



FLYING HOME—Willie Mays, New York Giants' centerfielder, dives into home safely at New York on Wes Westrum's hit to left field. Phillies' catcher Smokey Burgess reaches for Del Ennis' late throw. Giants' Dave Williams (10) watches. The Phillies won, 5-3 in 11 innings.

Housebuilding From Earth Seen Coming

Cleveland, O. — (U.P.) — That "Little Old Sod Shanty" in the western song may not be so far fetched, or as indicative of poverty, as some might think. Engineers who attended a meeting of the American Society for Testing Materials here were told by Prof. E. J. Kilcawley of Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute that "housebuilding from earth will come as soon as engineers work up standards of construction practices." Kilcawley pointed out that earth construction offers one of the few adequate means of protection against radiation in case of atomic attack. Although dirt is man's oldest construction material, Kilcawley said it is the one engineers have known the least about. Formerly, if dirt was to be used in a dam as a river or canal embankment, it was necessary to call in a soil expert who guessed whether the particular earth to be used would stand up. However, instruments are now available which show accurately what a specific sample of earth may lack in durability and, if it isn't just right, ingredients may be added to "stabilize it," as they say in the trade.



RIDGWAY TO SUCCEED IKE—President Truman has appointed Gen. Matthew Ridgway (left) to succeed Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower as supreme Allied commander in Europe and named Gen. Mark W. Clark (right) to replace Ridgway in the Far East. Above, Ridgway, then commanding general of the U. S. 8th Army, is pictured mapping out campaign strategy with Gen. Clark, then chief of field forces, during 1951 meeting at Korea's Suwon Airport.

STILL GRATEFUL

Grapevine, Tex. — (U.P.) — Albert H. Graves, a veteran of both world wars, finally got a medal from one of them—33 years late. A citation of gratitude was signed by the president of France and the mayor of Saint-Mihel. A letter explained that Graves was one of 100 Texans selected to receive the medal for liberating the French city during a bitter World War I battle.

FIR TRUCK FLATS OUT

Mineral Wells, Tex. — (U.P.) — It was the first time in 28 years it had happened, said Oddie Heath, a driver of the Mineral Wells fire department. The fire truck had a flat tire as it sped to a blaze.

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KEEPS HIS HAND IN

Boston — (U.P.) — A federal prisoner, being transferred to Illinois, was held overnight at the Charles Street jail here. After he had left, in custody, it was discovered next morning that he had stolen a new suit, a white shirt and gold cuff links from his cellmate.

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Idle Beavers Tied in Loop With Ducks

By UNITED PRESS Idle Oregon State found itself in a first-place tie in the Northern Division, baseball standings Wednesday.

The Staters moved up as a result of Washington's 6-5 victory over Oregon Tuesday. In the other conference game, Washington State whipped Idaho, 7-2. The Husky-Duck tilt went 10 innings before the winning team scored on three Oregon errors and a sacrifice by Ron Halle. Jim Rothaus, who was sent to the mound in the ninth inning as the fourth Washington pitcher, gained credit for the victory.

Sam Mitchell led the Husky attack with three hits, including a homer, in four trips to the plate. Earl Averill paced the losers with four for five, including a triple.

Idaho fell apart in the pinch as WSC scored their runs on only three hits. Vandal pitcher Cless Hincley gave up only two doubles and a single as he watched his teammates bobble critical throws and make gifts of at least four runs.

Eagles Down Talent Nine

Eagle Point—Eagle Point high bumped the Talent baseball nine 9-2 to 4 here yesterday in a non-league encounter.

The Eagles tallied during every inning at bat and Talent scored twice each in the first and seventh frames. It was a loose scuffle with nine errors charged to Talent and six to Eagle Point.

Bob Stewart led Eagle hitting with two wallops, including a triple in four times up. Willis Zumwalt and Seymour each got two raps for the Bulldogs.

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Three Kentucky Hoopmen Draw Suspended Sentences

Lexington, Ky. — (U.P.) — Basketball Coach Adolph Rupp of Kentucky and university officials both declined comment Wednesday on charges that Rupp "aided and abetted immoral subsidization" of star players on his teams.

"I won't make an official statement until I confer with university officials," said Rupp when contacted at Pikeville, Ky. University officials on the campus refused comment, and university president Dr. Herman L. Donovan was out of town and could not be reached.

The accusations were aimed at Rupp Tuesday in New York by Judge Saul S. Streit in a statement made at the sentencing of former Kentucky players Ralph Beard, Alex Groza and Dale Barnstable. The three players were given suspended sentences on game fixing charges as the judge aimed his heaviest criticism at Rupp.

Streit charged that Rupp openly discussed the gambling "point spread" on games with his players, once bawled them out when a friend lost a bet, and at least once phoned a "notorious bookmaker" to find out a point spread.

"The undisputed facts are that he, Rupp, aided and abetted in the immoral subsidization of the players," said Streit. "With his knowledge, the charges in his care were openly explained, their physical welfare was neglected, and he utterly failed to build their characters or install any morals—indeed if he did not impair them."

RESULTS: 800-yard run—Gleason, sophomore, first; Exerson, juniors, second; W. Reeves, junior, third. Time 1:40.9. High hurdles—Shafer, juniors, first; Knapp, sophomore, second; Lundquist, senior, third. Time 3:42. 300-yard run—Goodman, junior, first; Potter, senior, second; Brittsan, junior, third. Time 5:2. Shot put—Jacobs, junior, first; Crippen, junior, second; Vrooman, senior, third. Distance 39 feet 11 inches. Three-fourths mile—Vrooman, senior, first; Johnson, sophomore, second; Mueller, senior, third. Time 3:42. Pole vault—McDonald, junior, first; Gale, sophomore, second; Karick, sophomore, third. Height 10 feet. 100-yard dash—Kittie, senior, first; Drum, senior, second; Padgham, junior, and Nelson, sophomore, tied for third. Time 1:0.4. Broad jump—Drum, senior, first; Karick, sophomore, second; B. Reeves, sophomore, third. Distance 19 feet 5 inches. 440-yard relay—Won by sophomores (Knapp, Nelson, Huber, Williams); juniors, second. Time 47.8. Discus—Newland, junior, first; Walker, junior, second; Knapp, sophomore, third. Distance 108 feet, 6 inches. 150-yard dash—Williams, sophomore, first; Lundquist, senior, second; Botsler, sophomore, third. Time 17. High jump—N. Smith, senior, first; among Newland and Hanson, juniors; Drum, senior, and Williams, sophomore, for second. Low hurdles—Knapp, sophomore, first; Foley, sophomore, second; Nelson, sophomore, third.

ROOSTER TAKES RIDE

Omaha, Neb. — (U.P.) — Jack Simons, a truck driver, arrived here from a 500-mile jaunt from Berryville, Ark., and found a rooster which had perched on the truck's rear axle in a Berryville poultry yard still there.

JOKE BACKFIRES

Wabash, Ind. — (U.P.) — David Wolfrum, 12, joked with the Lin-lawn High School track team here about the hazards of their sport. He asked the older boys if he could stick around and "watch the rough stuff." About 15 minutes later he was hospitalized for injuries received when he was hit in the head by an eight pound lead ball used in the shot put.

RECORD LITTER SPOILED

Clinton, Miss. — (U.P.) — A sow owned by Bilbo Hemphill gave birth to a litter of 20 pigs but the sow, in the excitement over her record litter, crushed 11 of them.



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