

JOE WILLIAMS SAYS . . .

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—Ty Cobb still calls 'em as he sees 'em. On his all-time, all-star team he places Joe Jackson and Buck Weaver, discredited Black Soxers. This horrifies the brass hats but Jackson and Weaver were two of the best.

Cobb also picks George Sisler over Lou Gehrig and all the others at first base. . . . This column concurs heartily, Joseph Vincent McCarthy to the contrary notwithstanding. . . . Sisler could make plays around the bag Gehrig wouldn't even attempt.

THE New York Herald-Tribune reporter who gave all eight rounds to Zivie over young Arnold the other night is being hailed in Pittsburgh as the man who did most for boxing in 1943. . . . From Albany, Governor Dewey has wired invitations to metropolitan sports writers to meet him Thursday at the Hotel Roosevelt in New York. . . . The Albany grapevine reports it is to announce the appointment of Eddie Egan as new chairman of the New York State Athletic commission.

Another Vote for Hoosier Ford Frick

MY Washington scout reports that Ford Frick, the Indiana native, campaigning for the Landis spot, can count on another American league vote, namely: Clark Griffith's. . . . This may be the beginning of a landslide.

MEANWHILE, readers continued to send in nominations. . . . Jack Edinger, Brooklyn thinks John D. Martin, U. S. district court judge at Cincinnati, rates the job. . . . and a very capable man is Mr. Martin, too. I remember him when he was president of the Southern association.

T. L. Hurley of Cleveland offers his fellow townsman, Joseph Hostetler, a barrister who handles the legal affairs for the American league. . . . But that doesn't change the situation. . . . Frick still has the inside track as of now.

Jimmy Byrnes Enters the Picture

A LETTER: "If a batter clubs the tar out of a baseball team's pitchers—the manager soon starts giving the trouble-making batter a gift to first—right?"

"In the same manner of thinking—perhaps baseball should give Byrnes the commissioner's job. You know as tough as he seems to want to be—Jimmy might be a good replacement for the late Judge Landis at that. (Signed) Pfc. Victor W. McGinnis, Camp Atterbury, Ind."

Heavy Entry in Pin Tourney; Greathouse Rolls 709 Series

With the deadline for entries 11 days away, and 390 already registered, the fifth annual Dezelen men's doubles classic is expected to attract more than 400 duos.

The event will be run off over the two week-ends, Jan. 20-21 and Jan. 27-28. Starting times of the Saturday squads has been set for 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 a. m., while on Sunday activities will get under way at 11 a. m. and be continued at 12 noon.

The classic is a handicap affair and prizes will be awarded for actual high scores and for high scores including handicaps. One hundred dollars is guaranteed to duo with the top actual count, while a first-place prize of \$150 is guaranteed winners in the handicap division. Other prizes will depend on the number of entries.

High Single Game Prize

A special award of a \$25 war bond goes to the individual turning in the highest single game during the four days of action. The event is open to all A. B. C. sanctioned bowlers and averages as of Dec. 16 will be used in computing handicaps. Entry fee is \$2 a person.

At Striebeck 15 tournament secretary and entries should be mailed to him at 330 N. Dearborn st., or to the Dezelen affairs. Reservations can be made by phone by calling CH-7061 or BE-4443.

Monday night leaguers, idle for two weeks because of the holidays, renewed their attack on the maples last night and met with great success. The initial 700-series of 1943 was turned in and eight additional soloists registered totals over 650.

Chas. Greathouse of the Optimist league was the 700 bowler. He connected for 244, 223, 242—709, the 17th 700 of the season in league play, and the best three-game effort in the Optimist league, which rolls at Pritchett's. He was in action with River Rats.

A fellow-leaguer, Al Striebeck of the Sculptors, took the runnerup berth with 243, 237, 204—684. Cecil Bevis of the Courthouse, rolling at the Pennsylvania, was next in line with 224, 200, 257—681. He rolled with Sponser's Bakery.

Two leaguers cracked the sticks for 664's, Len Sylvester having 186, 247, 231 for Fox Steakhouse of the Holy Cross loop at Fox-Hunt, and Art Pritchard, 223, 236, 205 for Shelby Street Savings and Loan in the South Side Business Men's at Sport Bowl.

Gets Three 20's
Two other members of the South Side circuit turned in outstanding series. Carl Brebob had 188, 203, 267—658 for Morgan's Restaurant and Paul Ray, 227, 211, 217—655 for Ritchey Furniture. Clarence Jordan of the Fraternal league at the Illinois with 191, 234, 234—659 and Dick Bracking with 225, 217, 213—655 in the Reformed Church at Pritchett's were other leading soloists.

Bob Earl had a 606 for the South Side Business Men's, making it the hard way, a trio of 20's.

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Al Striebeck, Sculptors 684
Cecil Bevis, Courthouse 681
Len Sylvester, Holy Cross 680
Art Pritchard, S. S. Business Men 680
Clarence Jordan, Fraternal 659
Carl Brebob, S. S. Business Men 658
Paul Ray, S. S. Business Men 655
Dick Bracking, Reformed Church 655
Paul Vail, Moose 648
Bill Bush, S. S. Business Men 648
Morris Epstein, K. J. Business Men 647
Frank Skump, Evangelical 647
Arnold Kapp, Capital Paper 647
Bud Schuch, S. S. Business Men 647
Capt. Mike Krupa, Scout Field 647
Lou Fahrbach, St. Philip No. 1 647
Anthony Sekula, Inner-Plant 647
Henry Stumph, S. S. Business Men 647
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Wilfred Brumb, S. S. Business Men 647

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Bulldogs Take On Wabash in Conference Go

The Butler basketball team will throw open the fieldhouse doors tonight to their traditional rivals, the Wabash Little Giants, as the Bulldogs strive to hold its first place in the Indiana State College conference.

The Bulldogs have won 33 encounters of a possible 57 with the Wabash netmen in past years. Butler netters came into possession of first place in the conference when they defeated Manchester, 48-35. Tonight's game time is 7:30.

Wabash holds 11th place in the conference with one victory and two defeats for 333. The Bulldogs have been victorious in their three conference encounters, defeating Franklin, Ball State and Manchester.

Coach Frank (Pop) Hedden's Bulldog lineup tonight will be Ray Bottema and Art Cook at forwards, Redneck at center, and Pat Robbins and Jake Luther at guards. Wabash's Coach Dale Davis plans to start Hering and Standish at forwards, Moore at center, and Gavitt and Young at guards.

Thom in Another Return Mat Bout

Coach Billy Thom is to perform at the Army again tonight where he will go against Maurice Chappell of Montreal in a return encounter to feature the regular weekly wrestling show.

There are two other bouts, the first at 8:30, when Lon Chaney of Vincennes opposes G. LaCrosse of Boston. It is for one fall. In the semi-windup, Tex Hager of Eugene, Ore., will meet Repe LaBelle of Toronto. It also is for one fall.

Thom and Chappell met three weeks ago, engaging in one of the best bouts of the local indoor season. It was closely contested with the verdict going to Thom. Tonight's match is for two falls out of three.

Armstrong to Aid Paralysis Fund

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 9 (U. P.).—Henry Armstrong, onetime holder of three titles, will fight Chester Slider, Jan. 17, in a 10-round contest for the benefit of the infantile paralysis fund, his manager George Moore, said today.

Shortridge Five Host to Irish Rivals in Lone City Contest

Shortridge and Cathedral are to go 'round and 'round tonight on the Blue Devils' hardwood court. The contest is scheduled to get under way at 7:30 and it is the only game on tonight's Indianapolis high school basketball menu.

Shortridge has, won seven out of eight starts this season, only losing to Tech's Big Green. Cathedral has won two titles and dropped five. Last season the Satans defeated the Irish, 34 to 22.

Games involving two of the state's leading quintets—Linton and South Bend—will be a traditional Lebanon-Lafayette Jefferson match were scheduled for tonight.

Riley bids for a percentage lead over Elkhardt in the Northern Indiana conference's eastern division when it meets its city rival, Central. Linton tunes up for the impending Wabash valley tournament by playing host to Jassonville. Lebanon travels to Lafayette, intent on removing the sting of an earlier 21-18 Jefferson triumph at Lebanon.

Other leading games tonight find Terre Haute State's once-beaten Camerons at Sullivan and Hammond at Gary Horace Mann.

Williams Decisions Gary's Willie Joyce

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 9 (U. P.).—Ike Williams of Trenton, N. J., was back in the lightweight picture today as a title contender, moving in with an impressive 12-round verdict over Willie Joyce, Gary, Ind., here last night.

A crowd of 10,000 fans saw Williams even the score with Joyce, who won a split decision in their last fight more than a month ago.

The Indiana Negro was dropped for a count of three and then for a two count in the second round, but shook off the effects of the pummeling and came back to make it an interesting bout.

Williams Is New Great Lakes Chief

GREAT LAKES, Ill., Jan. 9 (U. P.).—Lt. Comdr. Rollie Williams, former University of Wisconsin athlete and former head basketball coach at the University of Iowa, has reported as athletic officer at Great Lakes naval station.

He succeeds Lt. Comdr. Paul Hinkle, who was detached last October for Pacific duty. Lt. (jg.) Brown, football coach, had been acting as athletic officer since Hinkle's departure.

Held to 6 Points

LEXINGTON, Ky., Jan. 9 (U. P.).—The University of Kentucky last night swamped Arkansas, the top basketball team of the Southwest conference, 75 to 6, in the most one-sided game ever played in Lexington between major college quintets.

On Other Fields

ANN ARBOR, Jan. 9.—Two former Michigan grid greats are fighting the war on aircraft carriers—Benny Friedman, all-America quarter in 1926, and Paul Goebel, captain-end in 1922.

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All You Have to Do Is Catch a Big Fish, So 200,000 Compete in Miami Tourney

By HARRY GRAYSON

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 9.—Director of War Mobilization James F. Byrnes may object to racing, but fishing has become an essential sport, so more than 200,000 persons are expected to compete in the 99-day 10th annual Metropolitan Miami tournament, extending to April 15.

This greatest of all fishing tournaments attracted that many a year ago, when war restrictions on craft plying the ocean or operating at night were a bit more rigid than they are at present.

No Fuss or Feathers
And despite a militant ODT, the tournament again will claim national attention.

Originated by general chairman Henry H. Hyman, Miami public utilities official and celebrated fisherman, and conducted by Anglers, Inc., a non-profit organization, the tournament's simplicity is the principal reason for its flattering success.

There is neither fee nor registration. All you have to do is catch a fish.

Service men Included
Normally there are prizes for the largest of 27 varieties. This year the prize list has been duplicated to include men in uniform, making the total 54. Prizes are war bonds, of course.

There also are awards for outstanding feats—the heaviest and longest sailfish, the heaviest white marlin, etc.

Eligible for entry trolling and still fishing are African pompano,

Fleming Inducted, 'Slammin' Sam' Snead Slams Out Victory at Los Angeles

CHICAGO, Jan. 9 (U. P.).—The Chicago Cubs gave up their 20th player to the armed services today with the announcement that Pitcher Leslie Bill Fleming, 30-year-old right-handed veteran, has been inducted into the army at Marysville, Cal.

Fleming came to the Cubs in 1942 from the Boston Red Sox and made his best mark last season when he won nine and lost 10 games.

Another Cub expected to be called soon is Bill Nicholson, hard-hitting outfielder. The burly star, the National league's home run king last year, has held a 1-A rating since last summer. The Cubs' front office has not heard from him.

'Slammin' Sam' Snead Slams Out Victory at Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 9 (U. P.).—Sammy Snead, richer by \$2666 as a result of winning the 19th annual Los Angeles open golf tourney at the Riviera Country club and a host of other top-flight professionals were en route to Phoenix, Ariz., today for the sixth in their current series of winter golf tournaments.

The White Sulphur Springs, Va., slambang artist, sizzled to a tidy two-under-par 69 on the final round yesterday, his only sub-par 18 in the Los Angeles tourney, for a 283 to edge out Byron Nelson, the Toledo, O., Texan and last year's defending money winner, and defending champion Jug McSpaden of Philadelphia, by one stroke.

The former major chief specialist, who has won three of the five tournaments in which he has participated since his discharge, played even par 71 in his first two rounds, slipped to 72 Sunday, but snapped back to a 69 in the final round yesterday.

Snead had a birdie four on the first hole, bogied the fifth for par on the first nine. He then birdied the 13th and sank a four and one-half foot putt on the tough 18th hole, for another birdie and what proved to be the tournament tie.

Nelson, pre-tourney favorite with Snead, went out in a one-under-par 34, with two birdies and a bogey, needing only par on the incoming nine to tie the champ. However, he bogied the 10th and 15th holes.

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Henry H. Hyman, general chairman of the 10th annual Metropolitan Miami fishing tournament, fights sailfish with five-ounce tip and nine-thread line in Gulf stream off Miami Beach.

albacore or small tuna, Allison tuna, amberjack, barracuda, black bass, bluefish, bonito, broadbill swordfish, channel bass or redfish, chiro or ladyfish, cobia, dolphin, grouper, Warsaw grouper, jack, kingfish, mackerel, mako, blue marlin, white marlin, permit, pompano, the most spectacular sailfish, snapper, snook, tarpon, trout, giant tuna and wahoo.

Fly rod fishermen may not care a whoop about trolling or still fishing, so eligible in casting and fly rod divisions are barracuda, black bass, bluefish, channel bass, chiro, grouper, jack, mackerel, pompano, snapper, snook, tarpon and trout.

Participants fish from private and chartered boats, skiffs, rowboats, piers and bridges.

Men, women and children compete. A 12-year-old lad weighed in the peak pompano in 1940.

Pompano costs \$3 a crack in a restaurant.

Throw out a line.

FT. WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 9 (U. P.).—The "world's tallest basketball team" from Valparaiso university couldn't score a single point in the first 10 minutes of play here last night and trailed the Great Lakes Bluejackets, 23-0.

Valpo finally wound up on the short end of a 52-38 score and saw its undefeated record and 11-game winning streak go by the boards.

The teams played on fairly even terms in the second half, but Valparaiso was never able to draw closer than the 14 points that separated the quietists at the end of play.

Bob Dille of Valpo was high scorer with 16 points. Warren Ajax, Great Lakes, scored 13 points and Walter Budko chalked up 12 for the Bluejackets. John Tanish tallied 11 markers for Valpo.

It was Great Lakes' 12th straight victory.

Rosenthal Injured In Ship Explosion

BOSTON, Jan. 9.—Simon Rosenthal, outfielder with the Boston Red Sox in 1925 and 1926 and with several minor league clubs, is under treatment at a naval hospital in this country for wounds received in action in the European theater. He was injured when his ship blew up.

A year ago, Rosenthal received word his 17-year-old son, Erwin, a member of the marine corps, had been killed in action. Rosenthal has been in the navy for two years.

Zurita Active

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 9 (U. P.).—N. B. A. lightweight champion, Juan Zurita, invades Texas with a 10-round nontitle match against Paul Altman at San Antonio, Jan. 23, his manager George Parnassus announced today. Zurita will fight John Thomas here Feb. 27.

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