Small College Toga Won by Wittenberg

By JOE SARGIS

New York—(UPI)—Wittenberg University of Ohio, which parlayed the all-around play of Al Thrasher and a tight defense into a 22-1 record, today was named the nation's No. 1 small college basketball team for the 1962-63 season by the United Press International Board of Coaches.

The Tigers, who won an unprecedented fifth straight Ohio conference championship last week end under 23-year-old Coach Eldon Miller, took the national title and the UPI trophy that goes with it by gaining the first-place vote of 28 of the 35 coaches who have been rating the nation's small colleges for UPI each week of the season.

No Lower Than Fourth

Wittenberg's wide popularity was demonstrated by the fact the seven coaches who did not pick the Tigers No. 1 named them no lower than fourth. They gained four second-place votes, two third and a fourth in addition to their 28 first-place votes to finish with a 339 point total.

That gave Wittenberg a clear victory over Grambling of Louisiana (26-2), which finished second. Evansville (19-5), the 1959-60 national champion, was third this year, while Southeast Missouri (21-2) was fourth and Tennessee State (24-5), a previous two-time champion, was fifth.

New York—(UPI)—The final 1962-63 United Press International small college basketball ratings (with first-place votes and won-lost records in parentheses):

Team	Points
1. Wittenberg 28 (22-1)	339
2. Grambling 1 (26-2)	2272
3. Evansville 2 (19-5)	234
4. S.E. Missouri 2 (21-2)	229
5. Tenn. State (24-5)	168
6. Akron (22-3)	163
7. Fresno State 1 (19-6)	117
8. Sou. Illinois (17-8)	100
9. Prairie View A&M (18-7)	48
10. S. Dakota St. (17-5)	47

Second 10—11, Hofstra 30; 12, Augsburg (1) 23; 13 (tie), Santa Barbara and Westminster (Pa.) 22 each; 15, Lamar Tech 17; 16, Southeastern Oklahoma 14; 17 (tie), Northeastern and Orange State 10; 20 (tie), Lewis & Clark and Regis 7 each.

Karter School Billed March 17

A general practice day for karters, with a school of instruction for new members is scheduled for 2 p.m. March 17, at Medford Kart ways track on Highway 99 at the south edge of town.

Instruction will include drivers' training with all track and flag rules to be applied. Score will be kept to acquaint drivers with the point system that is used in regular competition.

All karters are invited to participate. There will be no entry fees and no competitive trophies but one trophy will be given for the cleanest and most attractive kart.

On this Sunday, March 10, Medford club members plan to visit the Roseburg Slo-Karters at the Tri-City track. Persons desiring kart transportation may telephone Dick Florey (773-1121) or Floyd Barnes (772-9983 or 772-7312).

Next race at the Medford track will be on March 31.

Results of March 3 races were:

Class 1, single engine—Pete Fleming, Happy Camp; Ted Jensen.

Class 2, single engine—Dick Florey; David Byers, Yreka, Calif.

Dual engines—Larry Graves, Happy Camp; Mike Dunphy.

Junior boys (overall)—Jerry Condray, Grants Pass.

Luis Aparicio Free To Steal

By FRED DOWN
UPI Sports Writer

Maury Wills had better not look back this year because there may be somebody hard on his heels in the base-stealing derby.

That somebody would be Luis Aparicio of the Baltimore Orioles, who Tuesday got the "green light" to run on his own. Manager Billy Hitchcock told Aparicio to run at will and also instructed Jackie Brandt, Brooks Robinson and Russ Snyder, who will hit behind Aparicio in the batting order, not to let their actions at the plate be governed by Aparicio's running.

269 in Seven Seasons

"Don't feel you have to swing to protect Aparicio," said Hitchcock. "Chances are, if you take the pitch, they won't throw him out anyhow."

The 28-year-old Venezuelan might just be the fellow who could challenge the new record of 104 steals set by Wills last season. Aparicio has stolen 269 bases in seven seasons – an average of 39.4 per season. He's led the American league in steals a record seven straight years and has topped 50 three times, including 56 in 1960.

Drysdale Hurls Flawless Ball

Vero Beach, Fla.—(UPI)—Don Drysdale and Leo Durocher are up to their old tricks, and the Los Angeles Dodgers couldn't be happier.

Drysdale, who sometimes resembles a Brooks Brothers version of Sal Maglie to nervous National league batters, pitched flawlessly in an intrasquad game Tuesday that saw him face only nine men in three innings.

Durocher, also an adherent of Sal's timeless baseball philosophy on keeping batters honest, was back on the firing line at third base as manager of the "Leo Durochers." He was taken ill Monday, but his doctor let him return to the field after an examination.

Durocher wouldn't even wear a cap and was present all eight innings. His lineup downed the Charlie Dressens, 4-3. He ribbed the umpires, opposition and others without giving an indication of poor health.

TOP MONEY WINNER

Dunedin, Fla. – (UPI) – Gary Player of South Africa, who finished sixth in the recent New Orleans Open, retained the over-all lead in the Professional Golfers association money-winning standings for 1963 with a total of $20,402.50. Bob Rosburg moved into eighth place by finishing second in the New Orleans tourney.

TRIPLEHEADER PRINCIPALS—Principals of the tripleheader "Night of Champions world championship fights to be held in Los Angeles Dodger Stadium on March 16 move with the best as welterfeight challenger Luis Rodriguez, center, "twists" with Terry Rivera. From left are Davey Moore, Emile Griffith, Ultimo (Sugar) Ramos, Rodriguez, Miss Rivera, Battling Torres and Roberto Cruz. Rodriguez will face Griffith in the welterweight title bout, Ramos will oppose Moore in featherweight championship action and Cruz will fight Torres for the junior welterweight crown.—(UPI)

MEDFORD MAIL TRIBUNE

SPORTS

✦ BOWLING ✦

CRATER LAKE LEAGUE

O. K. Market (4-0) 4, Virgil Wolff 576; Safeway Stores (0-4) 0, Frank Glenn 473.

Mt. Pitt Co. (4-0) 0, Don Landing 530; Baumers Sheet Metal (0-4) 0, Don Johnson 523.

R. C. Cola (4-0) 4, Len Thrun 548; Grandview Market (0-4) 0, Bob Clausen 470.

Domestic Laundry (3-1) 3, Ken Christianson 609; HAP Co. (1-3) 1, Dick Finch 489.

Cogswells Market (3-1) 3, Lennie Gascon 588; Hair Shapers (1-3) 1, Roy Colley 505.

Simmonds Const. Co. (3-1) Bud Simmonds 549; Squirt (1-3) 1, Carl Vickeron 449.

United Grocers (3-1) 3, Ed Rodger 501; City Hall (1-3) 1, Dewey Sparling 500.

Ken Christianson 240, Don Landing 237, John Sutton 226; O. K. Market 2573.

ROXY ANN LEAGUE

O N C (22-10) 1, Herb Vallee 565; Graham Cabinet (19-13) 3, Oral Freemyer 557.

Hoskins Const. (22-10) 3, Charles Cook 554; (19-13) 1, Chuck Romine 497.

Graham Electric (19-13) 4, Leo Bohls 554; Medford Radiator (8-24) 0, Sid Brown 493.

Reliable Cleaners (18-14) 3, Lloyd Carr 556; Westward Ho' (17-15) 1, Bob Warriner 525.

Groceteria (17-15) 1, Dave Morris 543; Harrison Electric (16-16) 3, Al Harrison 543.

White Poodle (13½-18½) 0, Lou Kula 553; Medford Neon (12-20) 4, Duane Wolfe 531.

Star Body (15-17) 3, Paul Emery 575; Timber Busters (13-19) 1, John Wisely 525.

Timber Products (14-18) 4, Clarence Black 479; Cummins Diesel (9½-22½) 0, Ken Morrow 498.

Paul Emery 249, Charles Cook 220, Roy Coghill-Oral Freemyer-Bob Peterson 212; Graham Cabinet 2974.

MAJOR LEAGUE

So. Ore. Color Process (8-0) 4, Wes Fowler 609, Standard Oil (3-5) 0, Chuck Ellison 490.

VFW (8-0) 4, Paul Bethel 645, Jim's Repair Shop (1-7) 0, John Laden 507.

Western Oil & Burner (6-2) 3, Roy Harris 544, Rogue Valley Country Club (1-7) Slim Brown 515.

Asko Supply (6-2) 4, Buzz Moran 539, Desert Service (0-8) 0, Arn Bauman 509.

Rogues (5-3) 3, Carl Whitmore 515; Cal-Ore Ranches (2-6) 1, Bob Armstrong 516.

Thunderbird Lodge (4-4) 4, O. McCoy 539, Rotary (4-4) 0, Ken Cook 491.

C. Whitmore 226, Paul Bethel 218, Wes Fowler 217; VFW 2682.

ANDY'S MIXED LEAGUE

Tigers (4-0) 4, Tom Schoonover 536; Left Rights (0-4) 0, Bud Hukill 496.

Dead Beats (4-0) 4, Andy Fenney 488; Shamrocks (0-4) 0, Donna Hunter 458.

Sandbaggers (3-1) 3, Dick Farrell 578; Knot Heads (1-3) 1, Ron Veikos 481.

Hit & Miss (3-1) 3, Cliff Gilchrist 531; Brothers & Sisters (1-3) 1, Oscar Holloway 466.

Eagle Eyes (3-1) 3, Shy Callaghan 490; Jets (1-3) 1, Jake Olsen 581.

Goofers (3-1) 3, Hal Wehren 511; All Splits (1-3) 1, Roy Lester 466.

Jake Olsen 236; Dick Farrell 207-203; Andy Fenney 201; Sandbaggers 1918.

ROXY ANN BANTAMS

Gutter Dusters (12-6) 0, Christy Mason 213; Four Strikers (10-8) 3, Monty Bruce 233.

Hornets (11-7) 0, Roger Blaylock 262; Doodlebugs (10-8), Jeff Werner 246.

Cool Bowlers (8-10) 2, Rick Hickey 203; Bull Dogs (3-15) 1, Mike Watkins 197.

Roger Blaylock 262.

MT. PITT LEAGUE

Buskirk Construction (14-2) 3, Larry Anderson 552; Jim's Produce (7-9) 1, Bill Castel 481.

International Harvester (14-2) 4, Bob Trout 550; Mann's Dept. Store (7-9) 0, Rich Vance 529.

Tomlin Webber Lumber (12-4) 3, Price Shafer 568; Electronic Service (6-10) 1, Roger Kelsoe 508.

Kogap Gang Mill (10-6) 3, Winton Miller 607; Timber Engineers (4-12) 1, Loyd Stout 508.

Table Rock Lumber (8-8) 1, Leo Johnson 493; Kogap Peelers (7-9) 3, Willard Barnum 464.

Trowbridge Electric (4-12) 1, Chas Hinrichsen 510; Neeley Nelson Lumber (3-13) 3, Ray Chapman 594.

Winton Miller 235, Ray Chapman 213, Bud Waldron 213; International Harvester 869, 2506.

CENTENNIAL LEAGUE

Crown Lighters (7-1) 3, Alice Casebier 513; Four Alibis (4-4) 1, Bev. St. Clair 551.

Four Subs (7-1) 4, Bev Bryan 440; Eagles Four (4-4) 0, JoAnn Barritt 382.

Alley Busters (7-1) 3, Nora Bailey 517; Eads Allied (2-6) 1, Jeannette Williams 381.

Hi Lews (6-2) 2, Jean Tucker 466; Alley Oops (3-5) 2, Shirley Lowe 461.

Blue Angels (3-5) 3, Teressa Short & Dores Forbes 459; Splitniks (1-7) 1, Carroll Peterson 500.

Boo Boos (2½-5½) 2½, Donna Sparling 448; Bowling Bags (1½-6½) 1½, Elaine Wilson 453.

Mev St. Clair 216, Patt Baum 193, Nora Bailey 186; Crown Lighters 1901.

VICTORY LEAGUE

Silver Dollar (23-9) 4, Carrol Peterson 473; Eads Allied (14-18) 0, Shirley Ellis 411.

Bowers Const. (22-10) 2, Zerfie Graves 487; Vogue Beauty (20-12) 2, Irma Williams 485.

Town House (20-12) 3, Bert Bitterling 470; Hillyer Oil (11-12) 1, Ethel Champon 511.

U.S. Bank (18-14) 1, Gladys Johnson 458; Bank-North (14-18) 3, Joy Ingle 454.

Delah Timber (15-17) 1, Bev. St. Clair 479; Gilman's Dairy (11-21) 3, Carol Hagle 503.

Barnett Shell (14-16) 4, Doris Webster and Ruth Holloway 533; Viking Sewing (10-22) 0, Helene Culy 513.

Lu Tippett 213, Doris Webster 200, Alice Casebier and Gladys Johnson 193; Barnett Shell 2369.

SUNDAY NIGHTERS

Four H's (8-0) 4, Hans Holt 516; Four B's (0-8) 0, Wanda Booth 470.

The Rookies (7-1) 3, Milt Loros 476; Butte Fallers (3-5) 1, Sherley Hatcher 503.

Cannonballs (6-2) 3, Moe Atterbury 557; Four J's (5-3) 1, Gladys Johnson 502.

Double Trouble (5-3) 2, Al Smith 497; The Heros (3-5) 2, Troy Dean 512.

Friendship 4 (4-4) 2, Bob Casebier 449; Scatter Pins (3-5) 2, Bud Nelson 494.

Try Hards (3-5) 3, Dave Klinger 458; Bowled Overs (1-7) 1, Lloyd Roberts 437.

Moe Atterbury 213, Lillie Holt 182, Milt Loros 206, Gladys Johnson 178, Troy Dean 200, Fern Loros 188; Four H's 1915.

ROLLING PIN LEAGUE

Bill's Lady Bugs (21½) 3, Nina Carpenter 438; Martin (10-14) 1, Bettie Driskell 433.

Gold Bill Weather Merchants (15-9) 3, Rosi Young 487; Whites Midway Service (11-13) 1, Alta Hancock 391.

B & B Auction (11-13) 1, Carol Langford 415; Maxwell House Drips (10-14) 3, Jo Hostetter 449.

Garrett Brothers (9-15) 4, Winnie Mulvey 454; Butte Falls General Store (9-15) 0, Grace Hatcher 442.

Winnie Mulvey 201, Bettie Driskel 1186, Rosa Young 176, Ellen Lamb 170; Garrett Brothers 2171.

ROXY ROLLERS LEAGUE

Stones TV (4-0) 4, Shirley Seitzler 393; Park Motors (0-4) 0, May Peyton 330.

The Meat Mart (2-2) 2, Clara Torrey 456; Stickley Masonry (2-2) 2, Harriet Sherman 451.

Eads Van Line (0-) 0, Fyrne Colton 397; Forest Chief Boot Co. (4-0) 4, Carole Archer 449.

Woodland Height (4-0) 4, Joan Davidson 488; Oregon Bookkeeping (0-4) 0, Freida Snodgrass 406.

Joan Davidson 187, Clara Torrey 181, Pat Armstrong 169; Stickley Masonry 1632.

TRI-NITE LEAGUE

Oregon Liquid Gas 4, Walt Guy 438; MEDPACC 0, Ted Silver 440.

Kim's 3, Gene Cossette & Dave Engleson 483; M Trumbo Co. 1, C. Learn 457.

Glossop & Moore 3, John Glosson 530; Smith Lumber Co. 1, Eldred Jack 502.

Norton Lumber Co. 3, Clem Jennings 518; Douglas Oil 1, Lee Meeker 551.

TEAA 3, John Martin 573; Linebaugh Bros. Tree Service 1, Ralph Linebaugh 538.

Roxy Ann Lanes 2, Aaron Ayres 432; Talent Merchants 2, W. Bennett 469.

Clem Jennings 209, John Martin 205, Eldred Jack 200; Norton Lumber Co. 1721.

Guerin 'Night' Spoiled by Nats

United Press International

The Syracuse Nationals had to spoil Richie Guerin's "night" to clinch second place in the Eastern division of the National Basketball association but the Los Angeles Lakers didn't have to lift a finger to clinch a tie for the Western division title.

The Nationals mathematically secured second place when they beat the New York Knicks, 131-121, Tuesday night while the Lakers, although idle, officially became at least co-champs in the West when the Chicago Zephyrs downed the second-place St. Louis Hawks, 116-93. The next Laker victory or the next St. Louis defeat makes Los Angeles undisputed champion.

Richie Guerin, star New York guard, was presented with a car and various other gifts in pre-game ceremonies. He also scored 31 points during the game but they weren't enough as Hal Greer tallied 31 and Johnny Kerr 26 to lead the Nationals' attack.

SUPPORT SOUGHT

Los Angeles—(UPI)—Whether San Francisco will support Los Angeles' bid for the 1968 Olympic games in exchange for support for its bid for the 1964 political conventions may be decided when the board of supervisors next meet. The Los Angeles board Tuesday voted unanimously to support the San Francisco convention bid in exchange for the city's support of Los Angeles' contest for the Olympics. The northern California city supervisors were expected to take action on a similar proposal.

NRA Pistol Match Set This Sunday

A national sectional pistol match will be held at 10 a.m. Sunday at the Medford Rifle and pistol club.

It is open to members of the National Rifle association.

A junior hunter safety class was held Monday, March 4. Classes are open to boys and girls from 10 to 18 years of age, and are being conducted each Monday at 7 p.m. Youngsters wishing to participate in this type of sport, should contact the president of the organization, Jim Bolton; Clyde Richmond, chief instructor; Ralph McKinsey, and Ernie Cox, assistant instructors.

Pistol shoots are conducted each Tuesday and Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

Angel Rookies See Hill Duty

Palm Springs, Calif. – (UPI) – The Los Angeles Angels played their last intra-squad game today with six rookies scheduled to pitch in the family baseball affair.

The Angels will open their Cactus league exhibition season Saturday with righthander Dean Chance, whose 2.96 earned run average was fourth best in the American league last season, facing the Houston Colts.

The next day, manager Bill Rigney said he plans to start Ken McBride, who won 11 and lost 5 in 1962 before suffering a cracked rib.

The rookies slated to hurl today were Bobby Darwin, Jim McGlothlin, Pat Rogan, Nike Carubia, Fred Newman and Bill Saunders. They are likely to get more work during the Angels' seven-game exhibition trip through Arizona which opens Monday.

LA Can Cinch Western Title

Los Angeles – (UPI) – The Los Angeles Lakers can clinch the National Basketball association Western division title tonight by beating Cincinnati – and ending their five-game losing streak as well.

Second-place St. Louis lost Tuesday night to Chicago, making the Lakers' magic number one for the division crown clincher.

The Lakers show signs of being tired, but coach Fred Schaus has said he feels the Lakers are losing because they're not getting "the big basket."

Also, continuing without the services of Jerry West, Schaus has tried to find the right combination of players on the floor by using five different starting lineups in the last five games.

The game tonight at the Sports Arena is the season's last against Oscar Robertson, Jack Twyman and crew. The Royals held off a comeback try by the Lakers Monday night to win 114-111.

FIGHTS

TUESDAY BOUTS

London —(UPI)— Terry Downes, 163¼, Britain, stopped Jimmy Beecham, 155¾, Philadelphia (9).

New York—(UPI)—Isaac Logart, 148, Cuba, outpointed Walter Daniels, 146½, Pittsburgh (10).

OCE's No Pressure Athletics Described

Portland—(UPI)—A no-pressure, no-recruiting college athletic program was described Tuesday at a weekly meeting of the Oregon Sportswriters and Sportscasters association.

Dr. Bob Livingston, athletic director at the Oregon College of Education at Monmouth, said OCE has a 10-sport program and none will ever have to be dropped because of lack of money.

"We have no athletic scholarships, charge no admission to our athletic events, and thus our goals are not geared to this income," Livingston said.

Athletics cost OCE $22,000 a year, he said. There is neither profit nor loss, and no pressure. The system is based on physical education for all students.

"People pay their tax money to take care of the whole student body—not the privileged few athletes," he said. "Why should we charge the spectator twice—once in tax money and then again to get in to see an athletic contest?"

TO TELEVISE GAME

Portland – (UPI) – Next Monday's first-round NCAA basketball game in Eugene between Oregon State and Seattle will be televised here, it was announced today. Doug LaMear, sports director of KGW-TV, said he and Rod Belcher, sports director of KING-TV in Seattle, would do the telecast, scheduled live at 9 p.m. KING also will carry the game.

JW Loggers Play Theme In Tourney

John Wheeler Logging of Medford will play The Theme of Portland at 11 p.m. on Friday in the last game of the opening round in the Oregon AAU basketball tournament at Hermiston.

The tournament will continue through Sunday.

The meet will open at 6:30 p.m. Friday with Claudius of Portland opposing Truax Service of Corvallis. Salem will take on Milton-Freewater in the second tangle and Priestly Oil of Portland, defending champion, will encounter Redmond Music center.

Priestly, which won its 1962 title in tourney play at Medford, will represent Hermiston as host team.

Tiger Kills 10 in Indian Province

New Delhi – (UPI) – Chandra Bhanu Gupta, chief minister of Uttar Pradesh, said today that a man-eating tiger has killed 10 persons in the northern part of his state.

The deaths were recorded within "a few weeks," Gupta told the state legislature. He said the tiger was roaming the Nainital district where in 1924 British Col. Jim Corbett killed a tiger that was said to have taken 432 human lives.

SENIOR COSTS

New York – (UPI) – Old age assistance continues to be one of the biggest items in the cost of state government, the Tax Foundation says.

Two Beavers Sign Contracts

Portland—(UPI)—Two outfielders sent in signed contracts to the Portland Beavers of the Pacific Coast league Tuesday.

Frank Cipriani, 22, with Portland for 15 games last year, and Luis E. Rodriguez, 24, signed up for the 1963 season.

Cipriani batted .299 for Albuquerque last year and .190 for Portland in his brief stay.

Rodriguez, a native of Venezuela, hit .244 for Binghamton last year in 32 games, .278 for Lewiston and .317 for Minot.

Both are right handed batters and throwers.

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