



GOLFERS RECEIVE AWARDS — Sen. Hugh Scott (R-Pa.) at right presents Gold Tee awards to Arnold Palmer, left, and Jack Nicklaus Wednesday night. The two golfers were honored for their contributions to the sport by the Metropolitan Golf Writers Association at its national awards dinner. — UPI Telephoto

# Graham, Collier Top List As Paul Brown's Successor

CLEVELAND (UPI) — Paul Brown's sudden dismissal after 17 years as coach of the Cleveland Browns ended a fantastic football era today and immediately gave rise to speculation that Otto Graham, his former star pupil, might succeed him.

Blanton Collier, Cleveland's offensive backfield coach and a close personal friend of Brown, also appeared to be in the running to replace the man whose whip-cracking methods helped the Browns win seven National Football League division titles and three world championships.

The 54-year-old Brown, who also was relieved of his general manager duties, apparently was so shocked by the suddenness of his firing that he went into seclusion Wednesday night.

Arthur Modell, president of the club which bears Brown's name, said, "I have several men in mind as a possible successor and I hope to have an announcement within 10 days." He said he has talked to no one about the job.

Modell, who described the firing as "a simple reorganization," denied reports of friction between him and Brown.

"Pretty Well Floored"

Collier said, "I heard there were problems, but nobody thought this would happen." He said he was "pretty well floored" by the firing.

"It happened so fast, I've had no time to make any plans," Collier said. "I don't know what's going to happen. I haven't talked to Paul."

Brown apparently went into hiding.

Even Collier, a close friend of Brown since their World War II days at the Great Lakes Naval Training Center, did not know where Brown had gone.

Brown, according to Modell, will finish the six years remaining in his 10-year contract as vice president, "with the same compensation," an estimated \$50,000 per year.

Collier was with the Browns when they were organized as part of the old All-America Conference in 1946. He left the team in 1954 to take over as head coach of the University of Kentucky where he stayed until last season.

**Brown Signed Graham**

Graham, one of the greatest pro quarterbacks, was the first player signed by Brown when he organized the team. Brown developed Graham as a formidable T-quarterback. Graham has been coaching at the Coast Guard Academy for four years.

The firing has ended, at least temporarily, a brilliant 33-year coaching career which included 296 victories, 76 losses and 15 ties.

Among these are a 52-4-3 record in the All-America Conference from 1946 to 1949 and an 18-1-1 record as head coach at Ohio State University from 1941 to 1943.

In the NFL, Brown's team chalked up 115 victories, 49 losses and 15 ties. The Browns' last Eastern Division title was in 1957 and Cleveland's third-place finish with a 7-6-1 record last year was one of Brown's worst.

# Red-Hot Georgia Tech Keeps Win Skein Alive

By MARTIN LADER  
UPI Sports Writer

Georgia Tech, the surprise of the South, will soon get an opportunity to prove whether it really is a miracle team or just another mirage.

Completely overlooked in preseason forecasts following a dismal 10-16 showing last year, the Yellow Jackets today boast the only major unbeaten team in the South: a No. 7 position in the United Press International college basketball ratings; and first place in the tough Southeastern Conference.

Even after Georgia Tech won its first eight games of the campaign, including the Gator Bowl championship, most observers thought they would fall to their own level when they embarked on a rugged four-game road trip.

But the Yellow Jackets showed they had the mettle of a champ by hanging on for a double-overtime upset victory over perennial power Kentucky and Wednesday night they came from behind in the closing minutes to edge Georgia, 72-70, for their 10th straight victory.

**Face Tough Test**

Still lying ahead for Tech in the next few days are road games at Mississippi and Mississippi State, the defending Southeastern Conference champion. A victory over State would establish Tech as the team to beat for the automatic NCAA playoff bid that goes to the league finalist.

Trailing 59-51 midway through the second half, Georgia Tech rallied behind the clutch shooting of senior Mike Tomasovich and sophomore R. D. Craddock to move in front for good shortly before the final buzzer. Tomasovich led the Tech scorers with 18 points although Georgia's Billy Radotok game honers with 21 points.

Sixth-ranked Duke had more trouble than expected before submerging Navy, 85-70, in an afternoon contest at Annapolis, Md. The Blue Devils could get only one more field goal than Navy, but capitalized on 21 foul shots to only eight by the Middles.

Duke led by 41-33 at halftime but a hot streak by Art Heyman and Jeff Mullins eventually got the Blue Devils out of Navy's reach. Heyman registered a game high of 28 points and Mullins had 24 as Duke brought its season's record to 11-2.

**Irish Stop DePaul**

Notre Dame brought a halt to DePaul's perfect mark with an easy 82-62 victory. DePaul, which had won its eight previous starts, was unable to cope with the hot-shooting Irish and fell behind by 15 points, 39-24, at halftime.

Sophomore Larry Sheffield got 21 points for Notre Dame, which converted 22 of 23 foul attempts, and M. C. Thompson paced DePaul with 16 points.

In other leading games, St. Francis of Brooklyn upset Villanova, 51-48; Pittsburgh beat Westminster (Pa.), 61-51; Temple routed Lafayette, 83-62; Virginia defeated North Carolina State, 78-69; Wake Forest stopped North Carolina, 78-70; Miami (Fla.) topped Jacksonville, 100-91; Dayton edged St. Francis (Pa.), 69-65; and Seattle beat Montana, 56-54.

# Last Rites Set Today For Hornsby

HORNSBY'S BEND, Tex. (UPI) — Baseball great Rogers Hornsby will be buried today at his ancestral central Texas home on the winding Colorado River nine miles south of the state capitol at Austin.

Hornsby's Bend is a tiny ghost town settled in 1832 by Reuben Hornsby. It had a history of Indian raids in the early days of settlement after Stephen F. Austin obtained land grants for early Texans.

Final funeral services were to be held in Austin conducted by the Rev. William A. Crossland, minister for the First Southern Presbyterian Church of Austin. Services were held in Chicago Monday when he attended by Hall of Fame players and Ray Schalk, Gabby Hartnett and Ted Lyons.

Hornsby was born April 27, 1896 in Winters, Tex., a small west Texas town. He died Saturday of complications to a heart condition.

Immediate survivors include his widow, Marjorie; a son by a previous marriage, Bill, of Nashville, Tenn.; a brother, Everett of Tulsa, Okla.; a sister, Mrs. Magie Mellow of Fort Worth and a stepdaughter, Mrs. Mary Beth Porter of Chicago.

Hornsby led the National League in hitting six successive seasons and compiled a .424 average in 1924, the highest in modern baseball history. His lifetime average was .339.

**Liston Says Bout Definitely Is Off**

CHICAGO (UPI) — Heavyweight champion Sonny Liston announced today that his proposed return title defense against Floyd Patterson at Miami Beach on April 4 is "definitely off."

Big Sonny declared: "If Patterson wants to fight me it will have to be at Baltimore in May—and after Championship Sports pays me the money I got due me from our first fight."

The first Liston-Patterson fight was staged at Comiskey Park last Sept. 25 when Sonny won the championship from Floyd on a first round knockout.

"I still got more than \$200,000 coming from that fight," explained Liston. "Championship Sports broke our return-bout contract when they didn't pay me my first \$50,000 within 24 hours. So now they can't hold up the rest of my money in escrow (sic) on the broken contract."

**Talks With Lawyers**

"And Championship Sports won't promote my first defense." Asked if he had taken this stand after talking it over with his adviser, Jack Nilon of Chester, Pa., Liston stated, "I've talked it over with lawyers."

Liston believed even louder Wednesday when he heard premature disclosures about the proposed Miami Beach fight.

"Nobody contacted me about the fight, and whoever is making noises about it better talk to me before they get into this too deep," the champion said.

Meanwhile, Tom Bolan, president of Championship Sports, Inc., insisted in New York that Liston and Patterson will sign formal contracts there next week for their return bout.

At Miami Beach Wednesday night, Chairman Fred Aaronson of the Beach Commission, said the commission had not been officially approached for approval of the fight.

**Up In The Air**

However, he said: "All the indications seem to be that the fight will be here. We may have it straightened out Thursday."

Patterson, who had the privilege of picking the site and the date under his return-bout contract, said he had chosen Miami Beach over four other cities because "I got very nice treatment there the last time with Ingemar Johansson."

Although Liston and Nilon have threatened several times to bolt away from CSI promotion, they know that the return contract provides for \$1 million in penalties for any violation. And about \$207,000 of that money from Liston's September purse of approximately \$300,000 will be held in escrow when the government releases it.

**Washington St. To Battle 'Zags In Top Coast Game**

By United Press International

A few skirmishes break out tonight along the Pacific Coast cage front with total war due to be declared Friday night.

Games tonight pit Washington State and Gonzaga, Hawaii and Pepperdine and the San Diego Marines and Alameda State.

Friday's action will see Oregon State at Stanford for the opener of a two-game series. Stanford's Tom Dose and Oregon State's Mel Counts, who battled brilliantly as sophomores in an Oregon State sweep at Corvallis last year, will resume their rivalry.

In Big Six contests, Washington tries to prove its two wins over UCLA were deserved when it opens a pair of games at USC. California is at UCLA for a sole effort Saturday night.

The West Coast Athletic Conference Friday night will find dark horses San Jose State and St. Mary's meeting while Santa Clara should not have much trouble with Loyola.

Idaho is at Oregon and a host of smaller contests are scheduled from Mexico to Canada.

The flashy Seattle quintet will take a break, however, after edging Montana State, 58-54, Wednesday night at Missoula, Mont.

Eddie Miles of the Chiefs was held to 20 points but still led scorers. Montana tied up the count with 1:25 left to go, but the Chiefs hit a field goal and Miles dunked a couple of free throws to sew things up.

Seattle increased its record to 10-3. Only the Chiefs, Arizona State (12-1), Stanford (19-2), Idaho (8-2), California (10-3) and Oregon State (8-3) have lost less than four games this year among major coast powers.

In another tussle Wednesday night, San Francisco State ran up its highest score in eight years with a 92-52 win over San Diego Marines. Brad Duggan had 26 for the winners.

**Golden Gloves Set For Vegas**

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (UPI) — The Western Golden Gloves tournament, which will serve as a regional elimination for the finals in Chicago, is scheduled for the Las Vegas Convention Center Feb. 2-7, it was announced today.

The matches, sanctioned by the Southern Nevada Amateur Athletic Union, already have drawn entries from Phoenix, Ariz.; Twin Falls, Idaho; Salt Lake City, Ogden, Utah, and Reno, Nev.

Sponsors said the entry list would close in several days with winners possibly matched against Pacific Division champions from Los Angeles — or else going straight to Chicago.

**Land Donated**

SALEM (UPI) — The Oregon Highway Commission said today it has accepted 4.3 acres of land between Mt. Vernon and John Day on the John Day highway.

The land was donated by Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Holiday of John Day. It will be developed into a picnic area called the Clyde Holiday wayside.

**APPOINTS STONEHAM**

SANTA CLARA, Calif. (UPI) — The University of Santa Clara has appointed Horace Stoneham, president of the San Francisco Giants, to its board of regents.

WEYERHAEUSER LEAGUE		MIXED LEAGUE	
W	L	W	L
Berks	43	21	21
Shelburne	42	22	20
Nu Loc	37	23	19
Nu Loc Nuts	36	24	18
Vand. Birds	35	25	17
Shelburne	34	26	16
Sawmill	33	27	15
Hardwood Finishing	32	28	14
Maintenance Supervisors	31	29	13
Kilbuck	30	30	12
Warehousers	29	31	11
Orion Overhead	28	32	10
Spoilers	27	33	9
Gully's Snipes	26	34	8
Leaf Owers	25	35	7
Reacts	24	36	6
Jan. 9 results: Berks 3, Hardwood Finishing 1; Warehousers 3, Kilbuck 1; Gutter Snipes 4, Spoilers 0; Vand. Birds 3, Nu Loc Nuts 1; Nu Loc Nuts 4, Nu Accounts 0; Shelburne 3, Reacts 1; Leaf Owers 2, Orion Overhead 1; Spoilers 2, Gully's Snipes 1; Gully's Snipes 2, Leaf Owers 1; Reacts 1, Nu Loc Nuts 0.			
High team series, Shelburne 104; high ind. series, Shelburne 299; high ind. series, Roy Hamilton 28; high ind. series, Ray Hamilton 30.			

  

HOLIDAY MINORS LEAGUE		KINGSLEY 4 MAN LEAGUE	
W	L	W	L
Sarges Trailer Estates	44	24	24
Suburban Finance	38	30	27
Mouldingcraft Inc.	36	32	25
Klamath Auto Wreckers	35	33	24
BRC of A.	34	34	23
Superior Troy Laundry	33	35	22
Bennington Steel Bldg. Co.	32	36	21
Pacific Power & Light	31	37	20
MAN Grocery	30	38	19
Jan. 9 results: Suburban Finance 2, Pacific Power & Light 1; Mouldingcraft Inc. 2, Klamath Auto Wreckers 1; BRC of A. 2, Klamath Auto Wreckers 1; Sarges Trailer Estates 4, Bennington Steel Bldg. Co. 1; Fine Arts 2, Superior Troy Laundry 1; High team series, Klamath Auto Wreckers 157; high ind. series, Mouldingcraft 274; high ind. series, David Smith 234; high ind. series, Bill Goodard 447.			

  

SLOWPOKE LEAGUE		PANDORA'S HOLIDAY LEAGUE	
W	L	W	L
Screw Balls	41	27	27
Wednesday Weepers	39	29	25
Lucky Strikes	37	31	23
Wit Busters	35	33	21
Trail Druggers	33	35	19
Lionsden Riders	32	36	18
Lucky Strikes	31	37	17
Unpredictables	30	38	16
Jan. 9 results: Wit Busters 3, Lucky Strikes 1; Unpredictables 2, Lionsden Riders 1; Wednesday Weepers 2, Trail Druggers 1; High team series, Wednesday Weepers 72; high ind. series, Unpredictables 202; high ind. series, Mike Frank 181; high ind. series, Mike Frank 472.			

  

MINOR CLASSIC LEAGUE		COMMERCIAL LEAGUE	
W	L	W	L
Laurentide Electric	42	24	24
McKays Potatoes	41	25	23
Bruck's Restorers	40	26	22
Victors	39	27	21
Orion Soda Shop	38	28	20
Harvard & News	37	29	19
Alma Central	36	30	18
Bruck of Klamath Falls	35	31	17
Bruck Cafe	34	32	16
Personal Denture Service	33	33	15
Anchor Lumber Co.	32	34	14
Jan. 9 results: Bank of Klamath Falls 4, Laurentide Electric 1; Laurentide Electric 4, Personal Denture Service 1; Victors 3, Bruck's Restorers 1; Alma Central 2, Bruck Cafe 1; Bruck of Klamath Falls 2, Personal Denture Service 1; Anchor Lumber Co. 1, Bruck Cafe 0; High team series, McKays Potatoes 189; high ind. series, Mike Bruck 189.			

  

BASIN LEAGUE		JOLLY JINX LEAGUE	
W	L	W	L
Klamath Auto Service & Parts	41	25	25
Plumber Tobacco Co.	40	26	24
Laurie's Restorers	39	27	23
Paul's Barber	38	28	22
Paul's Barber	37	29	21
Service Barber Center	36	30	20
Service Barber Center	35	31	19
CIA	34	32	18
Smith	33	33	17
Smith	32	34	16
Smith	31	35	15
Smith	30	36	14
Smith	29	37	13
Smith	28	38	12
Smith	27	39	11
Smith	26	40	10
Smith	25	41	9
Smith	24	42	8
Smith	23	43	7
Smith	22	44	6
Smith	21	45	5
Smith	20	46	4
Smith	19	47	3
Smith	18	48	2
Smith	17	49	1
Smith	16	50	0
Smith	15	51	0
Smith	14	52	0
Smith	13	53	0
Smith	12	54	0
Smith	11	55	0
Smith	10	56	0
Smith	9	57	0
Smith	8	58	0
Smith	7	59	0
Smith	6	60	0
Smith	5	61	0
Smith	4	62	0
Smith	3	63	0
Smith	2	64	0
Smith	1	65	0
Smith	0	66	0

# NCAA Ends Meet, Hopes For Truce

LOS ANGELES (UPI) — Delegates to the 57th annual National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) convention today looked to Gen. Douglas MacArthur for a solution of the bitter fight for control of amateur athletics in the United States.

The three-day convention ended Wednesday with the schism between the Amateur Athletic Union and the NCAA-sponsored sports federations having virtually excluded all other major business.

The convention opened under the cloud of threats by some schools to participate in AAU indoor track meets in defiance of the federations and the proposed NCAA retaliatory measure of declaring defectors ineligible for championship competition.

But supporters of the NCAA program lacking the U.S. Track and Field Federation held the line, forcing the insurgents to abide by the federation programs.

and then in a conciliatory move withdrew the ineligibility threat.

Arbitration also moved a step closer during the convention under the prodding of President Kennedy and the track federation. The NCAA apparently satisfied Gen. Douglas MacArthur for a solution of the bitter fight for control of amateur athletics in the United States.

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Robert F. Ray of the University of Iowa was installed as NCAA president, succeeding Henry B. Hardt of Texas Christian University; and Everett D. Barnes of Colgate University succeeded the Rev. W. H. Crowley of Santa Clara University as secretary-treasurer.

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