

CONFIDENCE GLOWS IN CAMP OF NEW YORK GIANTS

WORLD CHAMPS START SEASON IN GOOD SHAPE

Miami Beach, Fla., March 13 (AP)—The combination of rare pitching, extraordinary fighting spirit and optimism, which carried the New York Giants on a surprising flight to the baseball heights last season, has blended with tropical balminess this spring to produce an uncut brand of confidence in the camp of the world champions.

As viewed now under Florida's blistering sun or mellow moonlight it wasn't luck and the breaks, but skill that swept the team to the top. Instead of being due to a fortuitous chain of events or a manifestation of the art of making a little out of a long way, it was the result of foresight, development and aggressive "percentage" baseball.

As a matter of fact there isn't much tournaismore for the opposition or the skeptics, who doubt that Hubbell, Schumacher and Parnesse will duplicate their pitching feats of 1933 or that the team as a whole will click so effectively as a winning unit in the National league this year.

All but one of the major developments, the illness of No. 1 backstop, Gus Mancuso, with an attack of typhoid, has been calculated to strengthen the Giants' chances.

Johnny Verge has completely recovered from his operation for appendicitis last September and is ready for a big year. Not only are the pitching heroes of 1933 all in good health but Terry has every reason to expect a comeback by William Watson Clark, no longer worried by illness and potentially one of the best southpaws in the league. To cap the climax Travis Jackson, the team captain, has so far recovered his agility as to recapture the shortstop job from the colorful Blondy Ryan, whose spirited work proved so vital to the club's success last year.

Clarity is sure at least of being carried as a substitute but Jackson's return to form, after almost two years of inactivity because of bad knees, means a substantial increase in batting power.

The rest of the club will tie off in the National open the way it finished in front of the 1933 field.

TEACHERS TAKE MINOR TITLE

With Harold Hauk scoring 18 points, the Teachers won the championship of the minor division of the City-Y league Monday night when they beat Pay'n Takit 25 to 21 on the Pariah floor. The contest was close all the way with the score tied at 13-all at the half way point.

In a preliminary the B team of Salem high won over the American Lutheran team 36 to 25.

A game between Pade's, winners of the major division race, and a somewhat strengthened Teacher squad will be played next Monday night. This is expected to settle any question regarding the relative abilities of the two divisions. Monday night scores:

Teachers (25) (21) Pay'n Takit
Brown 2.....F.....7 Hale
Dryan.....F.....7 Herman
Hauk 18.....G.....6 Porgard
Gilmore 4.....G.....7 Bawn
Fleisher.....G.....7 Morgan
Cranor 1.....S

Salem B (36) (25) Lutherans
Steinke 9.....F.....8 Matthews
Cahler 10.....F.....7 Ritchie
Falt 8.....G.....6 Bahlburg
Luther 2.....G.....4 B. Bush
Waddell 2.....G.....J. Bush
Queseth 5.....S
Referee, Lemmon.

Willamina—Saturday evening the Willamina-Butler Epworth League basketball team played the American Lutheran church team. It was one of the hardest fought games played here this season, resulting in a tie of 38-38 at the end of regular playing time. In a three-minute overtime period one of Willamina's players was knocked out. The Lutherans won 45-41.

IT'S "KID" WARNER CONNECTING



Ladies and gentlemen, at the right you see Glenn "Pop" Warner, one of the better-known football coaches, in the role of a heavyweight. It's part of the training routine the 44 year old veteran is following to condition himself. He's landing a blow to the head of Chuck Winterburn, at the Stanford, Calif., university gymnasium. He'll be heading east to Temple soon to open up spring gridiron practice. (Associated Press Photo)

HOW DOES THE ARM FEEL, CARL?



Winter to the contrary, baseball is in the air. When Bill Terry (left), manager of the New York Giants, called his men to Miami Beach, Fla., his first concern was the condition of Carl Hubbell, southpaw who did much to bring the Giants a world championship last year. (Associated Press Photo)

SHERIDAN HI MAKES ATHLETIC AWARDS

Sheridan—At a special meeting of the associated student body Tuesday morning Sheridan high school awarded letters in basketball to both girls and boys, and official pins to the debaters.

Coch Ernest Heimbach awarded letters to the following: Captain Keith Drumeller, John Hamstreet, Leslie Thomson, Charles Hillway, Truman Krentzer, John Palanuk, Truman Shortridge and Harlan Hare. Mr. White awarded letters to the following girls: Jeroldine Clark, Helen Schuman, Betty Frick, Mary Wilson, Edith May Jones, Florence Mendenhall, Harriett Donbrava. Letters were also presented to the managers, Hallan Hankel and Frances Thompson.

The boy's coach reported six games won and three lost with a high percentage of baskets over their opponents.

Mrs. Fry, debate coach, presented gold official pins to Charles Hillway, Darrell Syron, Therna Brown, and Eva Rhodes. Seven debates had been won and three lost. Darrell and Eva will debate again next year.

The basketballers will lose the following by graduation: Keith Drumeller, Charles Hillway, Leslie Thomson, John Palanuk, leaving only two of the regular first team players, a smaller number than at the beginning of this year's season.

Boxing is now the attracting feature in boys' athletics and a large number are turning out, as last year's boxers won a first place cup in the county tournament.

CARD PARTY SLATED
Stacyon—There will be a benefit card party sponsored by the Women's club Wednesday evening in the clubhouse. The committee in charge are Mrs. V. N. Phelps, Mrs. Henry Tate, Mrs. Harley Champ and Mrs. Ellen Reynolds.

Lyons—Mr. and Mrs. D. D. West-house, Halley and Charmaine and Miss Theresa Lyons motored to Castalia Sunday for a picnic.

JOEY MACK SIGNED TO COACH FOOTBALL

Albany—Joey Mack will head Albany college's physical education department next year. It was announced by Dr. Thomas W. Bibb, president of the college. He will succeed Clyde "Red" Rupert as football coach.

Mack, present basketball coach, has turned out one of the most successful basketball teams since the college was admitted to the Northwest conference. This year he made up his junior and all freshmen and one junior and all will be eligible to play next year.

He received his athletic training at Oregon State college and last year acted as assistant in both football and basketball. He captained the Oregon State baseball team in his senior year. He played baseball with the Albany Aces, semi-pro team for several seasons.

ALBANY HIGH WINS LINN HOOP MATCH

Albany—Albany high school in a fast game, won the second annual Albany college Linn county invitational basketball tournament here Saturday night from Plainview high school 22 to 11.

The Plainview team, coached by Cecil Elder, former Albany college athlete has eight boys in high school and all are members of the basketball team. Webster, Plainview, was named forward on the all-tournament team, picked by the officials and coaches.

Lebanon high school won the consolation game over Tangent 26 to 19 to close the tournament.

Saturday night's games climaxed a two-day tourney with teams from Halsey, Shedd, Sweet Home, Lebanon, Brownsville, Tangent and Albany competing. Albany college sponsored the meet which has no bearing on the district No. 12 tournament to be held here March 16-17 nor on the Linn county B league, which was won by Shedd.

Scotts Mills Ball Club To Be Formed

Scotts Mills—The Scotts Mills-Marquam baseball club met recently at Candra's garage and talked over plans for the coming season. Lowell Hirtzel was elected manager and he appointed Pete Olsen and Woodward as his assistants. A committee was appointed to attend to the construction of the diamond. The same team last year won 15 games and lost four.

Returning players from last year's squad are: Catcher, Andrew Sanders; pitchers, Pete Olsen and Bill Meyers; infielders, Lowell Hirtzel, Walter Erickson, Lawrence Johnson, Woodward, Dart and John Thomas; outfielders, Ross Marquam and Donald Olsen. Newcomers asking for tryouts are Jim Nicholson, catcher; Beverly Thurman, pitcher, and Robert Dahl, outfielder.

Mt. Angel Defeats Reed Quilt, 25-13

Mt. Angel—Mt. Angel Normal and Academy basketball team defeated Reed College of Portland, 25-13 in their last game of the season. The game was played Saturday night with Saalfeld as referee. Lineups:

Mt. Angel (25) (13) Reed College
Schwab 11.....F.....9 Maurus
Peschweiler 14.....F.....4 Miley
Saalfeld.....G.....Greene
Zolner.....G.....Manner
Grujaskiewicz.....G.....Grujaskiewicz
Bourbonnais.....G.....Day
In the ten games played this season by the M.A.N. & A. Coach Woodward reports eight wins and two losses, the latter two being the first games of the season.

Huskies' Fast Breaking Offense Triumphs Over Troy Hoopsters, 34-30

Los Angeles, March 13 (AP)—Washington's Huskies rushed back to the northwest today with the Pacific coast conference basketball championship in tow. The speedy, sharp-shooting quintet from the north country won the title before 5,000 cheering spectators last night when they defeated Southern California 34 to 30 in the deciding game of the most hotly contested series in recent years.

Troy took the first game 27 to 24, and then dropped the second 41 to 43 in a wild overtime contest. It was the second consecutive season a team from the northern division subdued Coach Justin (Sam) Barry's five, Oregon State turned the trick in 1933.

A fast-breaking offense which swept through southern California's sturdy defense plus the inability of the Trojans to cash in on their gift shots gave the Huskies their second championship. Washington won in 1931.

Coach Clarence (Hec) Edmundsen's coachmen started with a rush, lagged a bit during the middle of the contest and then finished with a rush that had the Trojans staggering with exhaustion although they had held a half-time lead of 18 to 9.

The Huskies chalked up six points before Troy could get started. Seven minutes of the contest had elapsed before Julie Bescoe came through with a free throw for Southern California, yet a minute later the Trojans had tied the count.

They held the lead from that point until only five minutes were left to play. Capt. Hal Lee dropped the ball through the hoop from near center court to make the count 27 to 26 and then Bob Galer, little forward, followed it up with a pretty tip-in shot that sent Washington out in front, never to be headed.

Lee scored on a follow-up shot from under the basket to give Washington a three point lead and then Galer picked up a charity point before Lee Gutters put the Trojans back into the running with one of his one-handed throws. The score was 31 to 30 in Washington's favor with two minutes to play.

Here the Huskies resorted to successful stalling tactics. Capt. Sax Elliott of Southern California in his over-anxiety to get hold of the ball fouled Lee and the invading captain made the point good. There were only seconds to play when Galer put the championship in cold storage by dribbling in from the side of the court through the Trojan defense.

The odd ball was won by Art Perkins, 157, Detroit, over Joe Kirk, 158, Boston. Logger Heibert, 160, St. Helena, wrestled a 30-minute draw with Cowboy Heine, 159, Burns.

FAVORITES REMAIN IN CAGE TOURNEY

Kansas City, Mo., March 13 (AP)—All the favorites remained in the running today as the national A.A.U. basketball tournament went into the second round with the Dominick Electric of Minneapolis meeting Baker University of Baldwin, Kan., in the day's first match.

Fourteen games remained to be played before the third round and a field of 16 teams is reached. Several teams which have not as yet performed took the floor at Convention hall for the second round play. These included the Gilmore Oilers of Seattle, who play the Warrensburg, Mo., teachers.

Jefferson Athletic Club Has Wrestling

Jefferson—The Jefferson Athletic club will sponsor the following wrestling matches at the Masonic hall Friday night at 8:30 o'clock:

Main event: Tom Ryan, 160, Corvallis, vs. Billy Perkins, 160, Boston. Two out of three falls. No time limit.

Semi-final: Don Wagner, 220, Corvallis, vs. Jim Dixon, 220, Corvallis. Australian rules; 3-minute rounds.

Bill Murphy, 145, Albany, vs. Ben Masters, 148, Salem; two out of three falls.

Wildcat McClain, Jefferson, vs. Wildcat of Talbot.

This is the first of a series of athletic events to be sponsored by the local club and from the personnel secured for this event the fans can be assured of an exciting evening. Don Wagner, since turning professional, has not been defeated and has met some of the best semi-final men in the northwest. The main events are both well known and an exciting match is in prospect.

Willamina Winner County Hoop Race

Willamina—Willamina was well represented at the basketball game played at Carlton in which the Willamina boys won the county championship. The game was hard fought with Carlton leading for some time, later being overtaken and ending in a score of 17-14. Ray Young, forward, was high point man.

Willamina (17) (14) Carlton
Young 11.....F.....2 Bommer
Fraundtender 2.....F.....6 Kingerry
Werth 4.....G.....4 Brooks
Smyther.....G.....Olson
Fox.....G.....Swan
Gustafson.....S.....2 Nussbaum

Tuesday morning Professor Horton, who is president of the Yamhill County Athletic association presented the captain of the team with the trophy given by the Anderson Sporting Goods company. This is the third time in four years that Willamina has won the championship, and gives the school eight cups, four won by the boys and four by the girls, all of which are on display in the window of Durst's Pharmacy.

Woodburn—Three Woodburn men, representing the Aurora Rod and Gun club, in the Oregonian telegraphic trapshoot, turned in a total of 70 points out of a possible 75. Orville Alkeman made a record of 24, Joe Brown 23 and Ellsworth Richards 23.

BOTH HAVE BASEBALL WORRIES



As the baseball clans began to gather at Miami, Fla., Max Carey (left), deposed manager of the Brooklyn Dodgers, talked things over with Jimmie Fox, home run king of 1933 who's been having trouble over his new contract with Connie Mack's Athletics. (Associated Press Photo)

Regulars Return To Beavers Spring Camp

Ventura, March 13 (AP)—The list of missing at the Portland Beavers' spring training camp was reduced to a pair of players today.

Ed Bryan, right-hander, appeared in camp yesterday and Earl Sherry, first baseman, is due here Wednesday. Bill Lawrence, outfielder, the only holdout, was expected here today to talk terms. Frank Cox, Seattle catcher, also showed up in camp.

Three rookie pitchers left today with walking papers. They were Fred Nightingale, Bob Lindsay and Eugene Heine.

Hopmeyer—The baseball season has opened at Buena Vista grade school. Marilyn Gieger is captain and pitcher of the nine while Robert Ziellinski is manager. The first game of the season will be played at Clear Lake next Friday.

MOTOR RACERS ARRAIGNED ON KIDNAP CHARGE

Los Angeles, March 13 (AP)—Two of three racing drivers charged with kidnaping a newspaper reporter and photographer were placed under \$2,500 bond each by the district attorney's office today, having previously been at liberty without bail.

They were Babe Stapp, one of the country's foremost race track pilots, and Al Reinke, well known in Pacific coast racing circles, both of whom will be arraigned today. A third man has not been apprehended.

The charges grew out of the beating and kidnaping of John Benham, Los Angeles Examiner photographer, and the kidnaping of James Lee, a reporter for the same newspaper, during their assignment on March 1 to funeral of Ernie Triplett, noted driver.

The newspapermen were delivered to the offices of the Examiner and there, District Attorney Burton Pitts said, a number of race track figures warned the newspaper executives that similar violence would result whenever photographs of drivers' funerals or wreaths were made.

Meantime Pitts continued his questioning of a number of drivers and mechanics, seeking the identities of other participants in the abduction.

DALLAS, CORVALLIS IN FINAL CONTEST

Corvallis, Ore., March 13 (AP)—Corvallis and Dallas high schools meet tonight to determine the district 11 basketball champion, who will enter the state tournament at Willamette university.

Corvallis defeated Bellefontaine 25 to 14 and Dallas won from Toledo 37 to 22 in yesterday's games: Monday night's scores:

Dallas (37) (22) Toledo
Jones 2.....F.....3 Burr
Hunt.....F.....3 McKernan
Webb 10.....G.....8 Hendrickson
Kleiver 16.....G.....1 Weems
Pischer 4.....G.....4 Sheldon
Hamilton 5.....S.....6 Mills

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