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Walker Hits
Crucial Shots

Cooper's Layup Breaks
Late Deadlock

By JOHN RAY
(Special to The Times-Picayune)
EATON ROUGE, La. — Kenneth Walker sank two crucial free throws in the final six seconds to ice the Louisiana Interscholastic Athletic and Literary Organization State Championship for Booker T. Washington Saturday night as the Lions defeated the McKinley Panthers 48-45, at the Southern University gym.

With the score tied 44-44 and 26 seconds remaining in the game Milton Cooper's driving layup put the Lions ahead to stay 46-44.

McKinley held the hot hand in the opening period but the Lions came back to deadlock the score at halftime 22-22.

Playing outstanding defensive ball in the third period neither team was able to take more than a two point lead and when the buzzer sounded Booker T. Washington led 29-28.

Walker was the top scorer for the Lions with 14 points while Donald Bernard contributed 12. Jerry Jingles of McKinley copped individual scoring honors for the night with 27.

Bruce Seals, playing an outstanding defensive game for the Lions, scored seven points and was the top rebounder with 14. Mike Lagarde had six for McKinley.

Donald Bernard of Booker T. Washington was voted the outstanding player in the tournament.

The victory gives Coach Theodore Washington's Lions a seasons mark of 26-1.

B. T. Washington				McKinley			
	fg	ft	tot		fg	ft	tot
Walker	6	2	12	Jingles	11	5	27
Seals	3	1	7	Grasper	0	0	0
Cooper	3	0	6	Poul	1	3	5
B. Bernard	6	0	12	Anthony	0	0	0
G. Bernard	2	1	5	Simon	1	0	2
Williams	2	0	4	Taylor	2	2	6
Samble	0	0	0	Lagarde	0	0	0
Booker	0	0	0	Turner	0	0	4
Totals	22	4	48	Totals	15	16	45
B. T. Washington	10	12	7	19	48	
McKinley	14	8	6	18	45	
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Lions End LIALO Reign as Cage Kings of League

BTW's Crowning Part of Pre-Season Plan

By MARCUS NEUSTADTER

More than a basketball game terminated when the Booker T. Washington Lions won the Louisiana Interscholastic and Literary Organization state championship Saturday at Southern University in Baton Rouge.

With the final play of the game went the close of an era for the predominately black prep schools, which had been associated with the LIALO in the New Orleans area, an organization which was intact for more than two decades.

Coach Ted "Abbie" Washington's cagers proved themselves to be true champions. They played three consecutive nights on the road a feat physically and mentally laborious to even the pros.

The Lions were compelled to play Washington of Lake Charles here Wednesday night. They traveled the following day to Lafayette to face Paul Breau in the district finals, moved to Baton Rouge Friday to meet Union in the semi-finals and then met McKinley Saturday night for the championship.

The big thing is that Washington traveled more than 500 miles in three days, sleeping on buses and eating hamburgers.

Winning the title was part of a planned campaign before the season opened which called for the Lions to win the championship as a farewell present, marking their terminum with the LIALO.

The Lions coaches, students,

faculty and principal were able to keep their morale high and their end point their objective.

Washington represented LIALO extremely well. After clobbering Washington of Lake Charles in "the on again off again tilt" which upset the play-off scheduling, 85-49, Wednesday, the Lions chose to travel to Lafayette to meet Breau—a tilt originally slated to have been played in New Orleans—in the regional playoff.

The results have been inscribed in the Lions' records and are ready for storage in their archives. Washington trimmed Breau, 56-35; routed Union, 58-36 in the semi-finals and had enough reserve energy (not bench alone) to sneak by McKinley, 48-45, for the title — a title they had planned for, a title they won, but a title they will never have to defend.

In saluting the conquering heroes on their return home, special recognition must be given

to Coach Washington and several of his individual performers—Don Bernard, who earned for himself the tourney's Most Valuable Player Award; Kenneth Walker, the Lions' captain, who was a main spark in both the playoffs and entire season and Bruce Seals and Milt Cooper, two great competitors, whose great board play assisted greatly in the Lions' victories.

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PREP PARADE

By JOHN JOLY

Local Boys Heading West

When the University of Arizona opens its 1970 football season at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor on Saturday, Sept. 19, two New Orleans high school grid products are expected to be among the starters in the defensive backfield.

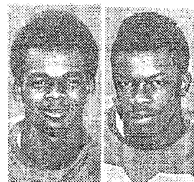
They are Cesar Pittman of Booker T. Washington High at right defensive corner back and Jackie Wallace of St. Augustine at safety. Both will be sophomores in the fall.

Pittman was a standout for the Lions in the now defunct District Five of the Louisiana Interscholastic Athletic Literary Organization and Wallace was a quarterback on offense for the St. Aug Purple Knights where he was a fine passer.

Sports Information Director Frank Soltys of the University of Arizona advised by long distance telephone Friday that assistant football coach Cecil McGhee will be in New Orleans this week to sign other New Orleans gridders.

Six local boys are expected to sign national letters of intent with the University of Arizona, although all have already inked Western Athletic Conference letters of intent to enroll at the Tuscon school in the fall.

They are Wilbert Smith, an outstanding running back from



PITTMAN

WALLACE

J. S. Clark and perhaps the most sought after gridder from this area, defensive backs Emanuel Reese and Ronnie Robinson and running back Josh Washington of St. Augustine, and running back Vernell Thomas and split end Larry Victor, both from Landry.

Soltys said that the Arizona coaches have been made aware of the fine talent which exists in New Orleans, not only in football, but in other sports, and efforts will be made to sign the cream of the crop in this area by Arizona coaches.

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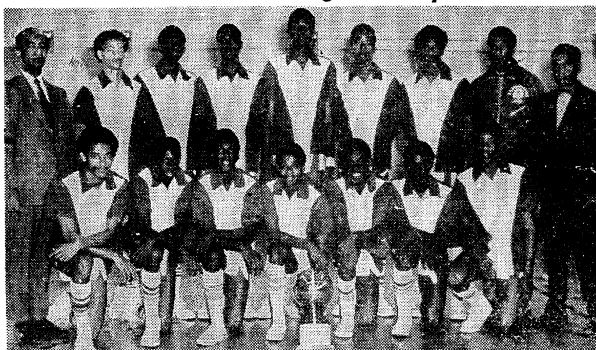
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KEY TOPES IN THEIR TEAM'S DUES FOR DISTRICT

1970 LIALO Cage Champions



ROUNDBALL TITLISTS—Shown here is the Booker T. Washington basketball team, which won the Louisiana Interscholastic Athletic and Literary Organization championship this year. Pictured are, kneeling, from left, Gregory Bernard, James Clayton, Donald Stewart, captain Kenneth Walker, Winston

Sample, Walter White and Edger Levy. Standing, from left, principal J. H. Boucree, Donald Bernard (MVP), Darryl Bolton, Michael Booker, Bruce Seals, James Williams, Milton Cooper, coach R. Anderson and head coach T. T. Washington.

Lions Have No Challengers

Join 4-AAA as Last of LIALO Kings

By MARCUS NEUSTADTER

A 23-1 record in any league is strong and that was the standing that Coach Ted "Abbie" Washington's Lions closed their regular season with to claim their third consecutive season as District 3 Champion in the local Louisiana Interscholastic Athletic and Literary Organization circles.

Three District championships were really no big thing to the Lions, whose luck seemed to run against them in the LIALO playoffs. Washington had been eliminated twice in the quarterfinals. This year they wanted to shake that jinx and win the LIALO championship.

This was the last chance for Washington, one of six remaining affiliates of LIALO (Cohen, McDonogh 35 and Washington, composed District 3, and Landry, Carver and Clark, District 5) before being absorbed into the Louisiana High School Athletic Association.

The Lions, along with Clark and Carver, have been assigned to District 4-AAA; Landry and Cohen to a new triple-A district, 8-AAA and McDonogh 35 to 7-A.

The Lions will bring with the the LIALO basketball State triple-A championship, which they will never have to defend. To their new associates, although LIALO teams have competed against LHSAA teams and given excellent account of themselves, any opponent with a championship label should be an opponent of note and one to take.

Therefore, the Lions may not have to defend their LIALO championship, but whenever they take to the floor, the badge of a king will mark them.

Coach Washington's cagers, however, won their championship like the true and tried warriors they have demonstrated themselves to be throughout the season. The Lions clobbered Washington of Lake Charles, 85-49, then went



LOCAL BOXERS CITED—Local national amateur boxing champions Dennis Mince, left, and Terry Pullen were honored by the boxing division of Everlast in the Everlast Hall of Fame of Boxing Champions. Mince and Pullen, wearing their huge gloves, were the 106-pound and 119-pound champions, respectively, of the National AAU Tournament in 1969.

Four Teams Named for National Biddy Tourney

Half of the eight-team field for the 19th annual National Biddy Basketball Tournament will be determined, according to tournament director Henry "Dunk" Beter.

The nationals, being held in New Orleans for the first time, are scheduled April 2-4 at Martin gym and will be hosted by the New Orleans Recreation Department.

Already slated for berths in the tournament via regional tournament wins are Green Ridge, Pa.; East Hampton, N.Y. and San Pedro, Calif.

In addition, the NORD Internationals are in the tourney since it is the host team.

The remainder of the field will be determined this weekend at regional tournaments in Jer-

sey, which includes admission to 11 games, can be purchased for \$2.00.

Beter also announced the committee chairmen who will handle the multitude of duties involved in staging a national tournament. They include Jay Archer, credentials; Jack Parker, general chairman; Adolph Strada, administration; Pat Hayes, gymnasium; Morris Jeff, game operations; Jake Sutura, banquet; Charles Hickman, awards; Ernest Johnson, program; Sam Barthe, transportation; Orle Brubacher, cheerleaders; Chandler Craig, decorations; Joe Mann, special activities; Theo Mieschovich, statistics; Bill Rosevalley, concessions; Ronald McDonald, first aid; and Frank Palestine, tickets.

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4-AAA OPENS
ACTION TODAY

Kennedy, Washington to
Meet at Gilbert

By JOHN JOLY

District 4-AAA baseball ac-
tion gets under way Monday
afternoon when two teams of
the eight-team Public League
field take to the diamond in ad-
vance of the other teams in the
district.

First to see action will be
the Washington Lions and the
Kennedy Cougars as they clash
at Larry Gilbert Stadium with
game time set for 3:30 p.m. in
the only game scheduled Mon-
day.

While Kennedy is an old
hand in 4-AAA play, this will be
the first outing for the Booker
T. Washington School, which
will be coming off a highly suc-
cessful basketball season as
state champion of the Louisiana
Interscholastic Athletic Literary
Organization.

Other teams entered in
the 4-AAA baseball program
are two other newcomers, for-
mer LIALO members J. S.
Clark and G. W. Carver,
along with old standbys Behr-
man, Chalmette, West Jeffer-
son and East Jefferson.

This week's schedule follows:

MONDAY'S GAMES

Vandebilt of Morgan City, 3:30 p.m.;
Terrebonne of Houma, 3 p.m.

TUESDAY'S GAMES

E. D. White of St. Joseph, 3:30 p.m.;
S. Terrebonne of Houma, 3 p.m.

WEDNESDAY'S GAME

Morgan City of Vandebilt, 3:30 p.m.

THURSDAY'S GAME

Terrebonne of S. Terrebonne, 2:15 p.m.

SATURDAY'S GAME

St. Joseph of St. Charles, 2 p.m.

Denotes district games.

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8-AAA IS SET FOR OPENER

New District Baseball
Tilts Set Wednesday

By JOHN JOLY

The Louisiana High School Athletic Association's newest Class AAA district, comprised of teams in the New Orleans area and classified as District 8-AAA, will begin baseball play Wednesday with a six-team field vying for honors.

John Ruth, head football and baseball coach at Warren Easton High School, will serve as chairman of District 8-AAA baseball and has announced an attractive schedule consisting of two rounds of play.

Joining five teams which were formerly part of District 4-AAA—McDonogh, Abramson, Warren Easton, Nicholls and Fortier—will be the Landry Buccaneers, who formerly played in the Louisiana Interscholastic Athletic Literary Organization.

Two other schools were assigned to 8-AAA, the Cohen Green Hornets, another ex-LIALO school, which will not play baseball, and the all-girls' Higgins school in Jefferson Parish. And of course, they too will not field a baseball team.

The District 8-AAA team will play only once this week, but beginning next week will play on a twice-a-week basis, playing most of their games on Tuesdays and Fridays, with some Monday, Wednesday and Saturday dates sandwiched among the regular days.

Season-openers Wednesday will find all six teams playing in the afternoon, with Landry meeting McDonogh at Skelly, Abramson vying with Easton at Perry Roehm and Nicholls going against Fortier at Kirsch-Rooney. All games will have 3:30 starting times.

DISTRICT 8-AAA BASEBALL SCHEDULE

First Round

March 25: Landry vs. McDonogh at Skelly, 3:30 p.m.; Abramson vs. Easton at Roehm, 3:30 p.m.; Nicholls vs. Fortier at K. Rooney, 3:30 p.m.

March 31: McDonogh vs. Easton at Roehm, 3:30 p.m.; Fortier vs. Landry at Gilbert, 3:30 p.m.; Nicholls vs. Abramson at K. Rooney, 3:30 p.m.

April 3: Fortier vs. McDonogh at Gilbert, 7:30 p.m.; Easton vs. Nicholls at K. Rooney, 3:30 p.m.; Abramson vs. Landry at Roehm, 3:30 p.m.

April 7: Nicholls vs. McDonogh at K. Rooney, 3:30 p.m.; Abramson vs. Fortier at Roehm, 3:30 p.m.; Landry vs. Easton at Skelly, 3:30 p.m.

April 10: McDonogh vs. Abramson at Roehm, 7:30 p.m.; Landry vs. Nicholls at Skelly, 3:30 p.m.; Easton vs. Fortier at K. Rooney, 3:30 p.m.

April 13: First Round Playoff, K. Rooney, 7:30 p.m.

April 14: First Round Playoff, K. Rooney, 3:30 p.m.

Second Round

April 17: McDonogh vs. Landry at Roehm, 7:30 p.m.; Easton vs. Abramson at K. Rooney, 3:30 p.m.; Fortier vs. Nicholls at Gilbert, 3:30 p.m.

April 20: Easton vs. McDonogh at Kirsch-Rooney, 7:30 p.m.

April 21: Landry vs. Fortier at Skelly, 3:30 p.m.; Abramson vs. Nicholls at Roehm, 3:30 p.m.

April 24: McDonogh vs. Fortier at Roehm, 7:30 p.m.; Nicholls vs. Easton at K. Rooney, 3:30 p.m.; Landry vs. Abramson at Skelly, 3:30 p.m.

April 25: McDonogh vs. Nicholls at Roehm, 7:30 p.m.; Fortier vs. Abramson at Gilbert, 3:30 p.m.; Easton vs. Landry at K. Rooney, 3:30 p.m.

May 2: Abramson vs. McDonogh at Roehm, 3:30 p.m.; Nicholls vs. Landry at K. Rooney, 3:30 p.m.; Fortier vs. Easton at Gilbert, 7:30 p.m.

May 3: Second Round Playoff, K. Rooney, 3:30 p.m.

May 6: Second Round Playoff, K. Rooney, 3:30 p.m.

May 7: District 8-AAA Championship Playoff, K. Rooney, 7:30 p.m.

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