American Youth Movement For Kids Says Stengel; Houk Gets His Old Job

NEW YORK (AP)—Today the Yankees will name a new manager. He will be 41-year-old Ralph Houk.

But never to be forgotten will be the old Yankee manager, Casey Stengel, the old man the Yankees dismissed to make room for the younger man in line with the club's new policy — the youth movement.

"The youth movement of America is for kids," blared old man Stengel in an acceptance speech Wednesday night climaxing an emotional evening during which he was given a farewell dinner party by the New York Baseball Writers.

"Sure I'm old," 70-year-old Stengel challenged an audience that included Yankee owner Dan Topping, 48, the man who fired him; George Weiss, 65, the general manager who will be the next man to be forfeited under the new "youth program" policy of the owners; and Roy Harney, 58, who is slated to succeed Weiss, and Branch Rickey, 79, president of the dormant Continental League.

"But I thought I could build a young team. I thought I could advance skill and youth without waiting years. Don't forget it was I who started the Yankee youth program which saved the club three-four years by instructional schools in the winter. I got the youths to play baseball instead of ice skating in the winter."

All this, of course, was a pointed reference to the reason given by the Yankee ownership for his dismissal Tuesday — that Casey was too old to continue as manager.

Looking directly at Topping, Stengel said: "This is not a ridicule of Topping who has the nerve and the guts to be here tonight."

Earlier Topping, obviously tense and nervous had been among the dozens of persons—baseball officials including Commissioner Ford Frick and American League President Joe Cronin, writers and friends who had paid tribute to the most successful manager in baseball.

"After reading today's press," Topping said slowly, "maybe I should shut up; maybe I've said enough. I feel a little like Khrushchev when he spoke before the United Nations.

"This has been the toughest decision (firing Stengel) the Yankees have had to make in all my years with the organization."

Weiss, generally regarded as a cold, all-business individual with little or no sentiment, broke down in his eulogy of the man who brought the Yankees 10 pennants and seven world championships in 12 years.

"Maybe I should paraphrase an old line," he began. "Old codgers should be seen and not heard. But I feel I would be remiss if I didn't say a few words about Casey. It's been a privilege to work with him."

Casey was both funny and serious in his "thank you" speech to the writers who presented him with a silver tray inscribed: "In appreciation of your friendship and cooperation through a dozen happy years."

Stengel began his speech by saying "I'd have to say this is the first time I've ever been near tears."

He ended it with a bit of advice to his erstwhile owners and successor as Yankee manager. "If you think you can take a nap as a major league manager, or as an owner, you got to pay for it. You did it big in the last 12 years and you've got to say you can still do it and you don't give up. Tomorrow is another day."

Ol' Case also gave a hint to his future.

"They never fail to hire a man who's got it regardless of age."

BULLETIN

NEW YORK (AP)—Ralph Houk, a 41-year-old onetime second string catcher, was named manager of the New York Yankees today succeeding Casey Stengel.

The contract was for one year at Houk's request.

Herald and News SPORTS

WAYNE SCOTT, Sports Editor

Pelican Workouts Hot, Fast, Heavy

This afternoon the Klamath Union Pelicans put the wrapper on four of the fastest, heaviest, and hottest days of practice they've seen all season and tomorrow night at Springfield they'll learn whether it has paid off.

The Pelicans and the Millers square off at 8 p.m. in a non-conference battle on the Springfield gridiron.

In the only Southern Oregon Conference game slated this weekend the Grants Pass Cavemen and the Crater Comets clash at Medford. The Black Tornado travels to Reno while Ashland plays host to Crescent City.

The Pels, 33 strong, will leave KU at 11:30 Friday morning.

Coach Bob Williams, in releasing his starting offense, noted that there were no expected changes but that his defensive unit was a little different. Offensively he will call upon Alan Phillips, Gary Hancock, Art Mills, Charlton Currin, Sam Henzel, Joe Cox and Wayne Dennis, quarterback Sherm Allen, halfbacks Dave Stippich and Greg Jones, and fullback Larry McClure.

The defensive team includes ends Bob Dearing and Dana Ash or Fred Stilwell, guards Hancock and Gene Bailo, and tackles Jim Mathis and Charlie Rooks. At linebacker posts will be Roger Macy and Dave Saks while Paul Noel and Ken Lewis are set for halfback duty. Stippich will move into the safety position.

The Millers, who lost 14 senior lettermen in the addition of a new high school, are a young, inexperienced team that has 1-won, 4-lost record to date.

Norm Chapman, brand new as the Miller coach, will call upon linemen Don Clotier, (165), Leo Lytle (170), Jim Garrison (195), Dieter Henry (160), Arlen Reding, (175), Gary Reed (210), and Steve Peglow (145).

With the exception of Garrison and end Peglow all are juniors.

In the backfield are quarterback Tom Finucane, 155, halfbacks Bill Shelly, 140, and Johnny Wright, 155, and 160 pound fullback Steve Long.

The Millers gained their lone victory over Cottage Grove and have lost to North Bend, South Eugene, North Eugene and Corvallis.

Rebounds Pay Off In Opener

CINCINNATI (AP) — Coach Charley Wolf sums up the "new look" Cincinnati Royals' record victory this way:

"Rebounding did it."

He referred specifically to the first half of the Wednesday night's National Basketball Association season opener, when the Royals grabbed 47 rebounds to 25 for the Los Angeles Lakers, and raced to a 140-123 victory.

Three-time All-America Oscar Robertson lived up to expectations in his pro basketball debut, scoring 21 points. He also was largely responsible for the Royals' improved rebounding. He grabbed 12 from his guard position, leading everybody but the Lakers' Elgin Baylor with 17, and contributed 10 assists.

The Lakers' Jerry West snapped back after a poor first-half showing and netted 16 points in the second half for a 20-point total in his pro debut. He was All-America at West Virginia.

The Royals are looking forward to a better season than their last two, when they finished last.

Ohio U Tops Small Schools

NEW YORK (UPI)—The fourth weekly United Press International small college football ratings of the 1960 season. (First place votes in parentheses):

Team	Points
1. Ohio Univ (20)	290
2. Bowling Green (3)	237
3. Lenoir Rhyne (2)	187
4. Chattanooga (5)	145
5. Southern Illinois (1)	97
6. Tufts (1)	83
7. Louisiana Tech	79
8. Miami (Ohio)	75
9. Lehigh	64
10. So'eastern Louisiana (1)	55

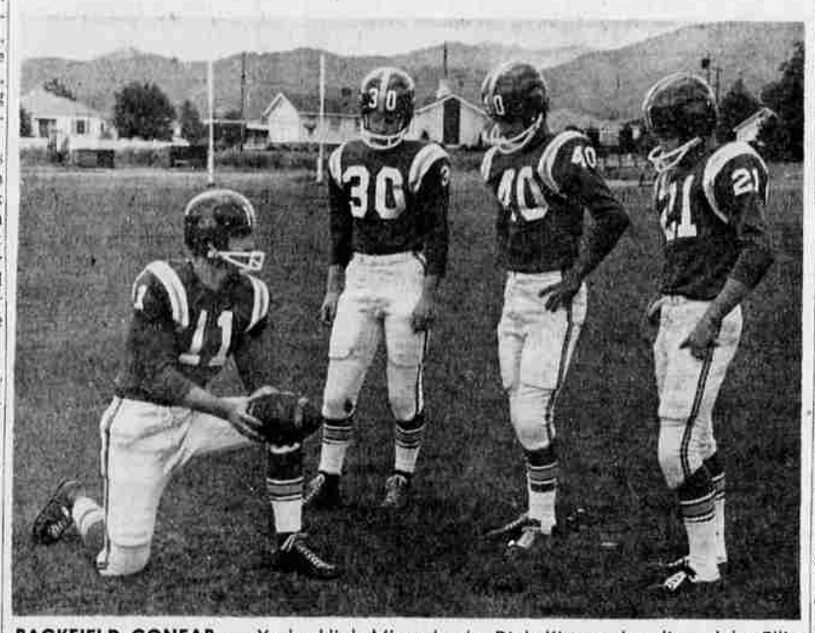
Second 10—11. Fresno State, 52; 12. Hillsdale (Mich.), 44; 13. Western Michigan, 31; 14. Florida A&M and Muskingum, 30 each; 16. Idaho State and Iowa St. Teachers, 29; 18. Tennessee Tech, 26; 19. Whitworth, 25; 20. Arkansas St., 23.

Ring Greats Fight Draw In 3rd Meet

NEW YORK (UPI)—The third Joe Louis-Max Schmeling fight was a draw.

The two ring greats met by surprise in public Wednesday night for the first time since their historic battle at Yankee Stadium 22 years ago, when Louis flattened Schmeling in the first round of their world heavyweight title fight to avenge an earlier defeat by the German.

Planning For Panthers



BACKFIELD CONFAB — Yreka High Miner backs Dick Kinney, kneeling, John Ellis (30), Jon Meamber (40) and Butch McCarthy, at far right, are concentrating on plans for the Chiloquin Panthers whom they host in Yreka Saturday night. The game promises to be a tough one. Both schools are ranked high in their respective conferences.

Chiloquin, Yreka Set For Tiff: Malin, SHA Go In Gem Friday

COUNTY B LEAGUE STANDINGS

	W	L	Pct.	Pf	Pa
St. Mary's	4	0	1.000	78	13
Chiloquin	4	1	.800	136	32
Tulelake	2	2	.500	31	75
Merrill	1	2	.333	46	68
Bonanza	1	3	.250	26	47
Sacred Heart	1	3	.250	13	51
Malin	1	3	.250	33	71

The Chiloquin Panthers face their second rugged opponent in as many weeks when they step out of league football action Friday night for a match with Yreka on the Miners' home ground.

Last time out the Panthers were edged 13-7 by the vaunted St. Mary's Crusaders who took over undisputed first place on the B League ladder by virtue of the win.

In the only game slated in Klamath Falls Friday night the Malin Mustangs tangle with the Sacred Heart Trojans at 8 o'clock in Gem Stadium.

In Northern California action the McCloud Loggers travel to Etna; Mount Shasta treks to Weaverville for a battle with Trinity High and the Weed Cougars journey to Hayfork. The Dunsmuir Tigers play host to Fall River.

Saturday afternoon St. Mary's comes back to the Basin for a match with the Merrill Huskies on the Merrill field at 2 o'clock.

The Bonanza Antlers and the Tulelake Honkers will square away on the Merrill gridiron at 8 o'clock Saturday night.

The Lakeview Honkers travel to Alturas Saturday for an 8 o'clock battle with Modoc Braves. The Brave-Honker clash is a non-league encounter.

Chiloquin halfback Mike Ochoa who has scored six touchdowns and five PATs holds the number one spot in the County B League scoring. Teammate Benny Nygren is the number two man with six TDs and three point-afters for a total of 39. Al DeBortoli and Paul Harris have collected 15 and 13 points respectively.

Bonanza's Denny Ellis ranks third behind Nygren with 25 to become the only Antler who has crossed a goal line.

Crusader Dick Evans is running fourth with 20 points to lead SM while Jim Calhoun, Andre Knutson and Alex Mete have also gotten on the board. Calhoun leads all the passers with four TD completions.

Merrill's Bill Artery is fifth with three touchdowns and one conversion for 19 points. Husky quarterback Denny Salvadori, who has connected on three TD passes, has also scored two touchdowns and one conversion.

Malin's Lee Bailey is the only Mustang to break into the scoring column, as is Tulelake's Joe Rogers. Bailey has 15 points to his credit while Rogers has 12.

COUNTY B LEAGUE
Individual Scoring (League Games)

	Td	Pat	Tp
Mike Ochoa (Chil)	6	5	41
Benny Nygren (Chil)	6	3	39
Denny Ellis (Bon)	4	1	25
Dick Evans (SM)	3	2	20
Bill Artery (Me)	3	1	19
Jim Calhoun (SM)	2	4	16
Al DeBortoli (Chil)	2	3	15
Lee Bailey (Ma)	2	3	15
Paul Harris (Chil)	2	1	13
Denny Salvadori (Me)	2	1	13
Andre Knutson (SM)	2	0	12
Alex Mete (SM)	2	0	12
Joe Rogers (Tule)	2	0	12

Passing

	Td	Pat	Tp
Jim Calhoun (SM)	4	0	24
Denny Salvadori (Me)	3	0	18
Mike Ochoa (Chil)	1	3	9
Norman Jackson (Chil)	1	1	7
Larry Rick (Ma)	1	1	7
Al DeBortoli (Chil)	1	0	6
Bucky Wilson (Me)	1	0	6
Joe Rogers (Tule)	1	0	6

Dunsmuir Blanks Hayforkers

DUNSMUIR — Dunsmuir High School's Roger Grant continued to pile up points on Saturday afternoon at Hayfork. He penetrated the Hayfork High School defense for three tallies in the first half and was responsible for the only conversion of the day. Hayfork was blanked in the lopsided 19-0 test.

Dunsmuir's first touchdown came in the first quarter when Grant slipped away on the Hayfork 30-yard line and scurried all the way. Ground gains brought Dunsmuir to the two-yard line in the second quarter and again Grant went over. This time Dunsmuir got the extra point when Grant ran the ball into the end zone.

The Dunsmuir Jayvees lost to the Hayfork Jayvees, 19-7, in the opener.

Tears Mark Case's Goodbye

NEW YORK (UPI) — Casey Stengel said goodbye to the Yankees and "my baseball writers" Wednesday night with unashamed tears in his eyes and a catch in his voice.

It was supposed to be a "private party" given by New York baseball writers at the Waldorf Astoria but the guest list read like a roll call of the game's greatest figures — and it seemed they all came to eulogize the man who is "too old" to run the Yankees despite the fact he led them to seven world championships and 10 American League pennants in the last 12 years.

"This was the saddest decision the Yankees ever had to make," said Dan Topping, co-owner of the Yankees and the man most responsible for letting Stengel go. "It was a decision we had to make but we wish there could have been another way."

Stengel dabbed at his eyes with a handkerchief as one after another of the baseball greats and "just newspaper pals" eulogized him. And he temporarily lost control of his emotions when general manager George Weiss, who also is expected to feel the edge of Topping's axe in a general shakeup of Yankee officials, shook hands at the end of the party.

"This is the first time I can ever remember cryin' since I was a kid," said Stengel when he clasped the visibly shaken Weiss, who also had tears welling in his eyes.

The plush starlight roof of the hotel was hushed when Stengel rose to speak but the guests broke into a tremendous cheer when Casey delivered a fighting speech.

"I know that competition exists among newspapermen just like among ballplayers," Stengel told the writers. "And I say never give up because tomorrow's another day — and that goes for me, too."

Arch Moore, 'Politician' But Relaxed

SAN DIEGO, Calif. (AP) — Light heavyweight champion Archie Moore is taking to politics as he takes to prize fighting—in a relaxed manner.

Moore, a registered Democrat, is running for a two-month term as a state assemblyman in the Nov. 8 election, but he has no speaking engagements.

In fact, he left for Italy Wednesday to prepare for a 10-round, nontitle fight with Julio Ranildo, Italian light heavyweight champion, in Rome Oct. 29.

Moore's political campaign will sort of take care of itself—with the help of other Democratic candidates—he figures.

Archie is running against another Democrat, George J. Lapthorne, San Diego real estate man, for the short term left vacant when George C. Crawford resigned to become a judge. Lapthorne has been a frequent unsuccessful candidate for public office.

The office Archie seeks will be largely an honorary one. The legislature will not meet during his two months in office from November to January. He will receive two months pay at $500 a month if he is elected.

Archie said in an interview he thought he had a good chance of winning. He added that if things go well for him in the election he might run for a full term in the assembly.

"I know many of the problems in my district and I will do the best I can," Archie said. "I will be a fighting assemblyman."

Seattle Asks Casey's Aid

SEATTLE (AP) — A Seattle group has invited Casey Stengel to help pull for a major league franchise here.

Dave Cohn, chairman of the King County Committee for a Major League Stadium, wired the deposed manager of the New York Yankees Wednesday.

"We would like to have you serve in any capacity you desire," Cohn messaged.

"We here in Seattle appreciate the credit you have brought to baseball."

King County voters will have a $15 million stadium proposal on the November election ballot. Its construction, to seat 50,000 people, would be contingent on obtaining a major league baseball franchise.

'Spahnie' Corrals Balloting

NEW YORK (AP) — Warren Spahn of the Wilwaukee Braves, a 20-game winner for the 11th time, topped the balloting for the 1960 Associated Press Major League All-Star team selected today. Of the 192 baseball writers taking part in the annual poll, 188 named Spahn as the best left-handed pitcher.

The Braves dominated the voting with third baseman Eddie Mathews, outfielder Hank Aaron and catcher Del Crandall also named to the squad.

Others chosen were first baseman Bill Skowron and outfielder Roger Maris of the New York Yankees, second baseman Pete Runnels of the Boston Red Sox, shortstop Ernie Banks of the Chicago Cubs, outfielder Willie Mays of the San Francisco Giants and right-handed pitcher Vernon Law of the Pittsburgh Pirates.

Only four players repeated from last year's squad — Mathews, Banks, Mays and Aaron.

The balloting for second base honors produced the closest vote. Runnels polled 68 votes, Nellie Fox of the Chicago White Sox 60 and Bill Mazeroski of the Pittsburgh Pirates 56. Another tight race was for first baseman with Skowron edging Roy Sievers of the White Sox, 65 to 53.

Mays was the second highest vote-getter with 182. Law was next with 144 and then came Maris with 132. Banks had 111, Crandall 114, Mathews 83, Runnels 68, Skowron 65 and Aaron 55.

The best of the second team, in addition to Sievers and Fox: third base—Brooks Robinson, Orioles (60 votes); shortstop—Dick Groat, Pirates (68); outfield — Roberto Clemente, Pirates (54), Minnie Minoso, White Sox (46) and Ted Williams, Red Sox (36); catcher—Yogi Berra, Yanks (39), left-handed pitcher—Whitey Ford, Yanks (2) and right-handed pitcher—Ernie Broglio, Cards (28).

LAYNE IS DOUBTFUL

PITTSBURGH (UPI) — The Pittsburgh Steelers said today they won't know whether Bobby Layne can play against the Washington Redskins on Sunday until a thumb injured last week is examined by Dr. John Miller on Friday. Rudy Bukich will play quarterback if Layne is unavailable.

Tiger Job Stays Open: Six Possible

DETROIT (AP)—The Detroit Tigers are likely to have a manager signed to a three-year contract within the next 10 days. He's expected to be a man with big league managerial experience.

Rick Ferrell, the man who is screening the applicants, says nobody has any inside track to the job. Ferrell prefers "someone we can depend on in our rebuilding program."

So far there have been about 15 applicants and half a dozen of them now are "being seriously considered." Ferrell said he talked to most of them during the recent World Series.

John E. Fetzer, owner of the Tigers, will confirm Ferrell's choice. He wants to rid the club of what has been almost a dial-a-manager program over recent seasons.

Bill DeWitt, still employed by the Tigers at a $50,000-a-year salary, but ousted from control when Fetzer purchased the stock that gave him sweeping powers, has nothing to do with selecting the new field boss.

It was DeWitt who demoted Ferrell last spring. Ferrell was named acting general manager when John McHale quit the Tigers to become general manager of the Milwaukee Braves. Later the "acting" part of the title was removed.

DeWitt became president last October, made vast changes in the organizational structure and one of them was the removal of Ferrell's authority. Ferrell became assistant to the president.

So far as anyone knows, that's what he is now.

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