

SPORTS

Lack Of Power
Top Weakness
Of Baltimore

(EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the 14th of 20 dispatches on the 1964 prospects of the major league baseball teams.)

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MIAMI, Fla. (UPI) — The Baltimore Orioles have been waiting in line for ten years and their new manager, Hank Bauer, thinks the time has come when they might step out in front.

He says his club "has a good shot" at the 1964 American League pennant provided:

"Our players live up to expectations. I don't mean that any of them have to have outstanding years, just the good ones they are capable of having."

The best the Orioles have been able to do since they came into the league in 1954 is a second place finish in 1960. Last year, with Billy Hitchcock as manager and Hank as a coach, they finished fourth, 18½ games behind the New York Yankees.

That finish cost Hitchcock his job and gave Bauer, the former Yankee outfield star, his second chance to manage. He didn't do well in his first one, but explains, "I didn't have the horses then. I do now."

Slightly Optimistic
Bauer's appraisal may be a little overly optimistic. He seems to have the horses so far as pitching is concerned but could pull up short in the power department.

It's been the lack of batting power that has kept the Orioles from winning in the past.

Norm Siebern will be at first base in the 1964 Oriole scheme of things. Jerry Adair will be at second and then come the other two infielders whom Bauer maintains "form the best left side of the infield in the league." It has fleet Luis Aparicio at shortstop and Brooks Robinson at third. Robinson, who usually yields a big bat, tailed off in 1963, hitting only .251.

"Naturally," says Bauer, "he'll have to get back in the hitting groove or we're lost."

That's because his outfield, which is expected to provide most of a club's batting power, may not completely measure up. The Orioles added Willie

Hawks Beat Lakers
In West's Playoff

ST. LOUIS (UPI) — Los Angeles Coach Fred Schaus took his hat off today to the high-jumping St. Louis Hawks who controlled the boards to dump the Lakers, 121-108, and advance to the NBA Western Division playoffs against San Francisco.

Coach Harry Gallatin's Hawks worked a new brand of ball Monday night against Los Angeles and out-rebounded the Lakers 66-52. Schaus, feeling gloom in the dressing room, found praise for the Hawks.

"In the four years that we've been playing them," Schaus said, "this was the best sustained 48 minute effort I've ever seen the Hawks have."

Schaus said the Lakers "didn't play that bad, you know." He pointed to the box score which showed the Hawks out-rebounded his club by 14, "which is more than we could afford."

Big Bob Pettit pulled down 20 rebounds for the Hawks while the Lakers' Elgin Baylor could muster only 11.

Gallatin noted that "the good thing was our fast break" which worked to perfection, particularly in the final period when the Hawks raced to keep ahead of the threatening Lakers.

Kirkland from the Cleveland Indians in the hope he would augment their power. But Kirkland hit only .230 with the Indians and his 15 home runs and 47 runs batted in left a lot to be desired.

Counting on Powell
The Orioles' big outfield hope is John (Boog) Powell. Powell hit only .265 last season but rapped out 25 homers and had 82 runs driven in.

With Powell in right and Kirkland in left, that leaves Jackie Brandt for center. His glove is good his bat mediocre. Bauer likes his catching with John Orsino, who came on fast last year, and Dick Brown sharing the duties.

He likes his pitching, too, as well he should. In left-handed Steve Barber (20-13), the Orioles have one of the best in the game. To start along with him they have right handers Robin Roberts (14-13), Milt Pappas (16-9) and southpaws Dave McNally (7-8) and Mike McCormick (6-8).

For spot starting assignments and long relief there is Dick Hall (5-5).

Stu Miller (5-8) is the bullpen specialist and West Stock (7-0) will be in there with him. Harvey Haddix, the Pittsburgh Pirates' castoff, would make it as the left-handed relief pitcher.

BOWLING REPORTS

Guys and Dolls			
	W	L	Pts
Braun's Grocery	15	3	19
Myers Gulf	11	7	16
Bauman			
Upholstering	10	8	14
Dick's TV Serv.	10	8	13
E. D. Schrock	8	10	12
Farm Bureau Ins.	9	9	11
Betty's Beauty	5	13	6
Paul Myers Sales	4	14	5

High games — Men — G. Heckman 196. Women — P. Schrock 160, B. Drake 167, E. Bolinger 162.
High series — Women — E. Oetting 476 (185-197-124). Men — E. Ewell 143-164-199 (526). J. Allen 168-171-183 (527). E. Schrock 165-169-181 (515). H. Oetting 150-164-208 (522).

Splits converted — W. Brunner 3-10, G. Foss 3-10, B. Bolinger 3-10, D. Allen 3-10, J. Allen 3-10, M. Merriman 3-10, V. Macke 3-10, G. Fegley 3-10, C. Honaker 3-10.

T. V. Guides			
	W	L	Pts
Defenders	24	9	32
Ripcord	22	11	30
Hillbills	17½	15½	24½
Virginians	15½	17½	21½
Caseys	16	17	21
Laramies	14	19	18
Checkmates	12	21	16
Medics	14	19	13

High team series — Ripcord 1781, Checkmates 1629.

High games — H. Bracey 169-185-163 (517). B. Drake 135-181-190 (506). B. Teeple 162-159-143 (464). D. Holthouse 119-158-154 (431). J. Hesser 163-144-120 (427). M. Mies 124-144-154 (422). H. McDonald 149-123-146 (418). B. Boch 119-143-154 (415). J. Workinger 136-132-136 (404). R. Macklin 135-143. M. Parrish 154. M. Schultz 155. T. Yost 154. A. Morence 151. J. Huston 141. A. Heare 137. F. Heare 160. M. J. Baker 138. G. Buckner 141-138. V. Jameson 140. A. Colchin 138. E. Hite 150.

Splits converted — E. Fennig 3-10, H. McDonald 3-10, M. Lengerich 2-7, R. Macklin 5-6, M. Parrish 3-10, J. Workinger 2-7 and 5-7, F. Heare 3-10, P. Mayclin 3-10.

Minor League			
	W	L	Pts
Bower Jewelry	23	10	31½
Fulmer Seal			
Covers	22	11	31
Downtown Texaco	22	11	30
Walt's Standard	22	11	28
Holthouse on			
Hiway	19	14	26½
Riverview	20	13	25
Extract's	18	15	24
Wolff's Hardware	17	16	24
Moose No. 1	18	16	22
Smith Dairy	16	17	22
Drewry's	16	17	20
Clem Hardware	15	18	19
Haugk's	13	20	19
Moose No. 2	11½	21½	14½
Haircut Center	8½	24½	10½
Zoss Chevrolet	5	28	5

High series — T. Fennig 590, B. Bolinger 571, A. Bowen 564, D. Frane 564, N. Richard 550, F. Reed 550.

High games — T. Fennig 209-212, N. Richard 204-205, A. Bowen 208-203, B. Workinger 223, D. Dick 214, C. Stucky 214, C. Clark 211, G. Wolff 206, C. Stetler 205, B. Bolinger 201.

Gold Crown League			
	W	L	Pts
Post Office	21	12	29
Wm. Huston	21	12	28
Team No. 16	20	13	28
Bill Zoss	19	14	26
Roysters	19	14	26
Steuery	20	13	25
Citizens Tele.	19	14	25
Girod Tin Shop	19	14	24
Auto. Sprinkler	18	15	24
Hi-Way Trailer	18	15	22
Adams Builders	18	15	22
Auto. Sprinkler 2	18	15	22
Decatur Casting	17	16	20
Wolfe Produce	11	22	13
Bill's Sunoco	9	24	11
Yost Gravel	6	27	7

High games — P. Wilkinson 225-217, J. Neadstine 217, C. Hite 213, R. Hoffman 213, D. Johnson 209, L. Snyder 207, J. Haugk 204, M. Thieme 202, D. Reidenbach 201.

High series — P. Wilkinson 615, J. Neadstine 571, D. Reidenbach 571, J. Haugk 558, R. Hoffman 554, C. Hite 552, A. Harkless 551, D. Johnson 547, M. Thieme 530, R. Springer 529, F. Jamison 527, G. Henkenius 526, J. Rowden 513, W. Bultemeier 513, R. Colclasure 505, E. Thieme 503, G. Thieme 500.

Rural League			
	W	L	Pts
Adams Builders	22	11	31
Baugh's	20	13	27
McBride & Son	20	13	27
Schwartz Ford	20	13	26
Miller-Jones Shoes	20	13	25
Decatur Kocher	18½	14½	24½
Weber's Bath	18	15	24
Sheets Furniture	16½	16½	22½
McConnell's	16	17	22
Jaycees	16	17	21
"7" Up	14½	18½	19½
Reidenbach Equip.	15	18	19
Barkley Const.	13	20	18
Stucky Furniture	12	21	17
Parkway "66"	15½	19½	16½
Decatur Industries	9	24	12

High team series — Adams Builders 886.
High series — N. Bultemeier 619, R. Ewell 590, W. Myers 590, D. Wynn 571, L. Worden 556, O. Moeschberger 553, C. Hirschy 539, W. Bultemeier 531, J. Elzey 528, J. Klenk 516, R. Geimer 512, E. Bulmann 507, M. Murphy 507, E. Laurent 504, H. Oetting 501, M. Drake 501, L. McBride 501, R. Roberts 500.

High games — W. Myers 257 (new league high), L. Worden 244, R. Ewell 227, N. Bultemeier 222, D. Wynn 219, J. Irwin 211, H. Oetting 204, R. Roberts 204, W. Bultemeier 202.

Coffee League			
	W	L	Pts
Drips	22	11	31
Perks	21	12	28
Sippers	21	12	27
Sugar	19	14	27
Saucerettes	19	14	24
Cream	18	15	23
Warners	18	15	23
Coffee	16	17	22
Coasters	14	19	21
Instant	15	18	20½
Cubes	16	17	19½
Spoons	12	21	16
Dunkers	11	22	14
Cups	9	24	11

High games — W. Terhune 207, S. Mutschler 199, L. Stucky 190, P. Kohler 183, M. Merriman 172-160, L. Affolder 170, P. Affolder 169-161, J. Ewell 167-157, S. Hake 164, W. Rafer 162, M. Tutewiller 161, M. Sheets 161, M. Reef 158, H. Haugk 156, V. Hammond 154, P. Dick 154, M. Nash 154, A. Burke 153, M. Geisler 151, Bernice Miller 151.

Splits converted — D. Andrews 5-6, V. Smith 5-6, M. Hileman 4-5 and 3-7, E. Bultemeier 2-4-5-10, C. Schafer 2-7, L. Stucky 3-10, W. Hirschy 5-10, M. Merriman 3-10 twice, M. Winteregg 2-7-10, M. Sheets 5-9-10, P. Stucky 5-6, S. Hake 3-10.

EDDIE'S RECREATION Come Double League			
	W	L	Pts
Team No. 4	23	13	30
Ruby's Style	19½	16½	26½
Decatur Cleaners	17	19	23
Team No. 3	12½	23½	16½

High series — Larry Worden 531.
High games — Jack Butler 163, Jerry Hurst 161-173, Sharon Grimm 141-160, Parry Worden 172-203, Maureen Butcher 136-157.

Splits converted — Shirley Worden 2-7, Maureen Butcher 5-6-10, and 6-7-10.

Decatur Team Leads
Villa Lanes Classic

Leaders in the 28th annual \$500 Villa Lanes five-man classic after the first two weekends of bowling were announced today.

Corah Insurance, Decatur, is the leader in the handicap division with a 3165 total. The Decatur Beales are second with 3155, and Leland Smith Life, Hoagland, third with 3101, and Borden's Comemert fourth with 3078.

High team in actual pins in Paul Havens, Fort Wayne, with 2997. The high team actual is Chuck's Van Buren, South Bend, with a 1066.

Individual leaders are: Herb Scheifman, Hoagland, 289; high game optional, John S. Parsons, South Bend, 277; high series, Parsons, 675; second high series, Rolly Ladd, Decatur, 674.

The tourney will continue for the next five weekends. Local teams entered are asked to check time and date they will bowl.

Speedway Fire
Damages Two
Novi Racers

INDIANAPOLIS (UPI)—Fire swept through a portion of famed Gasoline Alley at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway today and damaged two of the highly publicized Novi race cars.

The blaze broke out in the Tony Granatelli garage and was caused by a shorted electric heater, officials said.

The damage was estimated between \$25,000 and \$50,000.

Speedway officials said some of the garages may have to be rebuilt.

Damaged were two eight-cylinder, supercharged machines. One of them was built in England recently and arrived here only a few days ago.

Granatelli, a former race driver and now manager of a racing team, said the two cars would be flown to Santa Monica, Calif., as soon as possible for repairs.

"This (fire) has put a tremendous crimp in our plans," he said. "It has put us back 30 days. If this had happened in May we would have been out of the race."

He said his garage was "a shambles—it burned out the entire roof."

"It ruined all the spare parts and the blue prints for the four-wheel drive car," he added. "It took the gears and the whole bit."

Granatelli brought the cars here early for tire and chassis tests and the blaze broke out on the final day of tuneups. The track will be closed the entire month of April for surface repairs and practice for the time trials opens officially May 1.

Drivers Bobby Unser and A. J. Foyt got both cars into the 150 miles per hour bracket during tire tests. One of the cars was unofficially clocked at a speed of 194 mph in the straight-away.

It was the latest "hard-luck" chapter for the Novis, shadowed by misfortune since the 1940s when they first appeared at the Speedway as front-drive machines.

Two veteran drivers, Chet Miller and Ralph Hepburn, were killed in Novis here, and several other pilots walked away from spectacular crashes, among them Duke Nalon and Paul Russo.

Three Novis qualified for last year's holiday chase, but none was running at the finish. One crashed early in the race.

In 1941, a spectacular fire the night before the "500" roared through the garage area, destroying four cars and delaying start of the race.

Although cold weather prevailed, unofficial speed records were set in Monday's tire tests.

And, with several hot cars on hand, today's activities bore the possibility of more unofficial speed records.

Despite chill winds, the unofficial record was cracked twice

Pro Basketball
NBA Playoffs
St. Louis 121, Los Angeles 108
(St. Louis wins best of five series, 3-2).
Tonight's Game
Cincinnati at Boston.

Rainbow Lake Golf
Course Open May 30

The new nine-hole golf course at Rainbow Lake is expected to be open for play by May 30, Memorial Day, with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Culp of Clayton, Ind., serving as pro-managers.

A national golf day tournament will be held on that first day by Culp, who designed and supervised construction of the course last year. Work will begin at the course this week, weather permitting.

Named the Wabash Valley Golf club, the new course has a total yardage, in its layout of 4,284 yards, with five par 4 holes, two par 3 holes and two par 5 holes. The course par will be 36. The greens average over 5,000 square feet in size and tees average about 1,200 square feet.

Culp, with a background of 31 years as a golf professional, will give lessons at the course, operate the pro shop and serve as the course superintendent. Three course workers will assist during the first season. Mrs. Culp will handle the club house snack bar and assist in the pro shop. The Culp's will reside on the course.

Golf World Series
Slated In September

AKRON, Ohio (UPI) — The third annual World Series of golf, matching the winners of the year's four biggest golf tournaments in a \$75,000 showdown, will be held at the Firestone Country Club, Sept. 12-13. The 36-hole event pitches the winners of the Masters, U. S. and British Open and PGA championships against each other.

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FARM EQUIPMENT—Model 30 Cockshutt tractor; 3-14 David Bradley plow; 2-14 Oliver plow on rubber; 2-14 Cockshutt plow; 10'9" Int. wheel disc; 2 3-section spring tooth harrows; 2 spike tooth harrows; Blackhawk corn planter, 3 pt. hitch; manure spreader, on steel; corn binder; 16 ft. Cardinal grain elevator; hay elevator with elec. motor; tractor mount buzz saw; hog feeders; hanging chicken feeders, new; 36 ft. extension ladder; 2 fuel oil tanks, 250 gal. and 175 gal.; piston type water pump and tank, good; buggy harness; electric fence posts, new; 24 in. Huffy riding lawn mower, new; 20 in. Huffy lawn mower, new; Smalley hay and straw chopper with 60 ft. of pipe with unloading jack and electric motor plus 2 canvas for unloading wagons; 2-used 18" 2 cycle lawn mowers, good; 1-used 18" 4 cycle lawn mower, good; 1 used Homelite chain saw, good.

SMALL TOOLS, ETC.—2 Hunting lanterns; 4 sets of screw drivers; 5 gallon oil, H.D. No. 30; 1 - 3½ h.p. outboard motor, used; new Riley Bros. grease guns; several vice grips, new; mail-box, new; 18 gal. Dowgard antifreeze; shotgun shells and other small tools, paint, etc., new and used.

PONIES—2 yr. old mare, sorrel and white, 40 inches, and 2 ponies, 50 inches high.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—1 large Patio table, new; 1 barbecue grill, new; 1 food warmer, new; 4 new 4 ft. throw rugs; 1 used Norge electric range; 1 used Maytag dryer; Bendix automatic washer, very good; Hotpoint wringer type washer, good; electric hot water heater, good; gas hot water heater, good; Stoker matic heater; dinette set; glass oven roaster, new; alum. roasters, new; 8 ft. electric baseboard heater, good; bathroom heater; Lancer 8 transistor radio; kitchen stool, new; several dozen pairs of ladies shoes, new; new and used clothing, and many other items.