

SPORTS

Jim Brown Selected Pro Gridiron Player of Year

By EARL WRIGHT
New York—(UPI)—Jim Brown of the Cleveland Browns, possibly the most powerful runner in National Football league history, today was named the professional circuit's "Player of the Year" for 1958 in the annual United Press International poll.

Brown, a 230-pounder who runs through the line with a fullback's power and in the

BOWLING

LADY ELKS NO. 2
The Astors won the first half of Lady Elks Bowling league No. 2 which was newly organized this season. An invitation has been issued for Lady Elks who are interested in bowling since more participants have been needed for both the Monday afternoon and Tuesday night circuits.

Table with columns: Name, W, L. Lists bowling scores for various teams.

LADY ELKS NO. 1
Standings:
Astors 31 21
Anders 43 1/2 28 1/2
Pic's 38 1/2 33 1/2
Cusins 38 1/2 33 1/2
Phonies 38 34
Stags 36 36
Hills 34 1/2 37 1/2
Jolly 3 28 1/2 43 1/2
Terrible Trio 27 1/2 44 1/2
VI Ma Ru's 24 48

Results:
Astors 4 (Thelma Isaacs 472)
1292; Jolly 3-0 (Eather Miller 325)
1127;
Phonies 3 (Mable Clark 563)
1428; Hills 1 (Teddie Farrar 459)
1359;
Pic's 3 (Irene Schroeder 498)
1459; Cusins 3-1 (Melvina Little 474) 1286;
Astors 2 (Vivian Bateman 458-Dorothy Snedden 458) 1341; VI Ma Ru's 2 (Erma Quinney 374) 1238;
Stags 3 (Vivian Knox 498) 1256;
Terrible Trio 1 (Rosella Phipps 383) 1210;
High Game: 2-0 (Vivian Knox-Split Conversations) 5-7;
Irene Schroeder 5-7.

LADY ELKS NO. 1
Standings:
Maudin Mamas 3 1/2 1 1/2
Three Spares 3 1 1/2
Late Comers 3 1 1/2
Wapiti 3 1 1/2
Wanados 1 1 3
Stumble Bums 1 1 3
Demi Lassies 1 1 3 1/2

Results:
Maudin Mamas 3 1/2 (J. Kestler 839) 1341; Demi-Lassies 1 1/2 (F. Hogue 496) 1240;
Three Spares 3 (F. Bittle 384) 1054; Stumble Bums 1 (E. Strauss 408) 1052;
Late Comers 3 (L. Jantzer 429) 1199; No. 3 1 (L. Turner 394) 1036;
Wapiti 3 (B. Hazlett 509) 1232;
Wanados 1 (W. Booth 382) 1198;
High games—B. Booth 498;
Wanda Booth picked up a 5-10 split.

Standings:
Clave Const. Co. 23 10
Cove Motors 23 10
Powder Puff Beauty Salon 16 17
Cove Variety 13 20
Vanderlip Logging Co. 13 20
Lady Lions 11 22

Results:
Clave Const. 1 (Linda Eccleston 268) 1772; Cove Variety 2 (Suzi Chubb 217) 1223;
Cove Motors 3 (Joey Hume 245) 1218; Vanderlip Logging Co. 0

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE
Standings:
Cubby's Drive In 16 4
Al Sodaro Agency 14 6
Mail Tribune 13 7
Morning Fresh Bread 13 7
Alex. & Brown Ins. 12 8
Bates Candy Co. 11 9
Quality Market 9 11
Medford Paint Store 9 11
Davis Transfer & Storage 9 11
Kim's Restaurant 8 12
Patterson's Bakery 4 18
Clave Construction Co. 2 18

Results:
Medford Paint 0 (Travis Mitchell 523) 2477; M F Bread 4 (Jim Farrar 642) 2681;
Bates Candy 0 (Charles McWhorter 546) 2438; A&B 4 (Bob Champion 515) 2491;
Davis Trans. 4 (Herb Vallee 559) 2519; Clave Const. 0 (Vern Allen 520) 2396;
Cubby's 3 (Bill Howell 608) 2717; Tribune 1 (Andy Anderson 579) 2647;
Kim's 1 (Jim Knapp 563) 2576; Sodaro Agcy. 3 (Jim Hennebeck 578) 2653;
Patterson's 3 (Herb Vessey, Jr. 536) 2466; Quality 2 (Ray Wise 562) 2514.

Oregon Staters On South Trip

Corvallis - (UPI) - Oregon State's 12-man varsity basketball squad left today for a two game series against Southern California and UCLA in Los Angeles Friday and Saturday.

The Beavers, now 1-1 in the PCC, play the league-leading Trojans Friday night and the Bruins Saturday night. Southern California is now 2-0.

The Beavers were to arrive in Los Angeles in time for an afternoon workout today.

BELL HAS SON

Corvallis - (UPI) - Sam Bell, Oregon State track coach, is the father of a 7 pound 9 1/2 ounce boy born to his wife, Fran, Wednesday. The Bells have three daughters, aged 5, 3 and 2.

WEBFOOTS GRAPPLE

Eugene - (UPI) - Oregon's wrestling team opens its 1959 season Friday night against Washington at Seattle. The Webfoots wrestle College of Puget Sound in Tacoma Saturday afternoon.

COACH TO VISIT

Portland - (UPI) - Ben Martin, coach of the unbeaten Air Force football team, will visit here Jan. 15 and 16 to attend the two functions at the local air base.

Seas Subsiding Along East Coast

By United Press International
Seas slowly subsided along the Atlantic seaboard today, marking the expiring gasp of a week-long weather onslaught that flailed the nation from coast to coast.

Mild seasonal weather replaced the wintry extremes that saw heavy rains along the West Coast, sub-zero temperatures throughout the Plains and Midwest, and an icy gale off the New England coast.

At the gale's peak at least four ships had been disabled in the Atlantic. But reports from the Boston Coast Guard today said the only vessel still in trouble was the 110-foot fishing trawler Lillian B., 140 miles off Cape Cod.

Across the border in Canada, hundreds of travelers and families were stranded by mammoth snows swept into huge drifts by freezing winds.

Weather blamed deaths, of which at least 68 were caused by fires, came to at least 96 in the past week.

Experimentation On Salmon Starts

Portland - (UPI) - The Bureau of Commercial Fisheries said Wednesday it was launching a new phase of experimentation in rearing salmon under controlled but natural conditions.

The bureau today is releasing 25,000 spring chinook fry into the Happy Valley reservoir north of Madras in the Warm Springs Indian reservation. Later, it will dump an equal number of silver salmon in the same waters.

A bureau biologist said the purpose of the experiment is to compare productivity results under hatchery conditions with those in a natural habitat.

The biologist said the project is the first fishery management effort to rear salmon under hatchery conditions with no control over water temperatures, flow or feeding. Initial results are expected in about a year, he said.

Morgan Named Defendant in Suit

Salem - (UPI) - West Coast Telephone company Wednesday named Public Utility Commissioner Howard Morgan as defendant in a Marion county Circuit Court complaint attacking a Dec. 12 PUC order which limited exchange-rate increases to less than half the figure requested by the utility.

West Coast said that the \$250,543 increase granted denied the company a reasonable return on its Oregon investment.

The company said lack of the full increase deprived it of its property "without due process of law, contrary to the 14th amendment of the constitution of the United States."

The complaint said that 23 findings in Morgan's order were not supported by evidence. Lengthy proceedings were conducted on the rate hike at North Bend, Milwaukie, La Grande and Salem.

Escape Artist on Most Wanted List

Portland - (UPI) - Youthful escape artist, David Lynn Thurston, Portland, has been placed on the FBI's list of 10 most wanted fugitives. Thurston last April escaped from the Multnomah county courthouse while being escorted on a chain by police. He used a homemade key to unlock a handcuff.

The FBI said Thurston "may be armed and should be considered extremely dangerous." Thurston was arrested last February on a charge of participating in the armed robbery of a grocery in Portland. He is described as about 5 feet 8 1/2 inches tall weighing 135 to 145 pounds with brown hair, hazel eyes and a fair complexion. He has a 1 1/2-inch scar under his left eyebrow.

The FBI said he may be working on a ranch in Idaho or Montana. Thurston had expressed such an intention before his escape.

Cattle Rancher Named To Soil Committee

Salem - (UPI) - Merritt Parks, Lake county cattle rancher, was appointed to the State Soil Conservation Committee by Gov. Robert D. Holmes Wednesday.

Parks, of Fort Rock, succeeds Leroy Geinger, Chiloquin, who resigned because of the press of private business. Also announced was the appointment of Dr. S. E. McGough, partner in the Pendleton veterinary clinic, to the State Board of Livestock Auction Markets.

McGough succeeds Dr. R. L. Lewis, Redmond.

Delegates Divided On Proposed Bill

Gearhart - (UPI) - Delegates to the 65th annual meeting of the Oregon Dairymen's association today appeared divided on a proposed bill to change the method of appointing the state agriculture director.

The bill, by Sen. Walter Leth (R-Salem), would give authority for appointment of the agriculture director to the State Board of Agriculture. The governor now holds the authority.

Also discussed at the opening meeting Wednesday was a bill which would put meat inspection under a veterinarian and separate it from the animal industry division.

A bounty of \$3 is paid for a fox killed in New Jersey.

Waterborne Traffic Falls to Low Point

Portland - (UPI) - Waterborne traffic fell to its lowest point in 20 years at Willamette Falls locks during 1958.

But at the same time waterborne traffic through Bonneville and The Dalles dams reached new highs.

Willamette Falls locks had a total of 961,254 tons last year, compared to 1,178,000

BOOK FOR SMUGGLERS

London - (UPI) - The Longmans Publishing company printed this notation next to the book "Contraband Cargoes" on its spring listing: "Of special appeal to smugglers."

tons in 1957. The 1958 total for The Dalles dam was 1,358,512 tons. Bonneville dam's total was 1,750,528 tons last year.

GRADUATE MISILEMEN

Huntsville, Ala. - (UPI) - The Army Ordnance Guided Missile school at Redstone Arsenal will graduate about 7,500 students this year, the school announced Wednesday.

Last year, 161 Americans over 100 years of age were receiving social security checks.

Bayonne, N.J. - (UPI) - A general-alarm fire raged out of control for almost four hours Wednesday night in the heart of the business district. More than 150 firemen battled the fire before it was brought under control and scores of residents were forced to leave their apartments. Six stores were damaged and two firemen injured.

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