

Pelican Baseballers Set For Cougars; Trackmen In 3-Way Springfield Meet

Whitebirds Get Ready For Opener

The Klamath Union varsity baseball team swings into 1960 season action tomorrow at 1 p.m. when it tangles with the Weed Cougars in a double-bill set for the Northern California school's home lot.

Eagerly waiting to see how the balmy weather in Gem Stadium has affected the early season



BILL MANSFIELD
...diamond boss

strength of the club are head coach Bill Mansfield and assistant coach Williams.

"The weather has been great—but you know, it could have resulted in some of our boys counting along a little too fast," noted Mansfield. "We won't know exactly just who will be our starting nine tomorrow until after a final workout tonight. Twenty ball players will make the trip to Weed and there are still some doubts about a number of positions."

Mansfield and Williams will pick their Saturday workers from among catchers Dave Saks, Rich Moore and sophomore Dennis Coleman; first baseman Dean Dunson and Bruce Brickner, both fresh from the KU maplewood; second sackers Steve Binney, Don Willey or Ken Womer; third basemen Larry Bunyard and Estlin Kiger; shortstops Bob Yunc and Sherrin Allen; outfielders Wayne Dennis, Don Gressel, John Bianchi, Ray Taylor, Hank Herrera, Bill Kemmler and Jack Franklin.

Probable pitchers will be chosen from among Blake Grigas, a "doubtful" because of a siege of sickness; Kent Hunaker, Pat Carney, John Webb, Wally Palmberg and Marvin Edwards.

Palmberg, who was also unable to join the club until after basketball was completed in Eugene last week, has yet to take the mound in a scrimmage workout.

Williams noted that he was especially enthusiastic with the showing of young Edwards, a hustling sophomore.

"I think we have some good material—and we'll have to look real close to choose the right boys . . . and those, of course, after we get well into the season. The team will leave KU at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning."

Killebrew Homers

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP)—After 10 games in spring training, Harmon Killebrew finally hit his first home run, Killebrew, who tied for the American League lead with 42 last year, homered Thursday with two on to spark a five-run Washington rally that defeated Los Angeles 9-7.

GROH GREW

DETROIT, Mich. (NEA)—Johnny Groh, who broke in with Detroit as a celebrated rookie in 1949, is now 33 and the oldest of the 1960 Tigers.

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Contenders Mix

Argentina Veteran To Go For Broke

By MURRAY ROSE

NEW YORK (AP)—Argentina's Federico Thompson goes for broke tonight in a fight that could either earn him a title shot or end his career.

The 32-year-old veteran meets ambitious 23-year-old Benny (Kid) Paret of Cuba in a 12-rounder for the right to take on welterweight champion Don Jordan of Los Angeles in a title fight at Las Vegas, Nev., May 27.

Paret, winner over highly regarded Charley Scott in his last two starts, is the 9-5 favorite. The bout will be broadcast and telecast (NBC 10 p.m. Eastern Standard Time) from Madison Square Garden.

Thompson was ready to quit the ring after 12 years of amateur and pro battling when he was signed to meet Jordan in a non-title bout in Buenos Aires. The team, 5-10 South American knocked

out the champion in the fourth round of a resounding upset on Dec. 12.

"I decided then to keep fighting for another year in the hopes of getting a chance at the title," said Thompson. "Now I'm only one fight away."

"I think I can beat Paret," Thompson said. "I know I can take care of Jordan again. If I win the championship I will fight maybe another year. But if I lose to Paret, then that will be it. I've had enough of fighting."

A pro 4½ years, Paret has a 30-6-2 record, including eight knockouts. He never has been stopped. Thompson claims he's had more than 150 bouts but the record books show a 95-73 win-loss-draw record. He has scored 32 knockouts and been stopped once. Federico has an unbeaten string of 25 (including one draw) over the past 24 months.

Gonzaga's Burgess Earns Score Crown In A Walk

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Topping his 1958-59 output by nearly 130 points, Frank Burgess of Gonzaga took the 1959-60 Pacific Northwest collegiate basketball scoring championship with ease.

Final statistics showed Burgess leading Jack Riley of Linfield by 91 points with a total of 751. In the major college division he was 290 ahead of Don Ozorek and Dave Mills of Seattle University.

Last year Burgess totaled 603 and finished second to Ray Washburn of Whitworth, who had 619. Washburn ranked fifth this year in the small college division.

Burgess was among the national leaders all season in per-game average. For 26 games he averaged 28.9 points, far higher than any other Northwesterner. Ron Crowe of Western Washington averaged 20.3, Riley 20.0 and Ed Grossenhacher of Willamette 19.9.

Grossenhacher led Riley most of the season but was edged out at the finish by the little Linfield star for the small college leadership. On total points, Riley led Grossenhacher by 3 and Crowe by 13. Larry Lynn of Willamette was fourth.

Mills and Ozorek each tallied 461 points, one ahead of Washington's Bill Hanson in the major college division. Oregon's Glen Moore was fifth.

The leaders:

MAJOR COLLEGES		
	G	FG FT Tot.
Burgess, Gonz	26	270 211 751
Ozorek, SU	24	170 121 461
Mills, SU	24	175 111 461
Hanson, Wash	28	165 130 460
Moore, Ore	28	147 111 405
Altenholzer, Port	25	181 12 404
Rask, Ore	29	130 140 400
Garner, Port	25	145 77 367
Names, Wash	28	118 90 326
Kinz, Idaho	26	121 73 313
SMALL COLLEGES		
Riley, Linfield	28	226 106 569
Grossenhacher, Wint	28	228 101 557
Crowe, WWC	27	193 161 547
Lynn, Wint	26	172 112 456
Washburn, Wvth	24	166 84 455
Kohort, Wvth	26	164 119 447
Dahl, Paclain	27	144 134 422
Weatherwax, UPB	25	166 73 407
Carrigan, SoOre	25	150 101 401
Oberg, WvNaz	26	144 107 395

1960 KUHS BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Place
March 26	Weed (2)	Weed
March 29	Weed (2)	Weed
April 1	Ashland (2)	Ashland
April 7	Prineville (2)	Prineville
April 8	Grants Pass (2)	Grants Pass
April 9	Yreka (2)	Here
April 15	Crater (2)	Here
April 22	Medford (2)	Here
April 29	Ashland (2)	Here
April 30	Grants Pass (2)	Here
May 6	Crater (2)	Central Point
May 7	Yreka (2)	Yreka
May 14	Bend (2)	Here
May 29	Medford (2)	Medford

KU Speeders Face Stiff Competition

For once in the history of track and field at Klamath Union High School the Pelican Thunders enter a meet with at least a week of practice in regulation cinder season weather under their belts.

The KU squad, 33 in all, leave tomorrow morning at 7 o'clock on a trip to Springfield where they



JIM INGLESBY
...track mentor

will compete in a three-way meet with the South Eugene Axemen and the Springfield Millers.

According to head coach Jim Inglesby, who has seen a few seasons get off to cold, windy and even snowy starts, the 1960 season bears promise. "We sure can't complain about the weather this year—but, it's possible that the warmth has helped some of our kids to overdo this week. We still are better off, however, than we were at the same time last year."

The Pelicans ran through a final workout this afternoon, one which featured a five-way battle for a place in the broad jump and for positions on the KU relay squad.

For the remainder of the squad the workout served as a chance to iron out some kinks, sore muscles, etc., before the Springfield opener.

Listed in the events in which they will participate, the Pelican travel squad includes 100-yard dash—Dave Stippich, Jim Parks and Ron Simpson; 220-yard dash—Charles Richey, Ken Lewis and Stippich; 440—John Roger, Bill

Albers and Lewis; 880—Eric Peterson and Harlan Hamacker; mile—Bill Sprout, Jack Mitchell and Dean Metcalf; high hurdles—Dale Stiles and Bill Santo; shotput—Less Husted and Santo; low hurdles—Stiles and Alan Phillips; discus—Simpson and Roger; javelin—Phillips, Ed Mattiniller and Dave Bruns; high jump—Bob Lewis, Dana Ash and Phillips; pole vault—Bob Dearing and Ron Oliver.

The struggle for the top spot in the broad jump finds Rod Sparlin, Stippich, Phillips, Keith Larson, Earl Brinson and Ken Lewis matching talents.

JUMPING AT LAUREL

LAUREL, Md. (NEA)—Laurel Race Course plans to schedule jumping races during the spring meeting. Jumping races have been absent from the major raceways in Maryland since 1951.

Exhibition Ball Scores

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Washington 9, Los Angeles 7
Milwaukee 9, Chicago 1A 7
Detroit 9, Philadelphia 4
Pittsburgh 3, Baltimore 2 10
innings
St. Louis 10, New York 3
Boston 3, San Francisco 0
Chicago (N) 8, Cleveland 8
K. as City 4, Cincinnati 3 night
19 innings

Friday's Schedule

Los Angeles vs. Baltimore at Miami night
Chicago (N) vs. Boston at Scottsdale
Kansas City vs. Chicago (A) at Sarasota
Cleveland vs. San Francisco at Phoenix
Philadelphia vs. Detroit at Lakeland
New York vs. Milwaukee at Bradenton
Pittsburgh vs. Washington at Orlando
Cincinnati vs. St. Louis at St. Petersburg

Pro Cage Playoffs

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Thursday Results
Boston 119, Philadelphia 117—Boston wins best-of-7 series 4-2
Western Division
St. Louis 117, Minneapolis 96—best-of-7 series tied 3-3
Friday Schedule
Saturday Schedule
Western Division
Minneapolis at St. Louis — afternoon, TV

Trophy Near For Montreal

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The Montreal Canadiens are off and flying in quest of their fifth straight Stanley Cup — something no other National Hockey League club ever has attained.

The Canadiens defeated the Chicago Black Hawks 4-1 Thursday night in the opening of their best-of-seven semifinal series.

But Canadiens' Coach Toe Blake was dissatisfied as was his team. Most were wondering what might have happened if Bobby Hull, the flashing right wing of the Black Hawks and NHL scoring champ, had played.

Hull was taken to a hospital Thursday with an infected throat and it is not known if he'll be ready for the second game Saturday night in Montreal.

"We missed too many chances," Blake said. "We weren't sharp at all."

Jean Beliveau, Bernie Gendron, Dickie Moore and Andre Pronovost scored the Montreal goals. Murray Bailford, Ron Murphy and Ted Lindsay scored for Chicago.

Detroit, leading Toronto 1-0 in their series, plays in Toronto Saturday night.

Hoagland Appointed

TILLAMOOK (AP)—Doug Hoagland, former Oregon State College and professional football player, will be football coach at Tillamook High next fall. He was appointed to succeed Ben Daniels, who has resigned.

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Mantle Goes 0-For-4

'60 Holdouts Given Lumps

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Does it really pay to hold out? Financially, sometimes. Physically, seldom.

Mickey Mantle and Lew Burdette, most persistent of the big name 1960 holdouts, played regulation baseball for the first time this spring in Florida Thursday. Neither really was ready.

Mantle, with an old knee injury aggravated by a training speed-up, went 0-for-4 as his New York teammates were slaughtered 10-3 by the St. Louis Cardinals at St. Petersburg.

Burdette, again counted as Milwaukee's No. 1 right-hander, took the mound only five days after signing. The light-hitting Chicago White Sox nailed him for three runs in a ninth-inning rally, but

the Braves won 9-7 at Sarasota.

Both stars were overshadowed in the exhibition games.

St. Louis shortstop Daryl Spencer homered three times for five runs batted in to steal Mantle's slugging role. And Burdette's teammate, Hank Aaron, drove across six runs with a two-run homer and a bases-clearing double to pace the Braves, who led 7-4 when Burdette replaced starter Joey Jay in the sixth inning.

The Braves, however, were cheered by Red Schoendienst's best day of the spring. Red, hustling for his old second base job after being sidelined by tuberculosis last year, had a double and two singles in the five innings he played.

In other Florida games, Washington defeated Los Angeles 9-7 at Orlando, Pittsburgh beat Baltimore 3-2 in 10 innings at Fort Myers, Detroit whipped Philadelphia 9-1 at Clearwater, and in a night game at Tampa, Kansas City edged Cincinnati 4-3 in 10 innings.

The Washington victory was marked by Harmon Killebrew's first exhibition homer, and the disappointing pitching of Los Angeles' Don Drysdale. Killebrew belted a three-run job in a five-run Washington seventh. Drysdale gave up four runs in the fourth inning.

In Arizona, the Boston Red Sox blanked the San Francisco Giants 3-0 at Scottsdale, and the Chicago Cubs outscored the Cleveland Indians 4-6 at Mesa.

Celtics Win, Lakers Stumble

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

History didn't repeat itself.

The Boston Celtics won the National Basketball Assn.'s Eastern Division playoffs in six games instead of the seven it took them last year, and the Minneapolis Lakers failed to eliminate St. Louis in the Western playoffs in six games as they did a year ago.

The Celtics nipped Philadelphia 119-117 Thursday night and won

Chamberlain Quits

BULLETIN

NEW YORK (AP)—Wilt Chamberlain, who broke virtually every record in the National Basketball Assn. this season as a rookie, is quitting the game. "I'll never play basketball in the NBA again," Chamberlain told the New York Post today.

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the best-of-seven finals in six games. St. Louis forced the Lakers to a seventh game with a 117-96 victory.

Last year, Boston had to go the limit before bouncing Syracuse while the Lakers surprised everyone by eliminating St. Louis, the Western champs. The surprises ended there when Boston won the NBA title in four games.

Tom Heinsohn's tip-in shot in the final nine seconds broke a 117-all tie for Boston's victory Thursday night. Bill Sharman, held to

Len Younce Joins Carpenter

PORTLAND (AP)—Len Younce, former Oregon State College and professional football player, will get back into football next fall. He announced here he has accepted a job as assistant coach at Saskatchewan, a Canadian professional team. The head coach is Ken Carpenter, also a former Oregon State star.

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