

DURHAM MAN GETS DEGREE



ROOKIES BRING HOPE TO NEGRO BASEBALL

CHICAGO (AP)—There was a line in the not too distant past when teams in the Negro American Baseball League were top-heavy with time-worn veterans, many of whom were long past the age of valuable service to the teams on which they served.

But last week before the season of 1950 shuffled up out of the darkness to cast a light of optimism on preparations for the coming baseball campaign. As a young fellow bounding with energy, 1950 has infected the owners in the league with the spirit of youth.

CLEVELAND BUSKEYES

Wilbur Hayes, new owner of the Cleveland Buskeyes, has been seriously affected by this new spirit of youth. A fellow who believes in whole hog or none, Hayes made a clean sweep of the veterans, replacing them with youngsters. Twenty-three budding young players accompanied the Bucks to the training camp at Columbus, Ga., last week.

One of the most promising of these youngsters, each fired with ambition and industry is Paul Jones, a 23-year-old right-hand pitcher who won nine and lost four for the Bucks last year. Hayes expects the big 183 pounder from Middletown, Ohio to be the Bucks' shining light for 1950.

Other bright young chattel in the Buck menage who are Hayes' hopefuls for the season are: Curtis Livingston, 23, outfielder; Woodrow Means, 22, third baseman; Henry Draywood, 23, short stop; Leslie Suttles, 23, first baseman from Miles College. He's a nephew of George (Mule) Suttles former ace first baseman for the St. Louis Stars and Newark Eagles.

KANSAS CITY MONARCH

The Kansas City Monarchs have rounded up 17 youngsters for Manager John O'Neil to give the once over lightly at the training camp at San Antonio, Texas.

Two of these youngsters are William (Leity) Bell, 20, southpaw hurler from Des Moines, who was farmed out by the Monarchs last year, and Samuel Fowlkes, a 21-year-old right-handed from Lake Charles, La.

Other youngsters on the Monarch roster are Ray Lee Hughes of Dalton, Mo.; Eloda Morrison of Lawrence, Kas.; Robert Landers, Ernest Chrestain of Lake Charles, La.; Carl Brooks, Lebanon, Ill.; William Goodwin, Michigan City, Ind.

BIRMINGHAM BLACK BARONS

The Birmingham Black Barons will expect to get some excellent material when the players gather at Montgomery, Ala., this week to open the training grind on the campus of Alabama State College.

Out of the big array of young material to face Manager Vic Harris, who replaced Lorenzo (Piper) Davis as pilot of the club are two who will get plenty of attention—Willie P. Collins and Johnny Smith, two Tuskegee Institute players who have been highly recommended by their coach. Collins is a pitcher from Columbia, Miss., and Smith is an infielder from Pensacola, Fla.

CHICAGO AMERICAN GIANTS

The Chicago American Giants will have no less than 12 youngsters seeking berths when the Giants swing into training sessions at Columbia, Miss. This week, Thomas Perry, 19-year-old right-hander from North Carolina State College; Charles M. England, another right-hander from North Carolina, and Fred Lloyd, a catcher from Hampton Institute will get a chance to prove to Manager Theodore (Double Duty) Radcliffe, who replaced Wingfield Welch, that they

are worthy of regular positions on the club.

BALTIMORE ELITES

Manager Horng Pearson, who has been asked to replace Jesse (Boss) Walker as skipper of the Baltimore Elites, Negro American League champions, will meet a big batch of youngsters when he greets the team at the training camp at Gastonia, N. C., this week. Youngsters ranging in age from 17 to 23, from this group he will try and find a replacement for Junior Gilliam, who was sold to the Chicago Cubs for a team at Springfield, Mass., at second base.

Among the youngsters reporting at Gastonia will be Robert Preston, Lefty Whitfield, Alvin Green, William Saunders, Buddy Fleming and Hank Melton.

MEMPHIS RED SOX

The Memphis Red Sox will have some young hopefuls in their camp in Memphis. Richard Watkins, 17-year-old infielder from Paris, Tenn.; Curtis McGowan, 24-year-old pitcher from Mason, Tenn.; Joe Henry, 19-year-old second baseman from Lenoir, Ill.; and Ernest Kennedy, 21-year-old infielder from Rust College, Holly Springs, Miss.

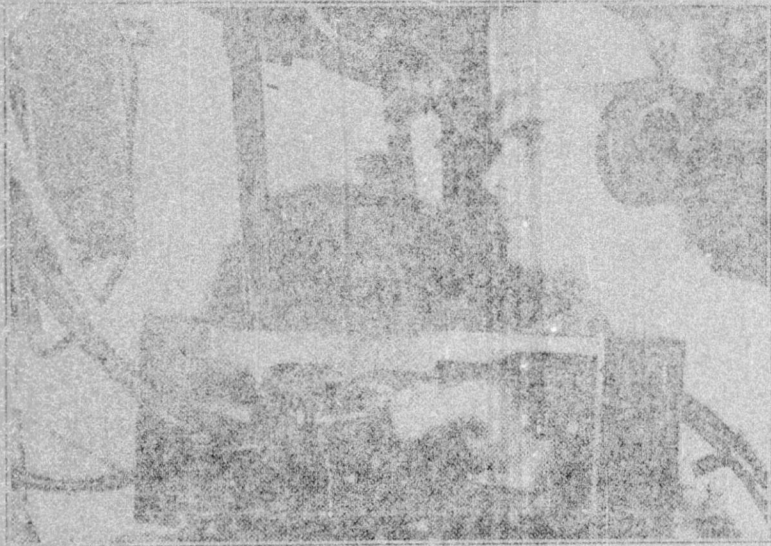
INDIANAPOLIS CLOWNS

The Indianapolis Clowns opened their camp at Jacksonville, and Manager Buster Hayward will also have a large number of youngsters. Also the Houston Eagles at their camp in Houston, and the Philadelphia Stars, who will train at Philadelphia. The New York Cubans will bring a large number of youngsters from Cuba to train at the camp at New Orleans.

DIXIE "JUSTICE" WINS AGAIN

LAFAYETTE, Ala. (AP)—Southern justice triumphed again here last Wednesday night when an all white jury in criminal court acquitted two white policemen of a first degree murder charge in the fatal beating of a Negro prisoner recently. The jury's verdict returned after an hour and 20 minutes' deliberation, was greeted by applause from the predominantly white spectators in the crowded courtroom.

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ON TRAIL OF "ENEMY" SUBMARINES—Improved anti-submarine search weapons include shipboard sonar, under-water sound detection device, airborne radar, expendable sonobuoys and magnetic airborne detection gear. The "kill" is accomplished by planes and surface ships employing bombs, torpedoes and depth charges in a coordinated air-surface attack. Airship Pilot Lieut. (Jg) Robert Herrick, USN, scans the horizon in visual search for "enemy" contact. (Official Department of Defense Photo)

NCC LISTS SUMMER STAFF

DURHAM, N. C. — Twelve visiting professors from leading American colleges and universities will be associate teachers in North Carolina College's summer session, according to Dr. Joseph D. Taylor, director of the Summer School.

The visiting professors, as well as the resident teachers who will participate in the college's two Summer sessions, will offer a wide range of courses at graduate and undergraduate level in the arts and sciences. Work toward professional degrees will be available.

James R. Clark, both of whom admitted beating Willie Carlisle 18, while putting him in a jail cell. According to the defendant, Carlisle was arrested for letting air out of tires on a patrol car.

They testified they had put the deceased out of a dance for creating a disturbance. He is then said to have slit the tires, thus bringing his arrest.

Taken to jail, the officers beat him with a rubber hose, after he allegedly "pulled a knife" on them as they tried to get him into a cell. Both denied they intentionally killed the victim. Earlier they had blamed Carlisle's death on an alleged fall from a jail cell bunk.

They were indicted by a Chambers county grand jury on charges of "maliciously and with malice aforethought killing Carlisle by striking him with a rubber hose."



HOLDING AN "ENEMY" BEACHHEAD—Members of the 10th Field Artillery hit the dirt in a simulated landing at U. S. Naval amphibious base in training for "Exercise Portres," Joint Armed Forces amphibious air-land maneuvers in the Caribbean. Artillerymen defend themselves with light weapons while helicopters are being brought ashore.

FEPC FRIENDS WANT LIMIT ON DEBATE

NEW YORK — With the Senate scheduled to take up the McGrath FEPC bill (S. 1728) in the next few days, supporters of the measure declared that a vote for cloture to shut off a filibuster is the prime need at this time.

"All supporters of FEPC legislation should write to their Senators at once urging them to vote for cloture and then to vote for the strong McGrath bill," said Rex Wilkins, acting secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

"Some Republicans and some Democrats have already indicated they will vote for cloture, but at the present moment sufficient votes are not openly on record. There are indications that the Dixiecrats do not have enough votes solidly pledged to prevent cloture. One influential southern daily paper, the Dallas Morning News, and one chieftain of newspapers, Scripps-Howard have both asserted that the Southerners lack the votes at the present time to prevent cloture. This means that there are a number of uncertain Senators who have not decided either one way or the other."

"Our primary job in every state is to get Senators on record for cloture. The argument with them should be that regardless of how they feel about the bill itself they should vote to shut off a filibuster so the bill can have fair debate and be voted upon. Both Republicans and Democrats should be asked to support cloture."

Mr. Wilkins indicated that letters and telegrams should be addressed to senators at Senate Office Building, Washington, D. C.

PATENT QUIZ? Is a model needed for a patent?

Please believe me, Smedley I ADMIRE your thoroughness, but here at the Patent Office, we almost never require more than drawings and a description of any invention to be patented.

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