



Sports Briefs
By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22 (Wide World)—At long range it looks as if the New York pro football giants had no more chance against the Bears than the Dodgers had in the world series. . . . That Chicago "crowd" makes it look bad for the dough bowl game here Jan. 4 still, New York fans have been hoiering all season because they weren't able to see the Bears. . . . War regulations are tough on the football broadcasters. They can't fill in the dull spots with poems about the weather. . . . Instead of having a fling at the light-heavyweight title, Billy Soose goes into the navy tomorrow. . . . He'll have the rank of chief boatswain's mate. . . . Tickets for the American Hockey league's all-star game at Cleveland Feb. 3 will carry a "tax" of a pack of cigarettes, a can of tobacco or cigars, which will be sent to army camps. . . . New tennis rule to come up at the USLTA meeting would allow players to be connected with firms selling tennis goods—but only if they're over 35 years old and have been with the firm 10 years.

TODAY'S GUEST STAR
Ed Danforth, Atlanta Journal: "They changed the wording on the publicity release to read 'Termination of services' instead of 'Dismissal,' but the fact remains that Jimmy Phelan will not be head football coach at the University of Washington next season. Washington is like the gentleman who always removes his hat before striking a lady."

MONDAY MATINEE
Stanley Frank, N. Y. Post sports columnist, is conducting a drive for memorial plaque to Colin Kelly, to be placed at West Point. Contributions are limited to \$1. . . . Dot Kirby, the Atlanta Star, and Georgia Tainter of Fargo, N. D., are first under the wire with entries for the women's open golf tourney which Mrs. Jess Carver is running at Hollywood Beach, Fla., in January. . . . Ray Eaton of Irvington, N. J., one-time national sprint bike racing champ, isn't too old to bowl in three different leagues these days although he has one son in the army and another in the navy. . . . Irving Jaffee, former Olympic skating champ, will head the winter sports staff at the Catskills besides handling a job in the civilian defense training program.

UNITED EUROPE
The Duc de Sully, then secretary to King Henry IV of France, outlined a plan to weld the nations of Europe into one federation more than 300 years ago.

CLOSEST STARS
The two stars nearest the earth are the sun and Alpha Centaurus. Their distances are 93 million miles and 25 trillion miles respectively.

Great Britain abolished the pillory a hundred years ago.

Coast Fives Plaster Mid-West

Washington, Washington State Whip Missouri, Kansas State in Jamboree

SEATTLE, Dec. 22 (AP)—Unable to gloat over their inter-sectional prowess in football, the state of Washington's two largest schools nevertheless today grinned broadly over their conquest of Big Six conference basketball invaders from the middle west.

Washington State college, 1941 western champions and national runnerup, showed continued championship form in soundly whipping both Missouri and Kansas State in a "Little Madison Square Garden" performance at the University of Washington pavilion Friday and Saturday nights.

To a lesser degree, the University of Washington Huskies did the same thing to the same clubs in the other half of the twin double bills.

The WSC Cougars trounced Missouri, 62-23 and Kansas State, 47-22. Washington beat Kansas State 45-32 and Missouri, 52-31.

Tonight Missouri was scheduled to play the University of California at Berkeley. Kansas State was to clash against Montana at Missoula. Tomorrow night Kansas State plays Montana State at Bozeman, then returns home.

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Ducks Lose Another Cage Game, 27-23

CHICAGO, Dec. 22 (UP)—Staging a late rally the DePaul university quintet defeated a touring University of Oregon basketball team Saturday night, 27 to 23.

Bob Wozny's two one-handed baskets and a last-minute goal by Bernie Weksler turned back an Oregon challenge and cinched the DePaul victory. Oregon's Paul Jackson led the scoring with nine points.

Bowling for Beginners

By Joe Falcario

You Maintain Average With Spares, So Angle Shots to Obtain Alley Width

By JOE FALCARIO
Greatest Match Game Bowler
Any bowler can get a strike—either by skill or good fortune.
To maintain an average, you must bring in your spares.
This is a part of the game.

BILTMORE GOLF
CORAL GABLES, Fla., Dec. 22 (AP)—Gene Sarazen of Brookfield, Conn., and Ben Hogan of Hershey, Pa., 1941 winners, and runnerup Sam Snead of Hot Springs, Va., and Ralph Guldahl of Madison, N. J., head the invitation list for this year's renewal of the \$5000 Miami Biltmore Country club golf meet here March 8-11.

The tuberculosis death rate of Illinois was 45.2 per 100,000 of the population during 1939.

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Chi Bears Trample N. Y. Giants, 37-9

1940 Pro Champions Score Repeat Victory on Sid Luckman's Passing

By DAVE HOFF
CHICAGO, Dec. 22 (AP)—Quarterbacks? The Bears had 'em. If it wasn't Sid Luckman passing, it was Bob Snyder kicking field goals. That's the success story of the two-year-champion Chicago Bears—that plus a couple of backs named George McAfee and Norm Standlee.

The New York Giants thought the key to victory in the National Football league title game was stopping Luckman. But they didn't stop him. Sid laid his passes on the line to set up the touchdowns that counted, and the Giants simply couldn't weather the storm.

Golfer Bud Ward Joins U. S. Army

SPOKANE, Wash., Dec. 22 (UP)—Marvin (Bud) Ward, national amateur golf champion, on Monday may become Private Marvin Ward, U. S. Army.

While photographer's flash bulbs popped, the slender, blond veteran of the nation's golfing wars Saturday volunteered for service with the army air corps.

"I just thought it was the thing to do," Ward said.

He took physical and mental examinations today, passing the latter with "flying colors," army men said. If he passes the physical examination he will be inducted Monday. Army officers said he probably will be assigned to second air force headquarters here.

UCLA Field Goal Nips Florida, 30-27

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Benny Hogan, Picard Fight For Golf Title

HARLINGEN, Tex., Dec. 22 (AP)—Stretch-runner Benny Hogan, the little man who's always there at the finish, was back in the thick of the battle for the \$5000 valley open title today.

The Hershey, Pa., mighty mite takes the hard way but it only makes him the most talked-about guy in a tournament whether he wins it or not.

Lean Henry Picard swung to the leadership as the field held into the stretch but Hogan's blazing 65—six under par—in yesterday's 18 holes warned the Oklahoma City professional he had a fight on his hands to the last putt.

It pushed Hogan into a tie for third place with four others, all five strokes back of Picard who had a 64-67—131.

Klamath Pointer Places Second in California Meet

FRESNO, Calif., Dec. 22 (AP) Humboldt Star Girl, a pointer owned by Porter L. Hackney of Fresno and handled by Ronald Masters of Yakima, Wash., won first place yesterday in the open all-age stake of the Central California Field Trial association's seventh annual competition.

Second was Caldawna, a pointer owned by John Kauffman, Klamath Falls, Ore., and handled by E. Allen Sharpe, Willows.

Beavers Trounce Multnomah, 47-31

PORTLAND, Dec. 21 (AP)—Oregon State's Beavers started a transcontinental tour Saturday night with a 47 to 31 victory over the Multnomah Athletic club basketball team.

The Beavers moved to Baker for a game tonight with Utah State.

Mecham Winner of Hoffman Award

EUGENE, Dec. 21 (AP)—Half-back Curt Mecham, selected by teammates as the outstanding University of Oregon football player this year, was announced Saturday as winner of the Hoffman award.

Guard Ray Segale and End Bill Regner also were high in the voting.

Successful Failure

Although a well near Brawley, Calif., failed to bring in oil, its drillers were not discouraged since the well has "gushed" 1,000,000 cubic feet of carbon dioxide daily. This is used in making "dry ice."

Pete Reiser Cops Senior Bat Crown

Brooklynite First Rookie In History to Pace National Loop Hitters

By GEORGE KIRKSEY
NEW YORK, Dec. 22 (UP)—Baseball veterans and castoffs little and big men, bespectacled players and almost every other variety have led the National league hitting, but it remained for Pete Reiser to round out the picture by becoming the first rookie in history to win the batting crown.

The 21-year-old Brooklyn center fielder, who was picked up for a song by the Dodgers, captured the batting title with an average of .343 for 137 games, according to the official averages released Saturday.

Considering only players who participated in 100 or more games, Reiser won the crown by a margin of 24 points as the runner-up, aging Johnny Cooney of the Boston Braves, batted .319 in 123 games. Another veteran Estel Crabtree of the Cardinals, finished in between them, but he compiled his average of .341 in only 77 games.

Not only did the youthful Reiser lead the circuit in batting but he carried off the lion's share of the other hitting laurels. The Dodger speedster scored the most runs, 117; hit for the most total bases, 299; made the most triples, 17; and tied with Johnny Mize of the Cardinals for the most two-base hits, each with 39.

The other individual leaders last season follow:

Home runs—Dolf Camilli, Dodgers, 34.
Most hits—Stanley Hack, Cubs, 186.
Most singles—Stanley Hack, Cubs, 141.
Most stolen bases—Dan Murtug, Phillies, 18.
Most sacrifices—Marty Marion, Cards, 28.
Most times at bat—Johnny Rucker, Giants, 622.
Mel Ott, new Giants manager, hit 27 home runs last season, bringing his life-time total to 415, more than any other National league ever hit. Frank McCormick, Reds' first baseman, by plying in all his team's 154 games, extended his consecutive games streak to 616.

Giants Lead at Half

The main reason the Bears were in the running at that stage was Snyder, Luckman's replacement. Bob booted three field goals—a feat no player has performed in title play since Jack Manders of the Bears did it in 1933.

Two of Snyder's field goals balanced George Franck's first period touchdown run for New York, after Tuffy Leemans had passed to him from the 31-yard line. Snyder's third three-point-er gave the Bears a 9-6 half-time lead, an edge that didn't last long.

For Ward Cuff, acclaimed for many years as a field-goal booting champion, laid one between the uprights early in the third period to tie the score, and the 13,341 spectators—no one referred to them as a crowd—weren't very sure the Bears had the stuff that won 10 of 11 games and the western division playoff over the Green Bay Packers.

But where Snyder had been doing the work, Luckman stepped in for his share. He knifed a 23-yard aerial to Dick Plasman and a 26-yarder to Johnny Siegal, who wound up on the Giants' eight. Standlee barged over from the three for the touchdown that sent the Bears merrily on their way.



spinners will not be confined to Georgia and Texas Christian football teams in Miami Orange Bowl, January 1. Muriel Smith, acrobatic drum majorette, leads University of Miami band.

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Snelling's Three-pointer in Last Period Winds Up Regular Grid Play

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Bearcats Down Albion, 54-38

BURLEY, Idaho, Dec. 22 (AP) The Willamette university basketball team won its second game of an intermountain region invasion Saturday night by drubbing Albion normal, 54 to 38.

Jim Robertson and Sumner Gallaher led the smooth-working Bearcats to the victory, Robertson scoring 14 points and Gallaher 13.

HIGH SCHOOL
University (Eugene) 18, Grants Pass 17
Hood River 21, Pendleton 19
Tillamook 21, Newberg 21 (overtime)
Astoria 21, Aberdeen, Wash., 23
Baker 22, Milton-Freewater 25

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