1949 Review Shows Sports Interests High for Year

American association.
Jackie Robinson of Brooklyn, with a 342 average, was
the leading batter of the National loop while George Kell
of Detroit took the honors in
the American with 342. Robinson also took the most valu-able player award in the Naand Ted Williams of Boston in the American.
In the field of horse racing,

Ponder won the Kentucky Der-by and the Jockey Club gold cup. Coaltown was named the cup. Costown was named the horse of the year and proved the leading handicap horse. Calumet Farm produced the most winners and Willie Molter was named the leading trainer for the second successive year

Top jockey was Gordon Glisson Oregon State won the Pa-cific Coast conference basketball title and Kentucky took he NCAA title. The Oak-land Batters were crowned national AAU champs. Other winners were: Illinois in Big Ten; Wyoming, Skyline; Ok-lahoma and Nebraska, Big Seven; Yale, Eastern; Al-bright, Middle Atlantic; Kentucky, Southeastern; North Caroline State, Southern; Rice, Arkansas, and Baylor, Southvest; Oklahoma a. & M., Mis-

souri Valley. Champions in other divisions of sport

Football: Big Seven confer ence, Oklahoma; Big Ten, Ohio State and Michigan; East, Army;



Wed-Susan Blanchard (above), stepdaughter of lyricist and theatrical produc er Oscar Hammerstein, will marry actor Henry Fonda when he gets a divorce, col-umnist Dorothy Kilgallen said in the New York Journal American. The writer said Fonds, whose wife was formerly the socially prominent Frances Brokaw, will be sued Miss Blanchard is in her 20s; Fonda is in his 40s. (AP Wire-

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

lew York, Jan. 2 (U.R)

rell Royal, quarterback of Oklahoma's Sugar Bowl football team, is due to graduate in January. He plans to become a coach but has majored in

business administration - pre-

business administration — pre-numably on the theory that a coach should know how to give 'sm the business . . . Stan West, 238-pound guard, also is a busi-ness student, making it unani-mous . . Ed McKeever, Louisi-ann State backfield coach, will be making his fifth bowl ap-pearance. His big thrill came in 1941 after Boston College trimmed Tennessee in the Sug-ar Bowl . . The B C lads pre-

Iywood Stars; the Buffalo Bis- (AAU), 100 meters, Robert ons took the International league Gibe, Detroit AC; 200, Yoshiro Ilag and the St. Paul Saints the Hamaguchi, Tokyo; 400, Hiron- American association.

Jackie Robinson of Brook- 1500, Furuhashi; 100 back- 150 Allan Stack, New Haven, S. C.; 200 breaststroke, Joe Verdeur, Brighton-Drake, S. C.; 300 med- Jamboree Set ley, Verdeur.

Bantam Ben Looks Forward to Test In Tourney Play

Los Angeles, Jan. 2 (P) Ten months ago, one of the greatest golfers of all time lay near death on a Texas road side. Doctors feared he might

never play again, But they couldn't convince bantam Ben Hogan of that. Now he's blistering the fairways again, and another round like yesterday's 2-under-par 59 may be enough to goad him into entering next Fri-day's Los Angeles open, rich-est tournament on the winter circuit.

"I was chipping and putting like a madman," Hogan quip-ped as he left the tricky Ri-

viera course.

He carded a 33 on the front nine and a 36 on the backside. This is the fourth round he's played since the accident. Hogan said he'll be back for

more today and tomorrow. If he feels up to it and if he continues to score well, he'll be on the firing line for the \$15,000 event he won in 1942, '47 and '48.

He makes no promises now But the competitive urge is welling up inside bantam Ben like steam in a pressure cooker.

Stanford Favored In Hawaiian Bowl

Both squads were reinforced Ted Bell. by a couple of work-horses who flew into Honolulu yesterday af-ter playing in Saturday's East-West Shrine game at San Fran-

Harry Kahuanul, giant end and the only Hawaiian ever to play in the East-West game, bol-stered the local eleven. Three Stanford men rejoined the Indians - Center Jim Castagnoli, inces Brokaw, will be sued divorce at his own request. ery Mitchell.

letics at West Point, claims a

New York City cop was re-

sponsible for the proudest moment of his life . . . Tom,

who is a husky, six-foot-four broth of a boy, was walking into the polo grounds between two notably round 300-pound

gentlemen, Herman Hickman and Jack Lavelle . . . The policeman surveyed the trio

in awe, then gasped to an-other cop: "Did you see the size of that major?"

SPORTSMENTION

The New York Yankees downed the Brooklyn Dodgers Detroit; Pacific Coast, Califorto win the world's baseball championship; Ponder earned \$321,825\$ to become the leading money winner in the field of horse racing, and Ezzard Charles took over the world's heavy-weight boxing crown after Joe Louis abdicated the throne. These were a few of the highlights in the world of sports during 1949 as compiled by the Associated Press.

Further details of baseball included the winning of the Pacific Coast, Califor Coast, Califor Coast, California, Wyoming, Candon (AAU): 100 yards, Jackie Lavine, Town Club, Chicago; 220, Brenda Helser, LACC; 440, Joan Mallory, Crystal Plunge; Coe, Oklahoma City; PGA, Sam Snead, Hot Springs, Va.; world championship, John Palmer, Eldorado, N. C.; All America, Coe, Oklahoma City; PGA, Sam Snead, Hot Springs, Va.; world championship, John Palmer, Eldorado, N. C.; All America, 220, Nancy M. Lees, Multnomah; Lloyd Mangrum, Dallas, Tex.; women's national amateur, Mrs. Dorothy Parker, Philadelphia.

Swimming, women's indoor (AAU): 100 packs, Califor Coast, Calif

Brighton-Drake, S. C.; 300 medley, Verdeur.

Swimming: Men's indoor
(AAU): 100 yards, Wally Ris,
Iowa; 220, Gibe; 400, Jimmy
McLane, New Haven, S. C.; 150
backstroke, Stack; 250 breaststroke, Keith Carter, Perdue;
300 medley, Verdeur.

Swimming, women's outdoor
(AAU): 110 yards, Thelma Kalama, Hawali; 440 Kalama; 880,
Catherine Kleinschmidt, Hawali;
mile, Jean Lutyens, Indianapolis; 110 backstroke, Barbara Jensen, Crystal Plunge; 220, Jensen; 110 breaststroke, Carol
Pence, Lafayette C. C., Ind.; 220,
Evelyn Kawomoto, Hawali; 330

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Editation or high schools'
basketball quints are preparing
for the launching of the 1950

determined at the jamboree The regular season will in-

clude two rounds of action with loop openers slated for Friday, January 13. Coach Bill Hanauska's squad

from West Salem for the first time hold an edge in experience. The West Salem team is bolstered by four returning letter-men, Warren Clemons, Dave Bayer, Bud Flesher and Jerry Curtis. West Salem's big con-cern is lack of reserves.

The Parrish Grays, men-tored by Hank Landis, will have but one monogrammer returning, Jimmy Rice. Bob Metzger's Pioneers also have but one letterman returning in the person of Lowell Pierce. Clay Egleston's Cardinals will have not a single vet to bolster them.
At Leslie, Jack Cobb will b

he only letterman to return to the Leslie Golds, mentored by Jem Dimit, and Harry Mohr's blues are strictly green hands.

Practice sessions were stoppe during the vacation but will be resumed Tuesday afternoon in preparation for the coming

Battle Royal Is Billed for Mat Show on Tuesday

Tuesday night's arena perfor-nance at the armory will consist of a "mat royal" with seven con enders involved. The affair wil wind up with the two survivors

Honolulu, Jan. 2 (17) — Stan-ford was a 28 point favorite in today's Pineapple football game against the University of Ha-weaver, Maurice LaChapelle and

BASKETBALL

(By the Associated Press)
Washinston 48, Columbia 48,
Idain 48, Counsas 35,
Washinston 160, Columbia 46,
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Elens 57, William & Marr 50,
Toleolo 58, Brighum Young 51,
Barrand T2, Western Reserve 68,
St. Louis 54, Navy 46, (Cotton Bow hampdenship)

ery Mitchell.

A crowd of 20,000 was expected despite a forecast of showers.

Scattern Methodist 81, Baylor 27, (3rd place Colton Bowl Doprier)

Team Christian 18, North Texas State 21, 20 or 10 or

Gridder Sees Business in Coaching tant graduate manager of ath- | starting the move that brought the warring pro football leagues together. But chances are it won't be long before Baltimore fans will be ready to buy tickets on the off chance of being able to throw something at GPM. Since opening their current sea-son October 28 the Harlem Globetrotters have won 63 straight basketball games,

Final figures for the justcompleted schoolboy football season in Texas show that 24-400 klds played or various teams. . . . No wonder Texas colleges don't have to import much material. . . And the Austin High team, which went to the state finals, traveled some 3000 miles on eight road When the Hershey, Pa., bockey team played in Buffalo repenalty box: "Reserved for



Up and In Jewell McDowell, Texas Aggle guard, scored two of his 17 points on this layup and a moment later scored two more on a foul called against University of California's Bill Thompson (8) on the same play. The action took place in the first half of game held at the Cow Palace in San Francisco, California defeated the Texans 59-49. (AP Wirespecies)

Unique Sneaker Upsets Results Of Stone Bowl

Walla Walla, Wash., Jan. 2 U.S.—A "brazen" quarterback sneak, of sorts, was blamed for a surprising upset in the third annual "Stone Bowl" classic played at the state prison yesterday.
"We wuz robbed!" shouted

the All-Stars after losing to the Hornets, 7 to 6. The Hornets, refusing comment, retired to their cells to enjoy the Stone Bowl trophy, a stalk of fresh

The Hornets were pre-game favorites in tobacco betting among the prisoners, but the odds switched in favor of the All-Stars when three Hornets were locked up for "bad con-duct." Furthermore, the Hornets lost their star quarter-back, "Speedy Chuck" Corey, who escaped from the prison

farm last week. But the Hornets drafted "Tricky Jack" Egan from the All-Star ranks, leaving the defending champions without a quarterback.

This was a brazen kind of quarterback sneak!" fumed

All-Star Coach Bill Egan.

A handful of visitors and
1500 convicts watched the game and 50 guards watched the fans.

Portland Sends Rose Football To Bowl Game

Portland, Ore., Jan. 2 0.00 —A football made up of 200 roses is to be Oregon's gift to the queen of the winning team in the Pasadena Rose

Shirley Love, Portland, Oregon State college's homecoming queen, carried the football aboard a Western Airlines plane last night and went south to make the pre-

sentation Monday.

She was given a sendoff at the airport by Lloyd Carter, Portland, president of the Oregon State Alumni associa-tion.

Resignation Puts Navy in Market For Coach Staff

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 2 (4).—
Navy scanned the horizon today
for a new football coach — the
job tossed overboard by George
Sauer in a "one-for-all" gesture
when his two assistants were
fired fired.

Sauer's sudden resignation yesterday left naval academy athletic bigwigs with an early New Year's Eve hangover. Looking for a pilot to replace

nim "shapes up as a real headache, particularly at this time of the year," lamented Capt. How-ard Caldwell, director of ath-

So unexpected was his move that Sauer himself later admitted he hadn't "even thought" of the future yet. But the 39-yearever he goes he'll take the two is the lassistants—Bob Ingalls and Vic record. Bradford-right along.

ng chores.
During their tenure Navy won three games, lost 13 and tied two. All three of those victo-ries were registered in 1949 and one of the ties was the memor-able 21-21 deadlock with highly favored Army in 1948.

Expect 233 Teams To Register in Oregon Pin Meet

Portland, Jan. 2 (AP)—A record entry list of 233 teams is expected to be posted here Sat-urday for the opening of the 9th annual State Bowling Asso ciation tournament.
The A-B-C division play is

scheduled to close Jan. 29.
Frank McCants, Salem, is defending class A singles champion.

Ray Ainsley's 19 on a par four hole in the second round of the 1938 U.S. Open golf championship is the highest total ever recorded in Open his-

Top Gag of Half-Century

New York, Jan. 2 0.50 Ladies and gentlemen, the top gag of the half-century: Get a horse!

Of all the jokes in all the years that have reeled, roared, and yukked since 1900, this is the one that lasted longest, was told the most, and made the greatest impact on mankind. That's the opinion of Henry Morgan, one of the most non-cloistered scholars in the field. He picked for the United Press the best jokes of the half-

century—on the basis of public popularity. He's now fox-holing himself against a deluge of expected gripes starting,

"Why didn't he include the one about . . ."
"Get a horse' was going strong in 1991," Morgan said.
"There were autos, and the autos of that time broke down.
The phrase made every man a comedian. It wasn't hard to

People kept right on using it. Morgan says it's still being

sed—by certain horses.

The No. 2, and runner-up, joke: "Who was that lady I cen you with last night?" "That was no lady that was my rife." This thing permeated the half-century. <u></u>

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Two-Year-Old on Global Flight Plane Crashes Into In Effort to Save Her Life

Startling Discovery - Dr.

Irene Corey Diller of the Institute for Cancer Research,

Philadelphia, reported to the

New York that she has dis-

reported one of the most startling of this century. (Acme

Telephoto.)

her arrived here Saturday nights by Pan American Clipper from their home in Singapore. They are due in Cleveland, Ohio, this evening and the youngster will go immediately to the Cleveland clinic, where

dioctors hope to cure her of a care blood disease.

Janet contracted the malady wo weeks ago and Singapore doctors gave her only six weeks

to live. Wagner is the Goodrich Rubber Co.'s head buyer there. The child wore an oxyger mask on the flight from Singa-pore to Manila. And the Trans-World Airline plane carrying her to Cleveland will fly much lowthan normal to maintain prop-

er cabin pressure.

San Jose Passes 20-13 Win Over Texas Tech Team

American Association for the Advancement of Science in Fresno, Calif., Jan. 2 (AP) Pass superiority spelled the dif-ference in San Jose State colcovered fungi in human and mouse cancers, with the imlege's 20 to 13 victory over Tex-as Tech in the fifth annual Raiplication of a possible vac-cination procedure for cancer prevention. The discovery is sin bowl football game.

The Red Raiders from Lub-bock, Tex., had a heavy margin aground - gaining 269 yards to 155 for the Spartans, But via air, the story was different.
San Jose completed ten passes

in 17 heaves for 139 yards. Tex-as Tech connected only four times in 12 tries, for 88 yards. The Red Raiders grabbed three Spartan passes and the Califor-nians intercepted one Tech

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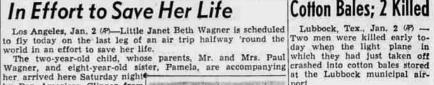
College basketball teams will hold the Madison Square Garden spotlight during 28 nights this season.

In a 1935 National Football League game between Philadel-phia and Boston, the Eagles intercepted seven passes and Boston four.

Brooklyn and Boston struggled through a 1935 National Football League game with only three first downs between them

Andy Uram's 97-yard run from the future yet. But the 39-year-old head coach indicated wher-cycle he goes he'll take the two is the National Football League

They came to Navy from Kan-sas with him in 1948, Ingalls to help tutor linemen and Brad-ford to handle backfield coach-National Football League ca-



Flight plans filed with the civil aeronautics administration at the airport listed the pilot as James E. Paul, Shawnee, as James E. Paul, Shawnee, Okla. A passenger in the plane was not identified several hours after the crash. Their destina-tion was listed as Oklahoma

City.
The plane burst into flames,

setting fire to the cotton and 25 bales were burned. The plane, an Aerocupe, took off, circled the field twice and started losing altitude, then

Willie Knapp, who rode the winning Upset in Man O'War's only defeat, is in charge of Mrs. E. L. Hopkins' racing string this

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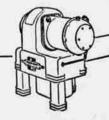
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in 1841 and trimmed Tennessee in the Sugar Bowl . . The B. C. lads presented the game ball to Ed's twins, born just a few days before . After Truck Cullom, California's big tackle, grabbed a lateral and ran about nine yards against Stanford, he wise eracked: "If this team only had some tackle replacements, I'd be the running sensation of the league."

When the Dodgers' Don Newcomb to work for a continue started to work for a discovered there wasn't a suit in the place big enough for his frame . . Col. Jacob L. Pritch ard, mayor of Santa Clara, Calif., will have a heck of a time at the Orange Bowl same the running sensation of the league." LONGITUDE VS. LATITUDE ing credit to Washington's fenseman fooled them by not Major Tom Mesercia, sesis. George Preston Marshall for drawing a penalty that night. ····