

## SPORTS

No One Named  
To Baseball's  
Hall Of Fame

By MILTON RICHMAN  
United Press International

The voting for baseball's Hall of Fame drew a big blank again today — meaning no one was elected for the second straight time — and Commissioner Ford Frick says it may be high time to change the system of balloting.

President Joe Cronin of the American League agreed with Frick that "some new procedure should be adopted," although National League President Warren Giles said the latest failure to elect anyone to the shrine at Cooperstown, N.Y., "doesn't necessarily indict the whole system."

No One Close

Not only wasn't anyone elected this time, but no one even came close despite the fact a record number of 269 members of the Baseball Writer's Assn. of American took part in the balloting.

Ed Roush, former Cincinnati outfielder, polled the best among the 129 players receiving votes. He got 146 votes, still far short of the necessary 202 minimum needed for election. Sam Rice, one-time Washington and Cleveland outfielder, was runner-up with 143 votes, followed by former Philadelphia and Cincinnati pitcher Eppa Rixey with 142 votes.

Unless the rules are changed, the balloting marked Roush's last chance at the Hall of Fame in a vote by the writers although he still may be enshrined by a special old-timers committee. Only those players active for at least 10 seasons between 1900 and 1954 were eligible in the latest voting. Roush completed his 17-season National League career in 1931 and the last active player date in the next election will be 1932.

Frick "Disappointed"

Under the present system, in which votes are cast every two years, a player must be named on 75 per cent of the ballots. Some feel the system is too stringent, others feel it keeps out the undeserving.

"I was disappointed that no one was elected," Frick declared. "I don't want to criticize the writers but we may have to re-survey the method and come up with something else."

The latest voting results were announced in Boston by Secretary Hy Hurwitz of the writers' association. After Rixey, Burleigh Grimes finished fourth with 92 votes and Jim Bottomley fifth with 89 votes. Rounding out the top 10 were Charley Ruffing, with 86; Urban Faber, with 83; and Hack Wilson, Kiki Cuyler and Luke Appling, with 72 votes apiece.

## Hockey Results

National League  
Toronto 4, New York 2.

International League  
St. Paul 3, Fort Wayne 2 (over-time).

Louisville 5, Indianapolis 4.  
Minneapolis 7, Toledo 2.

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Week's Schedules  
For Adams County  
Basketball Teams

Friday  
Portland at Yellow Jackets.  
Adams Central at Monroeville.  
Monmouth at Hoagland.  
Berne at Montpelier.  
Geneva at Albany.

St. Joseph Winner  
Over Adams Central

St. Joseph of Decatur continued unbeaten Wednesday evening by defeating Adams Central junior high, 49-25, at the Adams Central gym.

St. Joe jumped into a 16-3 lead at the first quarter, and was in front at the half, 24-10, and at the third period, 40-25. Kohne led the Decatur team with 19 points, and Decker topped Adams Central with nine.

St. Joseph	FG	FT	TP
Hess	1	0	2
Kohne	9	1	19
Peterson	3	1	7
Omlor	4	0	8
Gase	2	0	4
Harshman	0	0	0
Mies	0	0	0
McGill	2	2	6
Loose	1	1	3
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>49</b>

Adams Central	FG	FT	TP
Warner	0	0	0
Egley	1	2	4
Decker	1	7	9
Ehrsam	1	4	6
Hill	0	3	3
Macy	1	1	3
Ross	0	0	0
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>25</b>

Preliminary  
St. Joe 7th Grade—28-25.

Ohio State May Set  
New Scoring Record

CHICAGO (UPI)—Ohio State may wrap up its first Big Ten basketball title in 10 years and a new scoring record at the same time, conference statistics indicated today.

The Buckeyes have averaged 94.8 points per game in six straight league victories. The record is held by Illinois, which averaged 91.2 points while finishing second in the 1956 campaign.

The Buckeyes are wasting few shots, statistics showed. They have been hitting 50 per cent of the time on all shots from the floor and are well ahead of the season record for accuracy which was set by the 1957 Buckeyes who connected on 43.1 per cent of their tries.

Leading the Buckeyes in both scoring and shooting is Jerry Lucas, ace sophomore center who has scored an average 25.5 points per game despite spending much time on the bench. Lucas held third rank among Big Ten scorers but his accuracy mark was tops in the conference—69.4 per cent.

Terry Dischinger, Purdue's sophomore prize, maintained his superiority among conference scorers with a game average of 30.1 points. Behind him was Michigan State's Horace Walker, averaging 26.1 points and leading in rebounds with 20.5 per game.

The Spartans were the pacesetters in team rebounds, recovering at the rate of 53.4 per game.

Junior High Wins  
Over Maplewood

Decatur Junior high racked up another victory Wednesday evening, defeating Maplewood, 42-20, at the Maplewood gym.

The Junior Jackets trailed at the first quarter, 10-4, but moved out in front at the half, 14-12, and at the third period, 27-18. Sheets and Elliott shared scoring honors for Decatur with 15 points each, and E. Barker led Maplewood with nine.

Decatur	FG	FT	TP
Swygart	1	1	3
Ortiz	0	0	0
Sheets	5	5	15
Elliott	6	3	15
Ladd	3	0	6
Ybarra	0	0	0
Riffle	0	0	0
Meichl	0	0	0
Custer	1	1	3
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>42</b>

Maplewood	FG	FT	TP
Churchward	0	0	0
Eickhoff	0	0	2
Hitzman	0	1	1
Crawford	0	0	0
Klinginger	0	0	0
Wall	0	2	2
Furman	0	0	0
D. Barker	2	2	2
E. Barker	4	1	9
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>20</b>

## Today's Sport Parade

(Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.)  
By OSCAR FRALEY  
United Press International

NEW YORK (UPI)—The car hummed through the Carolina night and the two men spoke but little. Then the short, dark-faced one sat up straight and his voice was decisive as it broke the silence.

"I," said little Pancho Segura excitedly, "could be the greatest tennis player in the world if the big men couldn't get right to the net behind their service."

"You're nuts," replied Jack Kramer as he steered the car around a curve.

"It's so," stoutly asserted the tiny South American. "It's just that I am too small."

Three Bounce Rule

They lapsed back into silence, each of them considering Segura's words. But that was the manner, on a night in 1951 when they were driving from Tuscaloosa, Ala., to Philadelphia for a pro tennis match, when the idea was born for the new "three bounce" rule which the pro tennis troupe currently is trying.

Under the "three bounce" rule the server cannot wallop his service and charge the net right behind it for a killing volley. The ball must bounce in the service court and then be allowed to bounce once on each side of the net — two returns — before either player can go to the net.

It has slowed down the serve-and-smash pro game to the point where, finally, the customers can see some tennis. And it only came about even at this belated date because Pancho Gonzales, the five-time pro champion, agreed to the experiment.

Fair To Public

"I didn't think, until now, that I should have to give up the service and net game advantage I had developed over the years," Gonzales explained. "But this probably will be my last year of competition and it has had a fair effect on the public. They get to see more strategy and tactics instead of the points ending so quickly."

Gonzales hasn't played the three-bounce rule yet, because it is used only in the pros' preliminary match.

But the preliminary battles find the three-bounce rule well to their liking.

It figures to give the big men their troubles — and put the little fellows back in the game. Segura obviously knew what he was talking about that night in North Carolina.

North Carolina  
Tarheels Lead  
In Conference

By United Press International

The North Carolina Tarheels are making a poor—but happy—prophet out of Coach Frank McGuire.

"We'll be lucky if we don't have six losses when we start the new year," said McGuire at the start of the season. "The situation really looks black."

Well, here it is heading into the home stretch of the season and McGuire's Tarheels lead the Atlantic Coast Conference with a 5-0 slate and have an overall 10-3 mark. They're rated 11th in the country and look like they're headed on the way up.

Close At First

North Carolina passed another stern test Wednesday night when it scored a 75-66 victory over Maryland at College Park, Md. With only a few minutes left in the first half the score was tied at 24-24. But then York Larese broke in for a three-point play that put the Tarheels ahead, 27-24, and they left the court with a 31-26 bulge at halftime. North Carolina quickly widened the gap in the second half and Maryland never was closer than six points.

The University of Detroit scored its 15th victory in 17 games with a 65-58 win over Marquette and Loyola of the South downed Loyola of Chicago, 66-64, in the first integrated sports contest held in Louisiana in four years.

Mangham Gets 26

Detroit led by only two points with 22 seconds left in the game but a free throw by Charley North and a tip-in by Larry Hughes enabled it to pull away. Marquette's Walt Mangham scored 26 points in the first half but was held to only four points in the second half.

Vim League Title  
Game On Tonight

In the semi-finals, the Fairway Par Fives won, 76-48, over Huntington at the Bingen gym in the second game of the Vim league championship tournament. Tonight, the local team plays Fishers of Columbia City for the title of the league at 7:30 p. m. at St. John's Lutheran church gym, about seven miles north of Decatur on U. S. 27.

Jim Bleke led the scoring parade, netting game high totals with 22 points. Other scorers were Bill Grieve, 17; Ron Ballard and Jerry Williamson, 9 each; Al Conrad, 8; Fred McDougle, 5; Jim Price, 4; and Jerry Price, 2. The Haylofters had actually defeated the Fairway in a previous contest, but in doing so used an ineligible player, forfeiting the contest on a protest. Local fans are invited to attend the championship tonight.

## College Basketball

Butler 74, Valparaiso 60.  
Indiana State 73, Ball State 61.  
St. Louis Washington 85, DePaul 76.  
Grace 68, Goshen 66.  
Rose Poly 65, Blackburn 36.  
Xavier (O.) 52, Portland 45.  
Toledo 67, Western Michigan 48.  
Detroit 65, Marquette 58.  
Dayton 27, Miami (O.) 58.  
Texas 89, North Texas State 78.  
Southern Methodist 79, Texas Christian 73.  
Army 66, Albright 65.  
North Carolina 5, Maryland 66.  
Navy 84, Temple 72.  
William & Mary 79, The Citadel 65.  
Wake Forest 80, Duke 63.  
Louisville 80, Kentucky Wesleyan 72.  
Loyola (La.) 66, Loyola (Ill.) 64.  
Miami (Fla.) 74, Tampa 73.

California Man Is  
Jay Hospital Head

Thomas J. Broderick, 28, of Long Beach, Calif., has been named administrator of the Jay county hospital to replace William J. Dowling, who was indicted last year for 25 false claims. Broderick's credentials have been fully checked by the Jay county hospital board. Dowling will appear for a hearing on his motion to quash the indictments at 10 a.m. Feb. 12, in Jay circuit court.



"If you weren't so worried about my catching cold, maybe I could get to play some other position besides goalie!"

Five Golfers Tied  
In \$100,000 Meet

PALM SPRINGS, Calif. (UPI)—Five golfers were bunched for the lead today, neck-and-neck, going into the second round of the \$100,000-added 90-hole Desert Classic.

This monumental tournament, richest in the nation this year, got off to a grinning start Wednesday with 132 pros and 396 amateurs and it produced some good golf—but nary a hole-in-one for which the sponsors will pay an added \$50,000. Four courses were put into play.

Among the five first round leaders, Mason Rudolph, the soft-spoken Clarksville, Tenn., pro, came closest. He put his tee shot to within three feet of the pin on the 206-yard sixth hole at the Thunderbird course. He sank the putt for a birdie.

Rudolph almost became the leader with 66 but he missed a six-foot putt on the 18th green to card 35-32 on the par 36-72 course.

Tied with Rudolph at 67 in the initial round were Arnold Palmer, Ligonier, Pa., who won this tournament last year before it became a \$100,000 event; Tony Leona, San Leandro, Calif.; Bob Goalby, from Crystal River, Fla.; and Johnny Palmer, 41-year-old pro from Tulsa, Okla.

Los Angeles Gives  
Sandy Koufax Raise

By United Press International

The world champion Los Angeles Dodgers gave Sandy Koufax a \$3,000 raise today—for his pitching, not his hitting.

Rivals laugh whenever Koufax steps into the batter's box and his .111 average last season indicates why, but the smiles disappear from their faces when the 24-year-old southpaw moves onto the pitching mound.

Koufax averaged better than 10 strikeouts per game last season, fanning 173 batters in 153 innings, and for that the Dodgers boosted his salary from an estimated \$14,000 to \$17,000 this year.

The Cardinals announced the signings of four players, chief of whom was Ken Boyer. The 28-year-old third baseman, who batted .309 last season, was given a "substantial increase" and is believed to be making \$25,000 now. Infielders Dick Gray and Joe Wooten and outfielder Duke Carmel were the other St. Louis signees.

Outfielder Roman Mejias and first baseman R. C. Stevens agreed to terms with the Pirates, while the Braves announced the signing of outfielder Lee Maye, who batted .300 in 51 games for them last year.

Shortstop Joe DeMaestri, obtained in a multi-player deal with the Athletics during the winter, became the 10th member of the Yankees to okay terms, and Kansas City announced the signing of rookie shortstop Ken Hamlin.

The Reds pulled the signing coup of the day, however, satisfying two brothers at the same time. Catcher Dutch Dotterer and his brother, Tom, a third baseman, both okayed Cincinnati contracts.

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To Take College Job

ANDERSON, Ind. (UPI)—Kenneth LaRue, a prep coach for eight years, said today he was resigning as football coach at near-by Madison Heights High School to become end coach at Kansas State.

LaRue, 29, was All-Indiana Collegiate Conference end at Ball State and also played football as a prepster at Goshen.

Wilf Greaves Wins  
Over Tiger Jones

CHICAGO (UPI)—Wilf Greaves, the Canadian middleweight champion, conquered Ralph "Tiger" Jones, but the vanquished boxer declared today "he's still not a good fighter."

"He's too easy to hit," Jones said. "I think I fought pretty good considering my long layoff (seven months), and he didn't hurt me, even if he hit me."

But Judge Harold Marovitz gave Greaves a 50-44 edge, Judge John Bray scored a 48-44 for Greaves, and Referee Joey White, 48-43 for him. United Press International card was 48-45 for Greaves.

## High School Basketball

Huntington Catholic 68, Lancaster Central 47.  
Indianapolis Sacred Heart 62, Brownsburg 48.  
Gary Roosevelt 78, Gary Wallace 49.  
Valparaiso 72, Whiting 61.  
Brazil 54, Terre Haute State 52.

## Bowling Scores

Sports League	W	L	Pts.
Lumberlost Archery	8	0	8
Decatur Lumber Co.	3	1	7
Brazil's Knights	3	1	5
Bills Corner	4	2	5
Chamber of Commerce	4	2	4
K. of C.	3	3	4
Moose	2	4	3
Lengerich Butchers	1	5	1
Uhrick Bros. Furn.	0	6	0
Hurst Cigar Store	0	6	0
High games: J. Kohne 215, J. Macklin 202.			
High series: J. Kohne 534, J. Gribler 531, J. Meyer 553.			
Splits converted—D. Macklin 6-7, F. Dellinger 4-5-7.			

## Pro Basketball

St. Louis 125, New York 115.  
Boston 128, Minneapolis 108.  
Detroit 117, Cincinnati 105.

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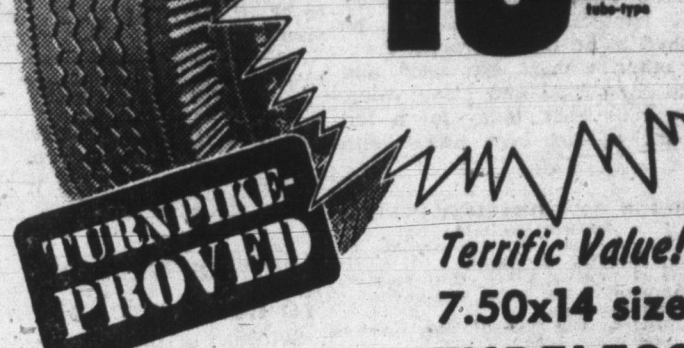
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