William Jones, champion, of city tennis tournament

Despite the weekend showers, the Baltimore Tennis club held its eighth annual closing tournament at Druid Hill Park, Sept. 12 and Sept. 13, with William Jones capturing the men's single championship.

Mr. Jones defeated Reggie Watts for the title, and later joined with Mr. Watts to capture the winning title of the men's doubles division against Stubbs and Irvington Williams.

Champion of the women's single division was Mrs. Dorothy Johnston who defeated Miss Grace Clark however, Miss Clark came back to team up with John Wood in defeating Miss Alma Blackwell and Leon Bowser for championship in the mixed doubles.

Earl Koger Jr. won over Walter Shervington to take the junior singles title.

Trophies for the winners and runners-up were awarded by the National Brewing Co.

The tennis club held its final meeting of the season, Monday evening, at the home of Maceo Howard, 1514 Harlem ave.

Gomez kayoed by Cubs

CHICAGO (ANP) — Rookie pitcher Ruben Gomez of the New York Giants was rudely jolted by the seventh place Chicago Cubs as they defeated his team 3 to 2.

TENNIS MATCH—Four veteran contenders vied for the Men's Single Championship sponsored by Baltimore Tennis Club at Druid Hill Park, Sunday. Over 14 trophies were presented to winners and runners-up in both the men's and women's division by the National Brewing Co. William Jones, second from left, defeated Reggie Watts, second from right, for the title. Others in photo are, left to right, John Wood, Henry Lee, public relations director for National Brewing Co., and Albert Butler.

PFC. JASON ALLEN HOME FROM KOREA

After 18 months in Korea, Pfc. Jason Allen has returned home to 1533 N. Gilmor st. He and his wife Ella Marie, are parents of a seven-year-old daughter, Roberta.

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Snider, enjoying one of his best seasons, has broken the home-run record for a Dodger left-handed batter. The old mark was 38 home runs.

It's Junior Gilliam's job as lead-off man, to get walks, and he's done that more than 92 times, a new record for a rookie player. Personally, I think Junior has a great chance for the "Rookie of the Year" honors.

However, Roy Campanella has been the big record breaker. He has set two records which will be tough to crack. In one season he has hit more home runs and batted in more runs than any other catcher in big-league history. This should definitely establish him as one of the all-time great catchers of the game. Did I just hear you mention Campy for the Most Valuable Player Award? Well, I agree with you.

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Down The Fairway

By AL TAYLOR

With most vacations things of the past, golf courses are rather filled with those seeking advantage of the last of golf weather.

Fairview Golf Club's Robert Sims has again been crowned the club's champion as a result of his recent victory over long hitting Jimmie Wilburn.

Fairviews All Against One (Howard Wheeler) handicap tournament was won by Pete Wooding, with a 66 net.

Runner-up was R. Brown, at 67. Robert Sim's 76 took low cross for this popular tournament. Pro Howard Wheeler's score was 32-36—68.

Cobbs Creek Tourney

The William Chapman memorial tournament held at Cobbs Creek on Sept. 6 was won by Sims, with a net score of 67. Levi Miller's 76 was low gross winner, and runner-up with a net 69.

Fairview's 1952 champion, Homer Starks, will be out of competition for several months due to an arm injury. In order not to loose interest, he has teamed up with the one arm golfers.

Epps hopes for best with '53 Clark squad

ATLANTA, Ga. — Clark college head coach Leonidas Epps seems hopeful over the prospects of his thirty-three prosective Panthers who have been hard at practice this week. Office Clark of Wilson, N.C. and Wallace Hartsfield of Jacksonville, Florida, have been elected co-captains of the 1953 squad.

Recreation grid loops expect banner season

The next meeting for representatives of a amateur football teams will be held Monday at the Bureau of Recreation, 1129 N. Calvert Street, 7:30 p.m.

Leagues will be organized this year for unlimited, senior, intermediate and junior teams.

Part of each meeting will be devoted to rules and interpretations. Reginald Watts, outstanding football official and president of the Baltimore Board of Officials, will be in charge of training for the third season.

Teams are urged to send their managers, captains and quarterbacks. Franchise fees may be paid and player contracts secured during the weekly meetings.

Prospects for 1953 appear bright. Defending champion Harlem Bears and Tim Bright's Royal Rams are ready for unlimited play. Two teams are needed to complete this loop. Teams from nearby Maryland communities are invited to enter.

The New Era Yanks, Churchill Ambassadors, Cloverdale Rambler's and Pythons expect to enter the new Monumental Senior League (21 years of age and under). Turners Station, Hi Y and the Browns are slated for Intermediate league.

The Cherry Hill Ramblers, defending Intermediate champs, plan to field an intermediate or senior team and also a junior squad. The N. W. Police Boys Club and McCulloh Homes Juniors are planning play in the new junior league.

The Bureau plans to open on October 4. Teams interested in league play should be at today's meeting or contact Harold J. Jeffries at the Bureau of Recreation, Mulberry 5-5826.

GIANT KILLER — Johnny Cunningham of Baltimore, flashes the victor's smile after gaining a split decision victory over world lightweight champion, Jimmy Carter, at Miami. It was a non-title bout and Cunningham was a 5-to-1 underdog.

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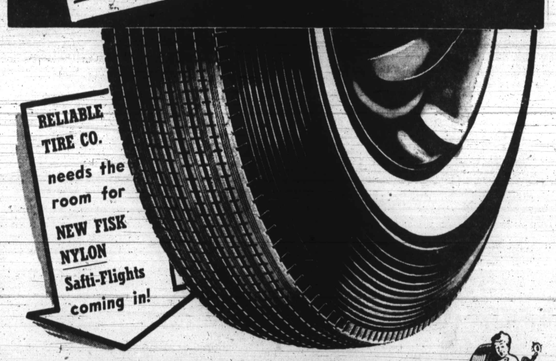

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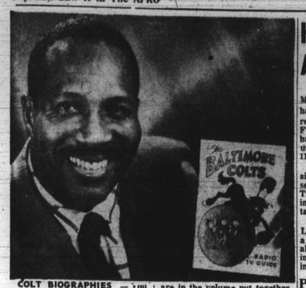

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Hurls Belvoir to All-Army crown

SAN ANTONIO, Texas —John McLaughlin, a 32-year-old right-hander who has been pitching relief chores all season, hurled Ft. Belvoir to the All - Army baseball championship here Saturday, defeating Ft. Lee, 5-2, in 11 innings.

McLaughlin limited the opposition to four hits, struck out seven and issued three walks. Two of the hits off him came in the second inning when Lee tallied both their runs.

Refusing to weaken, McLaughlin clung tenaciously to a 2-2 tie until his mates were able to push across three runs in their half of the second extra inning.

Progress brings end to Mississippi school

EDWARDS, Miss. (ANP) — For the first time in 78 years, bells will not toll the opening of school at historic Southern Christian Institute, located near here. Reason given for closing the school is improvement of public schools.

IN BALTIMORE BOUT—Jimmy Bratton (seated, left) former NBA welterweight champion from Chicago, tips off meet Al Wilson right) clever Newark, N.J., 147-pounder, in a nationally-televised, 10-round bout at Baltimore Coliseum. Signing took place in Baltimore Tuesday with promoter Benny Trotta (second from left, standing) and other boxing and city officials in attendance. Seated between Bratton and Wilson is commissioner Angelo Munafo. In a match last April, Bratton won a close decision from his Garden State rival.

Williams, frosh stars raise Bear grid hopes

Hurt cheered by work of 'T' quarter, 4 young newcomers

A skilled "T" quarterback, some freshmen surprises and a good line are expected to give fans something to cheer about when the famous East - West classic between Morgan State and Central State kicks off here Saturday, Sept. 26, in Hughes Stadium.

As three weeks of practice drew to a close, it was apparent that Eddie Hurt's Golden Bear aggregation will be in the capable quarterbacking hands in the person of Janky composed George Williams, of Norristown, Pa.

"Big George," who starred in the drubbing of Hampton Institute last year with bullet passes that figured heavily in three Bear touchdown, appears to be in better shape than he's ever been, Morgan coach Hurt and Marse Hill agree.

Series Deadlocked

The Central State Marauders who whipped Morgan, 2-6, last year and who'll have to fight for the rubber game in the match that is tied at 2-2, will have to reken with Williams on both offense and defense.

He plays both and he's good at both.

Keying Bear hopes, in addition, that they might be off to their fourteenth CIAA title was a reliable line, which appeared this week to be rounded into shape and strengthened by co captain Bill Buford.

The 235 pound tackle is carrying a heavy load this year because weight-use, he's one of the biggest Bears.

Both Williams and Buford are seniors.

The third source of Morgan's high hopes, which not even minor practice injuries could dull were four freshmen who are standing out.

Catching eyes in practice were Mack Lucas, a guard from New Jersey, Woody Woodfork, Charlottesville, Va., quarterback, Dennis, a fast little from Bates High, Annapolis, Md., and from Dunbar High School here.

The quartet will debut in the Central State Morgan clash.

Red Knights blue

MORRISTOWN, Tenn. — The 1953 edition of the Morristown College Red Knights ended their second week of grid practice with a grim outlook on Saturday's opener against Bluefield State College here.

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Public to be asked to pick Morgan's best grid team

What has been the greatest football team Eddie Hurt has ever produced in his twenty-five years at Morgan State college?

That question will be put up to the public Morgan alumni and friends to decide, as balloting on Hurt's greatest team gets underway Sept. 26, at the 2 p.m., Morgan - Central State clash in Hughes Stadium.

The contest is part of the celebrations that is being planned to mark the anniversary of the mighty little mentor who this years begins a quarter of a century of service at the college.

A tight ballot fight is predicted.

There were, for example, the teams of 1932, 1933, 1934, '35, and '37, '40, '43, '46, '49, and '50, who negotiated full seasons without defeat. Of these eleven teams, six went both underfeated and untied. Then there was the team of 1943 which was uncored against amassing 166 points in five games.

There were other great Bear teams, but the public will decide the "greatest," Silver Anniversary Committee members conceded this week.

Winner of the balloting will be announced at the November 28 against the Trojans of Virginia State.

Football

Games This Week

Saturday

Bishop At Butler
Paul Quinn At Grambling
Ohio U. At Maryland State
Hampton At Fayetteville
Alabama A and M At Tuskegee
Lincoln (Mo.) Tennessee (Memphis)

Friday

Claflin At Edward Waters

Thompson's home run nips Monarchs by 7-4

Three home runs featured the 7-4 triumph of the Birmingham Black Barons over the champion Kansas City Monarchs Tuesday night at Westport Stadium.

The Monarchs, who led the league in home runs whacked two in successive innings to tie the count at 4-4 in the sixth, but fell victims to the Barons when Frank Thompson clouted a four-bagger in a three-run rally in the eighth.

The Barons took a 4-0 lead in the early frames, scoring single tallies in the first and fourth and pushing across a pair of runs in the second. All came off Ted Alexander, Monarch starting pitcher.

Long Home Run

Meanwhile Dan Wright was holding the Barons rupless. The champions exploded in the fifth when Jeff Williams clouted a round-tripper over the rightfield wall with one man aboard.

In the sixth, Duke Henderson duplicated Williams' feat, banging a 400-foot homer over the centerfield fence, also with one man on base. Duke's blow knotted the count at 4-all. It is regarded as one of the longest homers hit at Westport.

In the eighth, Thompson banged the lone Barons home run in a three-run Birmingham rally which won the game.

Play In Washington

The Monarchs and Barons play another night game in this vicinity Thursday night, Sept. 24th, meeting in Washington at Griffith Stadium.

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Dodgers-Phils game on excursion's feature list

A doubleheader is on tap this Sunday at Ebbets Field, Brooklyn, for Baltimoreans making the train trip to New York City on the Benefit Clubs Association annual excursion.

The game will feature the Brooklyn Dodgers and the Philadelphia Phils in their last regulation game of the season in Brooklyn.

The special train will leave the Pennsylvania station here on Sunday morning at 1:30 o'clock DST, and returning from New York at 11:15 p.m. DST, Sunday night.

Elks Home Headquarters

Other features of the one-day trip includes open house at the Henry Lincoln Johnson Elks' Lodge, 15 W. 126th st., headquarters for the visitors and various churches, and sightseeing tours around the city.

Among the many clubs and coworkers are:

Sugar Hill P.C., 2332 Pennsylvania ave., Mrs. Rose Holley; 14 Girls S.C., 508 Laurens st., Mrs. Lulu Nelson; Mrs. Young, Mrs. Mary Smith and Mrs. Elnora Shorter, 102 Carver rd., Turner Station.

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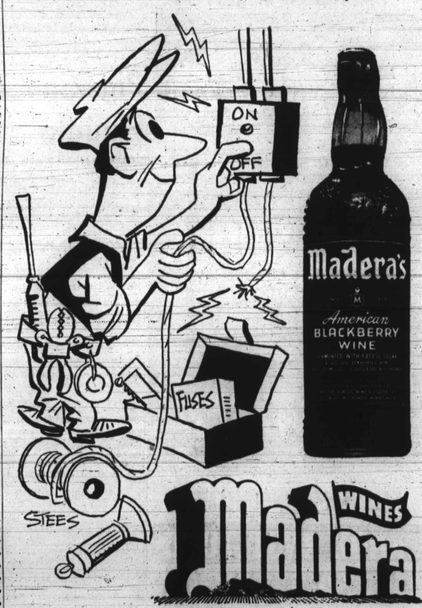

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