

Sport Graphs

Billy Hulen Says:

Coaching Staffs Undergo Shakeups In Loop Schools

Unless the unexpected happens and Bill Bowerman, a reserve officer, is called up for active duty, Medford high will be the lone Southern Oregon conference school to start the 1941-42 athletic year with the same coaching staff as that which operated during the past season.

All the other institutions in the loop, Klamath Falls, Grants Pass and Ashland, have had their coaching staffs shaken up, the latest change being at Grants Pass where George Hibbard, basketball tutor for the past five years, resigned his post to accept a similar berth at Portland's Jefferson high.

Succeeding Hibbard will be Arnold Bernard, who taught in the Grants Pass high school the past year after coaching prep basketball for four seasons in North Dakota. Bernard apparently has quite a reputation as a cage coach, having taken one of his teams to the state tournament finals.

Grants Pass, in fact, will open the 1941-42 season with an entirely new head-coaching staff. George Erickson, assistant football mentor last season, has been appointed to active service of Lieut. Loren Tuttle, a reserve officer.

Klamath Falls will still have Dwight French on hand to teach the lads basketball, but will have a new head grid coach in Frank Ramsey, who moved up to fill the spot made vacant when Arthur (Snowy) Gustafson, a reserve officer, was called up for active duty. At Ashland, Jerry Gattineau will again do the basketball coaching, but Leighton Blake, football coach, has resigned to accept another position.

Medford, unless Bowerman is called up or Russ Acheson, basketball tutor, takes another job, will start next season with its coaching staff intact. The others are Ed Kirtley, assistant grid mentor and Alex McDonald, baseball head man.

The beauty of a young ball player is that he never quits hustling and trying; he goes after everything in sight, and although he might boot one, perhaps an easy one, a play or so later he is liable to come up with something that jerks you right out of your seat.

A nice example of this youth full hustle was seen Saturday night when the Craters beat Eugene 5-3. In the second inning Bob Churchill, the Crater's rifle-armed third sacker, raced to his left to field Wiltshire's easy hopper, and kicked it. The ball, it appeared, actually belonged to Shortstop Del Schroer.

Undismayed by this error, Churchill pulled a honey on the very next ball hit. Joe Spencer smashed a sizzler that appeared bound for a single into left field, but Churchill took two quick steps to his left, stabbed the ball with his gloved hand and started a fast double play via Volk at second.

The Louis-Conn fight pics show here for the last times at the Crater tonight, and we suggest you fight fans, who haven't already seen them, move heaven and earth to do so. . . the movies are the clearest of any fight we have yet seen, and what a fight it is! . . . even though we knew how the thing was to end, in that 12th round we almost shouted to Conn to "finish him off" . . . yes, Billy really had the Bomber stagger in the 12th, with two left hooks to the chin, but Joe grabbed on, wrestled Conn into the ropes and the challenger's chances were gone . . .

Scores Yesterday

National
Brooklyn 9, Pittsburgh 4.
Chicago 1, New York 0.
(Only games.)

American
No games scheduled.

Western International
Vancouver 17, Wenatchee 3.
(Only game.)

Exhibition
Portland (Coast league) 5,
Salem (W. I. L.) 7.

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Huskies Top Favorites to Cop 'Keepsie Race Wednesday

ULBRICKSON SAYS CREW LOST EDGE BUT STILL GREAT

California Rated Washington's Most Serious Threat — Others to Also-Run

By Bill Boni
Poughkeepsie, N. Y., June 24. (AP)—Since the day in April when his varsity crew beat California in a record-breaking three-mile race, Coach Al Ulbrickson's University of Washington Huskies have been on the spot.

Though tomorrow's intercollegiate regatta then was more than two months away, the Huskies promptly were made favorites to repeat their 1940 Hudson river victory.

"It's unfortunate, but I've given up trying to talk people out of it," Ulbrickson said today. "They forget a lot can happen in two months—and this time it did."

What happened, chiefly, was that the Washingtons lost their edge, and didn't have proper weather conditions to regain it. Ulbrickson, therefore, feels that right now they are nowhere near the class they were in April.

Credit to Boys
"When we started this crew season, we didn't expect a thing," he explained. "We had only three holdovers from the 1940 varsity—Ted Garhart at stroke, Charles Jackson at No. 5 and the bow man, six-foot-seven John Bracken. But the boys, with a great display of will-power, went out on their own to whip themselves into a crew."

"They did a great job. Against California they were as fine as any eight I've ever seen. They didn't miss or miff anything from start to finish. But after hitting that peak they apparently decided they were a crew, and could get it back any time. I think they've been finding out here that's easier lost than re-won."

It still is a powerful crew—more powerful, the coach is sure, even than his 1938 Olympic champions. But they lack that boat's polish. He doesn't say they won't win, but he doesn't think, either, they're the sure-shots everyone is making them.

Of the eight shells which will line up against his varsity at 2:45 p. m. (PST) tomorrow, Ulbrickson has the most regard for California, his neighbor on boathouse row.

West Not Threatened
The other seven starters look like one great muddle. Cornell, Syracuse, Columbia, new-comer Rutgers, Princeton, with style but perhaps without stamina, M. I. T. and even lightweight Wisconsin all figure to beat somebody across the finish line at the end of the four miles. Not one of them, though, has the stamp of a real threat to the west.

Fights Last Night

By the Associated Press
Baltimore — Clarence (Red) Burman, 192, Baltimore, knocked out Al Hart, 222, New Orleans (2.)

Pittsburgh — Harry Bobo, 202, Pittsburgh, stopped Mike Alfano, 211, New York (4.)

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National League		
	W.	L.
St. Louis	43	21
Brooklyn	42	21
New York	32	29
Cincinnati	31	31
Chicago	30	33
Pittsburgh	24	39
Boston	22	41
Philadelphia	18	43

American and Coast league standings unchanged.

UNKNOWN LEAD FIELD IN QUALIFY ROUNDS, BING CROSBY HAS 77

By Gail Fowler
Spokane, June 24.—(AP)—Big names were a dime a dozen, but a couple of unsung Spokaneites showed to the front yesterday in the opening day of the Pacific northwest men's and women's amateur golf tourneys.

Marsh Hammond, who Sunday won the city's municipal title, tied for medalist honors at the halfway mark of the 36-hole qualifying round with a 70—sharing top billing with Louis Jennings of Portland, one of Oregon's top golfers. Par is 36-38-72.

Betty Jean Ruckner, husky 16-year-old high school girl whose father, Mahlon Rucker, is president of the P. N. G. A., made her debut by shooting a 79 for medal honors in the women's 18-hole qualifier.

In so doing, Betty Jean nosed out none other than Betty Jameson of San Antonio, Tex., the national women's champion. Miss Jameson took an 80.

The men, meanwhile, were shooting at Hammond and Jennings on their final 18 holes of qualifying for the match play which begins Wednesday for the 32 low scorers over the 36-hole route.

The three gallery gods, Bud Ward, former national amateur champion, Bing Crosby, the hoop-a-dooper from Hollywood who is back in his old home town here for the tourney, and Ken Black, the Canadian amateur champion from Vancouver, B. C., will have to step on it today if they hope to overhaul the leaders. But it looks like a hopeless task.

Ward turned in a 76; Crosby a 77, and Black 80.

NEW ZONING PLAN FOR BUSH TEAMS

Wichita, Kan., June 24.—(AP)—President Ray Dumont of national semi-pro baseball congress today announced for the first time that two teams from the Oregon Washington region would be invited in the national championship tournament here, August 15 to 27, instead of one, under a new zoning plan.

As a result both the Oregon and Washington state semi-pro champions will qualify directly into the national event instead of participating in a regional series.

Dates of the Oregon state tournament at Albany were also confirmed, July 8 to 12, with Commissioner Ray Brooks, Portland, in charge for the sixth consecutive year. The Washington state tournament is scheduled at Everett, July 30 to August 3, under the supervision of Ray Hutchinson, Everett.

FAT FREDDIE IN FORM ONCE MORE, LICKS PITT, 9 TO 4

By Gayle Talbot
(Associated Press Writer)
What might prove one of the most significant victories of the National league race was scored by fat Freddie Fitzsimmons of the Dodgers yesterday when he licked Pittsburgh, 9 to 4, in one of the day's two big-league games.

The win did more than just boost Brooklyn within a half-game of the idle St. Louis Cards. It afforded almost positive proof that Fitzsimmons, the wonder veteran who won 16 and lost only two last year, is at last ready to begin taking a weekly turn for a team that has pennant fever.

Meanwhile, at Chicago, Claude Passeau of the Cubs and Hal Schumacher of the Giants hooked up in one of the season's most brilliant duels, with Passeau the eventual victor, 1 to 0.

NOVIKOFF FAILS TO MAKE GRADE

Chicago, June 24.—(AP)—The sad Russian has gone away—but a lot of Chicago Cubs fans hope he'll be back another day.

Lou Novikoff, who came to the Cubs last spring as the most highly publicized rookie in National league history, will be back in the minors tonight as a member of the Milwaukee Brewers. He failed to meet major league standards so was sent to the American association club for more seasoning. His new boss will be genial Charlie Grimm, who still believes Lou some day will develop into a great hitter.

The likable Novikoff made a lot of friends at Wrigley field despite his .237 batting average. When he failed repeatedly at the plate, the attitude of most Cub fans was "He's pressing, let's give him a chance."

MEDFORD JUNIORS PLAY MARSHFIELD

Jackson county's American Legion junior baseball team will play its first district 4 game next Sunday at Marshfield against the Marshfield Juniors, and Coach Riney Cook will have 20 players available for the contest, he announced today.

Cook listed the following boys on the roster: Bob Smith, Jacksonville; Charlie Jandreau, Ashland and Howard Parker, Phoenix; pitchers: Hal Adams, Medford and Gene Farthing, Grants Pass; catcher: Ray Clayton, Grants Pass; first base: Don Fawcett, Medford; second base: Jack Swaryck, Jacksonville, and Chet Lathrop, Grants Pass; short stops: Bob Davis, Medford, third base: Tom Mansfield, Ashland, infield: Bud Provost, Ashland, and Steve Dippel, Medford, left fielders: Dean Meador, Medford, and Clyde Blevins, Grants Pass; center fielders: Russ McIntyre, Jacksonville, and Marion Hardy, Jacksonville, rightfield: Russ Johnson, Jacksonville, outfield: Russ Weir, Medford, and Ben Plymale, Medford, utility.

The team's six-game schedule, as announced by Carl E. Wimberly of Roseburg, chairman of district 4, follows:
June 29.—Medford at Marshfield.
July 6.—Roseburg at Medford (doubleheader).
July 10.—Medford at Roseburg.
July 13.—Marshfield at Medford (doubleheader).

LIVESTOCK

Portland, Ore., June 24.—(AP)—(USDA)—Hogs 400; market active; strong: good-choice 175-215 lb. drive-ins \$11.75-55; 230-300 lb. grades \$11.00-25; few light lights \$11.00; packing sows \$9.00-35; choice \$7-98 lb. few plus \$13.00.

Cattle 100, calves 50; market rather slow but mostly steady; scattered light grass steers \$9.00-9.25; medium-good fed steers quotable to \$9.75-10.50; common dairy heifers \$7.00-7.5; cutters down to \$6.00; grass fat heifers \$8.50-9.00; good fed heifers \$9.75; odd head \$10.00; canner and cutter cows mostly \$9.00-75; fat dairy cows to \$9.25; few grass fat beef cows \$6.50-75; strictly good young cows quotable \$7.50; medium-fairly good bulls \$6.25-75; common to \$7.50; good-choice vealers \$11.00-50; few at \$12.00; common to \$7.00.

Sheep 350; market slow, weak; good-choice spring lambs mostly .75; few lots to \$8.50; feeder lambs \$6.00-20; plain yearlings \$5.00-6.50; fat ewes \$3.50; common to \$1.50.

South San Francisco, June 24.—(AP)—(Fed-State Market News)—Hogs 400; around 100 lower; bulk 185-235 lb. California \$11.50; odd packing sows \$8.00-9.00.

Cattle 25, steers nominally steady; Monday: two loads fed 915 lb. steers \$10.55, most 1,100-1,136 lb. grass steers \$6.50; short load good 724 lb. fed heifers \$6.50; grass cows \$6.00-7.00, good young scarce, canners and cutters \$4.00-5.00; bulls weak. Calves: salable none; nominal; choice vealers 11.00 down; slaughter calves \$9.00 down.

Sheep 2,500; around 15-25c higher; 2 weeks closely sorted 77 lb. choice grade \$10.60, 80 head out \$10.00, eight decks good to choice \$10.00-40; long string 70 lb. shorn lambs \$8.50, sorted 150 head at \$7.50; medium to choice shorn ewes steady, quoted \$2.50-3.25.

Chicago Wheat

Chicago, June 24.—(AP-USD)—Wheat: Open High Low Close
July —1.03% 1.03% 1.02% 1.03%
Sep. —1.03 1.03% 1.04% 1.04%
Dec. —1.06% 1.07% 1.06% 1.06%

Portland Produce

Portland, June 24.—(AP)—Butter: Prints, A grade 39 1/2c lb. in parchment wrappers, 40 1/2c in cartons; B grade 38 1/2c in parchment wrappers, 39 1/2c in cartons.
Butterfat: First quality, maximum

of 4 of 1 per cent acidity, delivered in Portland, 37 1/2c 38c lb.; premium quality, maximum of 35 per cent acidity, 39 1/2c 39 1/2c lb.; valley routes and country points 2c less or 37c lb.; second quality 2c under first or 36 1/2c lb.
Other produce unchanged.

Portland Wheat

Portland, June 24.—(AP)—Grain: Wheat: Open High Low Close
Sep. 90% 90% 90% 90%
Cash Grain: Oats No. 2-38 lb. white \$29.00; Barley, No. 2-45 lb. b. w. \$26.00; Corn, No. 2 e. y. shipments \$32.50; No. 1 Flax \$1.88 1/2.
Cash wheat (bid):
Soft white 90; soft white excluding Rex 93; white club 93; western red 93.
Hard winter: ordinary 88; 11 pct. 93; 12 pct. 97; 13 pct. 99; 14 pct. 1.01.
Hard white-heart 12 pct. 1.12; 13 pct. 1.14; 14 pct. 1.16.
Today's car receipts: wheat 21; flour 4; millfeed 1.

Wall St. Report

New York, June 24.—(AP)—The enthusiastic stock market buying of Monday reverted to light selling today as Wall Street took a more skeptical view of the new Russo-German war.

A few rails and specialties managed to contest the retreat and some comfort was derived from the fact volume was sharply under that of the preceding session. Transfers were around 450,000 shares versus 754,000 the day before.

Today's closing prices for 34 selected stocks follow:
Al. Chem. & Dye 152 1/2
Am. Can 85
A. T. & T. 150 1/2
Anaconda 27 1/2
Atch. T. & S. F. 29
Bendix Avia. 36

Beth. Steel	73 1/2
Caterpillar Tract.	87 1/2
Chrysler	87 1/2
Curtis-Wright	8 1/2
Douglas Acdt.	71 1/2
DuPont	153 1/2
Gen. Elec.	32 1/2
Gen. Foods	35 1/2
Gen. Mol.	39 1/2
Int. Harvst	49 1/2
Johns-Man.	63 1/2
Kennecott	87 1/2
Monty Ward	35 1/2
No. Amn. Av'n	14 1/2
North Amer.	12 1/2
Pennny (J. C.)	79 1/2
Pennny R. R.	23 1/2
Phillips Pet.	43 1/2
Radio	11 1/2
Sou. Pac.	13 1/2
Std. Brands	21 1/2
St. Old Cal.	40
St. Oil N. J.	4 1/4
Trans. Amer.	8 1/4
Union Carb.	71 1/2
United Aircraft	39 1/2
United Airline	10 1/4
U. S. Steel	86 1/2

San Francisco Butter
San Francisco, June 24.—(AP)—(USDA)—Butter, 92 score, 38c; 91-33 1/2c; 90-35 1/2c; 89-34 1/2c.

Sacramento, June 24.—(AP)—Churn- ing cream butterfat: first grade 41 1/2c; second grade 39 1/2c.

Newark, N. J.—Buddy Knox, 190, Dayton, Ohio, outpointed Wallace Cross, 202, East Orange, N. J. (10.)

Boston (UP)—Henry Schumacher has grown in his small garden a dwarfed pepper tree, a Japanese camphor tree and fruit-bearing banana, orange, kumquat and fig trees.

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