

Three Lions take honors

Dorsett tops All-East list

NEW YORK (AP) — Heisman Trophy winner Tony Dorsett of the University of Pittsburgh was named to The Associated Press All-East college football team yesterday for the fourth year in a row.

Dorsett was one of four repeaters on the 1976 squad, including Pitt teammates Jim Corbett, a tight end, and middle guard Al Romano, and defensive end Nate Toran of Rutgers, who made the team for the third time.

Peter Cronan of Boston College, who made the first team a year ago as a defensive tackle, changed positions this season and was relegated to the second team as a linebacker.

Pitt's Panthers, the Lambert Trophy champions and the No. 1-ranked team in the nation, as well, dominated



the All-East selections with eight representatives, four on offense and four on defense. Besides the record-breaking Dorsett, Pitt placed Corbett, tackle John Hanhauser and guard Tom Brzoza on the offensive unit and Romano, end Cecil Johnson, tackle Randy Holloway and back Bob Jury on the defensive platoon.

Penn State, the perennial Eastern champs until Pitt dethroned them this year, had three players on the All-East team: offensive tackle George Reihner, linebacker Kurt Allerman and defensive back Gary Petercusk.

Paul Michalko and wide receiver Bob Farnham and B.C. had offensive guard Steve Schindler and linebacker Bob Watts.

Rounding out the offensive team are wide receiver Steve Lewis of West Virginia, center Chuck Lodge of Villanova and running back John Pagliaro of Yale, the Ivy League's Player of the Year.

The other defensive players are linebacker Doug Curtis of Colgate, the only sophomore on the All-East team, and back Tim Moresco of Syracuse.

Seven juniors made the team: Brzoza, Holloway, Jury, Lewis, Lodge, Pagliaro and Petercusk.

Dorsett, of course, set an NCAA single-season record by rushing for 1,948 yards this year and boosted his career mark to 6,082.

McVay official Giant coach now

PLEASANTVILLE, N.Y. (AP) — John McVay, who started the 1976 season as an assistant coach with the New York Giants and ended it as the man who turned the club around will be head coach for the next two years.

The one time head coach of the Memphis Southmen in the now-defunct World Football League took over the Giants' reins on an interim basis when Bill Arnsparger was fired from the club winless in seven games. He guided the team through a 3-4 second half and, in the process, won the enthusiastic respect of the players who almost unanimously called for his rehiring.

His call did not go unheeded. Yesterday he was given a two-year contract to coach the National Football League club. In fact, according to Giants President Wellington Mara and Director of Operations Andy Robustelli, there was never any question that McVay would be back.

"From the time he took over," Mara said, "we were rooting for him, rooting for the team to do the things that would warrant keeping him as the head coach. And they worked out just that way."

The primary thing was that the players responded to the 45-year-old McVay, and the way the fans responded to the players. "Watching the players," McVay said, "I saw men suddenly playing hard, going all out, playing with abandon... really having a good time. And of course we started winning a few games."

"But I don't think it wasn't necessarily the wins that the fans found most important. It was seeing players putting out as hard as they could. I'm pleased, really honored, that the players said they wanted me back, that they were backing me. But more important to me is the way they played for me."

McVay said his first step "is to firm up the assistants, to put together a coaching staff. I'm going to start on that right now and hope to get the job done by the end of the month." He didn't say which assistants might be staying or going and whom he might try to hire.

And after that, McVay said, "we've got to sit down and decide our priorities, to determine where we need the most help and in what order. We'll say, 'We need this, this, this...' the list gets very long."

"As for the draft, I'll be very involved in it — if there is, in fact, a draft. And we'll be drafting for position."



George Reihner (68) leads the way for Tom Donovan (21) in this season's Stanford game. Reihner was named to AP's All East college football team yesterday. Collegian photo

Mifflinberg wins

MIFFLINBURG, Pa. (AP) — Senior Mark Wagner sank two foul shots with six seconds remaining last night to give Mifflinburg High School a 56-55 win over Muncy as the Wildcats ended an 88-game losing streak.

Mifflinburg hadn't won since December, 1972, when the Wildcats defeated Hughesville.

"I'm really happy," said Mifflinburg Coach John Miller. "I feel there's been a

INTRAMURALS Snyder takes overtime thriller

By TOM McNICHOL, Assistant Sports Editor

With no time remaining in last night's battle for first place in Dorm League A at the IM Building absolutely nothing had been settled as Snyder House and Elk House had waged a frenzied battle that had produced a 31-31 deadlock.

A little over two minutes later Snyder had reeled off six unanswered points to give them a 37-31 victory and sole possession of first place.

It was a tremendous come-from-behind win for Snyder, who had fallen behind by as many as seven points in the second half, and a tough loss for an Elk squad that featured a tough defense and a physical style of play.

Good defense and cold shooting by both teams marked the early going and the score stood at 8-8 for the fourth tie of the game. Elk then went to man-to-man

full court pressure that caused numerous turnovers.

By halftime Elk had taken an 18-14 lead with Delbert Riley and Jim Feeney (six points apiece) showing the way. Rich Hospodar (8 points) led the way for Snyder with some hot outside shooting.

The beginning of the second half was much like the first as the score was generally tight with Elk occasionally spurting ahead. Then Elk's Brian Zeger went on a six point tear, mostly on fast breaks, and Elk had a 30-24 lead. A technical on Snyder's Bob Miller gave Elk its biggest lead of the night at 31-24.

Then Snyder began its comeback. A basket cut the lead to five. A technical on Elk cut the lead to four. A jumper by Hospodar cut it to two. Then Snyder's Frank Scapetti made a steal at midcourt and passed to Chuck Russ for

Major league standings

National Hockey League							National Basketball Association						
CAMPBELL CONFERENCE							EASTERN CONFERENCE						
Patrick Division							Atlantic Division						
W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA	GB	W	L	T	Pct.	GB		
NY Isl	19	7	3	41	106	69	Philadelphia	15	9	6	.625	—	
Phila	16	7	6	38	107	82	Boston	13	11	4	.542	2	
Atlant	15	8	7	37	104	85	NY Knks	12	13	4	.480	3 1/2	
NY Rng	13	12	6	32	119	106	NY Nets	11	15	3	.423	5	
Smyth Division							Buffalo						
St Lou	12	11	4	28	88	109	Central Division						
Chgo	10	17	4	23	94	112	Houston	15	8	6	.652	—	
Colo	8	16	5	21	83	100	Cleve	16	9	6	.640	—	
Vancvr	8	20	3	19	83	120	N'Orlins	14	12	5	.538	2 1/2	
Minn	6	18	6	18	78	131	S'Anton	13	13	5	.500	3 1/2	
Wales Conference							Washington						
Norris Division							Atlanta						
Mont	23	5	4	50	152	70	WESTERN CONFERENCE						
Pitts	12	13	5	29	91	100	Midwest Division						
L.A.	9	12	10	26	101	100	Denver	17	8	6	.680	—	
Drt	9	15	4	22	75	95	Detroit	15	12	5	.556	3	
Wash	8	17	4	20	81	121	Indiana	13	14	4	.481	5	
Adams Division							Kansas City						
Bstn	16	8	2	40	114	93	Chicago	6	15	2	.286	9	
Buff	16	8	3	35	91	63	Milwkee	4	24	143	.142		
Tnto	13	11	6	32	114	101	Pacific Division						
Cleve	8	15	7	23	80	99	Portland	15	8	6	.692	—	
Monday's Games							Los Ang						
No games scheduled							Golden St						
Yesterday's Games							Seattle						
Los Angeles at Washington							Phoenix						
New York Rangers at New York Islanders							Today's Games						
Philadelphia at Minnesota							Milwaukee at Boston						
Buffalo at Vancouver							Kansas City at Washington						
Today's Games							Golden State at Detroit						
Los Angeles at Atlanta							San Antonio at Indiana						
Detroit at Cleveland							Los Angeles at New Orleans						
St. Louis at Toronto							Denver at Seattle						
Montreal at Colorado													

Foreman highlights NFC All-Star team

NEW YORK (AP) — Running back Chuck Foreman was the only unanimous selection for the National Football Conference's 1977 Pro Bowl team, NFC president George Halas announced yesterday.

Foreman, the versatile running back for the Minnesota Vikings, was one of 24 selected players whose NFC teams are alive in the National Football League.

The Dallas Cowboys, who play host to the Los Angeles Rams Sunday in one NFC matchup, had the most players selected, eight. Minnesota, which is home against the Washington Redskins Saturday, had seven of its players picked for the Jan. 17 game in Seattle's Kingdome.

Three of the Cowboys are starters — wide receiver Drew Pearson, the NFC receiving champion; tight end Billy Joe DuPree and free safety Cliff Harris. The other Cowboys on the team are quarterback Roger Staubach, tackle Rayfield Wright, guard Blaine Nye, defensive end Harvey Martin and free safety Charlie Waters.

Minnesota placed five starters on the teams, including Foreman, quarterback Fran Tarkenton, tackle Ron Yary, guard Ed White and defensive tackle Alan Page. Also chosen from Minnesota were rookie wide receiver Sammy White and middle linebacker Jeff Siemon.

Los Angeles had three starters on the team — defensive end Jack Youngblood, outside linebacker Isiah Robertson and cornerback Monte Jackson. Also chosen from the Rams were wide receiver Ron Jessie, center Rich Saul and running back Lawrence McCutcheon.

The three Washington players named — outside linebacker Chris Hanburger, strong safety Ken Houston and return specialist Eddie Brown — all will start.

St. Louis, which was barely squeezed out of the playoff picture by Washington, had six players named to the team. All of them will start. The St. Louis players are wide receiver Mel Gray, tackle Dan Dierdorf, guard Conrad Dobler, center Tom Banks, cornerback Roger Wehrli and kicker Jim Bakken.

Bulls whip Sixers; Flyers settle for tie

CHICAGO (AP) — Mickey Johnson scored 18 points, Scott May pumped in 16 and the pair combined to hold Julius Erving to just nine points last night, helping the Chicago Bulls to a 101-88 National Basketball Association victory over the Philadelphia 76ers.

The victory, before 19,690 fans, the largest crowd ever to attend an NBA game in Chicago, extended the Bulls' winning streak to three games, their longest since Feb. 14, 1974.

The triumph also was the Bulls' fifth in their last six games, a spurt that came on

the heels of a 13-game losing streak.

Pinpoint shooting by reserves John Laskowski and Cliff Pondexter helped Chicago, which led by as many as 20 points, build a 73-58 lead after three quarters.

Philadelphia outscored Chicago 12-2 in a three-minute stretch, closing the gap to 81-71. But a driving layup by guard Wilbur Holland gave Chicago an 87-74 lead with 3:04 remaining and 76ers' Coach Gene Shue began clearing his bench.

Erving scored seven points in the first quarter but was stopped until hitting a bas-

ket in the final period in registering his lowest total of the season.

George McGinnis, who led Philadelphia with 21 points, had trouble guarding May in the second and third quarters when the rookie forward scored 14 of his 16 points.

Chicago center Artis Gilmore shared team scoring honors with 18.

BLOOMINGTON, Minn. (AP) — Tim Young scored two goals in the final two minutes last night to earn the Minnesota North Stars a 3-3 National Hockey League tie with the Philadelphia Flyers.

Young, Minnesota's leading

Gymnast has experience, talent

Ann Carr pleases many crowds

By BARB SHELLY, Collegian Sports Writer

Last Saturday night a Penn State gymnast pleased onlookers at Rec Hall by performing a tsukihara vault, which to most of us is better described as a cartwheel and a back somersault. She scored a highly-applauded 9.4.

Three years ago Ann Carr, competing in Bulgaria with the U.S. team, performed the same feat and received the same score. The meet was held up for 20 minutes while the outraged audience booed the judges.

"At that time it was kind of new," Carr said of the vault. She said only three gymnasts competing in the World Championships had attempted that stunt.

What did Ann think of the crowd's reaction? "I liked it. I thought it was kind of neat," she said. "I've always liked to please the crowd a lot. Even if I was in Bulgaria or Russia or somewhere."

Carr certainly pleased the crowd here Saturday night. In her first meet for Penn State, she was the all-around winner as well as the high scorer in every event.

Ann has been at Penn State before, though. After the U.S. World Championship team returned from Bulgaria in January, 1975, it came to Penn State for a meet against West Germany. That was the first time gymnastic fans here witnessed Ann Carr win the all-around.

Carr's gymnastic background goes a long way back: to the day a harassed mother signed a very energetic nine-year old up for ballet and tumbling at a local Rec Center.

"I liked the tumbling, it was something I was good at," Carr said. Her instructor recognized this fact and referred Ann to coach Bill Coco at the Manettes Club in Philadelphia. Jan Anthony and Joanne Beck, two more Penn State all-arounders, are also products of this excellent club.

"Bill always told me that if I wanted it, I had a lot of talent," Ann said. She went national for the first time in 1971, placing fifth in the Junior Nationals held in California that year.

Three years later Carr placed third in the Elite Nationals (an Elite Performer is one of the top 36 in the country), and earned her spot on the World Championship team.

After the meets against Bulgaria and West Germany, the U.S. team traveled to Russia in April, 1975. There, at the Riga Invitational meet Ann placed fourth in the all-around. She won bronze medals in the vaulting and parallel bar competition. The winner in that meet was Russia's Nelli Kim, a celebrity in last summer's Olympics.

Carr also remembered a meet in Arizona last February, when the U.S. team competed against Romania. There, the all-around was won by the now-famous Nadia Comaneci. Ann's parallel bar routine was scheduled immediately after Nadia's; a hard act to follow since the 14-year-old was awarded a perfect 10.00.

She rose to the challenge rather well, however, scoring a 9.7.

"She's something else," Carr said of Nadia. "She has so much confidence for her age and so much difficulty in her routines. It was an experience just to watch her train."

Ann's biggest achievement in gymnastics so far is the record she set in the Pan American games, in the summer of 1975. Carr won five gold medals in that meet, more than any other single competitor ever. And she almost hadn't made the meet at all.

The 1975 Nationals determined the placing for the Pan American trials, and Carr was unable to compete in the Nationals because of, oddly enough, a wart on the finger of her right hand.

"I never thought it would affect my gymnastics,"

Ann said, and explained that when the wart was removed her finger swelled so much she was unable to perform. "I was petitioned through, fortunately," she said.

Fortunately indeed. Carr went to Miami, won the trials, and went on to set her record in Mexico that summer.

Unfortunately though, it was another injury, a sprained ankle, which interfered with Carr's chances at the trials for the Montreal Olympics. "It hadn't really healed at the time of the trials," Ann said. "I didn't have too much confidence when I went into the meet and I felt a lot of pressure."

Maybe in 1980? "Four years is a pretty long time. I can't really decide right now," Carr said.

She does have two immediate goals, though. One is to compete in this summer's college championships. Carr explained that only four girls, all Olympic material, are chosen. "I'd like to win a medal, but I don't know," she said.

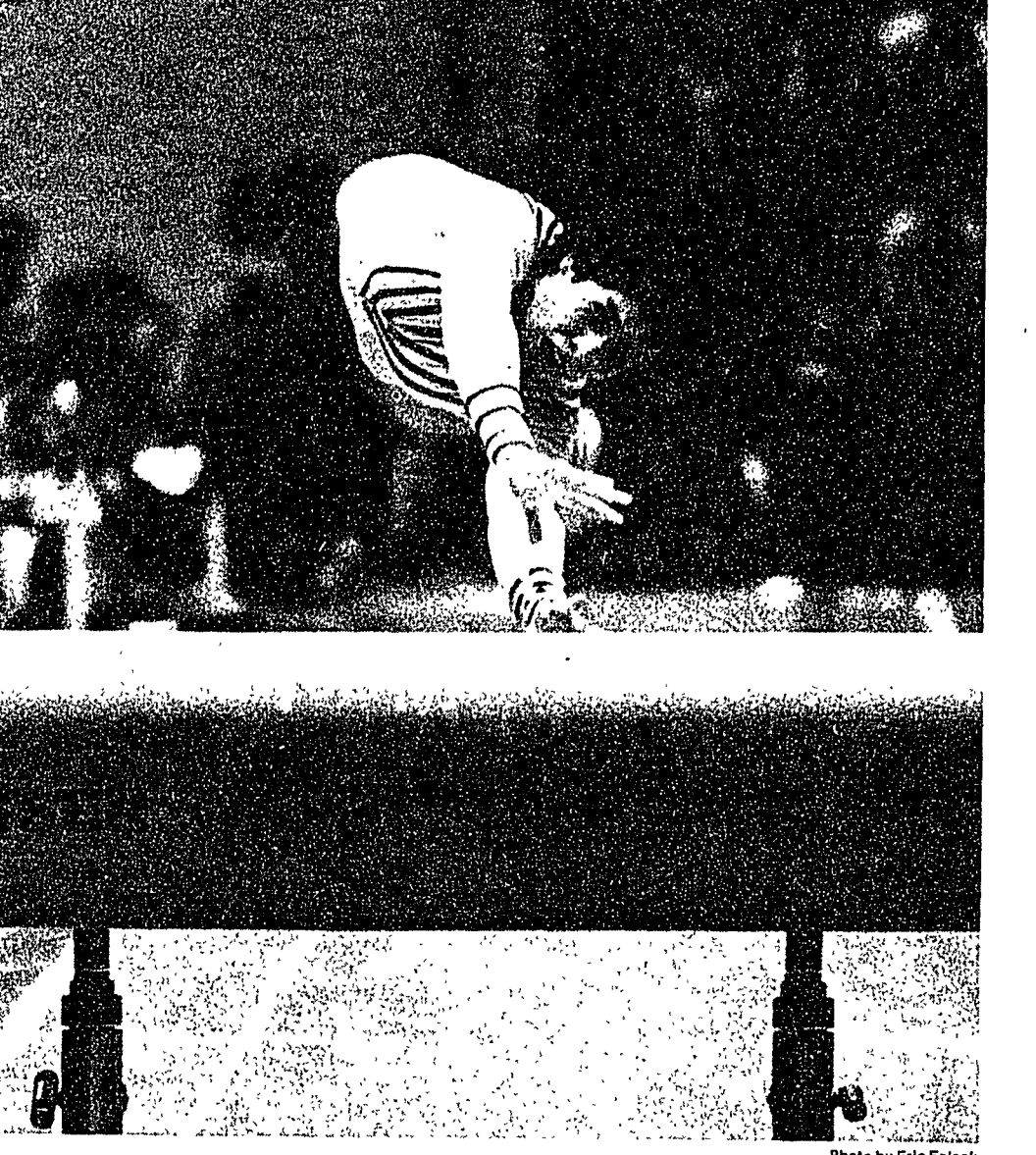
Ann's other aspiration is for Penn State's team. "We're all working hard. We look forward to the season," she said. "We all have a big goal; to win the national championship."

After competing nationally, against the likes of Olga Korbut, Nelli Kim and Nadia, how did Carr end up at Penn State? "I don't know. I'm glad I did," she said.

"When I was here at the West Germany meet, I thought it was a really beautiful school. It has a good gym, good coaches. I wanted to come to a big school."

"When you're a Penn State student competing for Penn State it makes quite a difference from when you're competing for the U.S. and you're in Russia."

"This Saturday the scores didn't matter too much. It wasn't a high-pressure scoring meet. I was more into just performing well."



Ann Carr performs the vault which won a 9.4 from judges and propelled the freshman to all-around honors Saturday night against the University of Massachusetts. Photo by Eric Falack