

# Time running out — Ken Lane waiting for title shot

MUSKEGON, Mich. (UPI) — Time is running out for Kenny Lane, the Muskegon boxer who has spent the last five years waiting for another shot at the lightweight championship of the world.

Lane, 31-year-old father of three, is spending his time these days fixing machines at the self-service laundromat and dry cleaning establishment he bought three years ago.

"If a guy only knew what was going to happen, . . . Lane said as he pondered the possibility of getting Carlos Ortiz, the recognized lightweight champion everywhere but in Michigan, into the

ring soon.

"It's been this way for years, you get tired of waiting and it gets especially tough when you go broke. I had to wait so long for that shot at Joe Brown and now I'm still waiting for another crack at it," Lane said.

"My wife would just as soon have me quit and get a job where you know when you're going to work and how much money you'll earn at the end of the week," he added.

Lane currently holds the Michigan version of the lightweight crown — whatever that means — after pouncing out a unanimous decision over Paulie Arm-

stead of Los Angeles at Saginaw last week.

But it wasn't much of a payday for Lane or for Armstead. The paid gate was only 2,200 and more than that number got in free.

In the confused world of pro boxing, it's hard to tell what will come next for Lane.

The World Boxing Association (WBA), currently feuding with Michigan boxing Commissioner David Gudelsky, stripped Ortiz of his lightweight crown for failing to defend it and then gave it back the day before the Lane-Armstead fight.

The WBA also ordered Ortiz to

sign for a fight with the Lane-Armstead winner in 60 days.

"But I haven't heard anything yet," Lane said. "I'm still waiting . . ."

The situation was also confused when the WBA threw Michigan out for "contemptuous attitude." Gudelsky claims Michigan had withdrawn from the organization before the state was kicked out.

Lane, who has never been knocked out and has been turned pro on his 21st birthday, April 9, 1953.

The stylish southpaw since that time has won 76 fights, lost only

11 and fought in two draws.

He's been perennially rated the No. 1 contender, but his only shot at the title came in 1958 in Houston against then champion Brown. Lane lost a unanimous 15-round decision by a razor-thin margin as the referee and one judge gave the fight to Brown by just one point.

The late Jack (Doc) Kearns, thinking Lane was way ahead on points, advised him to coast the final two rounds, which Brown subsequently won.

A rematch seemed likely, but Lane could never get Brown into the ring again.

Since the bout with Brown, Lane has fought Ortiz twice. He gained a decision in 1959, but when they fought for the junior welterweight championship the following year, Ortiz won on a TKO.

"He opened up a 16-stitch gash on my forehead when he butted me," Lane said.

Ortiz then dethroned Brown in April of 1962, but Lane has been unable to get Ortiz in the ring for another shot at the title.

Lane was rated No. 1 until last month when the WBA switched the ratings and dropped him to No. 2 and moved Armstead to

No. 1.

But Lane still has ambitions of wearing the crown some day.

"Ortiz is an overrated fighter, first he makes the matches and then they rate his opponents, it's ridiculous."

"If I get the fight, I figure I can beat him and then set up some pretty good paydays as champion," he added.

"That could really set me up in the laundry business. It's a good business."

But before he retires to the laundry business, he wants to wear the crown.

He's waited long enough for it.

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## A LOOK AT SPORTS

### Coaches note grid fervor in all camps

By Web Ruble  
Bulletin Sports Editor

If the grunting and groaning and the roaring out on Bruin practice field is any indication, the fighting Lava Bears of Bend High School may be off to a roaring start this year.

Coaches Tom Winbiger and Hoot Moore have indicated that the 1963 Lava Bears will have more enthusiasm (and size) than in recent years.

"This is just about the best bunch I've ever coached," Moore disclosed during a brief lull yesterday. He hastened to point out, however, that the Bend squad is not of the best ability he's had an opportunity to mentor, but that the Bruin attitude is "tops."

Could it be that the Bruins have taken a shot in the arm? Could it be that the Lava Bear enthusiasm and attitude towards the rock 'em sock 'em sport has been rejuvenated? Yessiree. . . it looks that way.

#### 80 Report

Head Coach Winbiger got 80 gridders (excluding freshmen) out for the football. This sets a record. Though Winbiger and his staff are enthusiastic about his team in general, they are even more pleased with the crop of Bend sophomores. "They may not have been tops as freshmen," he pointed out, "but many of them have grown considerably, and in a couple of years will be real bearcats."

Winbiger pointed out in particular two individuals who will be real badgers in the Inter-mountain League during the next two years. They are both quarter-backs: Bruce May and Rick Nicholson.

Among his green gridders, Winbiger got nine returning letter-men and about three regulars.

But Bend is not the only camp where enthusiasm abounds.

#### Prineville Excited

Up at Prineville people are really excited. The Cowboys have a brand new coach and a brand new system. "Watch-out!" holler

the Crook County grid fans. Coach George Dowling has brought a combination for grid competition to the Crook camp. Dowling, an ex-Idaho griddier, has brought a Skip Stahley offense aboard. It goes with split ends and a slot back for razzle dazzle. He also has brought the University of Washington's challenge system that Coach Jim Owens up there has made work so well.

No griddier at Prineville will go without his chance. Coach Dowling has slated a full game scrim for Saturday, September 7, with the losing team eating beans as the victors slurp steaks.

#### Panthers Ready

Redmond Coach Doc Savage is new as head mentor, but he is a veteran Panther coach. He is enthusiastic, too. The 'Cats got 60 out on their football call. There are about 11 lettermen returning, five of which were regulars for the Panthers last year. Savage mentioned that he will have smaller backs, but his line will be average. Though he boasts no speed in particular, Savage did point out that senior Dennis Moore will be tough to contend with.

Up at Madras, Coach Frank Good is determined to shake the label as being league doormat. About 45 reported to football on the initial call, but Good expects at least 15 more. The mint harvest, it appears, is causing a certain number to delay practice until the harvest is over.

"It really hurts us," Good said. "We need two solid weeks of practice with a full squad to be ready." Good, however, will have 15 lettermen back when they all get on the field. Madras will go with small backs. Good's line is the question mark.

Good has a bright spot. Madras will open its grid season at home for the first time in 10 years. They tackle wide-open, fast La Grande, who, like Prineville and Redmond, has a new head mentor.



HIGH-STEPPING HORSES—It may look like a carnival's merry-go-round, but the boys that are turning out for football at Bend High School analyze it as nothing but blood, sweat and tears. Grid practice for Central Oregon prep gridders started with a bang on Monday of this week. Enthusiasm abounds in all camps, coaches report. (Nate Bull photo)

### Soaring Yankees now claim hottest toss staff

By United Press International  
Talk about the rich getting richer.

The New York Yankees, who have opened a hefty 12½ game lead in bidding for their 14th pennant in 17 years, now are bragging about the hottest pitching staff in the majors.

Four different men have hurled shutouts for the Yankees in their last five games. Whitey Ford and Al Downing started the white-wash jobs against the Chicago White Sox last weekend, then Jim Bouton and Ralph Terry blanked the Boston Red Sox in a double-header Tuesday night.

So in addition to spread-eagling the American League, the Yankees are closing in on a club record for most shutouts in a season. Manager Ralph Houk's current staff has 10 to its credit, only six short of the team standard set in 1951 by the likes of Vic Raschi, Ed Lopat and Allie Reynolds.

Bouton, a part-time jeweler, nearly carved a no-hit gem in the opener against the Red Sox. He settled for a two-hit, 5-0 victory. Terry spaced five hits in winning the nightcap, 3-0.

Pinch hitter Russ Nixon broke

up Bouton's no-hit bid when he led off the Boston ninth with a line drive that almost hit the Yankee pitcher. Gary Geiger followed with another single but the chunky right-hander preserved the shutout when Chuck Schilling bounced into a double play and Carl Yastrzemski grounded out to end the game.

It was Bouton's 18th victory and fifth shutout of the season. In the second game, the Yankees scored all their runs in the eighth inning with the help of a two-run double by Yogi Berra to ease Terry to his 15th triumph.

The Chicago White Sox moved into a second place tie with the idle Minnesota Twins by ripping the Cleveland Indians, 6-1; the Detroit Tigers downed the Los Angeles Angels, 4-1, for their sixth straight triumph, and the Kansas City Athletics edged the Baltimore Orioles, 2-1, in 10 innings.

In the National League, the Cubs nipped the Phillies, 4-3; the Pirates clipped the Mets, 2-1; the Braves turned back the Colts, 3-2; the Dodgers downed the Reds, 3-2; and the Giants defeated the Cardinals, 7-2.

#### They'll Do It Every Time

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By Jimmy Hatlo



### Handicappers look for 'signs' in Hambletonian

DU QUOIN, Ill. (UPI) — Handicappers looked for running noses and listened for sneezes today among the 14 three-year-olds scheduled to go in the 18th Hambletonian, the classic harness stake for trotters.

Speedy Scot, the big bay from Castleton Farm, remained the 2-5 favorite despite three sneezes within a quarter-mile distance during a light one-mile workout Tuesday.

Trainer-driver Ralph Baldwin, seeking his first Hambletonian win in 13 starts, said Speedy Scot's temperature was normal after the workout. He said the sneezes might have resulted from chilly nights, but with some virus infections on the grounds he planned to keep a close watch on the favorite up to race time.

Pleasant weather, a record crowd of 40,000 a new Hambletonian speed record were forecast. The first heat was scheduled to go at 3:30 p.m., EDT, the second heat 4:30 p.m. and the third at 5:30 p.m. if needed. The winner must take two heats. If the first three heats produce three different winners, the three

Invitation to local swimmers

All non-adult swimmers in Central Oregon who plan to compete next summer on the Bend Elks Swimming Team are invited to take advantage of the swim clinic now underway at the Bend pool, it was announced today by clinic instructor John Cutter.

Cutter said that the clinic is open to everyone from 7 to 20 who is interested in competitive swimming.

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### NFL Cards let go Ted Bates

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### Hopalong Cassidy, once highest paid rookie in NFL, joins two dozen veterans looking for jobs

By United Press International

Howard (Hopalong) Cassidy, the highest paid rookie in the National Football League seven years ago, today was just one of nearly two dozen veteran players looking for jobs.

The red-haired Heisman Trophy winner of 1955, whom Woody Hayes, his coach at Ohio State, once called "the greatest football player I've ever seen," apparently lost his job with the Philadelphia Eagles to rookie back Ron Goodwin of Baylor.

The youth-conscious Minnesota Vikings pared the most number of veterans from their ranks—six, including six-year pro tackle Frank Youso, to meet the NFL's final pre-season limit of 43. The Vikings in turn picked up two second-year defensive tackles, Bill Wilson and George Hultz, from the St. Louis Cardinals for a future draft pick.

Two injured Baltimore Colts' veterans, defensive tackle Bill Ventura and defensive back Bob Boyd, were placed on the injury waiver list and flanker Bake Turner, a two-year pro, was cut.

In addition to Cassidy, the Eagles asked for waivers on line-backer John Nocera and defensive tackle Joe Lewis, both members of last year's squad.

#### Redskins Cut Six

Veteran offensive tackle Charlie Moore and defensive back Jim Kerr were lopped by the Washington Redskins in addition to four rookies.

All players placed on waivers Tuesday are subject to claim by other clubs within each respective league within 48 hours. If a player is claimed, the original

has a 24-hour period in which to exercise his option of recalling him. The injury waiver list is aimed at removing an injured player from the active roster and still retaining him under contract, to be reactivated later.

Gary Knafele, a nine-year veteran end from the Green Bay Packers, signed with San Francisco, but the Forty Niners cut former Chicago Bear quarterback Dick Norman, placed rookie full-back Mike Lind on the injury waiver list and placed guard Ted Connolly on the inactive reserve list. San Francisco also claimed back Glenn Shaw from the Los Angeles Rams.

#### Trades in AFL

In the American Football League, two trades were included in the roster juggling to meet the 35-man player limit. Former All-AFL pass catching star Bill Groman was dealt by the Houston Oilers to the Denver Broncos for two high 1964 draft choices.

#### DOVES PRESENT

A fair supply of doves is now present over much of the district, a Game Commission hunting report said today. Some of the better concentrations are to be found in harvested grain fields.

Archers will find best hunting for deer generally along the upper Deschutes system, including the Little Deschutes, Crescent Creek and around Davis Lake, Davis Mountain, Cultus Mountain, Crane Prairie, Wanoga Butte and Sparks Lake.

## The Scoreboard

### Major Leagues

| American League | W. | L. | Pct. | GB  |
|-----------------|----|----|------|-----|
| New York        | 85 | 46 | .649 | —   |
| Minnesota       | 72 | 58 | .554 | 12½ |
| Chicago         | 72 | 58 | .554 | 12½ |
| Baltimore       | 72 | 61 | .541 | 14  |
| Detroit         | 62 | 66 | .484 | 21½ |
| Cleveland       | 64 | 69 | .481 | 22  |
| Boston          | 62 | 69 | .473 | 23  |
| Los Angeles     | 60 | 73 | .451 | 26  |
| Kansas City     | 58 | 72 | .446 | 26½ |
| Washington      | 48 | 83 | .366 | 37  |

**Tuesday's Results**  
Chicago 6 Cleveland 1, night  
Kan. City 2 Balti. 1, 10 ins, night  
New York 5 Boston 0, 1st twilight  
New York 3 Boston 0, 2nd night  
Detroit 4 Los Angeles 1, night  
(Only games scheduled.)

| National League | W. | L. | Pct. | GB  |
|-----------------|----|----|------|-----|
| Los Angeles     | 78 | 52 | .597 | —   |
| St. Louis       | 72 | 59 | .550 | 6½  |
| San Francisco   | 72 | 59 | .550 | 6½  |
| Philadelphia    | 71 | 61 | .538 | 8   |
| Philadelphia    | 70 | 62 | .530 | 9   |
| Cincinnati      | 70 | 65 | .519 | 10½ |
| Chicago         | 67 | 63 | .515 | 11  |
| Pittsburgh      | 66 | 63 | .512 | 11½ |
| Houston         | 49 | 83 | .371 | 30  |
| New York        | 41 | 89 | .315 | 37  |

**Tuesday's Results**  
Chicago 4 Philadelphia 3  
Pittsburgh 2 New York 1, night  
Milwaukee 3 Houston 2, night  
Los Angeles 3 Cin. 2, night  
San Francisco 7 St. Louis 2, night

#### CHANCE AT BIG RACE

YONKERS, N.Y. (UPI) — Over-trick, a three-year-old pacer which has won five sub-two-minute miles this season, has been made a supplementary entry for the \$150,000 Cane Futurity Pace at Yonkers Raceway Sept. 12. The Cane Futurity is the first leg of the 1963 Triple Crown of Pacing.

### PCL standings

| Northern Division | W. | L. | Pct. | GB |
|-------------------|----|----|------|----|
| Spartan           | 87 | 57 | .604 | —  |
| Hawaii            | 75 | 67 | .528 | 11 |
| Tacoma            | 71 | 73 | .493 | 16 |
| Portland          | 65 | 77 | .458 | 22 |
| Seattle           | 65 | 79 | .451 | 22 |

**Southern Division**  
W. L. Pct. GB  
Oklahoma City 76 68 .528 —  
Dallas-Ft. Worth 73 70 .510 2½  
San Diego 72 70 .507 3  
Salt Lake City 66 75 .468 8½  
Denver 65 79 .451 11

| Tuesday's Results                 |
|-----------------------------------|
| Hawaii 3 Salt Lake 1 (1st, 7 ins) |
| Salt Lake 1 Hawaii 0 (wd, 7 ins)  |
| San Diego 2 Spokane 0             |
| Denver 6 Portland 3               |
| Dallas-Ft. Worth 7 Okla. City 6   |
| Tacoma 7 Seattle 3                |

### Northwest Loop

| W.          | L. | Pct. | GB       |
|-------------|----|------|----------|
| Yakima      | 39 | 28   | .582     |
| Salem       | 37 | 29   | .561 1½  |
| Wenatchee   | 33 | 39   | .524 4   |
| Leavenworth | 32 | 31   | .508 5   |
| Eugene      | 29 | 39   | .426 10½ |
| Tri-City    | 25 | 38   | .397 12  |

**Tuesday's Results**  
Tri-City 13-4 Yakima 6-5  
Wenatchee 9 Eugene 1  
Salem 5 Leavenworth 4 (11 innings)

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