

# SPORTS

## Mayes Hitting, Catching Delights Giants' Manager

By UNITED PRESS  
Willie Mays is up to his old tricks again in spring training. Folks almost forgot about the New York Giants' celebrated centerfielder last year amid all that hoop-la over the Dodgers finally making good in the World Series, even though he did win the major league homer crown with 51. But he's making them all sit up and take notice again at Phoenix, Ariz.

First, he started whacking the ball like maybe he'll come even closer to Babe Ruth's record of 60 homers this season, and he highlighted an intrasquad game day before yesterday with a big home run belt.

**Special Catches**  
Yesterday Willie used his glove and arm to make new Giant Manager Bill Rigney say "hey" in surprised delight. First he sprinted to within a couple of feet of center field fence to make one of those special catches of his. Then, he chased up the left-center alley to grab Ed Bessoud's double as it banged off the 350-foot sign. Rookie Bob Lennon tried to score from first on the blow, but Willie nailed him with a tremendous one-bounce throw to the plate.

Around the camps: The Giants bought catcher Jim Mangam, 26-year-old playing manager of El Paso last year, from the Pittsburgh Pirates on a waiver deal. Yankee Manager Casey Stengel opens his "shortstop derby" in an intrasquad game today with 10 candidates trying to succeed Phil Rizzuto, including Rizzuto. . . Red Sox skipper Mike Higgins said slugger Ted Williams would make "an appearance" against the Dodgers in the first exhibition game Saturday.

**Aches and Pains**  
Big Ted Kluszewski of Cincinnati reported his usual spring case of aches and pains in those big muscles, but the Redlegs weren't worried. . . George Crowe, Milwaukee's last hold-out, agreed to terms by phone and was expected in camp today. . . The Kansas City A's planned their first intra-squad game today. . . Phillies Manager Mayo Smith indicated that Granny Hamner will switch back from second base to shortstop this season. . . Cubs' Manager Stan Hack named Johnny Briggs, Bob Anderson, and Dick

Drott to pitch against Baltimore in Saturday's exhibition opener.

Senators' Manager Chuck Dressen said rookie Herb Plews would take over second base and Pete Runnels will shift to the outfield, at least in spring training. . . Pirate rookie pitcher Joe Trimble gave up six walks in one inning and a total of nine in three frames. . . And Baltimore "bonus baby" Wayne Causey was slated for a tonsillectomy today, designed, of course, to cure his sore arm.

## Pettit's Scoring Bid Threatened

New York—(U.P.)—Bob Pettit's bid for the scoring crown in the National Basketball Assn. faced dangerous threats today from veteran Paul Arizin and rookie Maurice Stokes, as the season went into its final week.

Six-foot, nine-inch Pettit of the St. Louis Hawks clung to the lead in both races in official league statistics today, topping the scoring with 1,603 points and a 25.0 per game average and topping rebounds with 1,054.

But Arizin, former scoring champion from the Philadelphia Warriors, sliced a whopping 43 points from Pettit's scoring lead during the past week and now stands only 32 points behind with 1,571. One thing going for Pettit here, however, is that he has one more game left than Arizin.

## ON LOOK TEAM

New York—(U.P.)—Bill Russell of San Francisco and Sihugo Green of Duquesne today were named to the Look magazine All-America basketball team for the second straight year. The 10-man squad also included Bob Burrow, Kentucky; Tom Heinsohn, Holy Cross; Joe Holup, George Washington; Robin Freeman, Ohio State; K. C. Jones, San Francisco; Willie Naulls, UCLA; Ron Shavlik, North Carolina State, and Bill Uhl, Dayton.

## NEEDLES FAVORITE

Agua Caliente, Mex.—(U.P.)—Needles has been installed the 3-1 favorite for the Kentucky Derby in the opening line of the Caliente Future Book. The other important quotations were Career Boy, 4-1; Nail, 8-1, and Fabius, Head Man and Swoon Son, each 10-1.

## Bowling

Standings:	W	L
Towne Beauty Shoppe	21	10
Ross Lumber	21	11
Beatty & McDougal	19	13
Keith Brothers	18	14
Trowbridge & Flynn	17	14
Pick's Apparel	16	16
Davis Transfer	14	18
Starks Finance	4	18
Local 9208 C.W.A.	12	20
U. S. National Bank	9	23

Results:	W	L
U. S. National	1	3
I. Schroeder	472	N. Hollenbeck 384
T. Pfaff	356	O. Stroup 448
A. Blackburn	352	E. Doty 420
J. Inglish	321	Y. Knox 403
P. Gardner	418	D. Edwards 348
Handicap	6	

1955	2004
Keith Brothers	2
J. Runz	499
M. Herman	364
L. Keith	367
J. Crosby	429
N. Keith	372
Handicap	48
2031	1987

Ross Lumber	3	Davis Transfer	1
R. Beard	392	D. Gavin	379
M. Spaulnort	386	J. Phillips	378
L. Robinson	489	I. Williams	372
A. Bohannon	460	G. Paul	356
H. Culy	516	E. Redfield	402
Handicap	276		
2243	2163		

Pick's Apparel	1	Towne Beauty	3
M. Pugh	382	M. Klatt	406
J. White	391	C. Lewis	341
J. Coffey	388	M. Dyer	378
R. Carr	379	A. Walton	419
T. Maggenti	372	V. Corby	429
Handicap	117		
2039	2148		

Starks Finance	3	Loc. 9208 C.W.A.	1
D. Timons	337	D. Hinks	303
L. Arant	331	M. Daneczek	394
R. Walton	401	E. Johnson	353
M. Simmonds	331	Y. Roard	396
Handicap	54		
1948	1791		

Standings:	W	L
Jacksonville Lumber Co.	22	4
Bob Cabler's Meadowlarks	14	12
Kiwanis Bluebirds	13	13
Jacksonville Variety	10	16
Bud Wilson's Chevrolet	9	17
V. F. W. Mockingbirds	9	17

V. F. W.	195	Wilson's Chev.	198
K. Frohs	189	T. Bulkin	201
D. Dohbyn	144	M. Edens	125
B. Wicksten	144	Handicap	43
528	567		

J'ville Lbr.	239	Cabler's	182
D. Bishop	173	R. Wyatt	182
J. Beams	240	T. Tweedy	204
Handicap	11		
657	598		

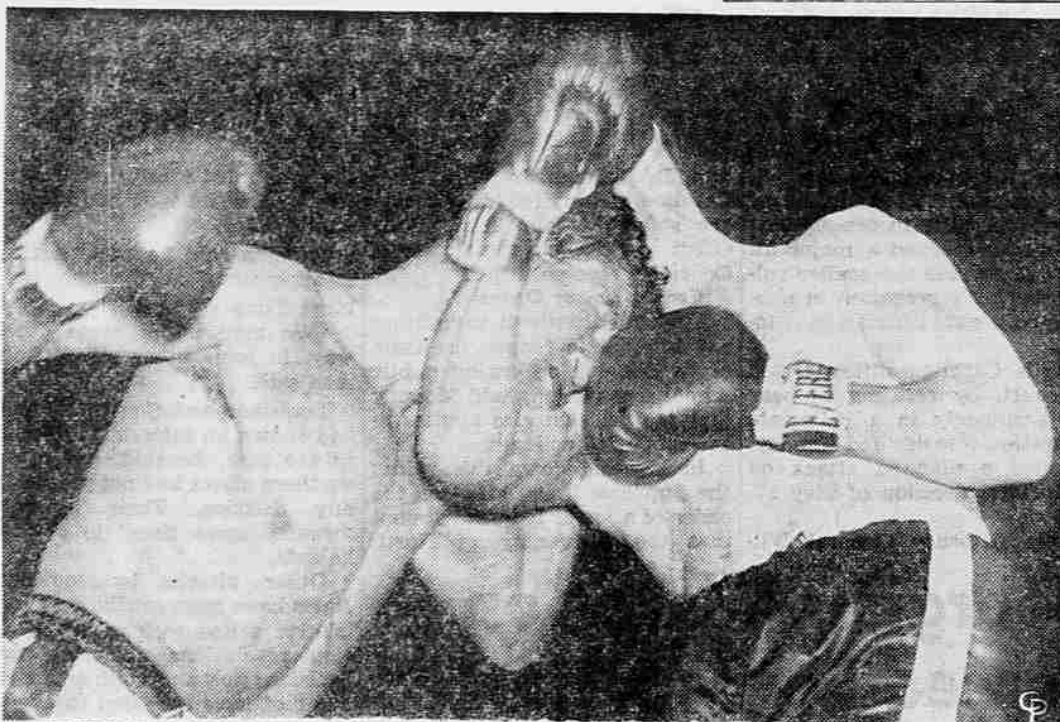
Kiwanis	226	J'ville Variety	228
C. Hueners	220	N. Adams	139
J. Cook	203	D. Van Galder	139
J. Iverson	203	J. Fretwell	209
Handicap	8		
649	564		

## OFFER SOCCER MEET

Philadelphia—(U.P.)—The Uhrik Trucker of the American Soccer League have offered to meet Monaco's national soccer team during the forthcoming festivities celebrating the marriage of actress Grace Kelly and Prince Rainier. The offer was cabled to the information center director of Monaco.

## POSTPONE BOUT

Paris—(U.P.)—Kid Gavilan, former welterweight champion, today was hospitalized with a throat infection that caused a second postponement of his scheduled bout with France's Germain Ballarin, March 8. Gavilan is expected to be out of action for at least three weeks.



FINDING MARK WITH LEFT to nose and throwing a headlock with a wide right hook, Carmelo Costa (right) fights his way to close majority decision over Mexican lightweight titleholder, Baby Vasquez, in Madison Square Garden feature.

## ELECTED PRESIDENT

Philadelphia—(U.P.)—Russ Green of the United Press is the new president of the Philadelphia Sports Writers Assn. Ed Delaney of the Philadelphia Daily News and Herb Good of the Philadelphia Inquirer were named vice-presidents.

## RETIRE AS COACH

Junction City—(U.P.)—Ken Hays, basketball coach at Junction City high school for the past seven years, announced that he will resign the high school post at the end of the current school year to go into the insurance business here.

## Mental Hospital Delay May Hamper Funds

Salem—(U.P.)—Officials said today that delay in selecting a site for the proposed \$14,000,000 mental hospital probably will prevent the next session of the state Legislature from acting on additional funds for the project. The last session appropriated \$6,000,000 for construction of the first unit but a site has not been chosen.

Three sites, two in the Willsonville area and the third near Hillsboro, are under consideration by the State Board of Con-

## 4-H Club News

**Applegate 4-H Tractor Club**  
We held our last meeting at the home of Francis Krouse Feb. 28. After our business meeting we helped complete plans for the third annual Applegate 4-H Minstrel show to be presented on Friday, March 16, at 8 p.m. in the Applegate school gymnasium. High school students and adults will be admitted for 75 cents; grade school students for 25 cents and all pre-school children free.

The Applegate 4-H Knitting club will have a candy booth set up that night. The members of the Applegate Extension unit will have charge of the booth selling refreshments. The money taken in at the Minstrel show will be used to help the 4-H club program in the Applegate valley. This is the third year we have gathered talent from all over the valley and produced this show. We think it will be even better than the one we had last year.

Truman Elmore, Reporter.

## Arthur Godfrey Named Week-End Deputy Sheriff

Leesburg, Va.—(U.P.)—Arthur Godfrey, TV showman, flier, and sometime Navy man, has become a week end deputy sheriff, it was revealed today.

Sheriff Roger S. Powell of Loudoun County said Godfrey was sworn in Saturday as a regular deputy, was issued a chrome-plated badge and will get a nominal salary.

Brazil has 7,000,000 horses, Russia about 16,000,000.



LAST OUT—Fred Merkle, who played in five World Series and who never lived down one of baseball's classic "boners," died at Dayton, Fla. He was 67. With the Giants in 1908 in crucial Series game against the Cubs, Merkle "forgot" to touch second base. It cost the Giants the pennant and earned Merkle nickname of "Bonehead."

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