

'SAVE MINORS' PLAN PROPOSED

By FRED DOWN
New York — (UPI) — A sweeping new "save the minors" program that will cost about \$1-million a year but which will put the minor leagues on a firm foundation for the first time in years was revealed today by the secretary of baseball.

The new program, unanimously recommended by a committee headed by President John Galbreath of the Pittsburgh Pirates, is expected to pass at the annual winter meetings of the minor leagues at Rochester, N.Y., starting Nov. 26.

Aside from the vital financial support, the most important part of the program is the scrapping of the traditional classifications ranging from D through Triple-A. Instead all minor leagues would be divided into three classifications — Triple A, Double A and A. The old A-through-leagues would all be grouped in the new A classification.

Guarantee Support
Under the new program, minor league owners would not have to come to the winter meetings with hat in hand forlornly seeking an affiliation with a major league club, explained Baseball Secretary Charles Segar. "This new agreement would guarantee that support to the minors."

Approximately 100 minor league clubs would thus be underwritten by the major leagues. The new program would replace the haram-scarum \$850,000-plus annual "dole" by which the majors have supported the minors with inconsistent success for the last few years.

A player development contract, under which a major league team would supply a roster of players for a minor league club, is the key to the new plan. The big league club would supply the entire roster or the minor league team could provide a certain number of players itself.

The minor leagues could be optioned, consigned outright or they could be newly signed free agents.

Certain players would be

Eye Exam Good News For Cepeda

By HAL WOOD
San Francisco — (UPI) — Willie Mays and Orlando Cepeda, the home run punch of the San Francisco Giants, went their separate ways today — one with good news from the doctor, the other awaiting the same type of record.

Mays is in Mount Zion hospital for a check-up on his general health condition.

Cepeda completed a one and one-half hour series of eye tests Tuesday and got the good news that, far from going blind in one eye, he actually had better than normal vision.

"So my wife and I are going to leave for our home in Puerto Rico on Friday," said Cepeda, jubilant with the news.

Mays Appears Happy
Willie appeared happy, also, as he entered Mount Zion.

"What are all you guys doing here?" he cracked as he was met by a battery of cameramen at the hospital. "You in the hospital for something?"

Then he talked about the pennant drive, his sheer exhaustion and plans for the 1963 campaign.

"In all my years I never saw a pennant race in which the pressure was as great as this one," said Mays. "It was tremendous. I felt dizzy that night in Cincinnati before the game started. But with every game so important, I didn't want to say anything."

He fainted in the dugout during the game and physicians told him later that he should get a complete check-up at the close of the season.

"I'm still tired," he said. "Every year I have been going into the hospital for a day or two of rest. But there didn't appear to be a chance this year..."

Dick Ragsdale Playing Safely

Palo Alto, Calif. — (UPI) — Dick Ragsdale, who intercepted a key pass in Stanford's victory over UCLA last Saturday, is slated to see action again at safety Saturday when the Indians meet Oregon in Portland.

The Medford, Ore., athlete was switched from quarterback to the safety position after an early season injury put him on the sidelines two weeks.

OAKS SIGN PAIR

Oakland, Calif. — (UPI) — Jim Hadnot, former Providence College star, and Fred LaCour have signed contracts with the Oakland Oaks of the American Basketball League. LaCour played for the St. Louis Hawks of the National Basketball Association last season.

Sport Parade

By OSCAR FRALEY
United Press International

New York — (UPI) — Fraley's follies and the week end football "winners" — on the perfect day for this kind of hocus pocus.

Game of the Week

Navy over Notre Dame — The Middles seem to have found the winning touch with a vengeance, although this is one of those games where you toss the figures through the transom. But Notre Dame has been looking more disorganized every week and from here it appears good sailing weather, about 28-14.

The East
Dartmouth over Yale — Say 21-6 or better.

Syracuse over Pitt — A bruiser, 21-14.

Penn State over Maryland — Like 20-7, or closer.

Cornell over Columbia — Liwe 28-14 or wider.

Also: Harvard over Penn, Princeton over Brown, Army over Boston U., Rutgers over Lafayette, Villanova over Detroit, Colgate over Lehigh, Buffalo over Bucknell, Lehigh Valley over Albright and Temple over Delaware.

The Midwest

Purdue over Illinois — Here it figures 21-0.

Ohio State over Iowa — And about 27-14.

Wisconsin over Michigan — At least a pair, 21-7.

Michigan State over Minnesota — On a good defense, 14-0.

Also: Northwestern over Indiana, Missouri over Nebraska, Iowa State over Oklahoma State, Holy Cross over Dayton, Tulsa over Cincinnati, Drake over Idaho State, Kansas over Kansas State, Western Michigan over Kent State, Ohio U. over Marshall, Miami (Ohio) over Toledo and Wichita over North Texas State.

The West

USC over Washington — On a good defense, 7-0.

UCLA over California — by 21-14.

Oregon over Stanford — Guessing 20-7 on an unpredictable.

Oregon State over Washington State — Big gullet, 28-24.

Also: Oklahoma over Colorado, Utah over Colorado State, Arizona State over Utah State, Arizona over Idaho, Wyoming over Air Force, New Mexico over Brigham Young and Pacific over San Jose.

The South

Alabama over Mississippi State — In a 28-7 canter, or better.

Miami (Fla.) over Kentucky — About 14-7.

LSU over Mississippi — A 7-0 chiller.

Georgia Tech over Duke — A gasser, 13-6.

Also: Vanderbilt over Boston College, Clemson over North Carolina, Auburn over Florida, Georgia over North Carolina State, West Virginia over William & Mary, Louisville over Xavier, Tennessee over Wake Forest, Florida State over Houston, South Carolina over Virginia, VMI over Citadel, VPI over Tulane.

The Southwest

Arkansas over Texas Aggies — A 35-14 romp.

Texas over SMU — Maybe bigger than 28-14.

TCU over Baylor — A 28-21 rouser.

Rice over Texas Tech — By about 20-7.

Also: Bowling Green over West Texas State, Texas Western over Hardin Simmons and New Mexico State over Trinity.

OSU Emphasizes Pass Defense

Corvallis — (UPI) — Oregon State emphasized pass defense Tuesday as Coach Tom Prothro got the Beavers ready for Saturday's game with Washington State at Pullman.

Prothro also spent some time on defense and on getting off punts under pressure.

He said the Beavers will be facing the best Washington State team since he came to OSU eight years ago.

George Moses Top Lineman

Portland — (UPI) — George Moses of Southern Oregon was named lineman of the week and Frank Ellis of Oregon college back of the week today by the Oregon Collegiate conference for their play last week end.

The O.C.C. title will be up for grabs Saturday at Ashland when Portland State battles Southern Oregon.

NCAA Lifts Two-Year Kansas Penalty; Studies Other Cases

By STEVE SNIDER
New York — (UPI) — Kansas and East Tennessee State have been sprung from the penalty box by the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) but at least one more culprit may be rounded up today for fracturing rules on recruiting athletes.

"Several cases are being considered," said an NCAA spokesman. "At least one might be considered important, depending on your definition."

The NCAA, after lifting a two-year probation on Kansas and a one-year sentence for East Tennessee State, still has seven colleges on the blacklist. The sorry seven are headed by Indiana, which drew the worst penalty ever for football recruiting violations — a four-year ban on NCAA competition in all sports ending in April, 1964.

Kansas was "convicted" on three counts in 1960 and drew a two-year term in which the Jayhawks could not participate in post-season football or the televised football program for the first year and was declared ineligible for NCAA events for both years.

Will Involved
Basketball ace Wilt Chamberlain, football star Bert Coan and three unidentified athletes were involved in the Kansas case.

Will was presented with an automobile worth \$1,564 presumably to influence his entrance to the university. Coan was given "excessive entertainment" including a plane trip to the Chicago All-Star football game in 1959 and the other three were recruited without contacting other institutions for which they had indicated an earlier preference.

East Tennessee State was placed on probation for one year on Oct. 24, 1961 for violating the recruiting tryout rule in the case of a basketball prospect.

NCAA officials declined to say what school or schools were under fire but one said, "Any time the committee on infractions goes into a second day with its report to the NCAA policy-making council there has to be something going on."

Eighth Grade Game Slated on Thursday
McLoughlin and Hedrick Junior high eighth grade football game will be on Thursday at 3:30 p.m., it was pointed out today.

The tussle originally was slated for a day later. The game is scheduled for the Hedrick field.

TIGER NAMED

New York — (UPI) — Dick Tiger of Nigeria, new middleweight co-champion, was named "fighter of the month" today by The Ring Magazine because of his decisive title victory over Gene Fullmer at San Francisco, Oct. 23. Tiger won the World Boxing association's version of the 160-pound crown from Fullmer.

PLAYER SOLD

Portland — (UPI) — The Portland Buckaroos have sold defenseman George Konik to Seattle of the Western Hockey league.

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ARKANSAS U.	17	TEXAS A. & M.	7
ARMY	20	BOSTON U.	13
COLUMBIA U.	21	CORNELL U.	14
DARTMOUTH	21	YALE U.	6
DUKE U.	10	GEORGIA TECH	7
HARVARD U.	13	PENNSYLVANIA	7
KANSAS U.	34	KANSAS STATE	0
MICHIGAN STATE	28	MINNESOTA U.	7
MISSISSIPPI U.	10	LOUISIANA STATE U.	7
MISSOURI U.	17	NEBRASKA U.	14
NORTHWESTERN U.	28	INDIANA U.	7
NOTRE DAME U.	10	NAVY	7
OHIO STATE U.	28	IOWA U.	7
OKLAHOMA STATE	20	IOWA STATE	14
OKLAHOMA U.	27	COLORADO U.	6
OREGON U.	34	STANFORD U.	0
PURDUE U.	14	ILLINOIS U.	7
RICE U.	13	TEXAS TECH	7
SO. CALIFORNIA U.	10	WASHINGTON U.	7
SYRACUSE U.	10	PITTSBURGH U.	7
TENNESSEE U.	14	WAKE FOREST	6
TEXAS CHRISTIAN U.	20	BAYLOR U.	14
TEXAS U.	17	SO. METHODIST U.	6
UTAH U.	27	CALIFORNIA U.	7
WASHINGTON STATE	14	COLORADO STATE U.	6
WISCONSIN U.	17	OREGON STATE	13
		MICHIGAN U.	7

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BALTIMORE COLTS	27	PHILADELPHIA EAGLES	7
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Duck Gridders Drill Attack

Eugene — (UPI) — The Oregon football team drilled on offense for an hour and 15 minutes Tuesday.

Coach Len Casanova said the rest of the week will be spent on defense as the Ducks prepare for their game against Stanford in Portland Saturday.

Casanova said the coaching staff has not been satisfied with the Oregon defense for several weeks, and was particularly unhappy with the effort in last week's 21-21 tie with Washington.

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