

Wilhelm's 2.19 ERA Cops American League Title

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NEW YORK (AP) — Hoyt Wilhelm, Baltimore's veteran knuckelballer, won the American League earned run championship the past season to become baseball's first pitcher to win the title in each major league.

Wilhelm gave up only 55 earned runs in 226 innings for a 2.19 earned run average in 1959. Figures compiled by The Associated Press showed yesterday. He won the National League crown in 1952 with a 2.43 mark while relieving for the New York Giants.

The Orioles' right-hander had 15 victories and 11 losses the past year, pitching in 32 games with 27 starts.

Bob Shaw of the Chicago White Sox finished second with a 2.65 average. Shaw yielded 68 untainted tallies in 231 innings. He won 13 games and lost 6.

Camilo Pascual of Washington was third with 2.67. The fast-balling right-hander won 17 games for the last-place Senators and gave up 71 earned runs in 239 frames.

Art Ditmar of the New York Yankees was fourth with a 2.90 average. He was followed by Jerry Walker of Baltimore, 2.92 and Billy O'Dell, also of the Orioles, 2.94.

Whitey Ford of the Yanks, the ERA champion last year with 2.01, was seventh in 1959 with 3.04. Then came Early Wynn of Chicago, with 3.13, Bud Daley of Kansas City, 3.17 and Milt Pappas of Baltimore, 3.27.



HOYT WILHELM

Soccer Cubs Edged 4-3 By Bucknell

The Nittany Lion freshman soccer team dropped a close 4-3 decision to the Bucknell frosh on the winners' field yesterday as the final whistle halted a closing threat by the Lion Cubs in front of the Bisons' nets.

The Nittany fledglings had pulled to within one goal of the home team when Edward Hinojosa made good on a penalty kick with one minute remaining in the game.

On the ensuing kickoff by Bucknell, the Lions stole the ball and moved rapidly downfield, controlling the ball in tight in front of the Bisons' goal, jockeying for position and an open shot when the final gun went off to end the comeback threat.

The Bucknell freshmen had gotten off to an early lead, scoring the first goal in the opening period. But the Lion Cubs fought back and center forward Russ Naylor booted a 15-yard shot that got past the Bison goalie to tie the score before the end of the first quarter.

The Nittany defense let down momentarily in the second period as the Bison line moved in behind the Lion fullbacks and maneuvered the ball past Penn State goalie Frank Carpenter, the lone defender. The half ended with the Bisons holding a 2-1 lead.

The Blue and White frosh came back strong after the intermission and gained ball control after the Bisons tallied their third point early in the third quarter. Naylor countered his second goal of the day as he let loose with a shot in close that bounced off a Bucknell fullback's leg and into the net.

Hinojosa's penalty kick in the last minute of play accounted for the Lions third and final tally.

The charges of coach Ron Black meet their third foe of the season tomorrow afternoon when they entertain Lock Haven STC on Beaver Field at 3:30.

Lombardi Is Answer To Packer Success

GREEN BAY, Wis. (AP)—The Green Bay Packers, weaklings of the National Football League in recent years, are on the march again. And during a so-called re-building period under a new coach who didn't know whether he wanted the job

The Packers, who won only one of 12 starts in 1958, have swept past the Chicago Bears, the Detroit Lions and the San Francisco 49ers.

What's the reason for Green Bay's return to power after 15 years?

The answer has to be Vince Lombardi, who was talked into leaving the New York Giants by a five-year contract as head coach and general manager.

Lombardi, noted as an offensive genius as an assistant coach in New York, has revitalized the Packers by instilling in them a fierce desire to win and by making shrewd deals.

It was a case of "put out or get out" when the 45-year-old former Fordham star greeted his squad in training. Then followed a long period of installing his intricate defense and offensive pattern.

Vince, happy and smiling one moment and flashing his fiery temperament the next, fooled everyone by stressing defense. He figured that was his top problem.

To bolster the defense, he picked up veteran Em Tunnell from the Giants. Then he grabbed Bill Quinlan in a trade with Cleveland. A few more deals and Lombardi's team was molded.

With the bruising defensive unit holding opponents to three touchdowns, two by passing, the resurgent Packers are the only undefeated team in the rugged NFL.

Phils Renew Agreement

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — The Philadelphia Phillies reported yesterday they had renewed their agreement with Des Moines, Iowa, their farm affiliate in the class B Three Eye League.

Navy Sinks Co-ops As Rain Falls

Last night for the sixth time in the short span of two weeks rain forced postponement of IM football games. Only two contests were completed as a cold drizzle wiped the other seven off the books.

Playing in a virtual sea of mud, Navy ROTC (Alpha) sunk the College Co-ops in overtime. However, on an adjacent field the freshman Navy team (Baker) didn't prove themselves as seaworthy, losing to Burke A.C. one first down to none.

The Alpha-Co-op game ended with no score and both teams tied in first downs, 3-3. A fifteen-yard roughing penalty gave Navy the yardage it needed to gain the win in the extra period.

Except for three receptions by Bob Lugo, a hard-charging Navy line smothered any offensive gestures by the Co-ops.

A short pass from Dick Hornbeck to Pete Saul enable Burke A.C. to garner a first down and edge NROTC-Baker. The Navy frosh were able to complete only one pass, and that with less than two minutes remaining in the game.

APFL Looks for Chief

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP) — Lamar Hunt of Dallas, an organizer of the American Professional Football League, said yesterday a committee is still working toward the appointment of a Commissioner.

The wealthy sportsman said he is here primarily to discuss league draft policies.

NYAC to Try To Take Away Fight Licenses

NEW YORK (AP) — The New York State Athletic Commission, charging misconduct, yesterday took steps to revoke the licenses of three principals in the promotion of the ill-starred Floyd Patterson-Ingemar Johansson heavyweight title fight last June 26.

After a month-long series of hearings, the regulatory body struck at Rosensohn Enterprises, Inc., promoter of the Yankee Stadium bout; Bill Rosensohn, former head of the organization who broke with his partner, Vincent Velella, and Cus D'Amato, manager of the deposed champion, Patterson.

The commission directed that these parties show cause why their licenses should not be revoked.

Although the accused have a chance to appear before the commission and appeal their cases, the action has the effect of barring them from further fight activities in the state.

The effect of the commission ruling on the return Patterson-Johansson bout, tentatively set for next spring, was not immediately apparent. It seemed to rule out New York as a possible site.

Velella, president of Rosensohn Enterprises, said he still holds the contract for the bout and he expected to proceed with the promotion—under a new name and in new areas.

Coach Knocks Criticism

BALTIMORE (AP) — Weeb Ewbank feels as coach of the Baltimore Colts he has a right to ask for perfection. But he doesn't like outsiders to knock them.

Although the Colts have won two of their first three games, many comments have gone around they haven't played up to the peak which won them the National Football League championship last year.

"There are always corrections to make," Ewbank said yesterday, "but give the other team a little credit, too. All the teams in the league are tough.

"Top or bottom, they take a lot of effort to beat, and I can't understand people who are never satisfied with what we do."

The Chicago Bears, who beat the Colts 26-21 two weeks ago, are the next opponent Sunday.

Devine's 137 Sets Record In IM Golf

By BOB YEARICK

Bob Devine set two records in IM Independent golf medal play over the weekend by shooting a 67 Sunday and totaling 137 for the tournament. His scores set new tournament records.

Nick Powell of Sigma Alpha Epsilon copped the fraternity medal golf championship with a 71 and a 77 for a 148 total.

Tom Bolling of Phi Gamma Delta was runnerup to Powell with scores of 73 and 76 for a total of 149.

Tied for third were Tom Crusco of Kappa Delta Rho and Charlie Kunkel of Lambda Chi Alpha. They each had totals of 151.

Bill O'Neil of Delta Upsilon and Mike Patterson of Alpha Chi Sigma shot 153's to share fifth place in the competition.

Bill Walsh of Delta Sigma Phi shot a 77 and a 79 to take seventh with a 158 total.

Bob Rutherford of Sigma Alpha Epsilon and Bill Rutt of Lambda Chi Alpha each shot 157 and wound up in eighth place.

In independent play, Devine's closest competitor, Ralph McCormick, was a full ten strokes behind. He finished with 147.

Tom Jackson was third with a 157. Dennis Mayer shot 159 to take fourth place.

The tournament was held last weekend. Forty-eight fraternity men were entered and 24 independents participated.

Devine succeeds Dave Holler, who won the independent medal last year with 143. Les Walker won the fraternity trophy in 1958 for Lambda Chi Alpha.

Booters Gain Win--

(Continued from page six) their worth on Saturday," Hosterman said.

The two Lion netminders more than lived up to Hosterman's pre-season prophecy on Saturday as they combined to hold the Orange scoreless for the entire game.

Credit for Fegley's and Grubbs' success in the goal must also fall to the performances of Al Nieto, Wayne Rodgers and Phil Gum at the fullback slots. Hosterman was well pleased with the performances of all three of their abilities to break up a scoring play.

This Saturday the Lion booters will be gunning for their second victory when they meet the Red Raider of Colgate on the Raiders home ground.



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