

# Sport Tales

THE CORNHUSKER CORNER  
By Howard Launer

The Husker baseball season is all over but the shouting. And this season there isn't much to shout about.

However, Coach Tony Sharpe is already planning for next spring. With Omaha's Ray Novak and Bobby Decker; Scottsbluff's Chuck Wright, and Uehling's Pat Mallette eligible for play next year, Sharpe is plotting ways to win a third pennant in his sixth year at the Husker helm.

In conference standings the Nebraska nine ended up in third place with five wins and four losses. Its overall season's record was 10 victories and five defeats.

The weather and inexperience were the two main factors contributing to the Huskers' third place standing.

Sharpe predicted early that inexperience would hurt the team, but he didn't plan on the weather getting into the act. Seven of 22 games were rained out.

With such an abbreviated schedule a loss can cost the championship. The two crucial games of the season, those with Oklahoma and Missouri, were both lost on errors. Just too much pressure, Tony insisted, for too many sophomores and juniors.

Three regulars—Bill Fitzgerald, right fielder from Omaha; John Rego, third baseman from Natick, Mass.; Bill Jensen, shortstop from Denver, Colo. — will be lost through graduation.

Fitzgerald, Omaha senior, was voted the most valuable player by team members.

Fitz received the award even though on one occasion he wasn't quite able to follow the coach's orders.

In the top of the ninth of the Colorado game, the Huskers were trailing by one run. But three walks and a single got a rally going. When Fitzgerald went to the plate, two were out and the bases were loaded. But Coach Sharpe called him back to the bench and confided:

"You're the best hitter I have on the club, Fitz. 'Do you know that?'"

"Yep," was the reply.

"Well, then, go out there and hit that ball over the right field fence," Sharpe demanded.

"O. K. coach," Fitz retorted with a determined look on his face.

Well, he missed the top of the right field fence about six inches but the blow was good enough for a solid triple which cleaned the sacks.

And the Huskers went on to win—13 to 8.

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## Joe Can Win English Title

NEW YORK—After all these years Joe Louis may wind up as the British heavyweight champion.

Over the week end, Jim Norris announced that the Brown Bomber will box Lee Savold in the Polo Grounds here on June 13 over the 15 round route.

After a long confab with Bill Daly, Savold's pilot, and Marshall Miles, the IBC boss said that the British version of the crown will be involved. Savold won it from Bruce Woodcock in London in January, 1950.

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Mrs. Walteretta Seals Young

### Robeson Loses Suit To Regain Passport

WASHINGTON — (ANP) — Singer-actor Paul Robeson last week lost in his attempt to regain his passport, now confiscated by the U. S. state department.

Federal Judge Walter M. Bastian dismissed a suit by Robeson in which he demanded that the federal government grant him a passport.

The noted singer filed suit against the state department in December after the department denied him use of his passport last summer, declaring that he was not traveling "in the best interests of his country."

Judge Bastian said that the department was within its "discretion" in turning down the application.

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