

SPORTS

Bill Hollingsworth 2nd In OCC Hoop Pointmaking

Portland — (P) — Johnny Winters, guard on Portland State's third-place team, won the 1958 Oregon Collegiate conference basketball scoring title while champion Oregon Tech walked off with most of the team honors.

Bell Testimony Depends Upon Physical Exam

San Francisco — (P) — National Football League Commissioner Bert Bell will be examined by a physician to determine if he is too ill to testify in Bill Radovich's \$105,000 suit against the NFL, according to Radovich's attorney.

Max Keith, who represents Radovich, said Dr. Lawrence Feigenbaum is tentatively scheduled to fly to Philadelphia next week to conduct the examination.

Bell's attorney filed an affidavit earlier this month that the Commissioner was too ill to appear here when the suit resumes April 14, but the court ruled that the plaintiff could ask for a physical examination.

Claimed Blacklisted

"If Commissioner Bell is unable to appear," Keith said, "then we will take a deposition from him for the suit."

Radovich sued the NFL in grounds he was "blacklisted" by the league after he left the Detroit Lions in 1948 to play for the Los Angeles Rams of the rival All-America conference, now defunct.

In March of 1956, the U.S. Court of Appeals upheld dismissal of the suit, holding that professional football did not come under the Anti-Trust law. However, in March of last year, the supreme court ruled that pro football was subject to anti-trust regulation.

ARAGON TO MEET VEJAR

Hollywood, Calif. — (P) — Art Aragon of Los Angeles has signed to meet Chico Vejar of Stamford, Conn., in a 10-round bout at the Hollywood Legion Stadium, March 15.

Yanks Told Penalties Could Hurt

Oslo, Norway — (P) — Favored Canada and dark-horse United States both were warned unofficially today that too many penalties might kill their chances in the world amateur ice championships opening here today.

The U.S. team, which is rated about the middle of the seven-nation field, plays its first game today against Poland. Canada does not open until Saturday.

Also in the tournament are defending champion Sweden, which won the crown by upsetting Russia in last year's final round at Moscow; Russia, with many of the players who impressed on a recent tour of Canada; Czechoslovakia, Norway and Finland.

28 Games The round-robin tournament includes a total of 28 games and ends on March 9. Canada and the United States did not compete in last year's tournament.

The warning on penalties was voiced by Ed Riegel, former Boston Bruins' star who coaches Sweden, and Norway's Johan Narvestad, one of the referees for the games.

"There's too much high sticking and pushing around by the American," said Riegel. "European referees come down on that like a ton of bricks and nothing unsettles a team like a crop of penalties. This isn't the National Hockey league, and the sooner the Americans realize it the better off they'll be."

Bowling

EMPIRE LEAGUE Standings: W. L. Western Thrift 19 5 Jewel House 18 6 Skinning 17 7 Winnie's Style Salon 13 11 West Main Rent-A-Car 13 11

Results: Hoppe's 1 (Ruby Edmonds 381) 1183; Hyllyer 3 (Eva Sessions 440) 128; Skinner's 2 (Neil Jones 427) 1184; Darryl Smith 2 (Helen Fry 172-428) 1195.

CRATER LAKE LEAGUE Standings: W. L. Timberbri Construction 22 6 Modern Plumbing 18 10 Your Office Boy 16 12 Medford Shrine Club 16 12

Results: OK Market 4 (R. Anderson 607) 2350; Mechanics Laundry 0 (W. Daigle 533) 2463; U.S. Bank 4 (P. Shafer 505) 2464; Ellis Market 0 (R. Stewart 521) 2260.

CITY LEAGUE Standings: W. L. First National Bank 4 0 Norton Lumber Co. 3 1 State Farm Insurance 3 1 Medford Barbers 2 2 Southern Oregon Moulding 2 2 California Oregon Power Co. 2 2 Westside Merchants 2 2 Telephone Employees Assn. 2 2 Weyer O Olson 1 3 Central Market 1 3 Daugherty Lumber Co. 1 3 Ross Lumber Co. 0 4

Results: S O Midg 3 (Knapp 512) 2,377; W & O 1 (Luman 530) 2,362; F E A 2 (Strobel 518) 2,288; Westside 2 (Lancis 483) 2,305; Daugherty 1 (Allen 592) 2,386; Norton 3 (Anderson 820) 2,388; Copco 2 (Harper 497) 2,448; Barbers 2 (Speer 451) 2,435; F N B 4 (Bauman 538) 2,327; Ross 0 (Martin 467) 2,198; St. Farm 3 (McWhorter 585) 2,504; Central 1 (Keener 539) 2,388.

EVERGREEN LEAGUE Standings: W. L. Medford Steel Co. 7 1 Singler's Auto Supply 7 1 Seven Up Bottling Co. 5 3 Tru Mix Construction 4 4 Barco Supply Co. 4 4 Medford Plaza Apts. 4 4 Chubb's Pump Service 4 4 Medford Corporation 4 4 Medford Slopeville 4 4 Sweeney Stores 4 4 Picard's Jewelers 1 7 Big Y Market 0 8

Results: Blowpipe 1 (Curley 511) 2,249; Med. Steel 3 (Stargate 518) 2,288; Picard's 0 (McDowell 512) 2,271; 7 Up 4 (Barrell 545) 2,255; Plon 0 (Trout 478) 2,150; Chuck's 4 (Kreer 330) 2,497; Tru Mix 1 (Baize 497) 2,278; Sweeney 3 (Tyler 572) 2,388; Singler's 4 (Collins 521) 2,354; Medco 3 (Ramsey 538) 2,272; Barco 1 (Schlahter 470) 2,251.

ROGUE VALLEY LEAGUE Standings: W. L. Darrell Miller Co. 20 4 Larry's Rich Maid 18 9 Fortune Gassers 15 6 State Forest Patrol 13 11 Harry & David 12 12 First National Bank 12 12 Oak Grove Furniture 9 15 Jack's Drive Up 7 17 Piggy Wiggly 7 17 Pickell's Real Estate 6 18

Results: Fortune 1 (Smith 508) 2,616; Forest Patrol 3 (Moran 480) 2,728; Harry & David 4 (Barr 476) 2,719; Piggy Wiggly 0 (McKeen 428) 2,640; Oak Grove 3 (Sutton 537) 2,719; Pickell's 1 (Neathammer 497) 2,639; Jack's 3 (Gould 437) 2,534; Miller Co. 1 (Clark 460) 2,471; F N Bank 2 (Carlson 2) 2,728; Rich Maid 2 (W. Peterson 514) 2,801.

Schoendienst Signing Puts Others on Spot

By UNITED PRESS Red Schoendienst's sudden signing, coupled with a warning that the Milwaukee front office will stand firm against its holdouts, put heavy pressure today on the Braves' nine remaining dissatisfied players.

Schoendienst, key man on the Braves' infield, agreed to terms in a long-distance telephone conversation with General Manager John Quinn. He is believed to have won a rise to \$40,000 after a season in which he hit .309, walked 15 homers and drove in 65 runs.

Schoendienst's signing was the third "big one" of the year. Earlier, Mickey Mantle got his \$75,000 from the New York Yankees and Roy Sievers his \$36,000 from the Washington Senators.

It also followed only a few hours after Braves' President Joseph F. Caines warned many Braves "are asking a lot more than they're worth."

Long Holdout List

Lew Burdette, the World Series hero, tops the holdout list which also includes pitchers Bob Buhl, Gene Conley and Don McMahon; infielders Frank Torre, Johnny Logan and Felix Mantilla, and outfielders Wes Covington and Bob Hazle.

"Trouble is the players are using the world championship as a talking point," said Caines. "Of course, Burdette won three games in the World Series. But a lot of people forget he didn't have as good a regular-season record in 1957 as he did in 1956."

Caines said he wouldn't interfere with General Manager John Quinn's negotiations but added: "We feel they already have been compensated for the World Series by those \$8,900 Series checks."

Rumors Denied By Rademacher

Columbus, Ga. — (P) — Heavyweight Pete Rademacher flatly denied reports today that he is negotiating for a fight with big Mike DeJohn of Syracuse, N. Y., under International Boxing club promotion.

Pete, who was knocked out in the sixth round of a title fight with Floyd Patterson last Aug. 22, declared, "I see no reason for accepting an offer to meet DeJohn or anyone else at this time when I feel certain a return match can be worked out with Patterson."

Prep Scores

THURSDAY BASKETBALL (By United Press) (Lane County B Tourney) Lorane 33, Coburg 30; Westfir 65, Mohawk 42; McKenzie 62, Lowell 32; Crow 36, Triangle Lake 47; (District 5-B Tourney) Bly 58, Paisley 32; Merrill 68, Gilchrist 18; (Sub-District 6-A-2 Tourney) Brookings 47, Illinois Valley 36; Eagle Point 33, Henley 42; Glendale 36, Rogue River 28.

While Africa is often considered a flat country actually more than 40 per cent of the South African Union is located on plateaus which are 4,000 or more feet above sea level.

HOCKEY

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Montreal — (P) — The Montreal Canadiens — their 10th National Hockey league championship clinched at one of the earliest dates in history — may write a grand climax to their fabulous season by equalling or setting four league records.

The Canadiens mathematically wrapped up the title when they whipped the Toronto Maple Leafs, 4-1, Thursday night to give them 85 points in 60 games. The second-place New York Rangers would finish with only 84 points if they won their last 11 games and the Canadiens lost their last 10.

But Coach Toe Blake made it plain that he'll do everything he can to keep the Canadiens "up" for the Stanley Cup playoffs — and that could mean a netful of new marks for his team.

Near All-Time High

By scoring 23 goals in their last 10 games (only 2.3 per game) the Canadiens will equal the all-time mark of 236 set by Detroit in 1950-51.

By winning seven of their last 10 games the Canadiens would equal the record of 45 wins in a season by the 1955-56 Montreal club. The Canadiens' current record is 38 wins, 13 losses and nine ties.

—Eight wins from now until the end of the season would enable the Canadiens to equal the 1950-51 Detroit club's mark of 101 points in a season.

—The Canadiens' current margin of 23 points over the second-place Rangers is only one point fewer than the all-time winning margin of 24 points established by the 1955-56 Montreal club. Six or seven more victories probably would be enough to give them that mark.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

The Hershey Bears are a happy and thankful team today — happy to be back in undisputed possession of first place in the American Hockey league, and thankful that they won't have to play the Springfield Indians again this season.

In the only league game Thursday night, the Bears nipped the Indians, 3-2, on Arnie Kullman's goal in the "sudden death" overtime period.

Cleveland has a chance to go back into a tie for the top spot tonight when it meets the Providence Reds on home ice. In the only other action tonight, Buffalo is at Rochester.

Valley Praised on National Program

Medford and the Rogue valley and the state of Oregon received nationwide attention Tuesday morning on the radio program, the Breakfast Club.

Radio star Don McNeil praised this area, with its fishing and hunting, after receiving a box of fruit preserves and a letter from Jackson County Chamber of Commerce Manager Don McNeil.

Chamber Manager McNeil said he sent the letter and gift to the program to help clarify the problem he has locally of being mistakenly identified as the radio star.

Schools Approve NCAA Football Television Plan

Kansas City, Mo. — (P) — The National Collegiate Athletic association announced today its 1958 football television plan had been approved overwhelmingly by member schools.

The NCAA said the National Broadcasting company had been granted rights to carry the nine national televised games.

NBC, which has telecast the series the past three years, will be required to submit a schedule of games for the national dates within two weeks.

NCAA Executive Director Walter Byers said the association's membership voted a 194-14 to approve the plan, which is identical in most of its basic features to the plan which has controlled telecasting of college football the past two seasons.

The plan specifies five dates for national telecasts, Sept. 20, Oct. 4, Nov. 27, Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 28 and Dec. 6. The four additional national game of the week dates are to be selected by sponsors within two weeks.

The plan will leave open four Saturdays for regional telecasts with schools making their own arrangements for telecasting subject to appearance restrictions.

'Climax' TV Show Just Like Subject—No Good

By WILLIAM EWALD United Press Correspondent New York — (P) — Albert Anastasia, a bum and no-goodnik in life, got what he deserved Thursday night: a bum and no-goodnik TV drama based on his death.

Anastasia, of course, was the adult delinquent who worked as the chief executioner of Murder Inc. He was gunned down in a Manhattan barber shop last October.

CBS-TV's "Climax" took up the threads of Anastasia's life and wove the thinnest and most transparent of fabrics, a clumsily didactic piece, heavy in the telling and stiff in its attempts to tie up the ends neatly.

A Most Primitive Device The dramatic device used in telling the Anastasia story was of the most primitive kind—a TV performer decides to build a program on Anastasia after the hoodlum's death and then details the life of Anastasia in a series of flashbacks.

Out of this nonsensical play-within-a-play game the sketchiest possible account of Anastasia's life with the crudest kind of devices used to further the action—newspaper headlines, radio broadcasts and conversations between the TV performer and his associates.

And naturally, "Climax" fell into the usual pit when it stuffed Hollywood-type gangster phrases into the mouth of Anastasia. Examples:

Canary Couldn't Fly After the death of a talkative witness—"Ah, the canary could sing, but he couldn't fly."

Over the other gangsters cowed by the law—"Da moment da heat goes on, everybody gets da chill."

I wonder if in the history of the world anyone has ever really talked like that except on paper?

I should add that Eli Wallach, an actor I much admire, labored hard and believably

Civilian Control of Space Exploration Proposed by Nixon

Washington — (P) — Vice President Richard M. Nixon today placed the administration solidly behind civilian control over the exploration of space.

At the same time Defense Secretary Neil H. McElroy said he can't see any military advantage in hitting the moon with a rocket, but his department will try it before "too long."

Missile expert Kraft A. Ehrlicke speaking at the Air Force Jet Age Conference, proposed construction of a "chemo-nuclear" powered space ship weighing 900 tons that could be launched from the earth by 1970 to land on the moon and circle Mars.

Nuclear Pile For Power Ehrlicke said his freighter-sized space vehicle was dependent upon the Atomic Energy Commission coming up with a system of feeding liquid hydrogen to a rocket engine which has a nuclear pile as its energy source.

The remarks by Nixon and McElroy pointed up one of the current questions before Congress: Whether civilian or military authorities should attempt the peaceful conquest

of space. The Defense Department has been given authority to run the U.S. space program for a year, pending a decision.

"It is important," Nixon said, "that our own outer space development be under the control of a civilian agency because control of space development by a military agency can only mean that peaceful exploration of space will assume a minor role."

"Successful Application" The vice president, speaking in Cleveland, said the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics (NACA) laboratory there was "one very successful application of the civilian role" in science which with perhaps some modification could be applied to the nation's space program.

McElroy told Congress the Defense Department is "interested in the moon as an objective, but mostly for psychological and scientific reasons. I can't say how soon we are going to hit it, but it shouldn't be too long."

8-H CLUB NEWS

Rogue River Dairy Club The Rogue River Dairy club met Feb. 15 at the home of our leaders, Ed and Betty Parsons. There were eight members present.

We judged the Hoads Dairyman sheet. We discussed each of the members' animals.

Sherry Hecket and Ann Cortas were appointed to decorate a window for 4-H Club week.

Dues were collected from some of the members. We discussed the small local shows.

The next meeting will be at the home of Zane and David Strickland March 15. Zane Strickland, Reporter.

Ruch Woolies The meeting took place at Mary Anne Cantrall's house on Feb. 24. There were nine members at our meeting. We decide what kind of sheep we would get. The next meeting will be at Leilah Mah Deter's house on March 10. Anybody that would like to come is welcome.

Robert Straube, Reporter.

Wheat Surplus Seen To Decline July 1

Washington — (P) — The Agriculture Department said today the wheat surplus will drop about 30 million bushels on July 1 but will jump up 103 million bushels on July 1, 1959.

A whopping 1958 crop totaling about 1,510,000,000 bushels will be responsible for the July 1, 1959, increase.

One board foot is a unit of lumber 12 inches square and one inch thick.

Portland Police Face Discharge

Portland — (P) — Mayor Terry D. Schrunk said that hearings for three Portland policemen arrested early Thursday on burglary charges would be "speedy" and he added:

"As far as I'm concerned all three will be discharged from the police service."

The arrests came after Patrolman Warren L. Moore, conscience stricken, confessed to his superior officer that he and two other patrolmen had gone on a binge after finishing their shifts at the East precinct Saturday and had broken into Nordic's Appliances store. A carload of loot, including television and radio sets and smaller electric appliances, was taken.

Subsequently Patrolmen Donald E. Roberts and Fred Mathies Jr. confessed to their part in the burglary, Police Chief William Hilbrunner said.

The three officers were charged with burglary not in a dwelling and released on \$1500 bail each.

Quick OK Seen On Trinity Funds

Washington — (P) — Sen. William F. Knowland (R-Calif.) predicted Thursday that the Senate will follow through with a quick endorsement of the House's unexpected appropriation of \$20,000,000 in urgent supplemental money for the Trinity River and Glen Canyon Reclamation Projects.

Knowland told a news conference that the Senate may approve the additional appropriations for the two projects as early as next week.

Trinity is part of California's Central Valley Project and Glen Canyon is a unit of the Upper Colorado Project.

The House, overriding its appropriations committee, voted late Wednesday to give each project \$10,000,000 to continue work through the current fiscal year ending June 30. Contractors had said construction on the projects would have to be shut down unless the money were forthcoming immediately.

Ike Has Broken Tooth Extracted

Washington — (P) — President Eisenhower entered Walter Reed Hospital this morning to have a broken tooth extracted and take a "final examination" of his recovery from his mild stroke of last November.

Press Secretary James C. Hagerty said the President was to have a split back molar removed today and will stay overnight at the hospital.

Saturday morning, Hagerty said, the President will be examined by the same neurologists who attended him after his coronary occlusion.

Hagerty said there is no connection between the dental work and the neurological examination, except that the President is having both done during a single hospital visit.

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