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All-Star High School Cage Game Scheduled Tonight

BTW Gym Is the Site of LIALO Classic

The fifth, and probably last All-Star High School Basketball game featuring June graduates of former LIALO-affiliated schools, will be played Friday at the Booker T. Washington High Gymnasium.

Capitano Boys on Fight Card

Southern A A U. Regional and Junior Olympic fistic champions will see action Friday night on the 12-bout boxing card the Westside Boxing Club has scheduled in Westwego.

First bout gets under way at 8:30 p.m. The Capitano brothers—Johnny, Tony and Rickey—are among the titlists who'll appear on the Friday night card. Johnny, lightweight kingpin, meets hard-hitting Bobby Hester of Pascagoula, Miss., in one of the

The tilt is one of two special athletic attractions that have been sponsored by the Prince Hall Shriners of Platta Temple, and the Crescent City High School Coaches Association. The second is Saturday's football game at Tad Gormley. Both events are set for 7:30 p.m.

Featured in both games will be former LIALO stars selected from Districts 3 and 5, and prep sports fans will have a chance to see their favorites in action before moving into the college circles.

Bob Bocage is head coach for the District 3 All-Stars who will play as the American Whites while Oscar James has the head assignment for the National Blues.

With Kenneth Walker and Aaron James wearing the same colors as teammates, the National Blues will find the going rough and will enter the classic as the underdog. The Whites won last year's tilt 65-62.

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Yazoo Scores Three Wins In Tourney

SHREVEPORT — Yazoo of Baton Rouge captured three wins Saturday to advance to the winners circle of the invitational softball tournament here.

Yazoo defeated Dallas, 1-0; tipped Shreveport Public Safety, 3-2, and blanked Hart Construction of Shreveport, 3-0.

Gary Unger pitched a no-hitter in the final game, striking out 12 batters. He also pitched the opening win, also striking out 12. Frank Page hurled the win for Yazoo in the second game.

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Dixie Play to Start Monday

(Special to The Times-Picayune)

FERRIDAY, La. — The Louisiana Championship playoffs in Dixie Boys baseball begins here Monday with West Monroe and Ville Platte beginning the action at 1 p.m.

Four games are scheduled for Monday pitting Richland Parish and Bossier City against each other at 3 p.m. in the second contest.

Another tilt will follow between LaSalle and District 1 champion, to be decided Saturday night.

Host team Concordia will meet the District 6 champion, which will be also decided Saturday night, at 8 p.m.

Two teams will be eliminated Tuesday during the four-game schedule on the second day. Three games are on tap for Wednesday, two for Thursday and the championship contest is scheduled for Friday.

BOB'S BEST

Bob Clemente of the Pittsburgh Pirates hit three home runs in San Francisco's Candlestick Park in 1969. It was his best home-run park on the road.

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Perkins, Howell All-Stars Split

Perkins Road got a "trim" and game between the two squads in the D League Saturday at Howell.

Frank Murry scored a tying run for Howell in the top of the sixth inning of the C game but Perkins went ahead in the bottom half when Gary Walker, of Red Stick Linen, came home.

Gary Allen, Lamar Advertising, tallied an earlier run for Perkins and was named most valuable player for his All-Star team.

Randy Hill, Loyal Order of Moose, took similar honors for the Howell Park All-Stars, which outthit their foes, 4-2, but had five errors to the winners' pair.

In the D game, Howell Park's pitchers combined for a no-hitter. One of them, Hi-Nabor's Bryan Chandler, who whiffed seven of the 10 batters he faced, was named MVP for his team. Opposing hurler Mike Bertrand, Dale's Pharmacy, was most valuable for the Perkins Road team.

Howell Park had five hits in the D game.

All-Star C League
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Nert Mills, Gus Stevens (4) and Mark Porta; Gary Allen, Jerry Lee (3), Gary Walker (3), Randy Reynolds (7) and Jay Whitley, Les Hebert (3), Mike Thurman (5), Hebert (7).

D League
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Lynn St. Bland, Mike Bertrand, Thomas and Greg Harbourn, Mike Atkinson; Russell Chandler and Hanegan, Bonaventure.

The "Road to Orlando" could be the title of an old Crosby-Hope flick but in this case refers to the quest of a Holy Grail for the Baton Rouge Little League baseball teams.

Orlando, Fla. will be the host city to the Little League World Series in a few weeks.

All-Stars from the American League of the local Little League played in Bossier City this week, and Saturday night the Southern League's All-Stars met the Jefferson Parish 7th Ward All Stars at Perkins Park. Wins by these teams will send them to other semi-final games in Beaumont and Alexandria.

The older boys, those playing in the Big League, will travel to either Laredo or San Antonio, Texas, the first week of August. A win there will send the boys to West Virginia, and possibly to Orlando.

Local Little League teams are sponsored by the Capital City Baseball Clinic and Little League, which will begin a fund drive next week in order to biggest gun. Some college scouts are labeling him the finest college prospect in the state.

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North Cagers
Beat South;
Replay' Here

GRAMBLING — The North beat the South, 92-80, Tuesday night in a dress rehearsal for Thursday's show-down battle at Southern University in the annual LIALO all-star basketball game.

Two all-star games are being played this year as the LIALO culminates activities as a state organization.

All-American Roosevelt Fuller of Shreveport teamed with Steve Thomas and Theodore Lindsey, both of Tallulah, to bombard the South into submission.

Big Aaron James of New Orleans dazzled on the boards, scored 33 points and limited the North's effectiveness with stellar defensive efforts in a losing cause for the South.

Fuller led the North with 23 points.

The teams travel to Southern University in Baton Rouge early Wednesday morning to hold workouts.

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AT SOUTHERN

LLALO Stars Meet Tonight

The South all-star squad arrived in Baton Rouge early Wednesday grim and purposeful, accepting the pains of bruised muscles and other lumps without complaints as it ran through the last workout for Thursday's LIALO dream game at Southern University.

This is the second of two all-star games being staged this week by LIALO member coaches and the contest at Southern will close out the organization's history in Louisiana as most black schools are being phased out by desegregation.

The North Beat the South, 92-80, at Grambling Tuesday night.

South coaches Albert Ventress of McKinley and Robert Anderson of Booker T. Washington, New Orleans, indicated the North will likely find itself confronted by a revamped lineup for tonight's contest.

"We should be considerably sharper," Ventress said.

A capacity crowd is expected to jam every seat at Southern to see if the South has been honed to a sharper edge.

After trailing most of the first quarter Tuesday, the North treated the South with rudeness and disrespect.

All-American Rosey Fuller of Valencia, Shreveport, came up with a formidable antidote for a sagging defense and almost singlehandedly transformed a thrilling encounter into a comfortable last-minute victory.

Only three points separated the two teams with 2:56 left in the fourth stanza.

Baron James, a 6-9 jumping-jack from Cohen High, New Orleans, did what he could to improve the South's image. He rambled along virtually unimpeded and scored 33 points.

James was also the game's top rebounder with 18 caroms. He is ticketed for Grambling.

Steve Thomas and Theodore Lindsey of McCall High, Tallulah, provided strong support for the North with 18 and 17 points respectively. Then stellar duo will attend Southern University.

Michael Legarde, McKinley High, Don Bernaird, Booker T. Washington, New Orleans, and Robert Hulbert, C. W. Carver, New Orleans, are primed to shift the initiative for the South to make up for the frustrating evening spent in Grambling Tuesday.

Tip-offs scheduled for 8 p.m.

UCT, Accardo Rally to Win In BREC Play

A day of rain made a lot of difference in BREC boys softball Wednesday at Red Oaks.

In "C" action, UCT beat Broadmoor Methodist No. 3 7-6 in an extra inning. Tuesday when the two teams were rained out, Broadmoor was ahead 7-0 in the second inning. Randy Andrepoint tripled to tie the game, then Sam French singled home the winning run for UCT.

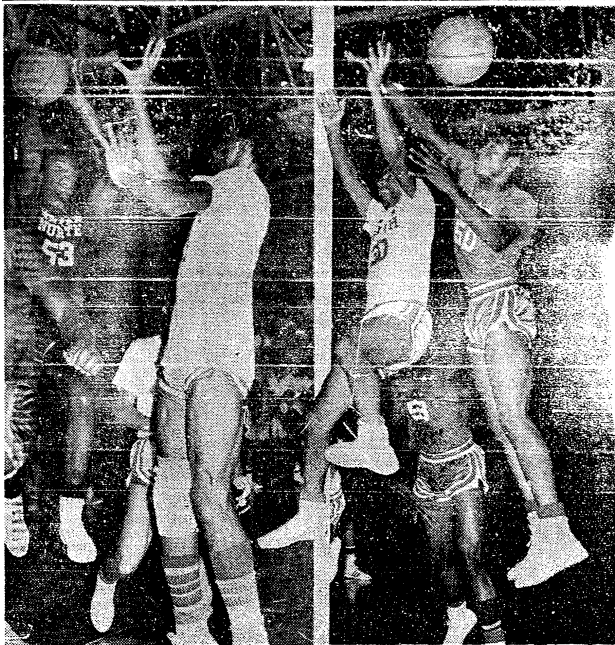
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ALL STAR PLAY—In the left panel Steve Thomas of Tallulah McCall shoots as McKinley's Jessie Simon goes up to block. In the right panel, Michael Augustus (30) of Southern High and Jimmy Nicholson (50) of Grambling High eye a rebound. Action is from Thursday night's LIALO all star game played at Southern.

—Advocate photos by Larry Odom

South Averages Loss, Raps North, 92-79

The South was ready for the rematch in the final LIALO All-Star game and overwhelmed the North, 92-79, at Southern University gym Thursday night. Five players hit in double figures for the hot-shooting Rebels who came back from the dead after dropping a 92-80 contest to the North at Grambling Tuesday night.

No-Hitters Pep Teague, Lions to Wins

A pair of no-hitters highlighted the championship playoffs of the American Legion C

The North was overpowered on the boards and failed to survive the pressure cooker after the winners turned to a fast break and a free-lance press.

With Joe Washington leading the attack, the South built up a slim 35-32 halftime advantage and was never seriously threatened.

Ray Worthy and Spahn Jenkins dropped in 16 points apiece and Don Bernard and Mike Leonard each added 12 more to deny the favored North back-to-back victories.

All-American Rosey Fuller poured in 24 points for the North which slumped badly fol-

lowing a red-hot night at Grambling. Phil Lindsey was the only other Yank star to hit in double figures.

The All-Star contest was the final LIALO event as the organization is being phased out with the desegregation of black schools in the state.

The South's victory, which marked the end of play of the 34-year-old association, matched the initial championship event back in 1936 when Xavier Prep of New Orleans turned back Sabine Parish Training School of Many, 37-32, at Alexandria.

A crowd of 2,600 watched the finale.