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Juniors Lead Seniors; Sherwood Batters Mark

Discus Hurdled 112 Feet 6 Inches by Senior—Surpasses Eastern Oregon Record.

Billy Evans Says:

Since the Yankees started spring training they have been the subject of much ridicule from many of the experts touring the southern camps.

Already the club has been assigned to a berth in the second division. It seems Boston is the only club not given an outside chance to beat the Yankees.

That means a lot of the wise men of baseball believe the Yanks will finish seventh.

On this point I beg to differ. It is possible the Yankees may finish in the second division, the club may drop as low as seventh, but if it does it will not be due to lack of playing ability.

I am of the opinion that the Yankees are going to be just as good a club as they want to be.

In other words the spirit of the club is going to determine where it finishes far more than the playing ability.

The Yankees comprise a first division ball club if they want to be. If they fail to take their baseball seriously, then a berth in the second division looms ahead, because the American league clubs appear mighty evenly balanced.

WON THREE FLAGS

In most cases it is the spirit of the club, its attitude toward baseball, that is being criticized by the experts. A good many of them seem to be of the opinion that it's simply going to be a joy-ride for the star athletes of Mr. Miller Huggins.

The consensus of the experts is largely based on the manner of training used by the Yankees. This is perhaps rather unfair, since the New York Americans are in many respects a rather unusual ball club. They are the only ball club with veterans of years of experience. These players have all reached a position of prominence in the baseball world. They know best their physical limitations and possibilities.

Manager Miller Huggins has won three pennants for New York in the last five years. That is a pretty good showing. It means that Huggins has been a decided success as a manager, all opinions to the contrary.

Huggins, an old player himself, knows that spring training is a severe task to most veterans. Most of them detest the rigors of the southern work. John McGraw believes in driving rather than cajoling.

Miller Huggins has the opposite viewpoint; he lets the player judge for himself what is best.

HE'S AN OPTIMIST.
As a result of the difference in temperament between the Yankee manager and the leader of the Giants, there is a decided contrast in the spring training methods of the two clubs. The Yankee style appears rather slipshod in comparison with the Giants.

Perhaps that explains why many of the experts are of the opinion that the Yankee club isn't going anywhere this season.

When I chatted with Miller Huggins it was apparent that he wasn't pleased with the comment about the Yankees and their spring training.

"I am perfectly satisfied with my ball club and the way it is being conditioned. Since I am the manager and must suffer if the club fails, I should be the most worried. Instead of being a pessimist, I am an optimist.

"The Yankees are going to finish a lot higher than seventh place. If Ruth has a big year at the bat I am sure we will surprise a lot of the folks who consider my club a joke."

Salem Defeats Eugene And Corvallis Nimrods

SALLEM, Ore., Apr. 5. (AP)—The Salem Red and Gun club set the pace in the final shoot of a tri-city event at Corvallis yesterday, nudging out the leading Eugene sportsmen for the tri-city title. When the shooting started yesterday Salem was 29 birds behind and Corvallis 24 birds behind Eugene. Figuring on a sure win Eugene sent only five men to Corvallis. Salem got 434 birds out of a possible 500, making a total score of 2742 out of a possible 3000. Corvallis finished the series second with 2712 and Eugene third with 2528.

There is no use in seeking happiness unless you are happy in the seeking.

The importance of your own troubles are magnified, like a rinder in your eye.



NO RESIN FOR GROVER
AVALON, Catalina Islands (NEA)—"None of that resin stuff for me," says Pitcher Grover Alexander of the Chicago Cubs. "When I am unable to get by using my natural stuff I am going to quit."
"Resin may help some of the pitchers who like to experiment, but I am satisfied to stick to the curve, fast ball and a change of pace."
The opinion of Alexander is rather interesting, since the National league is responsible for the return of resin as a pitching asset.
Walter Johnson of the American league is just as opposed to the use of resin. Johnson is of the opinion that in warm weather resin will handicap rather than help the pitcher, since it has a tendency to make the ball sticky. He believes it will make for wildness rather than control.
Alexander and Grover Alexander are the two outstanding right-handed pitchers in the major leagues.
Alexander played with Johnson for supremacy. He has been a star since 1911 when he joined the Philadelphia Nationals and is still on it.

Oregon Track Squad Selected in Tryout

EUGENE, Ore., Apr. 5. (AP)—Despite a drizzling rain which fell intermittently Saturday, the University of Oregon track squad which is to face Stanford University stars in Palo Alto this coming Saturday was picked in the afternoon. The personnel follows:
100 yard dash: Harry Holt and Jerry Extra.
220 yard dash: Jerry Extra and Harry Holt.
440 yard dash: Paul Ager, Watt Pearson, Bob Allen and Don Jeffries.
880 yard dash: Bob Overstreet and Edward Thorpstenberg.
Mile: Reuben Ross and Fern Kelly. (Kelly is a La Grande, Ore. man).
Two mile: Tom Holder and John Niedemeyer.
Broad jump: Proctor Fulmagen and Walter Kelsey.
High jump: Walter Kelsey, Francis Cleaver and Roland Eby.
Pole vault: Ed Crowley, and Walter Kelsey.
Low hurdles: Francis Cleaver and Ralph Tuck.
Low hurdles: Ralph Tuck, Francis Cleaver and Charles Stockwell.
Javelin: Victor Wetzel.

POLANTE WINS

SAN DIEGO, Cal. (AP)—Polante, a Nevada stock arm entry won the Ti Juana future. Tondel-eyo was second and Shasta Lad third. Polante's victory netted his owner \$11,710.

HELMY TO TRY CHANNEL

CAPE GIRZ NEZ, France—Isak Helmy, Egyptian giant, will be on the job in less than a month ready to save any more girls who try to swim the English channel and incidentally to try to swim it himself.

Sprint Star



This is Edgar House, star sprinter of the University of Southern California track team. He's one of the set bets on the Trojan aggregation, his specialties being the 100 and 200 yard dashes.

SHOOTERS WIN THREE TIMES

Shooting straight for the second time since the tournament opened, La Grande yesterday defeated both Echo and Huntington clubs, broke the tie with Medford and won the undisputed claim to seventh place in the Oregonian's telegraphic shoot.

Medford had only a 72 to match the local shooters' 75 yesterday. They tied a week ago at 74. Echo offered the closest competition yesterday, with one point less than perfect. Huntington was low with 69.

With a big holiday crowd out, the Wing, Pin and Plectfoot club, long up its first top-notch score in several weeks. C. E. Kingaly, W. H. Hohnenkamp and Alvin Bennett were the lucky buggers. Smith, northwest representative for the A. M. C. also figured in the bird-crack class. The remaining shooters did not fare so well. Only three 23s were made. Chase Hohnenkamp, J. H. Smith and Leslie Kinged being the scorers. Hal Hohnenkamp was next with three birds of his 25 untouched. Elmer Stoddard, Claid Mackay, J. A. Garrity and William Hollins each scored a 21. In the string of 20s were Howard O'Brien, J. Daniels, J. H. Garrity, Tod Conrad, A. McAllister and William Sallor. F. L. Lilly and D. Brennan got 19s.

Hillsboro in Lead

Hillsboro, in the tournament, still maintains an undefeated lead, with 17 victories to its credit. Eugene and Coquille settled the tie for second place in Eugene's favor yesterday. Enterprise, Portland and Wallawa, in turn, are still ahead of La Grande.

Sunday's shoot was the first defeat, only two of Astoria's shooters appearing on the field at the appointed time.

Recording 75s along with La Grande and Hillsboro were Heppner, Pendleton-Pilot Rock Gun club, Wallawa and Enterprise. Coquille broke its record for perfect scores, losing to Heppner with a 74.

For the first time since the tournament began, the day's events went through without a tie, all six holdovers from the week before being decided.

Missouri Defeated By California Team

CALIFORNIA OVAL, Berkeley (By the Associated Press)—University of California kept her colors flying from the outset of the duet track meet with the University of Missouri here Saturday winning handily 93 to 38.

Hoppe Loses Last of His Billiard Titles

NEW YORK (By the Associated Press)—Willie Hoppe, champion for almost two decades, relinquished the last of his titles Saturday night to Jack Schaffer of Chicago by losing the final block of a 2000 point match for the world 181 ball. The crown 200 to 220. The final score reads: Schaffer 3600; Hoppe 2924.

Crew Captain



This is Keleb Wilberg, captain of this year's Columbia University crew. He hopes to lead one of the best shells the Blue and White has produced in seasons to victory. Last fall Wilberg was selected by many experts as one of the greatest tackles in eastern football circles.

KILONIS FLOORS KARASICK

WYCKANE (By the Associated Press)—John Kilonis of Boston, light heavyweight wrestler, won two out of three falls from Al Karasick of Oakland here Saturday night. Kilonis took the first and third falls.

SKINNY MEN GLAD

Doctors and good pharmacians know that Cod Liver Oil is full of vitamins that make flesh, create appetite, build up the power to resist disease and puts good stuff back on skinny men and women.

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BALL SEASON OPEN TUESDAY

(By The Associated Press) Baseball cohorts moved today toward the opening of a flashing 1926 campaign on the Pacific coast.

Strengthened by new players, numbering many prospective home run kings, and a representative group of rookies who have gone through the rigorous training season with flying colors, the eight clubs of the Pacific coast league were ready for the grand opening tomorrow.

In place of the Vernon Tigers, and the Salt Lake Bees this year the league has the San Francisco Missions and Hollywood.

Here is how the teams line-up tomorrow:
Seattle at Portland.
Missions at Sacramento.
Hollywood at San Francisco.
Oakland at Los Angeles.

FIRPO OUTPOINTS ITALIAN (By the Associated Press)—Louis Firpo, South American heavyweight champion, Saturday night won the decision in a 10-round bout over Ermino Spalla, the Italian champion.

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Young Star



Presenting Melvin Ott, 17-year-old New Orleans high school boy, whom Manager McGraw of the Giants has picked as a most promising player. He's a catcher "by trade," but McGraw has been so impressed with his hitting and fielding ability he intends to develop the youngster into an outfielder.

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and 3:30 P. M.

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