

John McHale Appointed To Tiger Post

Detroit — (U.P.) — Johnny McHale was promoted to general manager of the Detroit Tigers Tuesday and like his predecessors Charley Gehring and Herold D. (Muddy) Ruel, he didn't waste time with talk.

Less than two hours after McHale was introduced as the Bengals' fifth general manager in the last six years, it was announced that he had made a trade with the Boston Red Sox, obtaining outfielder Karl Olson and sending utility man Jack Phillips to the Red Sox' San Francisco farm club.

At 35 McHale is the youngest general manager in the majors. When he couldn't make the grade as first baseman with the Tigers he was offered a job in the farm system after the 1947 season.

10 Years Grooming
The grooming process has taken 10 years. McHale was assistant to first Red Rolfe and then Ruel. When Ruel moved up to the general managership in 1953 the native Detroiters was made head of the farm system.

McHale played baseball and football at Detroit's Catholic Central High School and Notre Dame. He signed a Tiger minor league contract in 1941. His best years were in 1945 when he hit .313 and 1947 when he clouted 27 home runs, both a Buffalo.

Gehring will act as an advisor to McHale, Tiger President Harvey B. Hansen said. Gehring also is a vice president of the team. Hansen also said that club Secretary-Treasurer Harry M. Sisson was elevated to executive vice president.

Hamia Beats Bobby Bell

Montreal — (U.P.) — Smiling Hamia, a pocket-size Marcel Cerdan, predicted today he will beat Hogan (Kid) Bassey of Nigeria for the weatherweight championship following his methodical 10-round decision over unranked Bobby Bell of Youngstown, Ohio.

The fast, sharp punching French-Algerian scored his 33rd victory in 35 fights Tuesday night with a wide margin victory over the crafty Bell.

The fight drew a somewhat disappointing 7,228 paid admissions in what was billed as the revival of boxing in this once lively fight town after a lapse of four years. However, promoter Eddie Quinn offered to put up a \$50,000 guarantee or 60 per cent of the gate to stage the Hamia-Bassey fight outdoors this summer.

Court Records

DISTRICT COURT
Arthur George Hanson, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Donald H. McLeod, failure to stop at stop sign, \$10.
Wade Morse, no PUC permit, \$15, bail forfeited.
Cecil Freeman Roberts, exceeding daily bag limit on trout, \$10.
John Richard Lucas, angling without license, \$30.
Dale Collins Haggard, defective brakes, \$6.
Sidney Joe Crawford, failure to yield right of way to oncoming traffic, \$15, bail forfeited.
Howard Donald Bowman, no muffler, \$15, bail forfeited.
Janet Rave Spellman, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Marvin H. Wright, no muffler, \$15.
Jesse Lee Gish, passing with insufficient clearance, \$15.
Earl Alvin Bliss, insufficient blinders, \$15.
Edith Marie Epping, violation of basic rule, \$15.
William Leroy Morse, inadequate muffler, \$10.
Sandra Lee Burns, no motor vehicle license, \$6.
Marie D. Lattie, failure to stop at stop sign, \$10.
Gary Milton Croucher, inadequate muffler, \$15.
Dwight Lee Edwards, overwidth, \$15.
David Bruce Shaffer, improper muffler, \$15.

Constellation Lands With Engine Blazing

London — (U.P.) — A Constellation airliner with 59 persons aboard flew into London Airport from New York Tuesday night with smoke and flame spewing from an engine. Capt. R. W. Picotte of Brookfield, Conn., brought the plane down safely. Experts said the fire broke out in the outer right engine when oil flowed through a broken seal onto the red hot turbine exhaust.

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EDGING BY INCHES the former record holder, James Beatty, North Carolina, is Lewis Stieglitz, Connecticut, left, finishing the two-mile race in 9:01.7 at Penn. Carnival, Philadelphia. Beatty won last year. (International)

Byrd Goes After Budget Director In Reduced Spending Controversy

Washington — (U.P.) — Sen. Harry F. Byrd (D-Va.) said today President Eisenhower should replace Budget Director Percival F. Brundage with "a man that is dedicated to cutting the budget."

Byrd, chairman of the Senate Finance Committee and a leader of the conservative Southern Democrats who have supported much of the Eisenhower program in the past, went after Brundage's scalp in a hard-hitting speech before the U.S. Chamber of Commerce.

Unnecessarily Wasteful

Byrd said the President's new budget is "unduly and unnecessarily wasteful, and Mr. Brundage prepared it." He said it would be "very helpful" if the President got a new budget director pledged to "economy instead of finding new ways to spend money."

Brundage declined to comment on Byrd's remarks.

Byrd coupled his attack on Brundage with a proposal that federal spending be cut by \$8 billion, to clear the way for a tax cut of \$6 billion dollars.

Eisenhower Plans Speed

President Eisenhower meanwhile informed Republican congressional leaders that he is considering going to the people in a nationwide radio-television broadcast to present his side of the budget controversy.

White House Press Secretary James C. Hagerty said Eisenhower brought up the subject at this morning's legislative conference with congressional leaders. Hagerty said the President "feels there has been a great deal of misinformation spread about on many matters, particularly the budget," and he plans to "do what he can to correct it."

Hagerty said no definite plans have been made, but Eisenhower is considering "going on the air in a radio-TV talk to the American people," or perhaps even a "series" of talks.

Eisenhower is particularly anxious to defend his \$4,400,000,000 foreign aid program, which has become the chief target of congressional economizers out to slash his budget.

Supports Foreign Aid

The President described foreign aid today as a "vital engine" needed to keep the ship of state on a "steady course" toward peace. He made that statement in an impromptu talk to representatives of the League of Women Voters who called at the White House.

He told the women that he wants to reduce spending and taxes as much as anyone in Congress, but is opposed to cuts in the foreign aid program which would jeopardize the cause of peace.

Byrd in his speech brought into the open the sharp criticism which many congressional conservatives have recently been voicing against Brundage.

Byrd told reporters after the speech that "I am not demanding that he (Brundage) be dismissed—it is not my place to do so." He said he did not mean to tell the President what to do about members of his own official family.

"But I do want a budget director that's dedicated to cutting the budget," he said.

Senate Republican Leader William F. Knowland of California told reporters after the White House legislative meeting that many GOP leaders "felt it advisable" for Eisenhower to "make his views known" on the budget cutting controversy by some method other than his regular news conferences.

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Thoroughbred Horses Die in Tokyo Fire

Tokyo — (U.P.) — Fire razed two stables at Tokyo's Oi racetrack today, burning 25 thoroughbreds to death. Three trainers received critical burns. Police said they suspected arson because they could see no possible cause for the flames in the stables.

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