

# Herald and News SPORTS

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## NCAA All-Stars Wax Bartlesville

# Small College Stars Upset Ohio State

DENVER (AP) — The NAAI Small-College All-Stars dished up an astounding upset in the opening round of the U. S. Olympic Basketball Trials Thursday night with a 76-69 victory over NCAA champion Ohio State.

The Buckeyes simply couldn't match the all-around excellence

of the All-Stars. State's All-American Jerry Lucas scored 12 points in the first half but tallied only a free throw in the second.

Ohio State held a 42-39 lead at the halfway point. Then Jackie Moreland, 6-8 Louisiana Tech ace, turned on the heat and scored 12 points in the small college team's comeback.

The favored NCAA University All-Stars, led by Oscar Robertson and three other All-Americans, play Akron's AAU veterans tonight in the second round of the trials.

Robertson scored 23 points and guided the NCAA All-Stars to a 96-79 triumph over Bartlesville's (Okla.) AAU team in the first

round of four games Thursday night at the Denver Coliseum.

Peoria's AAU champions rallied in the closing minutes to overcome the other team of NCAA stars, coached by Arad McCutchan, 91-89 in the hardest-fought contest of the first round.

Akron, runnerup to Peoria in last week's AAU tourney, conquered the Armed Forces All-Stars 82-76.

Peoria meets the NAAI All-Stars in the second round tonight.

Robertson and the others making up the NCAA University outfit coached by Pete Newell of California were the talk of the town after handling Bartlesville with such ease.

The NCAA defensive experts—California's Darrall Inhoff, Indiana's Walt Bellamy and Robertson—blocked Bartlesville from inside shots and the Oklahomans couldn't find the range from outside.

The NAAI team, coached by Milton Jowers of Southwest Texas State, surprised Ohio State with a solid team attack built around Charlie Sharp, 6-5 Southwest Texas State ace who hit 17 points, and Moreland.

All eight teams in the competition here are playing three games. The champion of the trials will provide at least 3 but no more than 7 of the 12 players that will make up the U. S. team going to Rome late this summer. The others will be chosen at large from the teams here.

## Ex-Yank At Home On First Base For KC

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Norm Siebern became so sun-stunned in the New York Yankees' outfit his batting began to fade.

Now the 26-year-old left-handed hitter is on first base for the Kansas City Athletics, and he's hitting a rosy .373 with team-leading spring totals of 4 home runs and 20 RBIs.

Manager Bob Elliott put Norm on first for the first time Thursday and the ex-Yankee responded with a homer, a double and three runs batted in as the A's defeated the Baltimore Orioles 5-4 at West Palm Beach.

When New York Manager Casey Stengel let Norm out of the doghouse late in the '59 season, Siebern played the final two games at first, fielding 1,000.

But his work in Yankee Stadium's treacherous left field was something else. Norm played in 134 games in 1958, his first year as a regular, and carried a .300 batting average into the World Series. Then Milwaukee fly balls, aided by high winds and a beaming sun, began dropping all over left field. Norm was benched.

Last year he hoped things would be different, but his outfielding became so unsure that his hitting followed suit. Stengel finally benched him.

Then the Yankees traded Siebern, Don Larsen, Hank Bauer and Marv Throneberry to the A's for Kent Hadley, Joe DeMaestri and Roger Maris, the left fielder they wanted.

Norm promised he would hit again once he was away from the Yanks. If he continues, and he can play the bag, it will cost Throneberry a job that had been virtually

handed to him by the A's who had a collection of four unimpressive first basemen last year.

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In Arizona, the Chicago Cubs shaded the Boston Red Sox 4-3 at Mesa, and the Cleveland Indians rallied to whip the San Francisco Giants 11-10 at Tucson.

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## County Prospects Slim SHA Baseball Turnout May Hurt

Editor's Note: This is the third of a series of articles on spring sports' prospects of schools in the Basin area.

By JERRY REMMERS

Herald and News Sports Writer

The Sacred Heart Trojans, who were to have begun their 1960 baseball season this afternoon at Gem Stadium in a tilt against the Merrill Huskies, were hampered be-

## Polo Fading At Birthplace

NEW YORK (AP)—Polo, once the grandiose sport of the golden twenties, is gasping for breath in its U.S. birthplace—Long Island.

It is about to become the victim of changing times—steaming housing developments, super highways and 14-handicap golfers who can't be disturbed when they putt.

York Morriarty, a young New York motion picture executive who is an official of the U.S. Polo Assn. said today he didn't know how long he could keep the game going at Meadow Brook, one of the world's most famous playing fields.

"We play on Saturday afternoons during the summer," Morriarty explained. "The public address system annoys the golfers who are playing on the nearby course. They are complaining about the noise."

"Once the Meadow Brook Club was made up overwhelmingly of polo enthusiasts. Then the golfers came. Now it is 95 per cent golf."

Because the polo field at Meadow Brook no longer pays its way, some members of the club are reported anxious to sell it.

The present polo field is not the original which once shook under the hooves of zalloping ponies and the blasts from the sticks of such giants as Devereaux Milburn, Tommy Hitchcock, Winston Guest, Cecil Smith and the glamorous Cavanaugh brothers from the Argentine.

A few years ago a super highway stabbed through the property, forcing a re-arrangement of both the polo field and golf course, which still are adjacent.

Once polo enthusiasts swarmed to the field for the matches, which drew worldwide attention. They charged \$1 and children get in free.

fore they even threw the first ball in practice last week.

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Another ball player with considerable experience is pitcher John Jackson. Both chuckers are right handers and while one is hurling the other will be holding down an infield position.

Kempf sees junior Bob Amberg behind the plate catching Ryan's and Jackson's pitches. Amberg is a fair stickman.

In the infield are first baseman Carl Shuck, a senior. This is Shuck's first year of ball after transferring from Bonanza. Playing the keystone positions are Mike Wagner and either Mike Shuck or Paul Hurley at second. The hot corner belongs to Bill Krueger who played last year.

Dick Wiles, a sophomore, nails down the left field slot. Mike Slowey is the regular centerfielder, but is currently laid up with an injured hand. Sophomore Keith Murray is settled in right field.

The rest of the squad includes George Florez, Ray McNeal, Rick Steinbock, Mike Gallien and Rich Kruger. All are freshmen.

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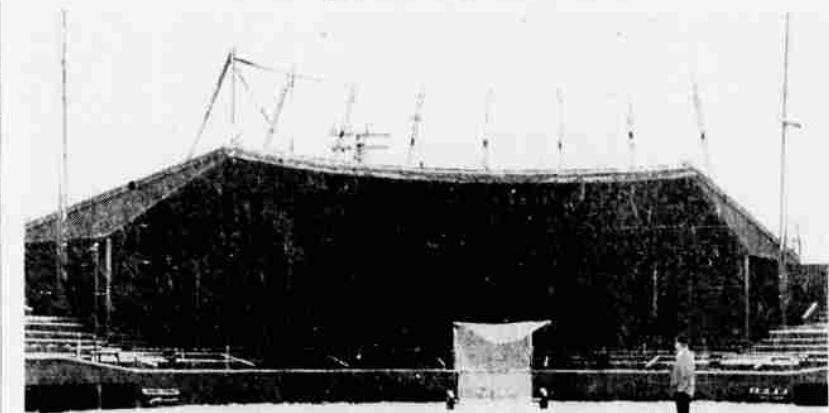
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## Good Spot For Black Baseballs



SOMEWHERE SAND LOTS BECKON — Herald and News sports writer, Jerry Remmers, a California transplant, opens a forlorn eye around the ball park where the local baseball season was figured to open today. It won't, obviously. And more of the same is planned for tomorrow. All prep and college baseball planned for Klamath Falls and its environs this weekend has been canceled. Also postponed was the KU-Ashland track meet.

## Nigerian In 8th Teevee Test

### Dick Tiger 8-5 Choice Over Zalazar

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## HOCKEY Scores

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## UO Stars Enter Valley Relays

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON Eugene (Special)—A group of former Oregon track stars, competing for the Emerald Empire AC, will enter the Willamette Relays Saturday at Salem.

Otis Davis (410), Ted Abrams (320), Jim Grelle (1320) and Bill Deilinger (mile) will make up an exceptionally strong distance medley team and either Grelle or Deilinger will enter the Statesman Mile. Gene "Red" Estes will enter the discus. The distance medley team will also run the two-mile relay, with Jose Luna replacing Davis in the four-man lineup.

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