top 49'ers; Gain Tie For Lead

United Press International

The Baltimore Colts, defending National Football League champions, are favored to tie the San Francisco Forty-Niners for the Western Division lead when they clash in Sunday's top game.

The Colts (5-3) trail the Forty-Niners (6-2) by a game and are seven-point favorites to whip the California club in Baltimore's Memorial Stadium before a sell-out crowd of 55,557.

The New York Giants and Cleveland Browns, tied for Eastern Division lead with 6-2 records, and the Philadelphia Eagles (5-3) are favored in the other key games. New York is a six-point favorite to down the Chicago Cardinals (2-6) at Minneapolis and the Browns are nine-point favorites to defeat the Pittsburgh Steelers (3-4-1) at Cleveland. The Eagles entertain the Los Angeles Rams (2-6) and are favored by 3½ points.

In the other games, the Chicago Bears (4-4) are favored over the Lions (2-5-1) by five points at Detroit and the Packers (3-5) are four-point favorites to defeat the Washington Redskins (3-5) at Green Bay.

Four Games Remain

Each of the 12 teams has four more regular-season games.

The Forty-Niners are halfway through a tough, four-game road trip. They lifted their Western lead to two games by winning at Los Angeles but the margin dropped to one when they lost a 14-3 decision to the Bears last Sunday at Chicago. After playing at Baltimore, the Forty-Niners and their road swing at Cleveland.

If they win at Baltimore, the Forty-Niners will assure themselves of at least a one-game lead going into their final two home games against the Colts and Packers. The passing of John Unitas will provide San Francisco's biggest headache Sunday. The Baltimore star has thrown 22 touchdowns passes this year, only six less than the NFL season's high of 28 set by Sid Luckman of the Bears in 1943.

The Colts have lost only two of their last 12 home games.

Giants Seek Touchdown

Charley Conerly and George Shaw, New York's top quarterbacks, are injured but Conerly may see some action against the Cardinals. The Giants, beaten by the Steelers last Sunday, haven't scored a touchdown in the last 11 quarters they have played. They edged the Cardinals, 9-3, two weeks ago on three Pat Summerall field goals.

The Browns entertain the Steelers' squad that handed them a 17-7 defeat in their season opener. Cleveland boasts the league's longest current winning streak, five games.

Los Angeles takes a four-game losing streak to Philadelphia. The Eagles could tie for the Eastern lead by winning — if both New York and Cleveland lose.

The Bears, third in the West, trail the Forty-Niners by two games and can cut that deficit to one if they beat the Lions and the Colts down San Francisco. The Redskins visit a Green Bay team that has lost its last five starts.

PHIL WATSON RECOVERING

NEW YORK (UPI)—Phil Watson, recovering from an ulcer operation, is expected to take up his new duties as director of the New York Rangers' farm club operations in about six weeks.

Watson, reported in satisfactory condition following Monday's surgery, was replaced last week as coach of the Rangers by Alfie Pike. He probably will be hospitalized for another two weeks and then spend three or four weeks recuperating at home.

Vandals Study Economics Of New League

MOSCOW, Idaho (UPI) — The University of Idaho will make a careful study of the economics involved before committing itself to any new football conference, President D. R. Theophilus said today.

Theophilus said "no definitive action" had been taken toward forming a new conference composed of schools from Idaho, Montana and the Dakotas.

Before Idaho decides, he said, the school will carefully appraise travel costs, gate receipts and climate. He said, "Idaho could hardly operate in a league involving schools where blizzards such as the one which hit the Pullman-Moscow area Sunday would necessitate cancelling football games."

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OUTDOORS: AROUND-ABOUT

Oil Firm Seeks Lease On Waterfowl Grounds

The State Game Director advised sportsmen that the game commission will hold a public hearing in regard to an oil exploration lease on the Summer Lake waterfowl management area with the Humble Oil Company in the commission's office Friday at 11 a.m.

Negotiations by the company to obtain oil rights in the Summer Lake valley have been in progress some time, according to Director Phil Schneider. The Summer Lake area forms only a small portion in the over-all leasing block. The commission will reach a decision as to whether it will grant or reject the lease application at this meeting.

The primary concern of the commission is to safeguard the public shooting area and to preserve the marshlands against any damage that might occur. All of these problems have been resolved with a full guarantee against any harmful encroachment, according to Schneider.

Safeguards developed on federal refuges after several years of research and experience would be incorporated into any lease in addition to others contained in the Oregon state oil exploration regulations, recommendations by the California state lands and game departments and those formulated by the game commission.

The state land board has already leased its land in the Summer Lake area to the company. This land includes some property within the waterfowl management area project.

All negotiations and safeguards will be aired at this meeting and interested persons are invited to attend and express their views.

Oregon hunters still have an opportunity to bag deer. Extended seasons are on tap for November and December for some unit permit holders and others for hunters with unused general season deer tags.

On November 21, 22, 28 and 29 deer hunters with unused tags may try their luck, this time for deer of either sex, within restricted portions of the Alsea, Hood River, McKenzie, Santiam, Siuslaw, Trask, Wasco and Willamette areas.

In the Polk unit a portion of this area will open to tag holders on five weekends, Nov. 21, 22, 28, 29 and Dec. 5, 6, 12, 13, 19 and 20.

Wasco unit permit holders have a portion of this unit along the White river available to them on two weekends in December. In this area permit holders may take one deer or either sex on Dec. 5, 6, 12 and 27.

New Film Available

"George Washington's River," a new film on water pollution produced by the U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare, is the latest sound, color movie acquired by the game commission for showing to groups interested in the land's natural resources.

The film begins with the water problems faced by the Egyptians of Biblical times and a dramatic flashback to early American history when George Washington built his home on the Potomac.

Because the historic Potomac a symbolic of every stream in the land, the film has a patriotic appeal and a strong message for every American about the threat of pollution to our waters.

The film shows methods by which cities and industries can clean up their wastes and restore the streams for fishing, boating, swimming and domestic and industrial use.

Groups interested in viewing the film should notify the game commission at 1634 S.W. Alder in Portland.

Bowling Results

Thursday Afternoon League
The Oregon Trailers

W	L	TP
Tenderfeet	27	9 16296
Dutch Girls	20	16 16588
Puritans	19	17 16620
Bonnie's Lassies	16	20 16038
Pioneers	13	23 15496
Katy-Dids	13	23 15404

Tenderfeet (1936) Evelyn Gooderham 145, Jean Epling 404.
Dutch Girls (1899) Marg Knight 161-431.
Puritans (1766) Ellen Ziegler 136-367.
Bonnie's Lassies (1902) Marian Hilary 175-487.
Pioneers (1810) Mary Ruth Carnes 176-424.
Katy-Dids (1819) Lydia McCansie 165-428.

BEGIN OLYMPIC TRAINING
LAKE PLACID, N. Y. (UPI) — Canada's Olympic speed skating squad began training today in preparation for the winter games to be held at Squaw Valley, Calif. later this winter.

Members of the Canadian team said they had selected the new York mountain resort because they wanted to become acclimated to high altitude such as they would encounter at Squaw Valley.

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Giant Prexy Has Problems; Stars Ask For Pay Raise

By HAL WOOD
UPI Staff Writer

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — President Horace Stoneham of the San Francisco Giants is going to have money problems before he gets all his bids in the field for the 1960 National League baseball campaign.

Willie Mays has asked for a pay raise above the \$90,000 he received last year. He hit .313 in 1959.

Sam Jones, the tireless pitcher, is entitled to a whopper of an increase; rookie Willie McCovey, who came up from the minors in mid-season to win "Rookie of the Year" honors, probably will have his salary doubled.

Orlando Cepeda, leading hitter on the club with a .317 average, is expected to get a pay boost. Hobie Landrish, who came to the club as a second string catcher and stayed to become the No. 1 man, can anticipate an increase.

Johnny Antonelli, the southpaw stylist got around \$40,000 last year and may ask for a bit of a raise. So, probably, will pitchers Jack Sanford and Mike McCormick.

Fortunately for Mr. Stoneham, business has been good at the turnstiles.

The real hero of the U.S. Ryder Cup team's victory over the British had to be Bobby Rosburg, the PGA champion, not Capt. Sam Snead.

While Snead and partner, Dr. Cary Middlecoff, struggled to the last hole to get a halve with the British, Rosburg played the best golf of the day for two days running in winning all his points.

Zora Folley Risks Rating In TV Fight

PHOENIX, Ariz. (UPI) — Zora Folley risks his rating as the second-ranking contender for the heavyweight title tonight against promising Alonzo Johnson of Pittsburgh.

The odds were 12-5 that Folley, of nearby Chandler, Ariz., would win. He weighed in at 197½, and Johnson at 189½ at Tuesday's official weigh-in, held a day early.

It was the heaviest Johnson has ever weighed for a fight and Folley also was heavier than usual.

The fight, for the benefit of the cystic fibrosis charity, will be telecast nationally by ABC.

BOSSELER READY
WASHINGTON (UPI) — Fullback Don Bosseler, who suffered a groin injury last Sunday against the Baltimore Colts, will be ready to play Sunday when the Washington Redskins tangle with the Cleveland Browns.

Mike McKeever of Southern California is the only man on the West Coast who looks like a cinch to gain All-American honors this year. . . . Bob Schloredt of University of Washington may make the second or third team quarterback. . . . Jimmy Sochor, of unbeaten San Francisco State, should be everyone's candidate for Little All-American. . . .

Dropping of Tijuana from the pro golf tour spoils a fund of stories that always cropped up after competition there.

Mike Souchak, who won in 1958, recalls that he was strolling down the second fairway, along with his caddy, listening to the horse races being run at nearby Agua Caliente, over the loudspeaker.

The caddy had a bet on a horse running in the race.

"We got to my ball and I wanted to know how far to the pin," says Mike. "I asked him what's the distance!"

The caddy, still intent on the horse race, replied:

"A mile and one-sixteenth!"

That's all, brother!

OWENS TOP ATHLETE
NEW YORK (UPI) — Jesse Owens, a track star of the 1930's, topped the polling Thursday that selected the best living athletes of the age to be honored at the first Bill Corum Memorial Dinner on Jan. 24, 1960. He drew 615 points.

Heading the list in other sports were: Jack Dempsey, boxing; Ty Cobb, baseball; Bob Cousy, basketball; Don Budge, tennis; Bobby Jones, golf; Red Grange, football; Maurice Richard, hockey; and Eddie Arcaro, racing.

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