

Sports Briefs

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.



Zurakowski Decisions Jackie Grey

Penn State Champion Drops To Michigan State Man in NCAA Boxing Tournament

MADISON, Wis., March 27 (AP)—Penn State's Jackie Grey, eastern intercollegiate 120-pound boxing champion, was eliminated from the National Collegiate Athletic association tournament last night as the semi-final round opened before 8000 fans in the University of Wisconsin field house.

Grey dropped the decision to William Zurakowski, Michigan State, who used a left jab and occasional pokes to the mid-section to build up a marked edge in the first two rounds.

Dave Knight, Washington State, and John Collettine, Wisconsin, won their 135-pound matches on decisions, Knight defeating Glenn Hawthorne, Penn State, and Collettine disposing of Robert Simpson of Wabash (Ind.) college.

Cliff Lutz, NCAA 135-pound champion last year, was awarded a second round technical knockout over Ed Feinstein, Miami (Fla.) university, in the 145-pound division.

A series of jolting right uppercuts in the second and third rounds helped Mike Melson, Washington State, to a decision over Robert Finley, Virginia, in a 155-pound bout. In another 155-pound bout Don Miller, Wisconsin outpointed William Richards, Penn State.

Stanley Smith, San Jose (Calif.) State, won from Don Miklasov, Virginia, and Myron Miller, Wisconsin freshman decisioned Herman Stebbins, of Fresno (Calif.) State in 165-pound bouts.

Harold Titus, Superior (Wis.) Teachers, turned in a minor upset by defeating Edo Mancotti, Michigan State, in the 175-pound class.

The seventh Wisconsin boxer to qualify for tomorrow's finals was Verdanye John, who built up a wide margin in the first two rounds to win the decision over James McMillen, Purdue, in a heavyweight bout.

GOOD SCOUT

Scout Joe Cambria of the Washington Senators tells this one about his "discovery" of Richard Ahrens, the seven-foot rookie pitcher from Oil City, Pa., who has been quite noticeable around the Senator camp: "I found him in a grocery store. He was behind the counter reaching for some cans on the top shelf, and when I saw him I thought he was standing on a ladder. But I didn't see any ladder so I signed him."

SERVICE DEPT.

The Norfolk naval training station, minus Bob Feller, is expecting that this year's baseball team will equal the 1942 record of 92 and 8. Freddie Hutehinson, Tom Earley, Charley (Broadway) Wagner and Walt Masterson will take Feller's place. . . . Lieut. Robert B. Downes, former Brown U. football player just back from the Pacific war zone, reports that one souvenir he picked up on the battlefield was a gold football inscribed: "Pineapple bowl, 1-1-40. U. of Hawaii 6, Ore. State 39."

Cardinals Return to Sandlot



War forces St. Louis Cardinals back to simple life where loose boards in fence save walking to the gate. Whitey Kurowski and Harry Gumbert lead world champions through hole and onto practice lot at Cairo, Ill.

Johnny Greco Drops Shans For Second Straight Win

By SID FEDER

NEW YORK, March 27 (AP)—Criticizing a winner, especially one who wins "a-gallop" is like complaining about a steak being too well done these days.

But the chief impression left today from Johnny Greco's second straight win over Cleo Shans was that his "brain trust" better not start hollering for the lightweight championship yet.

There's no doubt that Private Johnny's performance for the entertainment of 15,011 customers in Madison Square garden was strictly "prime beef" last night. He demonstrated he's one of those rarities—a lightweight who can wallop—by flooring the tough little California negro once and staggering him three other times.

But, although he swept the cards of the referee and both judges and won eight out of ten heats on The Associated Press tablet, he showed more than anything else that as a polished back-buster he's about as green as sour apples. His inexperience was demonstrated mostly the three or four times when the pint-sized Canadian soldier had Cleo hurt.

Helen Willis May Not Fight Again After Accident

MANHATTAN, Kas., March 27 (AP)—The racket-wielding right hand that Mrs. Helen Willis Roark used to smash tennis opponents was in bandages today and the famous star may never play again.

Several bones were removed from the hand in an operation a week ago at Fort Riley, Kas., where Lt. Adrian Roark, husband of the former national and Wimbledon champion, is stationed.

Attending physicians said she may never regain complete use of the hand. Maj. Killian, Chicago surgeon now at Fort Riley, performed the operation.

Mrs. Roark's hand was severely injured January 14 in Junction City, Kas., when she attempted to stop a fight between her German shepherd and another dog. Bone infection necessitated the recent operation.

Dallas Bennet Polishes Off Bowie in Third

PORTLAND, Ore., March 27 (AP)—Dallas Bennett, 181, of La Grande, took just three rounds to polish off Bowie Butler, 202, Portland negro, in a scheduled 10-round main event here last night.

Butler, practically on the ropes during the last of the third round, could not answer the bell for the fourth.

Other results included: Joe Dolan, 123, Portland, knocked out Billy Webb, 125, Bellingham.

Jimmy Collins, 148, Portland, knocked out Orv Teeters, 146, Portland; Leo McCormick, 141, Portland, knocked out Mel Roberts, 142, Portland; Joe Kahut, 165, Woodburn, knocked out Speedy Cannon, 168, San Francisco; Frank Caparelli, 148, Portland, decision over Frank Hahn, 146, Portland.

Stansberry Said Great Women's Basketball Player

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 27 (AP)—Frances Stansberry, 17, came to the National Women's AAU basketball tournament about as well known as her home town of Parsons—a hamlet (population 153) in southeast Iowa.

But when the tournament ended last night, Frances was lauded by tournament officials as "potentially the greatest player in the history of women's basketball."

She scored 24 points as her team, Davenport AIC, successfully defended its National AAU title by trouncing Des Moines AIB, 41-31.

Joe Di Mag Not So Good at Bat In Army Uniform

FULLERTON, Calif., March 27 (AP)—Angus Joe DiMaggio, who used to belt homers with regularity as a New York Yankee outfielder, didn't do so good in his first baseball game since he donned an army uniform.

In four times at bat, he walked twice and flied out twice, but scored once on one of his free passes to help the Santa Ana army air base team defeat Fullerton Junior college 6 to 4 yesterday.

Baseball's erstwhile highest salaried player said he hoped to do better when the Fliers meet the University of Southern California next Saturday.

Linfield College Awards Blankets to Four-Year Lettermen

McMINNVILLE, March 27 (AP)—Don Hansen and Jim Partlow will be awarded blankets as four-year men for the Linfield college basketball team.

Coach Henry Lever said basketball letters would be granted John Frazier, McMinnville; Don Nelson, Don Miller, Bill Hugel, Gene Peterson, Paul Dow, Al Groves and Art Vermont.

Cougar Lightweight Crews Win Only Race Of Season Yesterday

VANCOUVER, B. C., March 27 (AP)—The University of Washington lightweight crews won their only races of the season against the University of British Columbia on the Fraser river here yesterday.

Ten of the 18 Washington crewmen will join the armed services next week. No times were kept as the Washington No. 1 crew defeated B. C.'s Junior varsity three lengths over a mile and 550 yard course and the second Husky boat bested the Vancouver freshmen by two lengths.

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Texas Tops Huskies in NCAA Hoop Meet, 59-55

Short Roy Cox Stars for Longhorns; Hargis Makes 30 Points for Record

By NORB GARRETT

KANSAS CITY, March 27 (AP)—Roy Cox, only 5 feet 9 inches has been too short to see much service in the tree-topping Southwest conference.

That's what the NCAA western regional basketball playoff program said about the 17-year-old guard on Texas' basketball team.

An addition reading "But he's big enough" should be made before tonight's championship tilt involving Texas and the Wyoming Cowboys.

Washington of Seattle will vouch for that statement, for the diminutive Texan, along with John Hargis, is one of the prime reasons the Longhorns are in the finals. Cox's contribution was three baskets in the closing three minutes of last night's engagement that gave Texas its tying points and then its 59-55 margin over the Huskies.

Hargis, of course, deserves a full share of the hero honors, too, for his 30 points, a record for NCAA competition here, were more than half of Texas' total. He nailed 10 field goals and an equal number of free tosses. George Gilmack, North Carolina, holds the NCAA record with 31 against Dartmouth in 1941 at New Orleans.

Only the spirit of the Alamo kept Texas in the running. Washington once had a 21-8 margin and didn't lose its advantage until late in the second half, when Hargis connected for two straight goals to push the Longhorns into a 53-52 lead.

It was a game of many fouls—43 were called—and seven men fouled out. But for Cox it was the great opportunity. He was

pressed into service when Texas lost four players by the foul rule and today Cosch Bully Gilstrap wasn't a bit sorry.

Despite its surprising effort against Washington, Texas was the underdog in its clash with Wyoming tonight.

Not that the Cowboys were any ball fire in beating Oklahoma in last night's opener 53-50 but they do have two capable Giants in Milo Komenich and Jim Weir who will give Wyoming a big advantage around the baskets.

In fact, the Rocky Mountain champions can consider themselves fortunate that they're getting the opportunity to play for the right to meet Georgetown, eastern NCAA winner, for the national championship Tuesday night in New York.

Oklahoma, with Gerald Tucker duping Komenich on shots from the post position, moved into 14-5 and 19-11 leads. Then the great sooner star went out on fouls with three minutes to play in the first half and Oklahoma's chances faded.

The championship game tonight is scheduled for 9:30 p. m., with Washington and Oklahoma meeting for third place at 8 p. m.

Polish Youth Posts Record In Swimming

COLUMBUS, O., March 27 (AP)—A 19-year-old Polish-American, who was 12 years old before he learned to speak English and who expects to enter the U. S. army ski troops within three weeks, set the swimming world afire today with the posting of 22.1 seconds for the 50-yard free-style, slashing .5 seconds from a world record that had stood for 20 years.

Henry Kozlowski, Northwestern university freshman, made the new mark in winning the National Collegiate Athletic association championship in the Ohio State natatorium. Meet officials described his accomplishment as one of the greatest in competitive swimming history.

The record of 22.6 seconds was set in 1923 by Duke Kahanamoku of Hawaii and matched in 1934 by Peter Fick.

Oregon Sport Notes

By FRED HAMPSON
Associated Press Staff Writer

Kirk Gebert of Longview, Wash., member of Washington State college's track team, discloses that Gall Bishop, the Cougars' great scoring ace on this year's basketball quintet, established a new divisional record despite serious sinus trouble and a double hernia. Makes one wonder what the fellow might have done if his health was better.

Wrote Gebert in a letter to a Longview friend:

"There's been a lot of talk about our basketball star, Gall Bishop, but in my mind not enough credit has been given him.

"You take a basketball player, especially in this fast company, who has serious sinus trouble, a double hernia, and who is only a junior in competition and watch him produce a record like Bishop's and you would agree that he is one of the greatest players in this college circuit.

"It so happens that Bishop was called to the army a week ago—immediately after the Oregon road trip. He went to Fort Lewis, knowing that he had a hernia, and therefore did not drop out of school officially; when he got to the fort he found that he had not one—but a double hernia. Gall still wanted in the army so they accepted him and put him on limited service.

"... He was given a three-day

Seattle Rainiers Promise Baseball With All Trimmings

LEWISTON, Idaho, March 27 (AP)—All the trimmings of a season's opening will be provided when the Seattle Rainiers of the Pacific Coast Baseball league play their first practice exhibition game against a team from Geiger field, near Spokane, next Friday night.

Leo Bodine, president of the Junior chamber of commerce, said Lieut. Gov. Edwin Nelson would be on hand to throw out the first ball.

The Rainiers started spring training here this week.

at center, and gives up the remaining places to northern players. Gall Bishop of Washington State is his other forward, Bill Morris of Washington, one guard, and Oregon State's tireless Lew Beck the other guard.

About Beck, Kapel writes: "One of the most beautiful change of pace dribblers in the conference. A team man, good passer, cool head and excellent shot."

Chief of Police's Sale of Real Property for Special City Assessment Liens

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 22nd day of April, 1943, beginning at the hour of 10:00 A. M. of said day, at the front door of the City Hall in Klamath Falls, Klamath County, Oregon, I will sell at public sale for cash on hand all of the following described properties, to-wit:

LOT	ADDITION	BLOCK	TO WHOM ASSESSED	DATE LEVIED	PURPOSE OF ASSESSMENT	AMOUNT
S 1/4 of 9	KLAMATH	74	Lottie Lambert	September 14, 1925	Street	\$ 14.16
S 1/2 of 10		74	Lottie Lambert	September 14, 1925	Street	98.61
3		105	James E. Swansen	June 30, 1928	Street	77.14
SE 1/4 of 2	FIRST	5	Allen Sloan	November 15, 1926	Sewer	31.02
Pt. of 1 (Lot 1, less DV 71, pg. 554) DV101, pg. 294		1	V. Verna Anderson	November 15, 1926	Sewer	13.71
NE 1/4 of 7		6	C. L. Bigelow	August 28, 1927	Street	94.55
NE 1/4 of 1 & 2		26	M. L. & Alice Johnson	May 4, 1927	Street and Sewer	516.88
Balance of 1 & 2		26	M. L. & Alice Johnson	May 4, 1927	Street and Sewer	358.82
4	RIVERSIDE	18	Dr. E. D. Lamb	May 4, 1927	Street	482.58
25	INDUSTRIAL	14	G. W. Chapman	May 13, 1927	Sewer	37.33
S. 9' of 26		14	G. W. Chapman	May 13, 1927	Sewer	13.32
SE 1/4 of 35		18	Earl F. & Zella R. Blankenship	December 6, 1927	Street	7.16
NW 12.5' of 37		18	Earl F. & Zella R. Blankenship	December 6, 1927	Street	11.43
5	BUENA VISTA	86	C. C. Cline	June 13, 1927	Street	242.65
325	MILLS	111	G. & Katherine Neubert	September 10, 1927	Street	117.73
3	CANAL	7	David W. Johnson et al	June 30, 1928	Street	330.25

This sale is made under and by virtue of a warrant or list in tabular form for the collection of special assessment liens, which have been delinquent for more than one year prior to March 18, 1943, on real estate within the corporate limits of the City of Klamath Falls, Klamath County, Oregon, which warrant or list is in my hands. Each of the lots, parcels or tracts above described is located within the City of Klamath Falls, Klamath County, Oregon, and is being sold under Sections 56, 2201 to 56, 2210, Oregon Code, 1930 as amended, providing a method of foreclosing special assessment liens.

Each of said lots, parcels and tracts will be sold separately and will be struck off to the first bidder offering to pay the City of Klamath Falls the full amount of its assessment liens plus interest and the costs of and upon this sale.

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Chief of Police of the City of Klamath Falls, Oregon.

Counting on Him



Little Grey Breaks Own Race Record

Rice Hopes to Run Against Gunder Haegg for Outdoor Mark in Two-Mile Distance

CLEVELAND, March 27 (AP)—Little Grey Rice, who broke his own world's indoor record in the two-mile at the Knights of Columbus games last night, hopes to match strides this summer with Gunder Haegg, the great Swedish runner who holds the outdoor mark for the same distance.

"I hope I have plenty of competition in the outdoor season as I want to be in shape to meet Haegg," the former Notre Dame star said today.

In winning the Columbian two-mile in 8 minutes, 51 seconds Rice clipped one-tenth of a second off the old mark he established at Chicago March 22, 1941. It was his 64th straight victory.

"I certainly felt good last night," Rice remarked. "I knew after the first half-mile I was in the right shape to go after a record. I drove (sprinted) the last three laps."

Dave Williams of Georgetown tried to make a race of it, and was on Rice's heels for three-quarters.

Herb Thompson of Jersey City set a new indoor world record of 4.8 seconds in the 45-yard dash. The previous mark of 4.9 seconds was posted by Percy Williams of Canada at Philadelphia February 12, 1929.

Gil Dadds, the Boston Divinity student, had a breeze in the mile run. His time was 4 minutes, 8.7 seconds.

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River Road Rams Win Light Title In Goldenball

PORTLAND, March 27 (AP)—The River Road Rams of Eugene won the lightweight division championship of the annual Goldenball basketball tournament last night, defeating Alameda of Portland, 44-13.

The Jefferson Hi-Y team of Portland won the heavyweight division title, downing Russellville, 34-20.

The Eugene team placed two men on an all-star team, composed of Tom McCarny of Vancouver Shumways, and Ernest Wilde of River Road Rams, forwards; Bob Reinhart, Alameda, center; Ken Gibson, River Road Rams, and Jack Keller, Montaville Gnats, guards.

Missionaries Take Tight Pair of Ball Games From Idahoans

WALLA WALLA, March 27 (AP)—The Whitman college Missionaries took a pair of tight baseball games, 2-0 and 3-2, from the University of Idaho in their opening header of the season here yesterday.

Jim Forsyth was the big gun of the Missionary drive, batting in both runs in the first game and hitting a double and a triple in the second.

HORSE VS. MAN

McMILLE, March 26 (AP)—The old horse-versus-man speed argument will be settled—locally, at least—here Monday. Jim Hartzell, McMinnville high school sprint star, will try to outrun a dobbie ridden by another high school student.

Training Camp Briefs

By The Associated Press

EVANSVILLE, Ind., March 27—Detroit and Chicago, a pair of American league rivals, open the Red Flannel league season today with Virgil Trucks and Paul Trout slated for mound duty by Manager Steve O'Neill of the Tigers.

Jimmy Dykes, boss of the White Sox, has selected a trio of rookies—Gordon Maltzberger, Floyd Speer and Donald Hanks—to do the twirling.

ASBURY PARK, N. J.—War-time baseball note:

Manager Joe McCarthy of the New York Yankees says his team will not play intra-season games because "I haven't enough players, unless I use pitchers on one team. I don't want to do that because I don't like to have them standing around in the outfield."

MUNCIE, Ind.—Manager Frankie Frisch called off today's camp game to put his Pittsburgh Pirates through another long workout in preparation for the full nine-inning struggle he has arranged for tomorrow. With the signing of Pitcher Max Butcher and Outfielder Maurice Van Robays all 1943 Pirates are in the fold.

LAKEWOOD, N. J.—Gabby Hartnett, veteran catcher and new manager of the Jersey City Giants of the International league, donned a New York

Giant uniform today and attempted to shed a few of his many excess pounds in preparation for the arrival of the Little Giants on Monday.

LAFAYETTE, Ind.—Manager Lou Boudreau gave his Cleveland Indians a day off today as payment for their good showing in yesterday's camp game which Ken Keltner's Kernels won, 3 to 1, from Gene De Sautels' nine.

BEAR MOUNTAIN, N. Y.—Manager Leo Durocher and Scout Ted McGrew of the Brooklyn Dodgers are high in their praises of Paul Waner, the 40-year-old newcomer trying to make the Dodger outfield.

"I wouldn't be surprised if Paul hit .350 this year," said McGrew of the veteran who was cast adrift by the Boston Braves this winter.

WILMINGTON, Del.—Connie Mack's big worry is pitching, with only Lum Harris, Roger Wolff and Russ Christopher left from the staff that hurried for the Philadelphia Americans last year. His outfield is his strongest department numerically, with Elmer Valo, Jo-Jo White, Johnny Wela and Roberto Estalella all having big league experience.

Former Oregon Hoop Star, Sport Editor, Now Naval Ensign

ASTORIA, March 27 (AP)—It's Ensign Wally Johansen now.

Friends here learned that the former Oregon basketball star who played on the 1939 national champions' team and later became sports editor of the Astorian-Budget, received his commission and is now at a training school at Tucson, Ariz.

Johansen enlisted as a chief specialist in physical education and later transferred to gunnery.

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