

# Blackwell Bait As Bums, Reds Discuss Deal

TAMPA, Fla. (AP)—The Cincinnati Reds have offered to trade pitcher Kewell (The Whip) Blackwell to the Brooklyn Dodgers for three players, it was learned Thursday.

Although neither club would admit the names of the Brooklyn players involved, it was believed the Reds are asking for outfielder Andy Pafko, Rocky Bridges, peppy utility infielder, and a young pitcher, probably John Rutherford, who shut out Cincinnati for five innings in Wednesday's exhibition game.

Brooklyn President Walter O'Malley and Vice-President Buzzie Bavasi, who revealed they had listened to a proposition offered by Gabriel Paul, Red's general manager, asked for time to consider it.

"We have the pitcher that can wrap up the pennant for Brooklyn," Paul explained. "For such a fellow we must receive plenty in return. We are looking towards the future. Brooklyn can win this year."

# Mat Tourney Set by Owen

An "International Single Night Elimination Tournament" is to be the next item for Matchmaker Elton Owen's weekly wrestling shows at the Armory. Owen is installing an 8-man tourney next Tuesday night, winner of which will cop a gold trophy, a \$125 purse and a title match in the near future.

All eight gladiators are to enter the ring at 8:30 p.m. to draw for opponents. Then follows seven matches, each to be a single faller or to a decision. Three impartial ringiders will be appointed to judge winners in the event no falls are gained.

Owen had hoped to match Eric Pederson and George Dusette for his main event, but the cheery Pederson decided he'd take a week off instead of accepting terms. He doesn't think much of the idea of grappling with Dusette whom he calls "an old man."

Dusette definitely will be one of the eight gladiators in the Tuesday tourney. He'd now rather take on Pederson than any champion, he says, and is not after a brawl with the arrogant Eric.

All seven others who are to appear Tuesday will be announced later by Owen.

# Stevenson New Baker Mentor

BAKER (AP)—Charles Stevenson, 26, Thursday was named head basketball coach at Baker High School, succeeding Roy Seeborg, who will become Pilot Rock superintendent of school.

Stevenson has been assistant basketball and track coach at Baker.

# Ashland Pilot Plans to Quit

ASHLAND (AP)—Charlie Jandreau has asked the Ashland school board to relieve him of his job as head basketball coach at Ashland High School.

He said he may accept a teaching post in Ashland or Portland.

# PROGRAM APPROVED HUTCHINSON, Kas. (AP)—Coaches and athletic directors of the National Junior College Athletic Association Thursday approved the American Council of Education's program for curtailment of athletics.

# Look and Learn By A. C. Gordon

1. What New England states bear these nicknames: (a) Pine Tree State; (b) Bay State; (c) Nutmeg State; (d) Green Mountain State; (e) Granite State; (f) Little Rhody?
  2. How many times does the serial number appear on a piece of U. S. currency?
  3. Which is larger, Texas or Alaska?
  4. Just what is a "retrouse nose" descriptive of?
  5. What animal is considered most beautiful and graceful of the quadrupeds?
- ANSWERS
1. (a) Maine; (b) Massachusetts; (c) Connecticut; (d) Vermont; (e) New Hampshire; (f) Rhode Island.
  2. Twice.
  3. Alaska is more than twice as large as Texas.
  4. A turned-up nose.
  5. The antelope.

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# Training Camp Notes

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP)—Boston's Red Sox mauling four Washington players for 21 hits and a 14-8 victory Thursday. The Sox batted across runs in the wild sixth, which was close until Boston scored five times in the ninth inning.

Glenn Elliott, left-hander drafted from Sacramento by Washington and three-run cluster in the final frame, failed for the third straight game. He was yanked after pitching one inning and yielding three runs on four hits Elliott formerly pitched for Oregon State College.

BURBANK, Calif. (AP)—Clint Hartung's long line drive to left field, permitting Tookie Gilbert to score from third base, gave the New York Giants a 4-3 ninth inning victory over the St. Louis Browns Thursday.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP)—The New York Yankees edged the St. Louis Cardinals in 14 innings Thursday with a three-run cluster in the final frame, bringing a 3-2 decision. Jerry Coleman doubled home the winning tally, breaking instead of then an error led to the additional two runs.

MELBOURNE, Fla. (AP)—A tenth inning home run by rookie outfielder Keith Thomas gave the Philadelphia Athletics a 3-2 victory over the Minneapolis Millers of the American Association Thursday.

# Firing Opens on Four Fronts Youthful Teams Ready For NCAA Hoop Action

NEW YORK (AP)—The youth-will-be-served movement, evident in the surprise outcome of the National Invitation Basketball Tournament last week, likely will be continued through the National Collegiate A. A. championships beginning Friday.

La Salle's "fuzz kids," who won the NIT and a place in the Olympic tryouts, won't be present when 16 teams start in the NCAA regional tournaments in four cities.

But at least four of these 16 will have key players as young as the La Salle lads. In another situation where the freshmen and sophomores could come through brilliantly or collapse miserably.

Generally speaking, the young teams are the ones selected "at large" for the tournament on the basis of good all-season performances. The 10 major conference champions who qualified automatically are mostly experienced, veteran teams.

The teams pair off this way for Friday's first round games:

At Raleigh, N. C. — Kentucky (Southeastern Conference) vs. Penn State (at large); North Carolina State (Southern Conference) vs. St. John's (at large).

At Chicago—Illinois (Big Ten) vs. Dayton (at large); Princeton (Ivy League) vs. Duquesne (at large).

At Kansas City—Kansas (Big Seven) vs. Texas Christian (Southwest Conference); St. Louis (Missouri Valley) vs. New Mexico A. & M. (Border Conference).

At Corvallis, Ore.—U. C. L. A. (Pacific Coast) vs. Santa Clara (at large); Wyoming (Mountain States) vs. Oklahoma City (at large).

Of these, Penn State, Duquesne, U. C. L. A. and Santa Clara are notably young teams.

# Duck Pins

Commercial League results Thursday night at B and B Bowling court: Mick's Sign Shop 3, Ramages 1; Salem Merchant Patrol 4, W. C. Dyer 0; B & R Wholesale 4, B & B Bowl 0. Mick's had high team series with 2200, B & R Wholesale had a 780 for best team game, Francis Miller of Mick's topped the solo series list with 537 and Glen Jones and Bud Lloyd, both of B & R, tied for individual high game with 202's.

# Rodeo Group Files Papers

LOS ANGELES (AP)—The Chicago White Sox Thursday released Eddie McGhee, rookie outfielder, to the Memphis, Tenn., club of the Southern Association. McGhee had a trial with the Sox last spring, but was optioned to Memphis, where he batted .317. He also played briefly last year for Seattle.

KISSIMMEE, Fla. (AP)—Rallying with six runs in the eighth inning, the Boston Braves defeated the Milwaukee Brewers, their farm club, 14-12 here Thursday.

TAMPA, Fla. (AP)—Chris Van Cuyk, 25-year-old Dodger southpaw, became the first Braves pitcher to go the route Thursday, as he shut out Cincinnati with five hits for a 4-0 triumph. Herman Wehrer worked the first seven innings for the Reds and was scored on only in the second when Andy Pafko, a key figure in Brooklyn-Cincinnati trade negotiations, hit a two-run homer.

Bill Bevens allowed two more rallies in the eighth.

LAKELAND, Fla. (AP)—Right-hander Russ Meyer of the Philadelphia Phillies hurled near-perfect ball Thursday as the Phillies edged the Detroit Tigers 3-0. Meyer pitched six innings and faced 19 batters, one over the minimum. He allowed a single to John Lipon and walked one man, who was crossed stealing; Lou Paschall finished for the Phillies and gave up one hit.

# KVAS Granted Class A Casts

ASTORIA (AP)—KVAS, the Astoria radio station that broadcast Class B High School basketball tournaments, has announced the wishes of the Oregon School Activities Association, is broadcasting the Class A tournament games from Eugene.

The station joined the Oregon Broadcasters Association and was given permission to hook into the state network broadcasting Class A games.

In the controversy over the Class B broadcasts, the Broadcasters Association said it had authority to deny KVAS the right to join the network. KVAS did not belong to the association at that time, but joined later.

L. E. Parsons, station manager, contended he had a right to broadcast the Class B games as a public service. The School Activities Association attorney said he did not.

# Table of Coastal Tides

Tides for Tolt, Oregon, March, 1952. (Compiled by U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, Portland, Ore.)

March Time	Standard Time	
	HIGH WATERS	LOW WATERS
21 8:01 a.m.	6:5	2:08 a.m. 3:1
21 10:02 p.m.	5:2	3:27 p.m. -0:2
22 9:11 a.m.	6:5	3:23 a.m. 2:8
22 10:41 p.m.	5:7	4:13 p.m. -0:3
23 10:15 a.m.	6:6	4:24 a.m. 1:8
23 11:16 p.m.	6:2	4:59 p.m. -0:2
24 11:13 a.m.	6:5	5:17 a.m. 1:1
24 11:50 p.m.	6:3	5:11 p.m. 0:1
25 12:08 p.m.	6:3	6:07 a.m. 0:4
25 12:23 a.m.	6:9	6:15 p.m. 0:6
25 12:59 p.m.	6:0	6:51 p.m. 1:1
27 12:50 a.m.	7:0	7:39 a.m. -0:4
27 1:30 p.m.	6:5	7:27 p.m. 1:6
28 1:29 a.m.	7:0	8:25 a.m. -0:4
28 2:43 p.m.	5:3	8:22 p.m. 2:2
29 2:52 a.m.	6:2	9:11 a.m. -0:3
29 3:38 p.m.	4:9	8:40 p.m. 2:8
30 2:40 a.m.	6:8	10:00 a.m. 0:0
30 4:28 p.m.	4:6	9:24 p.m. 3:0
31 3:22 a.m.	6:2	10:36 a.m. 0:3
31 5:45 p.m.	4:3	10:17 p.m. 2:3

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# Lovelette Holds Slim Margin Point Race Hinges on NCAA Play

NEW YORK (AP)—For the first time on record we'll have to await the outcome of the NCAA tournament to find out who is the top individual scorer among the nation's major college basketball teams.

Kansas' towering All-America hook-shot artist, Clyde Lovelette, is the present leader but statisticians aren't conceding him the title until after the playoffs, beginning Friday night.

In 24 games the six-foot-nine senior from Terre Haute, Ind., has scored 654 points for an average of 27.3 a game. The scoring championship is based on average rather than overall total.

So the National Collegiate Athletic Bureau, which keeps its slide rule tuned to such matters, has figured out these possibilities in the NCAA tournament opening on four regional fronts:

1. If Kansas plays only two games, the minimum, Lovelette can clinch the championship by scoring a total of 23 points, which seems a cinch for such a deadly basket sniper.
2. But if Kansas is carried the four-game limit, Lovelette must rack up 75 points to win. If this doesn't look like a problem at first blush, it must be considered Kansas is bracketed with three of the best defensive teams in the country—Oklahoma City, New Mexico A & M and Texas Christian University.

Lovelette's chief challengers, Dick Groat of Duke, Bob Pettit of Louisiana State, and Iowa's Chuck Darling, aren't in the playoffs. Groat averaged 25 points a game and Pettit and Darling tied at 25.5.

In the matter of point totals for the year, Groat is the leader and his total of 780 points appears safe enough although his three chief pursuers are all in the tournament. Lovelette has 654 points, Dayton's Don Meineke 653 and Hagan 650.

The best free throw average in the country belongs to Kansas' Bob Kenney, with 100 hits in 120 tries for an 83.3 percentage. No one stands to press that.

**BRECHEN OUT**

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP)—Harry (The Cat) Brechen, only southpaw ever to win three games in a World Series, will be lost to the St. Louis Cardinals for an indefinite period, it was learned Wednesday after X-rays revealed a bone chip in his left elbow.

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