

A LINE ON SPORTS

By ELBURT MILLER

They wear nondescript uniforms and they huff and puff in the 7,200-foot altitude like overweight joggers running a quarter mile. Their coach call them mere babies who have only a few weeks to become men. Each day since June 12 these 59 players have been performing for head coach Hank Iba and the Olympic Basketball Committee.

Twelve will be asked Sunday, to continue America's domination of Olympic basketball, a task some observers predict will be too much for even these athletes. Iba is frankly worried that this nation's Olympic unbeaten string, now at 75 games, will not last at Munich this fall. He protests that this is not the "cry of wolf" which seems to be heard every time America sends a basketball team overseas lately.

Pro-basketball raids on undergraduates have weakened the player pool and despite the talent on hand, and the intensive training, other countries may be just too strong this year. Without a doubt, other countries are becoming much stronger in basketball, while our talented athletes aren't wasting anymore time trying to win Gold Medals when they can be winning bonus money from a professional sport. Maybe they have come to realize, that since they are to be exploited anyway they might as well be paid for it.

Fred Snowden, 35, assistant basketball coach at the University of Michigan, for four years, has been named head basketball coach at the University of Arizona beginning with the 1972-73 season, and becomes the school's first Black head coach. In making the announcement of Snowden's appointment, University of Arizona Athletic Director, Dave Strack said, "We feel that we have selected in Fred Snowden an outstanding young man who has a knowledge of basketball and possesses the qualities to become a very successful collegiate coach."

Charges of intent to rape a young white airline stewardess were dropped against Atlanta Hawks basketball player, Tom Payne, 20, but he was indicted by the Jefferson County grand jury in Louisville, Ky., for allegedly raping a woman there more than eight months ago. Payne's attorney, Georgia State Sen. Leroy Johnson, said the Kentucky charges against Payne "are fallacious and without foundation." Presently, Payne is in the Atlanta, Ga., jail on charges of raping a 22-year-old white school teacher. Johnson is awaiting word on his bond applications or a grand jury indictment which he says, "should come as soon as he was bound over."

When 27-year-old Alton White signed recently with the New York Raiders of the World Hockey Association (WHA) he became the second Black in professional hockey. "We tried very carefully to explain to Alton and his Attorney that we weren't exploiting him," said Marvin Milkes, the Raiders' general manager. "In fact, the fact that he was Black was never ever mentioned in the negotiations." White has been an established American Hockey League player for several years and had his most productive season last year with Providence, making 30 goals and 34 assists for 64 points. When the WHA begins this fall, White will be the only Black among the 520 players that make up some 28 WHA and National League teams. The only other Black in pro-hockey is Willie O'Kee of San Diego, of the Western League. He played 43 games for the Boston Bruins during 1960-61 season.



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C.C. Fire Department Cubs	6	1	.857
Aaron Williams Mustangs	5	1	.833
Bank of Nevada Tigers	5	2	.714
NLV. Jaycees Twins	4	2	.666
Westhill Lanes Lions	2	4	.333
Joe's Shell Warriors	2	5	.285
Hunt's Electric White Sox	2	5	.285
7-11 Tigers	1	6	.143
7-11 Pirates	0	6	.000

NORTH LAS VEGAS RECREATION DEPARTMENT LEAGUE STANDING AS OF JUNE 16, 1972 NATIONAL DIVISION

TEAM	WON	LOST	PCT.
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Cubs	5	1	.833
Aaron Williams Astros	4	1	.800
Hilton Hotel Hustlers	3	5	.375
Western Auto Lions	3	5	.375
V.F.W. Post 10047 Tigers	2	5	.285
Silver Nugget Nuggets	2	5	.285
Las Vegas Housing Rams	2	5	.285

AMERICAN DIVISION

Valley Bank Tigers	1	5	.833
Braves	2	6	.750
Teachers Cougars	3	5	.625
Dodgers	4	4	.500
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NLV. Jaycees Orioles	6	2	.250
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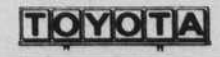
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