

Snead Is Victor In Golf Tourney; Nelson Defeated

Los Angeles, Jan. 9 (AP)—Sammy Snead, richer by \$2,666 as a result of winning the 19th annual Los Angeles open at the Riviera country club and a host of other top flight professionals were en route to Phoenix, Ariz., today for the sixth in their current series of winter golf tournaments.

The White Sulphur springs, Va., slam-bang artist, sizzled to a tidy two-under-par 69 on the final round yesterday, his only sub-par 18 in the Los Angeles tourney, for a 283 to edge out Byron Nelson, the Toledo, O. Texan and last year's leading money winner, and defending champion Harold (Jug) McSpaden of Philadelphia, by one stroke.

Shoots Par
The former navy chief specialist, who has won three of the five tournaments in which he has participated since his discharge, shot even par 71 in his first two rounds, slipped to 72 Sunday, but snapped back to a 69 in the final round.

Snead had a birdie four on the first hole, bogied the fifth for par on the first nine. He then birdied the 13th and sank a four and one half-foot putt on the tough 18th hole for another birdie and what proved to be the tournament title.

Nelson, pre-tourney favorite with Snead, went out in a one-under par 34, with two birdies and a bogey, needing only par on the incoming nine to tie the champ. However, he bogied the 10th and 15th holes.

Misses Putt
He birdied the 17th and with a tie hanging on the outcome of his putt, missed a 20-footer by a matter of inches for a par on the 18th green.

McSpaden threw away the tournament in Sunday's blanket of fog when he took a six on the 13th hole, playing with the mist already over the fairways and greens.

For their efforts, Nelson and McSpaden each received \$1,600 in war bonds.

One stroke further behind was Sammy Byrd, former New York Yankee outfielder, from Detroit, who carded a two-over-par 73 on the final round for 285.

FIGHT RESULTS
(By United Press)
New York (St. Nicholas arena)—Humberto Zavala, 136½, Mexico City, defeated Monte Pignatore, 138½, Brooklyn (10).

Providence, R. I.—Jimmy Nelson, 170, Cleveland, d. Joe Reddick, 163, Paterson, N. J.

Holyoke, Mass.—Indian Gomez, 159, Havana, d. Jerry Fiorello, 158, Brooklyn, N. Y. (10).

Newark, N. J.—Freddie Russo, 132½, Rahway, N. J., d. George Cooper, 125½, Baltimore (8).

Philadelphia, N. J.—Ike Williams, 133½, Trenton, N. J., d. Willie Joyce, 136, Gary, Ind. (12).

Baltimore — Jackie Wilson, 127½, Pittsburgh, d. Harry Jeffery, 128, Baltimore (12).

BASKETBALL RESULTS

(By United Press)
Kentucky 75, Arkansas State 6.
Iowa State 50, Nebraska 38.
Minnesota 49, Purdue 44.
Wisconsin 53, Truax Field 42.
Kansas State 44, Rockhurst 38.
Michigan State 72, Albion 36.
Calvin 48, Alma 45.
Oberlin 62, Wooster 50.

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Today's Sport Parade

By Jack Cuddy
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
West Point, N. Y., Jan. 9 (AP)—Army opens its basketball season tomorrow afternoon, entertaining Swarthmore in the academy field house; and Coach Eddie Kelleher doubts prodigiously that the cadet quintet can duplicate the feats of 1944 soldier basket and gridiron teams by going through its 15-game schedule with a perfect record.

"We'll have a fairly good team, but it won't be as fast as last year's," chunky, brown-haired Kelleher said, while toying with a cup of java over a fancy, swaddled coffee table in the cozy lounge room of the Officers' club.

"Due to our lack of speed, we'll have tough going against at least three opponents: Navy, St. John's and New York U.; and any of the other 12 might knock us off," he continued. "We lost three regulars from last year's team: Jack Hennessey, guard; Bobby Faas, forward; and Ed Christl, center, and captain. Faas was a speed-boy and naturally a key man in our fast-breaking offense. We'll miss him particularly."

The middle-aged mentor in the brown tweed suit wiped a bit of coffee steam from his spectacles with a kerchief; then explained that he had figured on speedy Harry Molnar taking over Faas' job this season, but unfortunately Molnar is ill and will be unavailable during the campaign.

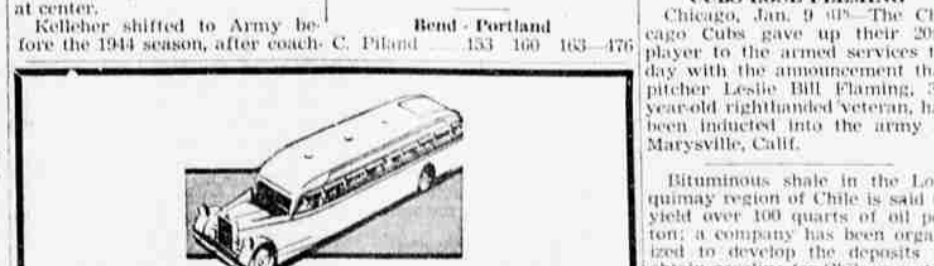
However, the former Fordham pilot admitted, he has two excellent shot-makers in Dale Hall and Doug Kenna, who will be remembered as stellar backs on Army's all-conquering football team. Rangy Hall of Parsons, Kan., was high scorer on last year's academy quintet, rolling up 273 points for slightly better than 18 a game. Hall, known as "Smiley" to mates, is captain of the hoopsters.

The football motif permeates farther, for fullback Bobby Dobbs is a guard on the black and gray quintet, with end Barney Poole a sub-guard, and kicking specialist Dick Walterhousean a sub-forward. End Ed Rafalko is also on the squad.

Meanwhile, big Bill Ekberg is taking over the center job, handled so brilliantly last year by Ed Christl. Ekberg, who touches the goodless academy's height limit of six feet six, was a second-stringer last season. So was Harley "Red" Damon, who becomes a regular guard. Jake Reed, six feet five, will relieve Ekberg at center.

Kelleher shifted to Army before the 1944 season, after coach-

Table with columns for team names and scores. Includes sections for Pepsi-Cola, Piland's Market, and Bend-Portland.



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Announces Change of Schedules For Salem Effective Jan. 8, 1945

Table showing bus departure and arrival times between Bend and Salem.

Connections are made at Salem to and from all Willamette Valley and Coast points. For additional information call — PACIFIC TRAILWAYS DEPOT — Phone 500.

By J. R. Williams

Five Man Board To Study Changes In Football Rules

Chicago, Jan. 9 (AP)—The National Football league's annual winter meeting opens today as the rules committee, a leading force in the modernization of the game of football, convenes to consider some of the most revolutionary rule suggestions ever presented.

Twenty-one proposals, ranging from the realignment of officials' duties to abolition of the traditional try for extra point, will be sifted by the five-man board, which will make its recommendations to the league's full membership later in the week.

The committee's recommendations usually are accepted as witnessed by the forward pass from anywhere behind the line of scrimmage, free substitution and coaching from the bench, all pioneered by N. F. L.

Tomorrow the club owners, planning for a "bigger and better" 1945 season, settle down to their regular business session and tentative three-day agenda which is highlighted by the yearly player draft, discussion of franchise applications and schedule making.

Commissioner Elmer Layden will preside at all meetings, being an ex-officio member of the rules group.

May Pick Stars
The owners probably will select the college gridiron stars first. Although they don't expect the college talent to be available until after the war, they plan to place the N. F. L. draft stamp on the players ahead of competitive leagues.

Last year, Marlin (Pat) Harder, Wisconsin's all-American fullback, was the No. 1 choice and this year another Wisconsin star, Leroy (Crazylegs) Hirsch, reportedly will get first call.

Other standouts who have caught professional eyes are end John Yonakor of Notre Dame's 1943 team, halfback Charley Trippi of Georgia and the 3rd air force, and Quarterback Jim Hardy of Southern California.

Men Trusted
Citing that he had named men of integrity and character to the commission, Snell said they were entitled to a thorough audit and investigation.

He suggested two senators and three representatives be named to direct the employment of a reliable auditing firm for the inquiry, to be financed from the liquor control commission funds.

"Obviously," he added, "the examination should and I am sure will be conducted on an impartial, unprejudiced, non-political basis."

Snell explained that the release "of a certain audit" in Washington precipitated the accusations and maintained that the facts should be developed (because) "the good name of the state of Oregon was involved."

Manganese and carbon are both required to produce steel from iron.

Oregon Quintets To Play Saturday
Corvallis, Ore., Jan. 9 (AP)—Beaten in first two conference starts against Washington in Seattle last weekend, Oregon State basketball club today was preparing for the opening round of the annual civil war series with the Oregon Webfoots here Saturday night.

Bend Skiers Plan Practice Outing
Plans were made for a practice trip into the high regions of the Cascades when members of the Bend Ski patrol met last night in the offices of the Deschutes national forest, it was reported today.

CUBS LOSE FLEMING
Chicago, Jan. 9 (AP)—The Chicago Cubs gave up their 20th player to the armed services today with the announcement that pitcher Leslie Bill Fleming, 30-year-old righthanded veteran, has been inducted into the army at Marysville, Calif.

Bituminous shale in the Longquimay region of Chile is said to yield over 100 quarts of oil per ton; a company has been organized to develop the deposits to obtain gasoline for Chilean motor vehicles.

Early Bird-Woman



Madame Helene Mortier, 67, France's first woman flyer, is pictured on recent arrival in New York, en route to visit her husband, Col. Pierre Mortier of the French Air Mission, convalescing in Washington. Madame Mortier started flying with Louis Bleriot in 1908.

Governor Seeks State OLC Study

Salem, Ore., Jan. 9 (AP)—Oregon legislators today studied a recommendation of Gov. Earl Snell that a joint legislative committee conduct a far-reaching investigation of recent liquor purchases by Oregon and Washington because of "certain innuendos and accusations" in the recent political campaign.

Snell referred to the purchase by the two states of Kentucky distillery stocks to furnish expanded liquor supplies for state stores. Criticism developed and the issue has become controversial particularly in Washington.

The governor added the liquor recommendation to his biennial message to the legislature only a few minutes before he addressed the joint session yesterday afternoon.

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