

IT SAYS HERE--- By Ed Ashford

For the first time since racing started at Keeneland, reserved seats in the grandstand will be sold during the meeting which opens Thursday afternoon.

A limited number of reserved seats, located near the finish line, will be available each day. Tickets calling for these seats may be purchased in advance daily at the Admission Department booth located just inside the passageway leading from the main entrance to the grandstand area.

Another improvement at Keeneland this spring is the installation of a second "odds board." The new board is opposite the grandstand and is attached to totalisator board, thus eliminating the difficulty some of the grandstand patrons have had in reading the old odds board, on the clubhouse side of the tote board.

"Thoroughbred racing again will be in the spotlight in the \$64,000 Question's isolation booth tonight when Mrs. Ida Mae Sherburne, 76-year-old grandmother from Nicholasville, and Jockey Billy Pearson continue their arduous quest for the top prize.

Mrs. Sherburne, answering questions concerning thoroughbred racing, received the \$8,000 "pocket" last Tuesday when she correctly named the eight Triple Crown winners and the years in which they won the Kentucky Derby, Preakness and Belmont Stakes.

Jockey Pearson, displaying an expert knowledge and appreciation of art, has safely passed the \$16,000 mark and may be trying for \$32,000 tonight.

Mrs. Sherburne reveals that hers is more than an "academic" knowledge of racing. Speaking of how she first became interested in the sport she says: "It all started back before the war; we were in Chicago and we began going to Arlington Park and the other tracks. It was at Arlington Park that I had my biggest thrill in racing—we hit three daily doubles in one week, one of them for \$300."

Even without her success at the daily double window, however, Mrs. Sherburne could not miss being interested in horses. Her husband, retired Army Colonel Thomas L. Sherburne, was a cavalry officer who, with three of their four sons, formed the Sherburne Four, and played polo at various army posts throughout the country. Then too, the Sherburne home is not far outside Lexington and they have a number of friends who own thoroughbred farms in the Blue Grass.

Billy Pearson has ridden internationally and is an honorary member of the Spanish Jockey Club. A well-known rider in California, he began traveling in the early '50s and has ridden in Singapore, Siam, the Malay States, Egypt, Greece, Italy, France and Mexico.

A system for betting on major league baseball games profitably has been developed and proved successful over a period of years by John Davenport, a man who has devoted 20 years of intensive study to the game.

Writing in the new issue of Esquire magazine, Davenport reveals exactly how his winning system works.

His article entitled "How To Bet On Baseball" proves that if a daily bettor put down a nominal amount in 1935 on a system of 10 major league teams, he would have netted a substantial profit following the system.

Davenport writes that his method enables the

better to outwit the odds-makers and bookies. "My formula is simple and easy to follow and doesn't require any extensive knowledge of baseball, yet it gives the bettor a tremendous edge by telling him when to bet and when not to . . . anyone can back his favorite team—or any team he chooses—and invariably win more than his losses on a season's play."

Here are some of the factors in Davenport's formula:

1. Bet on a team only if it won its previous game.
 2. Never back the home team if you have to give or take runs.
 3. Make every bet for the same amount of money.
 4. Always bet on the same team.
- The Esquire article shows that even if a bettor selected a team that finished in last place, the bettor would still have come out ahead.
- The Pittsburgh Pirates wear a collar club practically all last year, yet a bettor who followed Davenport's formula for winning through 61 games would have netted a profit of \$340 based on a \$100 bet on each game at average odds.
- Davenport's system shows that if a bettor stayed with the Philadelphia Phils last year for 77 games, he would have been awarded with \$2,200. The minimum profit for 1935 was \$100 for going along with the Milwaukee Braves for 85 games.

Dan Swartz, who played varsity basketball as a freshman at the University of Kentucky, and wound up his career with three years of play at Morehead State College, was the nation's third leading scorer this season, final official statistics released yesterday by the National Collegiate Athletic Bureau reveal.

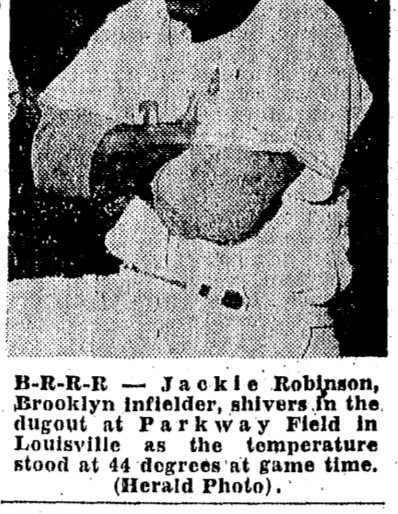
In pacing Morehead to a new team scoring mark—an average of 95.9 points a game—Swartz hit at a 28.6 clip. This figure was surpassed only by two All-America players—Darrell Floyd of Furman (33.8) and Robin Freeman of Ohio State (32.9).

In three years at Morehead, Swartz, who played his high school basketball at Owingsville, had a 27.5 average for 70 games. In his sophomore season his mark was 26.2. He topped it to 27.1 his junior year and finally to 28.6 his last season.

Louisville's Charlie Tyra and Iowa's Carl Cain were the only unanimous choices on Morehead's all-opponent team, selected by a vote of the Esquire letterwinners. Others honored were Forrest Able and Bob Daniels of Western Kentucky, Howie Crittendon of Murray, Jack Adams of Eastern, Don Flora of Washington and Lee, Cebe Price of Marshall, Kenny Sidwell of Tennessee Tech and Phil Wheeler of Cincinnati.

UK's Bob Burrow will play with the South team in the annual polo benefit all-star basketball games at Middletown, Ohio, Friday and Saturday of this week. Other collegiate stars who will compete are Dayton's Bill Uhl and Jim Paxson, Xavier's Dave Plontek and Duke Schneider, Cincinnati's Bill Wheeler and Miami University's Bill Kennon.

Invitations have been mailed for the 12th annual Bourbon Open Golf Tournament scheduled May 12 and 13 at the Old Kentucky Home Country Club in Bardonia. The course will be open Friday, May 11, at no charge to contestants and their wives, provided the tourney entrance fee has been paid. Tournament Committee Chairman Charles DeSpain has announced.



B-R-R-R—Jackie Robinson, Brooklyn infielder, shivers in the dugout at Parkway Field in Louisville as the temperature stood at 44 degrees at game time. (Herald Photo.)

Cincinnati Golfers Nip Wildcats, 14-13

CINCINNATI, April 9 (AP)—Cincinnati's Joe Ziegler sank a five-foot putt on the 18th hole of the last match today to give the Bengals a 14-13 golf victory over Kentucky.

Cincinnati's Denny Staley was medalist with 36-37—73 over the par 35-36—71 course. Bill Marshall was low for Kentucky with 77.

UK Frosh Face Spring Sports Competition

University of Kentucky spring sports teams in baseball, tennis and track will play separate freshman schedules during the next seven weeks that pit the yearling squads against high schools, other freshman squads and some collegiate varsities.

Athletic Director Bernie Shively announced that the Kitten baseball aggregation has been organized under the tutelage of J. R. (Abe) Shannon of Georgetown, former minor league coach and umpire, and will initiate an ambitious, 12-game schedule Wednesday when they entertain the Georgetown College varsity on the Stoll Field diamond. Game time is 3 p. m. and there will be no admission charge.

Other dates on the frosh baseball card include a postponed encounter with Irvine High at Irvine Saturday plus home-and-home tilts with Lexington Lafayette and Henry Clay, state champion Louisville (doubleheaders) and Shelbyville high schools.

Former Kentucky schoolboy title champion and ex-UK distance standout Dwight Price has been assigned to handle the yearling cipher group in competition of seven dates against high school, collegiate varsity and freshman teams. The trackmen will open the season April 17 at Morehead against "Redlegs" varsity, which last Saturday trimmed the Wildcat crop by 73½-57½. The cream of the varsity will take part in freshman events at the annual Southeastern Conference meet in Birmingham on May 17-18.

A four-match schedule against outstanding high school competition, which may be expanded to include a couple of engagements with the state's smaller colleges, faces the Kentucky tennis freshmen. With the dean of Southeastern Conference tennis, Dr. H. H. Downing, serving as their mentor, which varsity tutoring duties, the yearlings are slated to open April 20 at Bellevue. The last time UK fielded a freshman team in tennis was 1940.

Barlick In Hospital

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 9 (AP)—Al Barlick, veteran National League umpire is in St. John's Hospital and it is questionable if he'll be able to open the major league season April 17.

Barlick, 41, reportedly has been bothered by a heart condition.

Tourney Opens Tonight

The first round of the Charles Young Community Center Basketball Tournament will get under way at 6:45 o'clock tonight when the Brown All-Stars play the Trotters and at 8:15 when Perry Lumber Company plays Kesslers.

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BASEBALL
Vanderbilt 6, Tennessee 4.
Florida 7, Florida St. 5.
Virginia 4, Va. Tech 2.
Clemson 6, Clemson 4.
Navy 6, Muhlenberg 4.

GOLF
Cincinnati 14, Kentucky 13.
Alabama 10½, Miss. State 10½.
Florida St. 10½, Georgia Tech 11½.

TENNIS
Duke 8, Davidson 1.
Virginia 8, Marshall 1.

Looking 'N Listening

17:30—All-Star Basketball "North vs. South" (Channel 9.)

PRESSBOX PICKUPS By BILLY THOMPSON

Redlegs Obtain First Baseman George Crowe From Braves In Deal For Rookie Bob Hazle

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 9 — The Cincinnati Redlegs, who possess one of the top first basemen in the major leagues in Ted (Muscles) Kluszewski, acquired another first sacker today—big George Crowe from the Milwaukee Braves.

Crowe, a 33-year-old 6-2, 210-pounder who is left-handed all the way, will join the Redlegs at Knoxville, Tenn., Tuesday.

Milwaukee Manager Charlie Grimm, in announcing the trade as his Braves took on the world champion Brooklyn Dodgers here, said that the Redlegs gave up rookie outfielder Bob Hazle and another player to be picked later for the big Negro first sacker.

Hazle, who will be sent to the Braves' farm club at Wichita, Kan., hit 29 homers for Nashville in the Southern Association last season.

Crowe, who has a 300-plus lifetime batting average in the majors, was born in Whitefield, Ind., and now resides in Springfield Gardens, N. Y. The big first baseman, who is a power hitter, holds an A.B. degree from Indiana Central College.

With Kluszewski, Charley Harmon and Frank Robinson available for first-base duty, the deal for Crowe causes Redleg backers to wonder "what's up?"

Can it be that the rumor that the Redlegs are seeking Robin Roberts from the Phils for King Klu is true? Or are the Redlegs afraid Kluszewski's lame back won't permit him to go the route? Or could the reason be the Redlegs feel they have a good chance to win the pennant and want first-base insurance and a good power-hitter for pinch-hitting duties?

The questions are many—the answers are scarce. Only time will tell.

Howell's Homecoming Spoiled As He's Shipped

Homer (Dixie) Howell, a native of Louisville, has been shipped all during the spring practice session with the Brooklyn Dodgers for April 9 to roll around. He thought he would be happy when that came because he would return home.

"That day came today, but Howell wasn't happy as the Dodgers took on the Milwaukee Braves here, Dixie was shipped back to the minors.



George Crowe Freddie Hynson Robin Roberts Pee Wee Reese
Joining Redlegs Going to Richmond? Moving to Cincy? Isn't Through?

When I arrived at Parkway Field about noon, Howell was catching batting practice with big Don Newcombe on the hill. About 20 minutes later, Dixie was informed that Manager Walt Alston wanted to see him. Several minutes elapsed before Howell returned to the dugout, but he wasn't his usual cheerful self.

I asked him what was wrong and Howell replied, "I am going back to the minors."

He explained that the St. Paul pitching staff is "fouled up" and he is going to the Saints as player-coach, with instructions to do his best to get the mound corps straightened out.

Pee Wee Reese Isn't Through, He Feels Fine

Don't get any ideas about Pee Wee Reese, the Dodger shortstop-captain, being through. "I'm several pounds lighter and my legs feel fine," Pee Wee said today as he returned to the park where he got his professional baseball start in 1938.

Jackie Robinson Quite A Jokester, Too

It took a Californian, via Brooklyn, to answer a question I have been pondering for a long time. The question? Why do they call grass in Kentucky Blue Grass? Jackie Robinson, who was the most affected by the 44-degree weather, said, "Now I know why they call it Blue Grass. It's frozen!"

Disa And Data

Milwaukee's Bob Buhl was talking in the dugout today about the only no-hitter he has ever pitched. It came while he was hurling for the 11th Airborne team at Fort Campbell—but Buhl lost the game, 1-0. A walk and two errors cost Bullet Bob the decision. . . . And speaking of Buhl, the big Brave right-hander planned early in life to be a professional boxer instead of a baseballer. However, he hit a high school boy so hard one day that it knocked the kid out of the ring—and knocked him cold. "I was afraid he was badly hurt and haven't had the gloves on since," Buhl said. . . . The new St. Louis general manager, Frank Lane, blew his top when one of the Cardinals takes a called third strike. The other day, when one of the Cards watched the third strike whiz past, Lane yelled, "I didn't think they allowed spectators on the field!" . . . Milwaukee Manager Jolly Cholly Grimm is in his best physical condition in years. He is faithful to a strict diet and has shaken the habit of eating three or four helpings at one sitting—he is down to 191. . . . Grimm also has become a "gentleman farmer."

More Disa And Data

I understand Henry Clay's Freddie Hynson is going to do his collegiate caging at the University of Richmond (Virginia, that is) . . . Brooklyn pitcher Roger Craig was permitted to leave the team after today's game in order to visit his Durham (NC) home and see his new-born child for the first time. . . . Jackie Robinson also left the Dodgers today—he has an "important" business meeting in Washington. Dodger second sacker Junior Gilliam is a worried man. A bonded driver left Florida last Wednesday to drive Jim's car to his home at Nashville. When Junior arrived there Sunday, the car hadn't shown up. "Don't worry," Roy Campanella told Gilliam, "the driver was bonded." To this Gilliam said, "Yeah, but I want my car." . . . The Dodgers figure if the Redlegs get some good, steady pitching the Cincinnati crew will be rough to handle. Most of the Dodgers I questioned agreed that the Redlegs will finish either third or fourth. . . . The more I think about it, the more I believe the Redlegs ARE working toward a deal with Philadelphia—with either Crowe or Kluszewski involved.



HOWELL, ALSTON WATCH GAME — Brooklyn catcher Dixie Howell (left) and Dodger Manager Walt Alston watch the game with Milwaukee at Louisville yesterday a few minutes after Howell learned he had been named player-coach of the St. Paul Saints. (Herald Photo.)

Robinson Socks Towering Homer As Redlegs Win, 7-1

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., April 9 (AP)—The Cincinnati Redlegs slugged their way to a 7-1 trouncing of the Washington Senators here tonight.

A crowd of 2,628 watched rookie Pat Scanlebury and Joe Black limit the Senators to four hits. Their one run came in the fourth inning.

The Redlegs tied it up in the fourth when with two out, Post tripled to right field and scored on Ted Kluszewski's two-base hit. Cincinnati took the lead to stay in the sixth inning when rookie Frank Robinson led off with a towering home run clout and, once again, Post tripled and was brought home by Kluszewski's hit, this time on a long sacrifice fly to center.

The Reds added three more runs in the seventh inning and one final tally in the eighth.

Washington's one run came in the fourth when Whitley Herzog singled and went to third when Scanlebury threw past Kluszewski for an error. Eddie Yost grounded to Ray Jablonski, but he threw late to the plate and Herzog scored.

At Chattanooga, Tenn.:
Score by innings: R. H. E.
Washington (N) 000 100 000—1 0 0
Cincinnati (N) 000 000 000—7 1 0
Batteries: Carver, Foytack (3) and Whiston; Douglas, Fisher (5) and Erazul, Dunlop (6). W—Garver. L—Douglas. Home runs: Detroit—Bertio, Boone.

TUESDAY'S SCHEDULE
At Greenville, S.C., Baltimore (A) vs. Philadelphia (N).
At Knoxville, Tenn., Boston (A) vs. Chicago (N).
At Wichita, Kan., Chicago (A) vs. St. Louis (N).
At Dallas, Texas, New York (A) vs. Dallas (N).
At Oklahoma City, Okla., Kansas City (A) vs. Pittsburgh (N).
At St. Paul, Minn., Washington (A) vs. Cincinnati (N).
At Evansville, Ind., Brooklyn (N) vs. Milwaukee (N).

Stable Of James Ellis To Be Sold At Auctions

OWENSBORO, Ky., April 9 (AP)—Three auction sales will be held this month to dispose of the racing stable and breeding industry of the late multimillionaire James C. Ellis.

The first will be held April 16 at the James C. Ellis Race Track near here, with the other two scheduled at Ellis' farm just southwest of the city on April 23 and 30.

Included in the auction will be 54 broodmares, nine stallions, 23 yearlings and 10 weanlings.

Camp Dick Robinson Wins Second Game

CRAB ORCHARD, Ky., April 9 (Special)—Camp Dick Robinson won its second straight baseball game here this afternoon, trimming Crab Orchard, 8-7.

Pitcher Mac Hulet went the distance for the winners, limiting Crab Orchard to five safeties. Catcher Jerry Bogie paced Coach Earl Shaw's Bobcats by smacking a double and single.

Score by innings: R. H. E.
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Crab Orchard 000 000 0—7 8 2
Batteries: Hulet and Bogie; Smith and Singleton.

Hand Picks New York As AL Repeater

By Jack Hand

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., April 9 (AP)—The New York Yankees should do it again with Cleveland and Chicago dropping back and Boston closing with a rush when the "kids" finally settle down for a stretch drive in the American League. That should make another Yankee-Dodger series as the writer picked last spring.

The Indians still have enough pitching to be dangerous with youngsters like Herb Score, Don Moss and Ray Narveski to help the "old guard," but Boston looks like the chief contender from this dugout.

Mike Higgins is long on pitching with Bob Porterfield to go with Willard Nixon (the Yankee killer), Frank Sullivan and Tom Brewer. Most important, he will have Ted Williams from the start of the season and both Jackie Jensen and Jim Messall fresh from a blazing spring. Shortstop Don Buddin, a rookie of the year candidate, may "make" the infield.

But the Yanks are loaded, despite a series of spring training

injuries that found men like outfielders Irv Noren, Bob Corv and rookie Norm Siebern and infielders Gil McDougald and Billy Hunter remaining in Florida when the club broke camp.

Until Mickey Mantle pulled a muscle, he was blasting tape-measure home runs all over the Florida landscape. He should be off to his best start in years. Yogi Berra, taking his time in the spring, hit his stride in the final games.

With Mantle and Berra to do the heavy work and Hank Bauer, Bill Skowron, Joe Collins and McDougald to bring up the second artillery, the Yanks have the old home-run punch.

Manager Casey Stengel, who has won six pennants in seven years, went South with nine shortstops. He had it thinned down to McDougald until Mac injured his knee. Jerry Lumps, a rookie from Birmingham, got a shot at the job and won't let go. Then there is Tony Kubek, Stengel's 1958 prize who came as a shortstop but went home as an

infielder-outfielder of great promise.

The true strength of the Yanks is their pitching staff with Mickey McDermott coming over from Washington to team with Tommy Byrne and Whitley Ford as a southpaw starting trio. Byrne and McDermott are especially effective against Cleveland, Bob Turley, the only sour note on the staff after an erratic spring, and Don Larsen will do the right-handed starting along with Bob Grimm. Stengel expects more from Johnny Kucks in his sophomore year.

Kansas City showed good batting power in Florida games but needs pitching. Baltimore and Washington need plenty of everything.

Here's how it looks from here:

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3. Cleveland.
4. Chicago.
5. Detroit.
6. Kansas City.
7. Baltimore.
8. Washington.

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