

TO CINDERELLA PLAY HOST TO DRAKE SATURDAY

With the opening outdoor dual meet with Drake coming up Saturday at Cedar Falls, Track Coach Art Dickinson has turned up with some surprising strength on the Iowa State Teachers college track squad.

The Panthers lost six of their seven top scores from last year, but they won six, lost two and finished second in the North Central conference meet.

The pursuit of osteopathy caused No. 1 scorer—Ed Herrmann—to transfer. He scored 932 points in 1948. Transfer also took John Revelle, the crack high jumper who set a school mark of 6 feet 4 1/2 inches.

Ineligibility got two more of the top seven. Marriage claimed a fifth. A football injury has kept Dutch Goodwin—No. 2 scorer last year with 61 points—from taking up the spotlight and discus again this year.

In addition, one more of the 12 lettermen, Quartermiller Dwight Michl, hurt a leg and has just started to work out again.

But with the 10 available lettermen, Dickinson has gotten effective service from two transfer students and five freshmen.

They have already set three new indoor track marks, resetting the 800 yard mark three times in winning four indoor meets, taking the state AAU title and finishing second in the North Central relays.

Davenport's state prep champs provided three successful freshmen. Bill Hill of Waverly is a transfer from Simpson college in Indiana.

In the 440 yard run, Ted Marr, a transfer from Berkley, Cal., has the best present time at 52.7 seconds.

Lettermen Doug Pinkham and Dick Purdy of Cedar Falls are next at 53.0 and 53.1.

Freshman Bruce Florence of Davenport hit 53.3.

In the distances—mile and two mile—Letterman Frank Morrison has come through. He hit 9:44.0 indoors to break a nine year old record in the two mile, and timed 4:29.3 in the indoor mile, within five seconds of another 10 year mark.

In the pole vault the third Davenport freshman—Jim Lundquist—lifted over 12 feet 6 inches to better Letterman John Bancroft and take over Bill Weiler's place.

Waterloo prep Gerald Cohn, who was state champ while at West high, may replace Revelle in the high jump. He has hit 6 feet 2 3/4 inches indoors.

Three former state champs, Cohn, Crew and Lundquist, are working for the Panthers.

Strokes to Spare

Monday's action ended bowling in the Water Falls league, with S & S emerging the victor. Quality had to be satisfied with second place, and Johnson's copped third place.

The minor league has three teams tied for third, Home Furnace, Pastime, Borden's, Zierath's and Bus Driver's are tied for fourth.

Conger holds first in the Waterloo league even though it lost three points to Local 46. Second Place Waterloo Bowling Alleys took three points from Kunkle to climb within four points of the leaders.

Chamberlain's went into a point lead in the Sportsman league over the Viking as it wrapped Hansen's four games. Viking won three from Local 1182.

Prizes will be awarded to the Classic league bowlers Tuesday night at the Sportsman league. Also, prizes will be distributed to bowlers for the first annual Classic league Sweepstake, which will be Tuesday night at 7 o'clock.

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WATERLOO LEAGUE. Shaw Plaster 2, Pepsi-Cola 2. Bob Benz 225 and 330, Orville Barber 215, Al Edwards 209.

STARBUCK LEAGUE. A. Wood 145, M. Farmer 375. Klien Maid 1, Spider Kurth's 3.

DAVIS TO COACH Army Freshmen. Los Angeles, Cal. — (AP) — Lt. Glenn Davis, former all-America army backfield ace, will report to West Point Apr. 26 as assistant freshman football coach.

MAY MAKE DENVER OPEN WOMEN'S MEET. Denver — (INS) — Mrs. Mildred (Babe) Zaharias, the United States' great woman athlete, has expressed interest in tentative plans for a female version of the Denver Open golf tournament.

NORTH DAKOTA IN NCAA. Chicago — (AP) — Three schools, University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, N. D., Nebraska State Teachers college, Wayne, Neb., and Cornell State Teachers college, Corland, N. Y., have been approved as active members of the National Collegiate Athletic association.

PREP SPORTS Baseball. Iowa Falls, Ia. — Coach Howard Flower reports that 20 Iowa Falls high school boys have reported for baseball practice.

YOWANS COUNT SWIM TRIUMPHS. Iowa City, Ia. — (Special) — The finest all-around swimming season in the history of the University of Iowa now has closed and the records are second places in the Western conference and National Collegiate title meets.

Lopat Adds Knuckler: FOLLOWING BEARDEN'S PATTERN OF 1948

St. Petersburg, Fla. — (AP) — Ed Lopat, third New York Yankee southpaw, is following Gene Bearden's example by adding a knuckler ball to his repertoire.

Bearden was just another pitcher in the Yankee farm system until Casey Stengel taught him the knuckler at Oakland in 1946-47. Last year as a rookie he was a 20-game winner and world series hero for Cleveland.

Lopat doesn't expect such startling results. With him, it's more of an experiment. "I don't know whether I'll use it in a regular game," said Lopat, "but it worked pretty good down here."

"You have to be sure about two things with a knuckler. First, the ball has to do something. No may-be about it. If it doesn't flutter, you're dishing up a nothing ball. Second, you have to get it over. The best knuckler in the world is just junk, if it isn't over the plate."

Lopat threw the knuckler at Dick Wakefield the other afternoon in an exhibition game. The Detroit leftfielder was so surprised that he let it sail past for a called third strike.

News of the knuckler leaked out before Lopat was ready. He hoped to puzzle American league hitters before they knew he had the new pitch.

"Like any other new pitch," he said, "you have to take it easy or you can ruin your arm. My shoulder started to tighten up a little the other day after I threw it so I dropped it for a while. Same thing happened when I started to throw a screw ball in the minors."

Lopat's best pitch is his screw ball, a low breaking ball that curves away from a righthanded hitter. It's his ace when he wants to make the batter hit the ball on the ground with a chance for a double play.

BASEBALL BRIEFS (Continued) Staff and Florian Cassutt to minor league farms.

GIANTS 15, INDIANS 10. Lubbock, Tex. — (AP) — The Cleveland Indians Tuesday sent Pitcher Don Black to their farm club base at Marianna, Fla.

BROWNS CUT SQUAD. Austin, Tex. — (AP) — The St. Louis Browns-Chicago Cubs' spring series moved Tuesday to the state capital.

LOPATA PHIL'S 1ST CATCHER. Montgomery, Ala. — (AP) — As a reward for being "the most improved player on the club," Rookie Catcher Stan Lopata Tuesday was designated the Philadelphia Phillies' first-string catcher by Mgr. Eddie Sawyer.

NO TRADES. El Paso, Tex. — (AP) — Leo Durocher, manager of the New York Giants, and Branch Rickey, Jr., of the Brooklyn Dodgers, talked baseball here. No deals came of the meeting.

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High School Pitcher Has Scouts Afire

Long Beach, Cal. — (AP) — Major league scouts are keeping tabs on a 16-year-old brilliant high school junior who is phenomenally adept at making batters fan the breeze.

His name is Frank Followell. The six-foot southpaw has pitched seven games this season. Three have been no-hitters and the other four merely shut-outs.

Supreme Court Review Granted to Grid Fighters. Washington — (AP) — Two men convicted of trying to bribe New York Giant pro football players have been granted a supreme court review of their trials.

MINNEAPOLIS — (AP) — George Mikan, the Basketball Association of America's all-time scoring champion, Tuesday appeared ready to climax his season with the greatest individual exhibition in the league's playoff history.

MIAN SCORER. Mikan scored a record breaking 1,898 points for a 282 points per game average during the regular BAA campaign but his playoff production has been even more spectacular.

MINNEAPOLIS IS AHEAD BY AS MUCH AS 14 POINTS AT ONE TIME but inspired fourth quarter play by Bones McKinney and Little Sonny Hertzberg put the Caps back in the game.

HOWIE ATTEN OELWEIN PRO. Oelwein, Ia. — Howie Atten, for the past 10 years associated with the Edgewater Golf club in Chicago, has been named pro-manager of the Elks Country club here.

INDIANAPOLIS TRACK DIES IN POVERTY. Long Beach, Cal. — (INS) — Funeral rites were being arranged Tuesday for Ernest Moross, 75, first manager of the Indianapolis Speedway who died in poverty at Long Beach Monday.

AMATEUR SPORTS SCENIC LEAGUE MEETS. McGregor, Ia. — Members of Iowa's Scenic league will meet at the Ames hall in National Tuesday to make plans for the coming season.

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Suggest Sale of Derby Track to Non-Profit Group

Chicago — (AP) — A committee of the American Turf association's board of directors Tuesday recommended that Churchill Downs race track be sold to a non-profit charitable organization after the spring meeting.

The committee agreed unanimously Monday that it was desirable to transfer Churchill Downs and the Douglas park race track to the new corporation.

Earlier, the committee elected Col. Matt Winn president and general manager of Churchill Downs, and recommended that the new corporation execute bonds payable in 20 years to purchase the property.

The board of directors okayed the report and said a meeting of the directors would be called to take final action on the sale recommendation.

Set Dates for NBL Playoffs. Lafayette, Ind. — (AP) — The first game of the eastern division playoff in the National Professional Basketball league will be Friday at Syracuse, N. Y., and the western division's first play off game will be at Oshkosh Wednesday.

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KNOWLEDGE OPERATION ON TAB FOR BERTELLI. New York City — (AP) — Quarterback Angelo Bertelli, a one-time Notre Dame standout, was scheduled to enter Lenox Hill hospital Tuesday for a knee operation.

RETIRED JERSEY NUMBERS. Lexington, Ky. — (AP) — The University of Kentucky Tuesday retired the jersey numbers worn by Ralph Beard, Alex Groza, Cliff Barker, Wallace Jones and Kenny Rollins as they led the Wildcats to three NCAA and four Southeastern conference basketball championships.

RIDERS SIX WINNERS. Bowie, Md. — (AP) — Six straight winners—those was the payoff performance boasted Tuesday by Benvenuto, the newest apprentice riding sensation.

ELLIOTT BACK COACH. Corvallis, Ore. — (AP) — Chalmers (Bump) Elliott, 24, former University of Michigan all-American halfback, has been named backfield coach at Oregon State college.

MITCHELL 4-H WINNER. St. Ansgar, Ia. — The Mitchell 4-H Trail Blazers won the Class A basketball tournament at the St. Ansgar gymnasium.

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Matmen From 10 Cities in AAU Mat Tourney

Cedar Rapids, Ia. — (INS) — The navy's defending U. S. wrestling champions will arrive by plane in Cedar Rapids Wednesday or Thursday for the National AAU mat tournament in the Coe fieldhouse.

Tournament Secretary John Eichhorn also said that a former Iowan, Leland Christensen, had indicated he will fly from San Francisco to compete in the tourney Friday and Saturday.

Christensen formerly lived in Cherokee and was a member of the U. S. Olympic team last year.

WRESTLERS FROM 10 IOWA cities have announced their participation in the tourney. They will come from Iowa City, Davenport, Waterloo, Ames, North Liberty, Eagle Grove, Cedar Falls, Osage, Cherokee and Mt. Vernon.

The Davenport contingent includes three men from St. Ambrose college.

TRIPOLI, BUCKEYES Play for Crown. Finals of the third annual YMCA gold medal basketball tournament will be played Tuesday night.

MEETING FOR THE CHAMPIONSHIP at 8:45 will be Kramer's of Tripoli and the Waterloo Buckeyes.

ELSON WILL SPEAK ON SPORT HIGHLIGHTS. Bob Elson, Chicago sports writer who is the speaker for the Waterloo YMCA annual all-sports banquet, will talk on "Highlights in Sports."

AU MEET CONTINUES. Boston — (AP) — The mass production National AAU boxing tournament nearly wheeled into its second day of action at noon Tuesday.

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Fighter Charles Will Appear in Des Moines Ring

Des Moines — (AP) — Ezzard Charles, a contender for the vacated heavyweight title of Joe Louis, will fight in Des Moines Apr. 27 or 28.

Promoter Pinkie George said Monday night Charles would appear in a four round, no decision bout. Charles is scheduled to fight Jersey Joe Walcott in June for Louis' title.

Charles' opponent has not been chosen yet, George said.

PLAN TO FORM Major Softball Circuit Here. An eight team softball league to play night games on the Deere diamond here will be formed.

JOHN STRAUB and Leo Morris, in charge of the athletic program at the Deere company, said Tuesday that plans are being made for a league to be known as the Major League.

TEAMS WILL BE FROM Waterloo and Cedar Falls. Managers or sponsors interested in entering teams in the circuit may contact either Straub or Morris.

HUDSON WILL HAVE DRIVING INSTRUCTION. (Courier Special Service) Hudson, Ia. — An adult driving class will be conducted for 16 students, who will receive instructions from students at Iowa State Teachers college, Cedar Falls, under the direction of Bert Woodcock, director of safety at the college.

ROSEMOND Auto company will furnish a car with dual controls. Instruction is expected to start next week.

AUSTRALIAN CAPTURES BIRDS. Sydney, Australia — (AP) — An original dhoter at Campbell Mission in Arnhem Land in northern Australia performed for Herbert Deignan of the United States National museum the remarkable feat of catching birds alive with a stockwhip.

HE WOULD flick the whip and wrap the tip around the bird's beak and bring it down almost unharmed.

AS A RESULT Deignan, associate curator of birds at United States National museum, was able to get films of the birds alive as well as good specimens.

DEIGNAN was a member of the joint expedition to Arnhem Land by the Australian department of information and the National Geographic Society of America.

THREE NEW track records were set during the recent boxing meeting. The horses posting new marks were Make Swing, Alpha and Coaltown.

ATTENTION Sports Fans HEAR... BOB ELSON Chicago Sportscaster... AT... 1949 Y.M.C.A. Annual All-Sports Banquet THURSDAY, APRIL 7 6:30 P.M.

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