

Some Think Dons Have It for 1956

(This is the third in a series on West Coast collegiate basketball prospects.)

By HENRY RIEGER

San Francisco — (U.P.) — Most University of San Francisco fans, those who watched the Dons run up a national record string of 55 consecutive victories and take two national championships in the doing, say of this year's team, "Wait 'till next year." And then there is a smaller, but equally vocal group that says, "Why wait. They've got it again this year."

This friendly debate could be resolved early in the 1956-57 basketball season. Head Is Gone — True the "heart" of the Dons' championship teams, All Americans Big Bill Russell and K. C. Jones, are gone by way of graduation and have joined the U.S. Olympic basketball team in Melbourne.

But three members of the 1956 NCAA championship starting five are back, plus a good sampling of 1956 reserves along with some "sleeper" newcomers. The returning nucleus is made up of Mike Farmer, 6-7, forward; Carl Boldt, 6-4, forward; and Gene Brown, 6-2½, center. The other guard will be Little 5-11 Bill Little and a tall charge guy of the K. C. Jones cut and touted as potentially the best floorman in USF history.

The "sleeper" is the big man 6-9 Art Day, probable starting center from Chicago via Hannibal-La Grange (Mo.). Junior college, Day, rated by most San Francisco Bay Area coaches as "further advanced" offensively than Russell at the sophomore stage of their careers, was national junior college scoring champ last year and hooped nearly a 30 point average. Good Depth — In depth, the 1956-57 Don edition is stronger than its predecessors with several last year's regular traveling squads failing to make this year's team. Included in Phil Woolpert's reserve drawing account are Mike Presau (6-5), Jack King (6-3), Bill Mallen (6-4), Hal Payne (5-10), John Kollan (6-4), all returnees, and newcomers Al Dunbar (5-10), also from Hannibal-La Grange; Charley Russell, Bill's older and shorter (5-4) brother from Oakland, Calif., J.C. and Bob Radanovich (6-3).

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SPORTS

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Shanley, McHugh On All-Opponent Club of Bruins

Los Angeles — (U.P.) — The University of Washington Huskies dominate UCLA's 1956 all-opponent team chosen by the Bruins on playing ability and sportsmanship. Southern California, Stanford and Oregon each placed two men on the squad, while Michigan and Oregon State had one. USC star Jon Arnett did not play against UCLA, but he was selected as the 12th man on the team on the basis of his record. The Bruins' favorite opponents will be honored at the UCLA junior prom in Beverly Hills Friday night and treated to a week-end of festivities.

The team: Ende Tom Maenz, Michigan; and Phil McHugh, Oregon. Tackles—George Struger, Washington; Mike Henry, USC. Guards—Dick Day, Washington; Whitey Core, Washington. Quarterback — John Brodie, Stanford. Center — Ben Hammond, Washington. Halfbacks — Jim Shanley, Oregon; Earnest Dunbar, Oregon State. Fullback — Lou Valli, Stanford. 12th man — Jon Arnett, USC.

Portland State Edges Pacific

Portland — (U.P.) — Portland State edged Pacific 59-56 in a non-conference basketball game here last night, coming from behind a 25-21 halftime deficit. Jim Perkin with 18 and Jack Parker with 16 points led Portland State while Don Adams hit 15 for Pacific.

Average freight train today has 66 cars.

ther from Oakland, Calif., J.C. and Bob Radanovich (6-3). Of the 15 man squad only Boldt and King are seniors. "The wait 'till next year" legend believes that the experience gained this season, plus a freshman named Freddie La Cour (6-4) — the most sought after prepster in the West last year and touted as a future All American — will give the Dons a championship team in 1958.

HOCKEY

Montreal — (U.P.) — Big Jean Beliveau, last year's National Hockey league scoring champion, broke loose with a seven-point spree last week to gain a six-point lead over Detroit's Ted Lindsay in the current race. The Montreal center had 10 goals and 23 assists for 33 points including Sunday's games, compared to Lindsay's 10 goals and 16 assists.

However, Detroit's production line of Lindsay, Gordie Howe and Norm Ullman grabbed three of the first five places. Howe was trailing Lindsay with 25 points.

Bert Olmstead of Montreal, who set a new NHL assists mark last year, was fourth, three points behind Howe. Ullman, the young center who pivots and Howe-Lindsay unit, was a point back with 21.

New York — (U.P.) — The Cleveland Barons, with Bo Elik showing the way, continued to pace the American Hockey League's scoring today.

Elik tallied six point in the week ending Sunday to increase his league-leading total to 36. He was trailed in the scoring department by teammates Fred Glover, with 33, and Jimmy Moore, with 32. Paul Larivee of Providence had also accounted for 32 points.

Only a rookie, Elik also leads the league in goals scored with 23. Moore, with 24 assists, is the leading playmaker.

Folley, Bethea To Be Rematched

New York — (U.P.) — Heavyweight Zora Folley of Chandler, Ariz., and Wayne Bethea of New York were rematched today for another TV 10-round on Jan. 14 at St. Nicholas arena, where Folley won a one-point, split decision over Bethea Monday night.

Folley, in his New York debut, was very impressive in the early rounds with his solid left hooks and solid right counters, but he ran out of gas in the latter going and barely salvaged his sixth straight victory.

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10 DIE IN CRASH—Air Force investigating officers stand near the largest piece of wreckage of a huge B-52 jet Stratofortress which crashed and burned in a grain field at Cressy, Calif. The big ship had just taken off from

nearby Castle Air Force base. All 10 airmen aboard the eight-jet bomber were killed. The plane has a normal crew of six, but was carrying four instructors on a routine training mission.

Hungarian Minister in U.S. Said To Be Citizen of Russia

Vienna — (U.P.) — A former official of the Hungarian Foreign Ministry said today that Peter Kos, the Hungarian minister to Washington, is a Russian-born Soviet citizen.

The charge was made by Laszlo Helmecky, a political expert in the England-America section of the Hungarian Foreign Ministry until he fled to freedom in Austria last week.

Kos, in addition to being minister to Washington, has been Hungarian chief delegate to the United Nations since May 30, 1956.

When the Hungarian rebellion

installed Titoist Imre Nagy as premier, one of Nagy's first actions was to dismiss Kos from the foreign ministry. Kos won back his job when Janos Kadar took over the premiership from Nagy with Soviet backing.

Born in Russia

Helmecky said it was a well-known fact in the Hungarian ministry that Kos was born in Russia and still is a Soviet citizen. He said Kos' Russian name is Lew Konduktorow.

Helmecky said Kos replaced Karoly Szarka as minister in Washington because Szarka failed miserably to win Hungarian immigrants to the United States over to Communist activities.

Szarka was recalled to Budapest and is now deputy foreign minister in the Kadar government.

Helmecky said that while Szarka was minister in Washington the Budapest government pressed him constantly to "produce results" among the Hungarian immigrants. Eventually, criticism of his failure on this score became so strong he was recalled, Helmecky said. Helmecky said Kos was be-

lieved to be the main agent and contact man of the Soviet Politburo (ruling circle of the Communist Party) in the Hungarian Foreign Ministry.

At a press conference in Budapest Monday, Istvan Szirmal, government press chief and spokesman, hedged on questions whether UN Secretary General Dag Hammarskjold would be permitted to go to Budapest for talks with the Kadar government.

"You must have patience," Szirmal said. "The government needs more time to consider the question."

A note sent by the puppet Hungarian regime to the United Nations said the government was prepared to have talks with Hammarskjold in Rome or New York "without delay" but that Hammarskjold could not go to Budapest until "a later date."

BOXER ARRESTED

Portland — (U.P.) — Amos Lincoln, 20-year-old heavyweight boxer, was arrested last night on a criminal assault charge. Police said the complaint was signed by the father of a 16-year-old girl.

Unidentified Man Killed at Klamath

Klamath Falls — (U.P.) — An unidentified middle-aged man was killed by a hit and run driver a block off the main street in Klamath Falls yesterday afternoon, police reported. Klamath County Coroner Dr. George H. Adler said the man apparently was struck while in a crosswalk. His body was dragged about 30 feet by the car. There were no witnesses to the accident, police said.

Burns — (U.P.) — Ralph Robinson, 25, a Burns logger, was killed yesterday in an accident while working in the Ochoco national forest.

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An estimated 400,000 persons in the U.S. have pneumonia each year.

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Marion Judge Named To Board of Forestry

Salem — (U.P.) — County Judge Rex Hartley, Marion county, has been named a member of the State Board of Forestry representing the Association of Oregon counties. He succeeds Judge U. E. Reeder, Klamath Falls.

Judge Hartley was recommended to Gov. Elmo Smith by the Association of Oregon counties.

FRANCE TO PLAY

San Francisco — (U.P.) — France's Olympic basketball team will play the San Francisco Olympic club squad tonight in an exhibition game. The French team is scheduled to arrive here from Melbourne today.

BOWLING

SENIOR-JUNIOR LEAGUE Saturday in the Senior-Junior Bowling league Stew Schroeder rolled 190 and 342 for high game and high series. Dexter Stanforth was next with a 182 and 317. For the girls DeLores Williams took high game and high series by rolling a 135 and a 259. Linda Eccleston came in second with a 124 and a 247. Rainbow cafe had the high team series of 1441 and Cummings agency had high team game of 741.

Sandings	W	L
Cummings	25	10
Veterans of Foreign Wars	22	14
Chevron 99	20	16
Hawthorne Market	20	16
Medford Paint	18	18
Rainbow Cafe	17	19
Fyr-Fyter	14	22

Fyr-Fyter	1	Haw. Mkt.	2
Joy Bauman	192	H. Lamb	192
Absentee	300	B. Corbett	289
D. Bauman	215	D. Atkins	244
Tasta Bulkin	189	G. Williams	247
Handicap	314	Handicap	370
	1216		1240

V. F. W.	3	(Forfeit)
James Hays	188	
L. Sealberg	186	
D. Stanforth	117	
Handicap	234	
	1313	

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Chevron 99	1	Cummings Ag. 2	
G. Brown	252	R. Scheifers	274
D. Williams	259	B. Corbett	289
(Absentee)	300	S. Harmon	198
J. Mathews	219	L. Eccleston	247
Handicap	286	Handicap	378

Rainbow Cafe	3	Medford Paint	6
P. Denver	190	D. Spain	204
Bill Rich	260	B. Harmon	285
R. Goode	251	B. Andrews	234
S. Schroeder	342	(Absentee)	300
Handicap	308	Handicap	366
	1441		1331

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