John Roseboro May Replace Campanella With Dodgers

SERIOUSLY INJURED — Just one week ago, Roy Campanella was pictured with three of his six children in their Glen Cove, N.Y. home, explaining the operation of a Japanese Junk, a model of which is shown here. At this writing, the popular baseball star was fighting for his life, following a near-fatal auto accident. (Newspress Photo).

Hard-Hitting Rookie Was Roy's Understudy

LOS ANGELES, Calif. (ANP)—John Roseboro, apparanently destined to become the top catcher for the Los Angeles Dodgers now that Roy Campanella is sidelined with injury, has signed his 1958 contract with the "Bums." The Dodgers also announced the signing of three other players. They are Roger Graig, Larry Sherry, and Bill Harris.

A hard-hitting catcher-first baseman, Roseboro was with the Dodgers for a short spell last season. Rushed to the Dodgers in an emergency, he played first base as a temporary replacement for Gil Hodges. He also filled in behind the plate on occasion when Campy was ill. In addition, he played the outfield.

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Roseboro, since coming to the attention of Dodgers brass, has been regarded as the probable successor to Campy. At VeVra Beach last spring and during the time he was with the Dodgers during the regular season, he was an understudy to Roy.

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Roseboro, wound up playing a split season between Montreal and Brooklyn in 1957. He hit .273 for the Royals, including seven homers. His brother, Jim, starred for Ohio State in the Rose Bowl several years ago.

Most prominent of the other three Dodgers who signed along with Roseboro, is Roger Craig, a talented pitcher who has been with the parent club since mid-season of 1955.

WINNER FOR FOUR YEARS — Charles Jenkins, former Villanova University star, who hails from Boston, Mass., rest his winning spikes in the Sage Trophy which he won last week at Convention Hall, Philadelphia, for his fourth straight year. (UNITED PRESS PHOTO).

Lincoln Scores 9th Win; Defeats McKendree Five

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. — The Lincoln (Mo.) Tigers walloped McKendree College of Lebanon, Ill., 93-55 recently for their ninth straight victory. The triumph was the twelfth of the season for the Bengels, compared to two losses.

George Pruit continued to be high scorer for the Tigers, taking team and game scoring honors with 27 points. Carlton Rowe followed Pruitts lead, netting 12 points. Ted Savage, playing his last game of the season, tallied 10 counters. Savage graduates at the end of this school semester.

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The same trio of Pruitt, Savake and Rowe joined forces on the floor attack, holding down McKendree's top scorers Seldt started off with a bang for McKendree, sacking 12 points in the first half, however, the Tigers tied him up in the last half and he was able to sink only 4 more points

The entire Tiger bench got a pretty good workout. Lincoln led the visitors by as much as 40 points in the second half and Coach Dwight Reed made liberal use of his reserves. McKendree outclassed the Tigers on free throws, hitting 68 per cent of their shots to 61 per cent for Lincoln. However, the visitors trailed in all other ways.

Lincoln journeys to Marshall, Mo., Tuesday to take on Missouri Valley.

Former Prep Star To Make Bid For Professional Ball

AKRON, Ohio (ANP)—Eugene Wingo, former All-City gridder at Akron South High School, will try to make the jump to pro football without college competition next fall.

Wingo, who played service football in 1957, said this week that he would seek a berth on the Baltimore Colts. He was a halfback with the Lowe Creek Amphibious Base eleven at Norfolk, Va.

He expects to sign a contract in June upon his release from the Navy. He was an All-City defensive end in 1956.

Market Developers Announce Dates For 2 Annual Confabs

WASHINGTON — The National Association of Market Developers has announced that it will hold two important professional meetings during the winter and spring.

NAMD, a professional organization of men and women working in programs of marketing and public relations addressed primarily to the Negro market, will hold its winter board conference in Washington, February 7-8, while its annual convention will be held in Nashville following its 5th annual marketing and public relations addressed primarily to the Negro market, will hold its winter board conference in Washington, February 7-8, while its annual convention will be held in Nashville following its 5th annual marketing clinic, March 20.

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The annual Nashville marketing clinic is sponsored by Tennessee A. and I. State University as a professional workshop for persons engaged in marketing and its allied fields. NAMD cooperates in the promtion of the clinic after which it meets in annual convention.

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Clinic planning is handled by W. V. Harper, A. and I. coordinator of industrial relations, with the assistance of other university personnel and a special committee from the Market Developers. Theme for the 1958 clinic will be devoted to "special marketing programs in periods of social change."

William O. Walker, president, National Newspaper Publishers Association and editor-publisher of the Cleveland Call and Post, will deliver the principal address on the occasion of the NAMD awards dinner to be held on Thursday evening, March 20. The awards dinner will honor men and women in marketing who have been associated with one product for ten years or more.

CHIEF AGGIE "DUNKER"—Charlie Harrison, giant 6-6 center with the A&T College Aggies, is one big reason his team is upfront in CIAA standings. Besides his outstanding shooting skill Harrison is the team's rebound leader. In one game last week he swept the boards clean with a total of 30 rebounds.

College Basketball Round-Up

CHICAGO — (ANP) Oscar Robertson, the University of Cincinnati sophomore star, continued his bid for All-American honors by leading the Bearcats to an impressive 105-to-81 victory over the University of Wichita (Kans).

Roberston, the nation's leading collegiate scorer, tallied 39 points —24 in the first half—and snared 19 rebounds. His scoring performance gave him a 32.8 average for the season.

Clarence Wordlaw, a regular as a sophomore last season but a bench-rider this year, sparked the University of Iowa to a 73-to-71 win over the University of Minnesota in a regionally televisioned game at Minneapolis.

A Chicagoan, Wordlaw came off the bench in the self half to sink 7 out of 11 shots from the field and three foul shots for 15 points. Teammates Nolden Gentry (rebounding) and Bobby Washington (playmaking), both sophomores, also performed aoly for the Hawkeyes.

Tom Hawkins brilliant junior forward for Notre Dame, continued to show the way for the Irish as he scored 39 points in the South Benders' 81-to-67 decision over Illinois sophomore studied team.

Al Vann, junior from Brooklyn, N. Y., put on a tremendous performance to lead the University of Toledo (Ohio) to an 86-to-75 upset win over Xavier of Cincinnati.

Vann, a remarkable foul shooter, scored 27 points, 13 from the free throw line in 14 chances. Corny Freeman, Xavier top scorer last year, was held to six points.

30,444 Drivers Lost Legal Driving Privileges In '57

In a summary of license revokable traffic offenses, the Motor Vehicles Department said today that 30,444 motorists lost their legal driving privileges during 1957.

Neck and neck at the top of the list were 11,906 drunk drivers and 11,804 speeders, the agency reported.

Both offenses require a mandatory surrender of drivers license.

Miscellaneous violations noted in the annual report showed reckless driving, 1799 convictions; improper use of operator's license, 489; transporting intoxicants, 359; and larceny of automobile, 207.

Additional penalities were prescribed for 1673 motorists caught driving after their license had been withdrawn, the department said.

Recent tests of North Carolina soil showed that far less potash washed or leached from limed soils than from unlimed, acid soils.

Tar Heel poultry raisers could bring 200 to 300 million more dollars a year into the state by producing better eggs cheaper.

Tar Heel farmers should line up their corn needs now.

W. H. (Dude) Allen:

New Manager To Take Helm Of Winston's Pond Giants

WINSTON-SALEM—The Winston-Salem Pond Giants will operate again this season, but with a new Manager W. H. (Dude) Allen who will succeed last year's manager, Hesiki-Day.

The Giants will have a lot of new faces in their line-up this year because there will be a lot of youngsters out for the team come spring training.

Officers of the Pond Giants are as follows: R. L. Blue, president; Arlester Alexander, secretary-treasurer; Spencer Babe Davis, business manager; W. H. Allen, team manager.

All clubs wishing games with the Giants may write to: Spencer Davis, 988 N Highland Avenue Wintson-Salem.

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Bethea Beats Jack Johnson In Dull Bout

CHICAGO (ANP)—Wayne Bethea of New York last Wednesday night pounded out an unanimous but impressive 10-round decision over Young Jack Johnson of California before a small crowd in the Chicago Stadium.

The No. 10 contender for heavyweight title honors, Bethea showed little championship ability as he mauled the sluggish Johnson at close range throughout the bout.

He did, however, manage to reverse a knockout loss he suffered at the hands of Johnson some months ago. But Johnson, returning to action after a long layoff due to manggerial difficulties, did not appear to be in good condition.

There were no knockdowns in the lacluster bout. The only torrid action came in the fourth round when Johnson opened up with a two-fisted attack, but the action died almost as soon as it started.

A small ringside crowd of 1,002, who paid $1,287.97 at the gate, saw the fight, which was televised nationally.

Soil moisture is a factor influencing seed germination.

BLOW TO THE FACE — Joe Brown, of Baton Rogue, La., takes a blow to the face from Sonny Boy Williams of Washington during the third round of their 10-round bout in Washington, D. C., recently. Brown came back two rounds later and TKO'd Williams in the 5th round. Brown holds the lightweight title. (UNITED PRESS TELEPHOTO).

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