

High Man



Cadet Joseph Kuhn, 22, of Beckley, W. Va., establishes a new record of 3 minutes and 30 seconds for grueling 600-yard obstacle course at Army Pre-Flight school at Athens, Ga.



Sports Briefs

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP)—Cadets at the North Carolina navy Pre-Flight school will get some of their exercise next summer cultivating a 14-acre victory garden under the guidance of Lieut. Commander Harvey Harman, the athletic director, and Ensign Warren Chivers, former Dartmouth ski star. . . . And members of the Mid-Atlantic Greenkeepers association recently were urged to coax golf club members to do the same thing by turning the courses into huge gardens.

A HAND FOR HANS
Just after the world series, Hans Lobert of the Phils learned that one of his old West Point baseball pupils, Lieut. Col. Red Reeder, was heading for Australia so he gave Red a letter to General Douglas MacArthur, who was superintendent of the military academy when Hans was coach. . . . The other day Lobert got a reply from Reeder, telling him by the letter had been presented by General Sutherland, brother-in-law of Bucky Harris. . . . "For 25 minutes he (MacArthur) talked of football, baseball and you," Reeder said. "When it was time for me to leave, he got up and stood staring out a window. 'Red,' he said, 'You tell that old rascal Hans Lobert that at night when the pressure is on and it's hard for me to go to sleep, I'm able to rest only by thinking of those days at West Point when I was superintendent and he was our jolly baseball coach.'"

TODAY'S GUEST STAR
John P. McFarlane, Pittsburgh Post-Gazette: "The signing of Clark Shaughnessy as Pitt grid coach will mark the end of the Warner system of football in this territory where it attained its greatest eminence. . . . Jock Sutherland followed the precepts of Pop Warner, Charley Bowser's methods were of the same school. So if anyone has any tears to shed over the passing of the Warner football hereabouts, he may prepare to shed them now."

ONE-MINUTE SPORTS PAGE
Note on the manpower shortage: The other night in San Francisco two preliminary boys each fought twice to fill gaps on the program. Reuben Marino and Cupid Gordon each scored first-round knockouts. Then they met and Marino won a four-round decision. . . . Trackman Eulace Peacock does such a nifty job of putting coast guardsmen through the generally dull routine of calisthenics at Manhattan beach that his class of about 400 broke out in a spontaneous cheer one day after a stiff 40-minute session. . . . The committee to decide what kind of a baseball will be used in the majors this season hasn't reported yet, but Ed Barrow figures the clubs will pool their present supplies and have enough to carry them well into the season before they have to shift to the new one.

SERVICE DEPT.
Ensign Phil Bucklew, former coach of the Columbus Bulls pro football team who says he has served on 10 ships since he joined the navy, had one sunk under him during the invasion of North Africa. One of the sailors who pulled him out was another Columbus boy, Kenny Billingsley.

BASKETBALL DROPS
CHICAGO, Jan. 26 (AP)—Only five per cent of the nation's high schools have dropped basketball, Henry V. Porter, secretary of the National High School Federation, reported today. He said the figure was based on surveys in many states.

FIGHTS
By The Associated Press
JERSEY CITY, N. J.—Lou Angelo, 145, Bayonne, outpointed Phil Kuzenga, 141, Baltimore, in a 10-round fight. . . . NEW YORK—Bobby Ruffin, 156, New York, outpointed Harold Green, 149½, New York, (8).

IN HIS FATHER'S WAKE
ANN ARBOR—Matt Mann III, son of Michigan's swimming coach, recently broke the state high school record for the 200-yard free style. He'll go to Michigan.

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Push Shot Gives West Cagers Edge Over East

Jack Friel Defends Western Variety Of Basketball That East Tush Tushes

PULLMAN, Wash., Jan. 27 (AP)—That athletic contortion known to basketball players as the "push shot" would give the far west an edge over the far east if the twain got together in steady competition, Coach Jack Friel declared flatly today.

Friel, who coached Washington State college to a western collegiate championship in 1941, bristled to the defense of his homeland when he heard that coaches along the eastern seaboard were tush-tushing the firehorse basketball preferred in these parts.

Washington, Idaho Eye Manpower

Colleges Expect Worst in Face of War Department's Call of Army Reservists

PULLMAN, Jan. 27 (AP)—Washington State college and the University of Idaho basketball officials are expecting the worst today in the face of a war department decision to call up college men in the enlisted reserve.

Word of the order makes the call effective at the end of the current quarter or semester. Semesters at Idaho and Washington State end next week.

By application of the same wording, Oregon, Washington and Oregon State, other northern division teams, apparently are safe, as current quarters at these schools do not end until mid-March, after the close of the conference race.

Coach Jack Friel of Washington State said he stood to lose Gail Bishop, starting forward. "That would wreck us, because we are weak on reserves," he said. Other team members are in branches of the reserve or ROTC exempt from call.

Coach Babe Brown at Idaho was pessimistic. "I have a hunch Bob Ryan and Norm Fredekling will be called by February 17," he said. Other varsity men and reserves, probably would not be called, he said.

Five University of Washington hoopers, Chuck Gilmur, Bob Bird, Boody Gilbertson, Bing Dahl and Bob Friendman, are members of the reserve corps but apparently will be able to finish the season.

Dons Impair Pre-Flight Hoop Team

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27 (AP)—The University of San Francisco Dons have further impaired a once-virile St. Mary's Naval Pre-Flight basketball team in a game which, to further navy ignominy, saw Hank Luisetti ejected on personal fouls. The Dons won 49 to 42 last night. Luisetti, star nifty forward, has left only one other game because of fouls in his basketball career. That was several years ago in a Stanford-California game. Paul Napolitano, Don forward, led an early-game rally which brought about a 30-30 tie and set the stage for victory. He was high scorer with 22 points.

Whitman College Splits Series With College of Idaho

WALLA WALLA, Jan. 27 (AP)—Whitman college gained a split in a two-game northwest basketball conference series with the College of Idaho by coming from behind here tonight to win 57-50. Monday night the Idaho team took a 49-47 overtime victory. The coyotes led 27-23 at the half but a second drive, led by Miller and Williams, put Whitman safely out in front.

Landis Passes Up Florida Vacation For First Time

CHICAGO, Jan. 27 (AP)—Kenesaw Mountain Landis, commissioner of baseball, is passing up a Florida vacation for the first time in 23 years. "The boys aren't going to do their training in the south, so why should I?" he explained today.

HOOP TILT POSTPONED

PORTLAND, Jan. 27 (AP)—The Portland University-Willamette University basketball game, scheduled for tonight here, has been postponed until next Tuesday night, R. L. Mathews, Pilot coach, announced today.

Golfers on The Wagon



Bayside, L. I. Links, a fee course, partly solves transportation problem by having wagon meet train at railroad station. Horses are appropriately named Hook and Slice.

Uncle Sam Levies Manpower Tax But College Athletics Carry On

By HAROLD CLAASSEN

NEW YORK, Jan. 27 (AP)—Uncle Sam has levied another manpower tax on the colleges but the athletic teams will carry on with new students and the odds and ends still around, a survey by the Associated Press today showed.

Few of the coaches or athletic directors were able to interpret the order from Washington which states would be listed army reserves would be ordered up at the end of the

Tuttle Says Post-Season Playoffs Off

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 27 (AP)—The post-season Shaughnessy playoffs are off. So says President W. C. Tuttle of the Pacific coast, adding that official action only awaits the league's meeting, February 15.

"The sentiment that prevails around the league," Tuttle declared yesterday, "is predominantly anti-playoff. Whether the scheme will be revived after the war I cannot say."

However, Tuttle stated the all-star game, proceeds from which go to the Association of Professional Ballplayers of America, probably will be retained, if transportation facilities permit. Tuttle proposed that the \$10,000 Shaughnessy prize money might be divided among the first four clubs in the pennant contest, or dropped altogether, but added he could not speak authoritatively on this point.

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first college term after December 31, 1942.

At Atlanta, Ga., however, Maj. Gen. William Dryden of the fourth service command, said the regulation didn't mean "the reservists will finish the term one day and step into a uniform the next. They will become 'available' at the completion of a semester or term and will be called later by name from Washington."

That interpretation was a pleasant one for basketball coaches Doug Mills of Illinois, Phog Allen of Kansas, Howard Cann of New York university and Wilbur Johns of University of California at Los Angeles.

The first three coaches have top-ranking teams and a blanket for immediate induction of reservists would take three starters from both Illinois and NYU and four from Kansas. The UCLA quintet isn't on a par with them but loss of five cager-reservists would wreck it.

Georgia Players On Pre-Service Barnstorm Trip

ATHENS, Ga., Jan. 27 (AP)—Seven University of Georgia Rose bowl football stars, led by Frankie Sinkwich, are on a barnstorming basketball trip before graduating and entering the armed services. Sinkwich, twice all-America halfback and the nation's most publicized football player last season, plays forward on the team.

Other football players appearing with Sinkwich on the Georgia tour are George Poschner and Van Davis, ends of Georgia's grid team; Walter Ruark, guard; Bill Godwin, center; and Ken Keuper and Andy Dudish, backs.

chances of winning its first game in 42 meetings with Southern California this weekend. Complexions of next fall's football outfits will be changed completely, five of Ohio State's best gridders being on the army list in addition to the usual graduation losses.

"If you know of any boys with bad eyes," moaned Coach Paul Brown, "send them to me. I've got to fill the uniforms." "I always did want to visit those South Pacific islands," said Coach Ellison Ketchum after a check showed every one of Denver university's football and basketball players were in one reserve or another.

Although they expressed it in different words a majority of the commenting coaches endorsed the statement of Wallace Butts, whose Georgia eleven won the 1943 Rose bowl game. "Right now I'm too busy figuring who is going and who isn't but the army is one outfit we're not trying to compete with. Anytime they want any of our boys they can have them."

Warmy Intends To Pole Vault To Sixteen Feet

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27 (AP)—Cornelius Warmerdam, the Piedmont, Calif., school teacher who firmly intends to vault 16 feet, plans to start his 1943 competitive campaign in the Melrose games in New York, February 6. He's already topped 15 feet 7 inches.

Charley Hunter of the Olympic club, coach of the world's indoor and outdoor pole vault champion, said today arrangements for Warmerdam's appearance in the eastern competition are practically complete.

BASKETBALL Results

- EAST**
Washington & Jefferson 44, West Virginia 42.
Penn Military 65, Delaware 39.
Indiana (Pa.) Teachers 49, St. Vincent 21.
SOUTH
Kentucky 39, Vanderbilt 38.
Duke 63, Wake Forest 41.
MIDWEST
Great Lakes 61, Wisconsin 43.
Indiana Central 67, Huntington 49.
WEST
Ucal. of San Francisco 49, St. Mary's Navy 42.
San Francisco State 57, San Jose State 45.
Arizona 67, Arizona State Teachers (Flagstaff) 49.
College of Pacific 47, Fresno State 36.
Coast Guard (Alameda) 47, St. Mary's 29.
Whitman 57, College of Idaho 50.
Central Washington 41, St. Martins 23.
HIGH SCHOOL
Springfield 31, St. Mary's (Eugene) 21.
LOS ANGELES—Jack Chase, 154, Deuver, knocked out Jackie Byrd, 149, Blytheville, Ark., (8).

Aged Gomez Seeks Fountain Of Youth at Braves Field

By BILL KING
LEXINGTON, Mass., Jan. 27 (AP)—Now that he has recovered from the shock of being cast adrift by the fabulous New York Yankees, Vernon (Lefty) Gomez has high hopes that he, like many another aging pitcher before him, will find the "Fountain of Youth" that is supposed to be located within the spacious boundaries of Braves field. Gomez, now 32, became involved in a major league deal for the first time in his 12-year career yesterday when the Yankees sold him to the Boston Braves after all of the other American league clubs had waived on him. "I was surprised, of course," the colorful southpaw said. "But I am convinced I still have enough stuff to be a winning pitcher and I'm looking forward

to working in the Braves' big park." Gomez appears to have ample grounds on which to base his hopes for a successful term with the Braves. He recalls the happy experiences of one of his old teammates, Deacon Danny MacFayden, enjoyed with the Braves after the Yankees cut him adrift when he reached the 30-year-old stage back in 1935. The supposedly washed-up MacFayden, after winning only four games during his last year as a Yankee righthander, turned in 17 victories during his first season as a Brave and then collected 14 more in each of the next two seasons. Among the other recent pitchers to drink from this "Fountain of Youth" were the then 30-year-oldsters, Milkman Jim Turner and Lou Fette, who, during their freshman seasons, were 20-game winners for the Braves.

BOEING BOMBERS WIN

SEATTLE, Jan. 27 (AP)—Boeing bombers last night scored a 45-35 victory over the Bremerton All-Stars in a Northwest Basketball league game, registering the major upset of the league season and knocking the All-Stars out of their first place tie with Alpine Dairy. It was the All-Stars first loss.

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