

Herald and News SPORTS

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Freddie Hutchinson Lands Cincinnati Manager's Job

CINCINNATI (AP)—Burly Fred Hutchinson takes over tonight in one of baseball's managerial hot seats—manager of the Cincinnati Reds.

Cincinnati General Manager

Smith singled out that phase Wednesday night as a major reason for the team's plight.

Paul said Hutchinson would be signed to a contract running through the 1960 season when he arrives here today from Seattle. The terms were not disclosed.

The Reds open a series with San Francisco tonight. Paul's terse announcement of the managerial change said Smith had been his "personal" choice when he was hired.

"I deeply regret that things have worked out as they have," Paul said.

He added that Smith had been offered a job in the Cincinnati organization but Smith asserted he had not yet decided whether to accept it although he declared "I want to stay in baseball."

Minor \$\$ Struggle Big Issue

CHICAGO (AP)—A one million dollar financial aid program to bolster struggling minor leagues held top attention today of major league baseball officials.

Other main issues before the majors' annual summer meetings are the question of the starting date of the 1960 race and controversy over a rule permitting inter-league player trades.

Commissioner Ford Frick said the question of a third major league is not on the agenda and that he does not believe it will be discussed.

However, the third major league proposal could be brought before the meeting with the unanimous consent of the club owners.

The executive committees of the majors and minors huddled Wednesday with Frick in an effort to work out a formula for shoring up the sagging minor leagues.

Charles Segar, assistant to Frick, said recommendations will be submitted Friday at a joint meeting of American and National league club officials.

The majors' executive group includes Frick; Warren Giles, president of the National League; Joe Cronin, president of the American League; George Weiss, general manager of the New York Yankees; and Walter O'Malley, president of the Los Angeles Dodgers.

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Gabe Paul announced Wednesday that Mayo Smith had been fired after directing the team through only 80 league games and that Hutchinson had been named to replace him.

Hutchinson, former pilot of the Detroit Tigers and the St. Louis Cardinals, has been managing Seattle of the Pacific Coast League, a Cincinnati farm club affiliate.

In coming here, Hutchinson will be the 10th manager of the Reds since 1947. He will be the fourth in less than a year although one of them—Jimmy Dykes—had only a "interim" tenure last year after Birdie Tebbets quit.

"Hutch" will be taking over a club mired in seventh place, 10½ games out of first. It is a club so admittedly weak in pitching that

Yankees Wallop Red Sox

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
The Boston Red Sox blew a chance to quit the American League cellar Wednesday night, letting a 5-3 lead slip away and taking an 11-5 walloping from the Yankees, who tied for third place, in the only baseball game scheduled in the majors.

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"Sure we can win," declared Reese. "Why? Because we have the best pitching in either league."

Said Drensen, "If I had pitching like this back in Brooklyn, I'd have walked in."

The Dodgers are third, a half game behind the Braves who hold first place by three percentage points over the San Francisco Giants.



LEAH MASKELL ... Senior delegate
PAULINE PERNELL ... Junior member

Lady Golfers Invade Klamath Falls Links

A total of 100 lady golfers, representatives of the Willamette Valley-Southern Oregon Women's Golf Association, will tee off Friday morning at Reames Golf and Country Club in the 40th tournament held by the organization.

The WWSO tournament, in its 10th year of operation, is a handicap sweepstakes one-day affair beginning at 7:30 in the morning.

The organization is made up of women golfers from Roseburg, Medford, Bend, Grants Pass, Coos Bay, Eugene (both the Eugene Country Club and Laurewood) and Klamath Falls.

Each of the country clubs in the organization are represented by delegates. Mrs. Earl Maskell is the senior Klamath Falls member of the board while Mrs. Howard Pernell is the junior. The pair will act as hosts for the Reames affair.

The ladies will be divided into flights according to their handicaps and compete for low net and low gross scores.

The pairings:

TEE NO. 1
Handicap and Home Course
Shows in Parentheses
7:30—Mrs. C. B. Collins (8-Med.)
Mrs. A. C. Stipe (8-Bend), Mrs. Cliff Guleneth (11-CB), Mrs. R. O. Sproat (17-KF)

7:35—Mrs. E. C. Sullivan (12-Bend), Mrs. John McCulloch (18-Eug), Mrs. Mahr Reymers (14-Med.), Mrs. John Merryman (14-KF)

7:40—Mrs. Vincent Alaska (17-CB), Mrs. Thomas Culbertson (14-Med.), Mrs. J. S. Grahman (17-Bend), Mrs. Carl Good (19-Eug), Mrs. Earl Maskell (13-KF)

7:45—Miss Margie Landru (18-Lwd), Mrs. Frank Tamney (16-Med.), Mrs. Vera Laxon (17-Bend), Mrs. Marvin Nersteth (13-KF)

7:50—Mrs. Warren Leasig (17-Med.), Mrs. Wm. Dillingno (18-GP), Mrs. Rod Louden (18-Eug), Mrs. Earl Maskell (16-KF)

7:55—Mrs. Louis Soukup (18-Lwd), Mrs. Richard Finch (18-Eug), Mrs. Lloyd Drew (16-KF), Mrs. Ken Omlid (18-Eug)

8:00—Mrs. Noble Vincent (16-Med.), Mrs. Marshall Kennedy (18-CB), Mrs. Herschel Olive (19-GP), Mrs. Stanley Miller (17-KF)

8:05—Mrs. Ted Siskies (17-Med.), Mrs. Bert Gould (19-CB), Mrs. Jess Brady (20-GP), Mrs. Wm. Grove (18-KF)

8:10—Mrs. Wm. Clark (18-Med.), Mrs. H. C. Stearns (18-Rose), Mrs. Russell Saunders (20-GP), Mrs. A. Zarnaky (20-KF)

8:15—Mrs. Tom Teutsch (18-Med.), Mrs. A. W. Mook (19-GP), Mrs. Ray Ayers (20-Lwd), Mrs. Richard Marks (21-KF)

8:20—Mrs. B. L. Nutting (19-Med.), Mrs. Ed Stevens (20-Lwd), Mrs. Elton Schroeder (22-CB), Mrs. Martin Swanson (23-KF)

8:25—Mrs. Milo Marrott (21-Eug), Mrs. Chas. Braden (21-GP), Mrs. Wm. Blackledge (21-Med.), Mrs. N. B. Drew (23-KF)

Klamath Falls Legionnaires Invade Grants Pass Sunday

With four hitters rapping the ball at a better than .300 clip and an 18 man team average of .267 the Klamath Falls American Legion baseball team heads back into conference action this weekend in a determined attempt to climb back on top of the league.

The local nine, coached by Hi Hatfield, is scheduled for a doubleheader at Grants Pass Sunday afternoon beginning at 1 o'clock. Only the first game the twinnbill counts in loop standings.

Sunday's action marks the next-to-the last league stand for Klamath Falls; the club's conference action closing following a visitation from Central Point at Gem Stadium Sunday, July 19.

The KF nine, relegated to a third place position off a pair of back to back losses, one at Camp White by Medford, and one by Central Point last week, owns a league record of 4-wins and 2-losses. Medford and Central Point are currently sharing the top spot with 4-1 marks.

For overall season action against all comers the KFers have won 10 and dropped nine, many of the losses by one run margins.

In their only previous meeting with the Grants Passers the Klamath Falls squad walked off the field with tired legs having just accomplished a 24-4 victory. A second game scheduled immediately following the first debacle failed to become a reality when GP coach Mel Ingram pulled his team off the diamond, figuring they had had enough for one day.

Hatfield commented, "Just because we beat them so badly the last time doesn't mean we like to canch Sunday. A team like that can be the 'spoiler' when you've got a chance for a title."

A probable starter for the KF-GP test will be pitcher Blake Griggs. Griggs has won five and lost three so far this season in addition to leading his teammates

at the plate. He has played in 17 of the 19 games to date, filling in at an outfield slot when not working on the mound. He has collected 21 hits including a double and three triples in 31 times at bat for an average of .412.

John Webb, a possible Sunday starter, has won three and lost only one while maintaining a .217 batting average over 11 games.

Running next to Griggs in the batting race is pitcher Gary Beber (1-1) who has two for five in four appearances for an even .400.

Catcher Dave Saks, who has worked every game of the season is packing a .385 which includes two doubles and four triples.

Crowding Saks with a cool .340 is utility ace Don Willey who has poked four two-base raps and two triples in 16 games.

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HI HATFIELD ... Legion Boss

Big Terry Lewis To Face Aussie

SPOKANE (AP) — Hulking heavyweight Terry Lewis will try to get back on the victory trail with a 10-round bout July 18 in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, with a former Australian heavyweight champ.

Ingo Lucchesi, matchmaker, said Wednesday he has matched the 235-pound Lewis against Sandy Assogna. The fight will be held in conjunction with the Diamond Cup unlimited hydroplane race on Lake Coeur d'Alene.

BATTING STATISTICS table with columns: G, AB, R, H, RBI, PCT. Lists players like Griggs, Beber, Saks, Willey, Depew, Womer, Gredel, Yuncik, Webb, Kiger, Head, Moore, Binney, Paxton, Carney, Adkins, Others.

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