

Shaw Bears Now Tied With A&T For CIAA's Top Spot

Shaw Bears Defeat Livingstone, Lose To J. C. Smith Bulls, 112-66

Ira Mitchell connected on both ends of a one-and-one with five seconds left to carry Shaw's Bears to a come-from-behind, 70-60 victory over Livingstone here Thursday night, January 8.

Mitchell's last minutes heroics gave the Bears their 7th straight victory. They are 8-1 in the CIAA, 2-2 in all games.

The visitors, led by William Erwin, built up a 44-26 halftime lead.

Shaw finally pulled ahead with 6:30 left on a jumper by Mitchell, making it 57-56.

The lead changed back and fourth, and Robert Moore put Livingstone ahead with his third basket, 69-68, with 40 seconds on the clock. That set the stage for the final one-and-one.

Benny Jo Myers led all scorers with 26 Shaw points. Mitchell canned 22. Erwin paced Livingstone with 20.

The Shaw Bears who have been great in second-half play could not contend with the hot shooting J. C. Smith Bulls. The Bulls leaped to a good lead and by half-time had a 29 point lead at Charlotte Saturday night.

The game's final score was Smith 112, Shaw 68. This defeat ties the Shaw Bears with North Carolina and A. and T. College for the conference lead.

A&T College Aggies Swamp Va. States Trojans, 92-62

GREENSBORO—The A&T College Aggies last week bounced back into the win column by whipping the Virginia State College Trojans, 92-62, in a CIAA basketball game played here at the Charles Moore Gymnasium.

"Big Jim" Jackson, Aggie forward, who led all scorers with 26-points for the evening, started the fireworks as he popped in a jump shot the first time he got the ball.

Working behind the fast break, with the aid of strong rebounding by Warren Davis who scored 22-points and a couple of steals by George Mack, the Aggies ran up a 14-3 lead in the first four-minutes of play.

From that point on there was little doubt about the final outcome.

A big factor in the win was the amazing defense thrown by the Aggies. Virginia State stars, Ernie Brock, center, and Frank Stephens,

forward, both 6-4, ALL-CIAA performers, were held in check in the battle. Brock, who was averaging 22-points for the season, scored only nine-points and Stephens chalked only two-free throws.

At Mount Olive:

Carver Tigers Defeat Central Cagers 60-50

MT. OLIVE—Coach L. W. Hickerson's Carver High School Tigers defeated Central High of Goldsboro, 60-50, last week. The win boosted Carver's record to 9 wins and 1 defeat. It was their seventh straight win.

Carver led at the end of the first quarter, 17-11, but when the buzzer sounded ending the first half,

Central was ahead 27-24.

In the third quarter Carver rallied to tie the score and go on to win.

The leading scorers for Carver were: Hubert Wooten, 21 points; Samuel Frazier, 5 points; Ralph Holmes, 6 points; and Allen Miller, 6 points. James Parks and Carver Durham scored 13 and 13 points, respectively, for Central.

In Cage Play:

Broncos' Fred Bibby Ranked High

FAYETTEVILLE — Frederick Bibby, captain of the Fayetteville State College basketball Broncos, a 6'3", 205 pound senior forward from Franklinton, is ranked as the eleventh rebounder among the NC-CC small colleges in the nation. He is averaging 17.9 rebounds for five contests.

Bibby, has been a staunch 3 years performer for the Broncos. He is a coaches' delight, playing guard, center or forward if needed.

During the current campaign, he is averaging 18.6 points a game, and is a CIAA leading rebounder. Possessing a high arching jumper shot from about 25 feet out, it is practically impossible for opponents to defend against him. Also, he is a terror on the boards, corraling the majority of his team's rebounds. His personal high for rebounds this year is 32, which he garnered against St. Augustine's College.

Being Fayetteville State's candidate for ALL-CIAA, Bibby has played superb basketball regardless of the score. He is a very strong lad, whose will and determination has left State fans with the belief tournament berth.

That the Broncos may attain a CIAA Besides having a tremendous jump shot, Bibby possesses a variety of driving lay-ups and beautifully executed hook shots. Opponents usually have to place two or more men to check him. Because of this, he is also one of the team's assist leaders.

Frank Worrell:

Famed Cricketeer Is Knighted By Queen After Beating England

JAMAICA — (ANP) — He played his way into the hearts of cricketers lovers the world over and won the esteem of the queen of the land which invented the grand English sport.

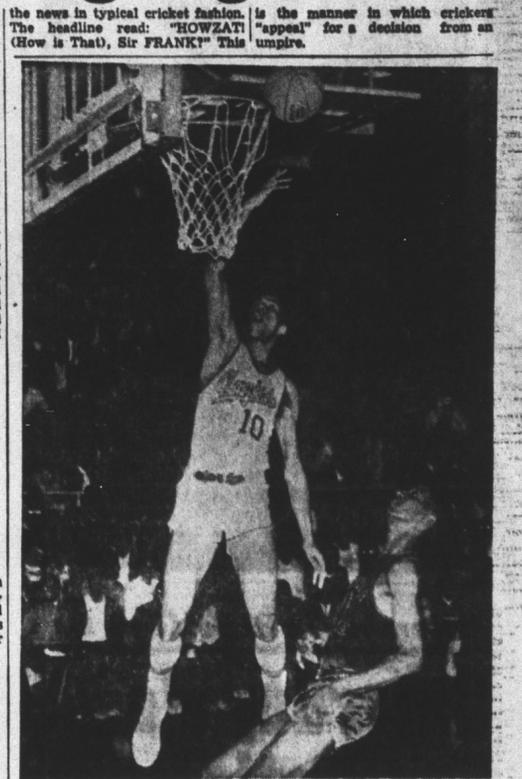
That salutation applies to Frank Worrell, internationally famous cricketer, who is hailed here as "The greatest team captain the West Indies has ever had." He won that accolade last summer after he had "masterfully" led the tour West Indies team to victory over England in a series of test (championship) matches there.

Worrell's brilliant career was climaxed with a great honor recently when Queen Elizabeth II of Britain made him a knight with the title of "Sir," in a special New Year's Day tribute. Worrell was elevated to knighthood at the same time the queen made Jamaica's Prime Minister, Sir Alexander Bustamante, a member of Britain's select Privy Council, traditionally an advisory group to the ruling monarch.

Worrell, graceful and picturesque and yet one of the fastest scoring batsmen the game has produced, announced his retirement from cricket after returning home to tumultuous welcome from a touring foreign team here in February.

In England, his West Indies team was credited with "giving the 'all-ling' game a shot in the arm." The West Indians play a more colorful brand of cricket than the English.

Therefore, when the knighthood was announced in London, Lord Beaverbrook's Daily Express paid tribute to Worrell and headlined



AGGIE SHOT—Warren Davis, (10) star center for the A&T College Aggies, taps in two points as the Aggies last week routed the Virginia State College Trojans, 92-62, in a CIAA basketball game played at Greensboro. Frank Stephens, (41) All-CIAA performer for Virginia State, waits the rebound.

Indians' Brass Tab Young Tommie Agee As A Prize Prospect

CLEVELAND, O. (ANP) — The Cleveland Indians may have in Tommie Agee one of the fastest and one of the most talented young outfield prospects in the American League.

Tommie (that's the correct spelling) Agee has found that one of his problems in the major leagues has been to get people to pronounce his name correctly, in addition to the right spelling. He says that the last name is pronounced ("A" as in hay) "Gee" (as in gee whiz), and after watching the former Green Bay (Wis.) college star in action on brief occasions, that's what fans have been saying, too—Gee Whiz!

Tommie is only 21 years old and has been in professional baseball since 1961 when he played his first season at Dubuque. In 64 games for the Iowa club, the powerfully built Alabama youngster hit .261 and clubbed fifteen homers.

In 1962, he advanced to Burlington where he hit .258 and then finished the season with Jacksonville and with Cleveland. He began the past year at Charleston and was off to his best start in baseball until loyalty to a teammate forced him out of the line-up with a broken thumb.

Agee was riding the crest of a near .300 season and, as usual for him, was having a brilliant year in the field. A fight between a teammate and an opposing player

Grid Star Shoots Self Accidentally

CLEVELAND — (ANP) — Jim Marshall, defensive end for the Minnesota Vikings pro football team and former Ohio State star, underwent a serious operation at Cleveland Hospital here last week after he accidentally shot himself in the abdomen while trying to unload a pistol.

His condition was as first reported to be serious, but he was later said to be recovering satisfactorily.

The bullet was removed during the operation. Marshall was visiting relatives in Cleveland at the time of the accident.

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grees. This is the kind of new breed of athletes we are producing now. Bob, just 22 and six feet five, received a scholarship to Nebraska in 1960 after playing high school ball with East Tech.

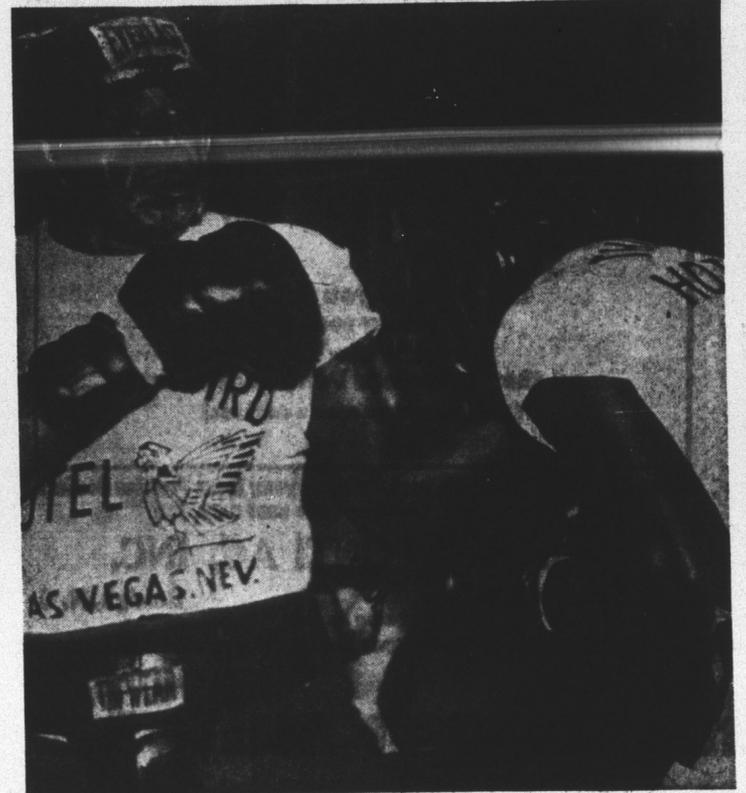
"I weighed about 280 pounds then," he recalled while visiting his father (delicatessen operator) and mother in Cleveland after the Orange Bowl game. "At the start of last season, I weighed in at 268, but I finished at 272. Can't quite figure that one out. I like to think I'm as quick as I've ever been, but I suppose, I'm not quite so fast as I used to be."

He said his performance was in the Cornhuskers' victory that clinched the big Eight title. But he thought his team's best effort was the Orange Bowl win, the school's first triumph in bowl competition in three tries.

Brown is likely to be used at defensive tackle for the Eagles.

"That's fine with me, just so I play," he said.

With an outlay like the Eagles have just committed themselves to there is no doubt that Brown will receive plenty action.



STEPS UP INTENSITY OF TRAINING—Heavyweight boxing champion Charles (Sonny) Liston, left, began sparring in Las Vegas, Nevada last week as he stepped up the intensity of workout for the forthcoming title fight in Miami Beach with Cassius Clay. Liston will spend about one month in Las Vegas before moving his training camp to Florida. (UPI PHOTO).

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IN A GREAT LIGHT BEER

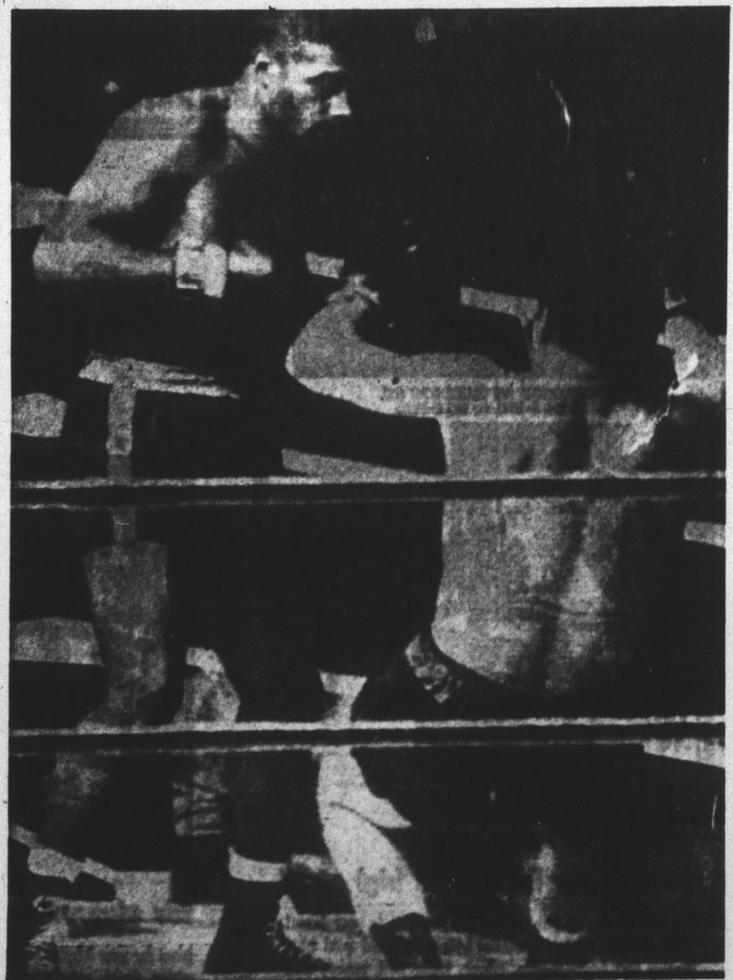
BEATING THE GUN

BY BILL BROWER
CHICAGO (ANP)—There was a time when a tan college player would give his eye teeth for a crack at pro football. That day appears to be gone forever. For example Paul Warfield, the excellent halfback from Ohio State university, passed up a year of track eligibility to sign a contract with the Cleveland Browns for \$35,000, including bonus and a two-year, no-cut clause.

But this was mere chicken feed when you consider the contract that Bob Brown the 277-pound All-America guard from Nebraska, received from the Philadelphia Eagles.

Brown, sought by both the Denver Broncos of the American Football League and the National Football League team, received a three-year no-cut contract, plus a fancy bonus. Figures are a secret, but insiders seem to think that the deal totaled \$125,000. If so, this is probably the richest deal a player has extracted in pro football history.

Brown, a Cleveland will be graduated from Nebraska next month. But he certainly isn't being lulled into false security about his fabulous transaction that was completed right after the Cornhuskers' 13-7 victory over Auburn in the Orange Bowl classic. Planning to teach, Brown plans to remain on Nebraska's campus until



FLOYD MAKING COMEBACK—Stockholm, Sweden: Sante Amonti of Italy folds and heads for the canvas after being hit by former world heavyweight champ Floyd Patterson during their bout here January 6th. Patterson, on the "comeback trail" after being defeated twice by champ Sonny Liston, won the bout by a TKO in the eighth-round of a scheduled 10-rounder. (UPI PHOTO).

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