

Jack Morris Placed On Waivers By Viks

Minneapolis — (UPI) — The Minnesota Vikings Tuesday placed Jack Morris, former Medford high and University of Oregon back, on waivers.

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The National Football League clubs got down to the 38-man player limit and the rival American Football league clubs reduced their rosters to the 33-man limit today, but not before a number



JACK MORRIS
Cut by Minnesota

AIR COMBINE SHINES

Los Angeles — (UPI) — The proven aerial combination of Pete Beathard to Hal Bedsole stood out Tuesday as the USC Trojans went through offensive drills.

of veterans felt the axe. Jim Podoley of the Giants, L. G. Dupre of the Cowboys, Lee Grosseup of the Vikings, Dick Lasse and John Aveni of the Redskins, Ben Agajanian of the Packers, Bob Schnelker of the Steelers and track stars Ray Norton and Ted Woods of the Forty Niners were the more prominent players who were cut loose by the NFL clubs.

The AFL clubs, which open their season this week end, were even more hard-pressed, cutting down to 33-man squads, while scanning the NFL release list to see if anyone there could help them. There were a number of last-minute trades, too, to further confuse matters.

90 Players Involved

A total of 51 players in the NFL and 39 in the AFL were either placed on waivers or on the injured-deferred list, a protective measure which enables a club to hold onto a player for at least four weeks while he is healing without his counting against the official player limit. The move, usually involving veteran players, also enables a club which is rebuilding to take a longer look at some of the more promising rookies.

The last-asp trades involved the Cowboys, Colts, Redskins, Rams and Cardinals of the NFL and the Patriots and Bills in the AFL.

The Redskins obtained veteran linebacker Bob Pellegrini from the Rams in exchange for a high 1964 draft choice; the Cowboys shipped end Dick Bielecki to the Colts and picked up defensive halfback and kicker Jerry Norton from the Cardinals, who in turn got a high Baltimore draft choice; the Patriots traded defensive tackle Jerry De Luca to the Bills for a future draft choice after signing veteran defensive tackle Jesse Richardson, cut a week ago by the Eagles.

Patterson May Feel IRS Punch

By ED SAINSBURY

Chicago — (UPI) — The hardest punch heavyweight champion Floyd Patterson may take this year could come after his title defense Sept. 25 against Sonny Liston.

It would be thrown by the U. S. internal revenue department.

Patterson signed for the fight, whose promoters predict a gate of more than \$6 or \$7 million including closed circuit TV and radio rights, with an understanding that he would get 55 per cent of the total, most of it to be paid over a 17-year-period.

If the government approves, Patterson would have to pay tax on his share as he receives it, over the 17-year-period.

But it now develops that there's no assurance from the government that he won't have to pay tax on his entire share, regardless of when he gets it, at the close of the 1962 tax year, next April 15.

If the government doesn't accept the tax haven program designed to permit Patterson to pay these taxes over this period, tax liens might be sworn out against all of his assets as well as those of his manager, Cus D'Amato, and others connected with him.

Patterson this year will receive 55 per cent of the net receipts of the fight, at Comiskey Park, and a \$300,000 payment for ancillary rights. Then for the next 17 years he was to receive 55 per cent of a minimum payment of \$100,000 plus interest annually for ancillary rights. If the ancillary rights exceed the guaranteed \$2 million, then Patterson's share would increase.

Tax officials have indicated there is a weight of legal opinion that money is taxable in the year it is earned. If the internal revenue bureau takes this position, then Patterson might have to pay tax this year on as much as \$2.5 or \$3 million, and the tax could be as high as 90 per cent.

SPORTS

Buffalo Bill Could Have Best Club in 3 Seasons; Roll-Out Boosts Offense

(This is one in a series on the pre-season prospects of professional football teams for 1962.)

By WILLIAM J. MONAHAN

Buffalo, N.Y. — (UPI) — Coach Lou Saban, in his first year on the job, has thoroughly revamped the Buffalo Bills and it looks like this should be their best club in three American Football league seasons.

Buffalo showed much improvement in winning two of its first three pre-season games, including a 21-14 triumph over the champion Houston Oilers.

"With just a little more help, we'll have a shot at an eastern title," Saban says. "That roll-out style of Al Dorow and Warren Rabb is making the difference."

Saban went to work from the start, looking for the right players. He's traded more than any other coach in the league. Only a few players remain

from the team Buster Ramsey coached last year.

Obtained from Titans

The 31-year-old Dorow, an experienced quarterback, was picked up from the New York Titans at the expense of All-League safetyman Billy Atkins and quarterback Johnny Green. The Titans also provided three rugged linemen — Sid Youngelman (265 pounds), Tom Sestak (261) and Tom Saidke (260).

Wayne Crow came in a trade from the Oakland Raiders and is one of Saban's most versatile players.

"I had to trade Chuck McMurry for Crow," Saban said, "and I'd do it all over again. He's a handy man to have around. He'll roll out and run or pass on the option, play defensive halfback and best of all, he can punt."

From north of the border, Saban acquired the Canadian league's "Peck's Bad Boy," Chester (Cookie) Gilchrist, a 243-pound fullback who at 27 has played nine years of pro ball. Gilchrist went through five Canadian clubs — winning All-League honors four years — and was finally waived out by the Toronto Argonauts for his off-the-field antics. He is also an expert place kicker, linebacker and defensive line-man.

Share Fullback Spot

Gilchrist and Syracuse star Art Baker share the fullback job with former fullback Wray Carlton and Crow at the running back spot. Elbert Dubenion, a possible trading card for Saban, and Joe Fowler, picked up from the Boston Patriots, are flanker backs.

On the receiving end for Dorow, Rabb and Crow are Ernie Warlick, six-foot-four, 235-pound two-time All-Canadian league end, veteran Tom Rychlec, injured but expected to be ready early in the season, and East Carolina college's Glenn Bass.

Today's cut-down date, when AFL clubs must trim to 33 players, is Saban's hope for the addition of a deep pass receiver.

"Teams in our league have tradeable players who'll be their last cuts," he says. "We're hoping something will come our way."

Tennis Play Postponed

Forest Hills, N.Y. — (UPI) — A steady rain forced postponement today of all play in the U.S. National Tennis championships and set back the final round from next Sunday to Monday.

Today's program was rescheduled for Thursday, U.S. Lawn Tennis association officials said the entire program now was so far behind schedule because of the weather that the final round could not be played next Sunday, as originally planned.

Rain now has washed out all or part of four of the first eight scheduled days of play.

Defending champions Roy Emerson of Australia and Darlene Hard of Montebello, Calif., were among the few who completed their rounders Tuesday before rain began to fall in mid-afternoon.

Emerson downed 20-year-old Marty Riessen of Evanston, Ill., 6-2, 11-9, 6-3, and Miss Hard ousted Jan Lehane of Australia, 6-4, 6-3.

ANGELS ASK WAIVERS

New York — (UPI) — The Los Angeles Angels have asked waivers on veteran relief pitcher Art Fowler for the purpose of giving him his unconditional release. Fowler, sidelined for the past month with an eye injury, has a 4-3 record with the Angels this year.

JONES LOOKS GOOD

Los Angeles — (UPI) — The UCLA Bruins were to go through two practice sessions today with coach Bill Barnes taking a good look at junior quarterback Carl Jones. The Bruins went through a rugged 45-minute scrimmage Tuesday with emphasis on passing, and Jones stood out in the session.

Linebackers Will Hear Woodward

Jack Woodward, Phoenix high school football coach, is scheduled to speak at the meeting of the Medford Linebackers club at noon on Friday, Sept. 7, at North's Chuck Wagon.

Woodward coached his Phoenix Pirates to the state Class A-2 championship in 1961 and the East team to victory last month in the Shrine high school all-star game at Pendleton.

PORTLAND WILL SEEK 1968 OLYMPICS

Portland — (UPI) — Backers of a plan to bring the 1968 Olympic games to a spanking new sports center in North Portland said today the idea was not a pipe dream.

Mayor Terry Schunk Tuesday announced a proposal for a \$48 million sports complex in north Portland's Delta park area, is backing the bid for the Olympic games.

Some of the facilities necessary, backers said, include a stadium which could seat or be expanded to seat 80,000; an Olympic village to house 6,000 to 7,000 athletes, accommodations for 2,500 press representatives and 30,000 accommodations for officials and visitors.

One spokesman said if Portland hosted the summer Olympics there was a chance of getting the winter games for Mt. Hood.

Gov. Mark Hatfield said he "enthusiastically" supported Portland's bid.

The sponsoring group includes 65 leading citizens who are raising \$200,000 for initial development of the 1,200-acre Delta Park area. It is putting

up \$15,000 to finance the Olympic bid.

The host will be picked in the spring of 1963.

Ladies Open At Eugene

Eugene — (UPI) — The first Eugene Ladies Open golf tournament, with a purse of \$8,500, begins on the Eugene Country Course Thursday.

The four-day, 72-hole tournament, features Mickey Wright of Dallas, Tex., and other top professionals. It is the first major pro tournament ever held here.

Free-swinging Miss Wright, the Arnold Palmer of the ladies' set, will be on hand to add to her \$100,000 total she has won since turning professional in 1954.

The 27-year-old Miss Wright shattered her own Ladies' Professional Golfers' association (LPGA) 72-hole record of 278 with a 275 in last week's women's golf tournament in Spokane. She fired two rounds of 68 in that meet.

Guards Get Praise At Oregon State

Corvallis — (UPI) — Starting guards George Gnos and Ross Cariga won praise Tuesday as Coach Tommy Prothro sent the Oregon State Beavers through double practice sessions.

The Beavers followed a mild morning session with a more intensive afternoon workout that gave some special attention to punting by quarterback Terry Baker and end Len Erkelley.

Prothro also said he was impressed with Mike Youngquist, a senior from Salem just moved from end to tackle.

MUELLER LEADS

Portland — (UPI) — Former Portlander Fred Mueller, now of Washington, D.C., led local qualifiers here Tuesday for the National Amateur at Pinehurst, N.C., Sept. 17-22. Mueller shot a five-under-par 139 for 36 holes. C. Harold Watson Jr. of Portland gained the second spot with a 144. William C. Ogilvy of Portland beat out Bruce Dodd of Portland on the third hole of a playoff after both carded 36-hole 145s.

Kern Spurs Portland

United Press International

The cellar-dwelling Spokane Indians have probably seen enough of Portland outfielder Bill Kern during the last two nights to last them the rest of the Pacific Coast league season and then some.

Tuesday night Kern hit a two-run homer in the first inning and scored the winning run to account for all the Beavers' runs in a 3-2 victory over the Indians. The homer was Kern's third in two games. Monday he socked two and drove in four runs in leading Portland to an 8-7 win.

Kern's homer got the Beavers off to a 2-0 lead and then in the ninth with the score tied 2-2 he came home on Gordon Windhorn's single to give the victory to Mickey Lolich, who faced just one man in getting credit for his ninth win of the season.

CAB Authorizes New Airline Operations

Washington — (UPI) — The Civil Aeronautics Board Tuesday authorized West Coast Airlines to operate a weekly flight between Seattle, Portland, Olympia and Yakima on the one hand and Winnemucca, Nevada on the other.

West Coast said the Humboldt Hotel at Winnemucca will contract for the round-trip DC3 flight. The airline asked for service to begin about Sept. 1.

Service for Portland Executive Scheduled

Portland — (UPI) — Services will be held Thursday for Ambrose M. Cronin, chairman of the board of Electrical Distributing Inc. and president of Cronin Co.

Cronin died here Monday. He was 90. He also was secretary-treasurer of Good Housekeeping Inc., Salem.

Other activities included membership in the Portland Hunt Club and Portland Golf Club.

ACQUIRE TWO ENDS

Oakland, Calif. — (UPI) — The Oakland Raiders obtained defensive end Dalva Allen and offensive end John White from the Houston Oilers Monday for two future draft choices.

Grid Season Ticket Sale To Be Held on Saturday At Medford High School

Medford High school football fans may purchase 1962 season tickets and watch the Black Tornado in a game scrimmage at the same time on Saturday.

Ticket sale will be conducted on the track in front of the west grandstand now under construction. Hours will be 7 to 10 a.m.

Scrimmage by the football.

LH Lowery Looks Good In Practice

Not too much depth in the backfield; good depth but inexperience in the line. That's Head Coach Fred Spiegelberg's assessment of his 1962 Medford High school football crew.

One per day drills are now being conducted for the Black Tornado. Spiegelberg reported left halfback Jack Lowery looking real good.

The head man said that three transfers show promise. They are Brian Peterson, a 180-pound junior center from Wenatchee, Wash.; Norm Williams, 155, sophomore halfback and linebacker from Lawrence, Kan.; and Dan England, 175, sophomore guard from San Jose, Calif.

Daily turnout is averaging around 100 players. Spiegelberg said. He stated that the Tornadoes hit pretty well in their scrimmage last Saturday but that play was ragged. A squad scrimmage is set for 8:30 a.m. this Saturday.

The Tornado plays at The Dillies on Sept. 14.

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