

Colt, New York Ready Sudden Death Battle

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BALTIMORE (UPI)—The Baltimore Colts and New York Giants are ready for the game National Football League fans have been waiting for since last December — a rematch of their unprecedented overtime championship thriller.

Baltimore won the 1958 NFL title, 23-17, after eight minutes, 15 seconds of a "sudden death" extra period at Yankee Stadium. Coach Weeb Ewbank's Colts, 3½ point favorites to retain the

title, ended preparations today with a light drill at Memorial Stadium. The stadium will be jammed with 57,557 spectators Sunday and hundreds of thousands will take in the action via NBC radio-TV at 1:45 p.m., e.s.t.

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Badgers, Washington End Pre-Bowl Holiday

PASADENA, Calif. (UPI)—The holiday was over for both the Washington and Wisconsin Rose Bowl football teams today.

Both squads faced what coaches planned as their most intensive practice sessions since arriving here a week ago.

Coach Jim Owens, stymied by the rain Thursday, rescheduled a scrimmage at Long Beach Veterans Stadium today for the Huskies. He still believes the Pacific champions are behind Wisconsin in conditioning because of bad weather and other factors.

Mill Bruhn, who gradually has expanded workouts for the Wisconsin crew, also indicated he may scrimmage the Badgers today.

Red Jerseys For Badgers
Neither team did any work on

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Al Kaline Grabs AL Slug Title

CHICAGO (UPI)—Outfielder Al Kaline of the Detroit Tigers turned in one of the year's neatest tricks when he won the American League "slugging championship" by hitting more singles than his closest rivals.

Kaline was disclosed today as the surprise winner of the "slugging title" with a .539 percentage, according to figures compiled by the Hoop News Bureau. Harmon Killebrew of the Washington Senators was second at .516, Mickey Mantle of the New York Yankees was third at .514, Rocky Colavito of the Cleveland Indians was fourth at .512 and Jim Lemon of the Senators was fifth at .510.

ON THE LINE

Grande Ronde Valley basketball team will get a post-holiday basketball treat Jan. 2 and at bargain prices for deflated pocketbooks.

Both Eastern Oregon College and La Grande's Tigers will be at home in a hoop doubleheader. The Mountaineers will play host to Whitman College while the Tigers play Ontario in the curtain opener. It will be the first action for the locals after the Christmas lay-off.

OUTDOORS: AROUND-ABOUT

New Boat Rules To Become Effective New Years Day

The game commission today advised steelhead anglers and duck hunters who use boats to keep a sharp lookout for news regarding the new state boating act which will become effective January 1.

Although the new law will affect nearly all boat owners in the state, this group of hunters and fishermen will probably be among the first to must comply with Oregon's boating regulations of registration, licensing, and numbering, since their boats will be in the water for use at the time or shortly after the law becomes effective.

Big Betting Play

Bookmakers say the game has attracted more betting money than any other single sports event of the year. Several bookmakers claim it may be the biggest single betting event in sports history.

Interest, betting and otherwise, began building up as soon as the two teams ended their classic overtime title game last Dec. 28. Steve Myhra's 20-yard field goal with seven seconds remaining produced a 17-17 tie and set up the league's first overtime game. The Giants won the toss for the overtime and received but failed to make a first down in three plays and punted. Units then guided the Colts 30 yards in 13 plays, Alan Ameche smashing one yard off his right tackle for the winning touchdown.

Far West Classic Takes Off Today

CORVALLIS (UPI)—Basketball came back on the scene today after taking a day off for Christmas.

The fourth annual Far West Classic got underway here this afternoon with two games and will conclude first day action tonight with two more games.

Host Oregon State opened the tournament at 2 p.m. this afternoon meeting New Mexico State. Portland and Idaho met in the second game.

Tonight's action has Hawaii taking on Washington State in the first game and Oregon testing Denver.

CUBA DETAINS PLAYERS

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (UPI)—The director of the Orange Bowl junior tennis tournament has asked Cuban Premier Fidel Castro to permit Jack Connell and Adolph Mincio to compete here beginning Dec. 30. The teenage players are being detained in Cuba despite their selection to participate in the tournament by the Cuban Tennis Assn.

Fish Tale

The following fish story was clipped from a Manchester, Iowa, newspaper dated March 16, 1885.

and is in the most recent issue of the Oregon State Game Commission Bulletin.

"The recent frightful accident which happened to a stage in southern Oregon cannot tell us the New York Times, to call attention of the state authorities to the necessity of protecting settlers against the attacks of salmon. The stage in question was crossing Applegate Creek when it was suddenly attacked by a drove of salmon. The stage was instantly overturned, and the hungry fish swarmed over it, while the stage driver, with great presence of mind, cut the traces of the horses and, throwing himself across the wheel horse—a powerful animal—formerly the property of Dr. Goodrich, of Olympia—managed to escape. The dispatch which conveys to us this painful story says nothing of the fate of the stage passengers, but, unfortunately, there is every reason to believe that they fell victims to the salmon.

title issued if it is powered by 10 horsepower or more. Boats powered by 10 horsepower or more and which are 12 feet in length or longer must be numbered, licensed, and certificate of title issued. Boats 12 feet in length or longer but powered with less than 10 horsepower require license and certificate of title but need no certificate of number.

The numbering fee for all boats has been set at \$5 for the original issue, good for three years, then \$3 for every three years after.

Annual license fee for boats under 16 feet is set at \$2.00. For boats 16 feet to 20 feet the fee is \$5. For boats 20 feet or more it will be \$5 plus \$1 for each additional foot in excess of 20 feet.

For the title certificate, boat owners will have to plunk up \$2, good for as long as the owner keeps the boat.

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Rifle Club Scores Third Win; Keeps League Lead Tie

La Grande and Pendleton rule the rifle division and Pasco and Walla Walla remain on top of the pistol class following the third week of competition in the Blue Mt. Rifle and Pistol League.

Bill Howell led the local team to their third win in as many tries with a league topping score of 398. La Grande's team score of 1554 was also the best for the second straight week.

Pasco continues to dominate the pistol division, topping all clubs with a 1087 team score. Walla Walla's Warren Buehler finished first in the individual statistics with a 279.

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Team	W	L
La Grande 1	3	0
Pendleton	3	0
Walla Walla	2	1
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Milton-Freewater	2	1
Waitsburg	1	2
Ukia	1	2
Nysa	0	3

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V. Morris	100	94	96	92 382
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Sam Jones Leads Celts To Victory

How can you stop a basketball team whose No. 6 man steals the show from Bob Cousy?

Sam Jones, who played his college basketball for North Carolina College, did just that Friday night and the result was a tremendous 123-119 comeback victory for the Boston Celtics over the New York Knickerbockers.

A crowd of 14,670 at Madison Square Garden saw the 6-4, 198-pound Jones — called by Cousy "the most dangerous backcourt man in the National Basketball Association" — lead the Celtics from a 21-point deficit to their 14th straight victory.

Cousy was handicapped by four personal fouls in the first half and quickly picked up a fifth in the second half so Celtic coach Red Auerback had no choice but to relieve him in favor of Jones. Jones promptly took complete charge of the game, scored 23 points in the second half, seized rebounds and passed off a Le Cousy in one of the most dazzling exhibitions of basketball Garden observers have seen.

Wilt Chamberlain scored 45 points to lead the Philadelphia Warriors to a 129-121 win over the Syracuse Nationals; the Cincinnati Royals broke a six-game losing streak with a 121-103 triumph over the Detroit Pistons and the St. Louis Hawks defeated the Minneapolis Lakers, 112-96, in other Christmas night action.

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