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## SPORT NEWS

### RUTH SWATS OUT THIRTIETH HOMER

Hornsby and Sisler Also Connect with Circuit Clouds Yesterday

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

New York	58 24	267
Washington	47 32	255
Chicago	46 37	254
Detroit	42 37	253
Philadelphia	42 38	233
Cleveland	34 47	239
St. Louis	32 45	219
Boston	19 59	213

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**

Chicago	49 28	226
Pittsburgh	46 27	229
St. Louis	45 35	277
New York	43 38	231
Brooklyn	37 42	248
Philadelphia	31 45	203
Boston	29 44	237
Cincinnati	27 50	253

By the Associated Press  
Star clouters of the major leagues did their stuff yesterday. Home runs were made by Babe Ruth, Rogers Hornsby and George Sisler.

Ruth's mighty wallop was one of the longest ever seen in Cleveland. It came in the ninth inning and while it was just another run in the 7-9 white-wash administered the Indians by the Yankees. It did give the Babe an edge on Gehrig in their scramble for swatting supremacy. Ruth now has 20 homers to his credit, with "Colombia Lou" one behind.

Hornsby's clout in the sixth inning gave the Giants a 4-2 victory over Cincinnati.  
Sisler's former came with two on in the ninth at St. Louis and gave the Browns a 6-5 win from the Boston Red Sox.

**Cubs Win Another**  
Chicago's bustling Cubs continued to hold on to first place in the National league. The Cubs poked out 13 hits while Blake was holding the Braves to three for a 6-2 victory.

The Pittsburgh Pirates kept at the Cubs' heels by beating Dazzy Vance and the Brooklyn Dodgers 2-1.  
The St. Louis Cardinals' 9-6 victory over Philadelphia rounded out the clean sweep by first division teams over second division opponents.

The Chicago White Sox rallied sharply in the sixth inning to trim Connie Mack's Athletics 8-5. The Detroit Tigers lost to Washington 2-6.

### Bobby Jones Out in Front With a 68; Performance Ties Old Course Record

SAINT ANDREWS, Scotland, July 12 (AP)—Bobby Jones struck a decisive first blow in defense of his British open golf title by scoring a sensational 68 for the first 36 holes of the 72 holes to decide the title.

The champion, very much on his game, did the first nine holes in 32, four under par and finished the round with a stroke gained on par in the home course strewn to his five strokes ahead of the perfect figure. His score equaled the St. Andrews course record, played faultlessly by the Atlantic

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### Will He Stick?



Here's George Grant, a former member of the St. Louis Browns, who is with Cleveland now. Grant says he is in the majors to stick this time and went out and won his first game against the White Sox as proof of his contentions.

### FIGHTERS PICK SHARKEY TO WIN

McTigue, Britton, O'Brien and Others Believe He Will Whip Dempsey

NEW YORK, July 12 (AP)—Jack Sharkey may have his fighting faith, but he is young and fast for a big man, and the two assets, a group of boxers have concluded after watching the seventh in his training session, ought to carry him to victory against Jack Dempsey, at the Yankee Stadium, one week from tomorrow.

Mike McTigue, Jack Britton, Philadelphia Jack O'Brien, Soldier Hartfield, Jim Montgomery and others who speak of the fight game from experience, have seen Sharkey in his sparring antics and have named him the favorite. All took in Sharkey's workout yesterday and while none cared to take a side in the forthcoming heavy-weight issue, each saw Sharkey's youth, strength and cleverness as winning factors.

Sharkey's program yesterday lacked the fire and dash of the previous day. Some of his partners made him look bad by slipping his punches and landing off. Occasionally, however, he would block a series of blows with ease and then tap his opponents with snappy right uppercuts and short lefts. He was not punching especially hard, but it was apparent he was saving his partner's punishment work for the fight.

Tex Rickard announced that the advance sale for the fight is near the \$200,000 mark.

### Brown Panther To Try To Turn Back the Years

NEW YORK, July 12 (AP)—Once the most feared boxer in the heavy-weight division, Harry Wills, the only fighter of New Orleans, will try to turn back the years to fight in his 15-round fight with Paulino Uchuidin, Pymonino giant, at Ebbetts Field.

The crafty negro, now a prosperous resident of New York's Harlem district, is pitted against one of the strongest men in the boxing game. Uchuidin's ability to assimilate punishment has been demonstrated, and although he "throws" most of his punches he is a dangerous hurdle in the path of Wills' comeback attempt.

After 17 years in the ring, Wills, the logical contender for a title at which he never got a chance, is a slight favorite over his youthful opponent. The Spanish woodchopper has been dropped, temporarily at least, from Tex Rickard's heavyweight program.

Wills, after his beating last year by Jack Sharkey, passed completely out of the titular consideration. Wills has nothing to gain in victory, but Paulino can command respect in the event he beats the negro, even though Harry has gone back a long way.

### BUSY DAY FOR STAR

BELLEVILLE, Wis. (AP)—They'll miss Wade Woodworth at St. John's Military Academy. When "Red" graduated this spring, he left a record of a big day's work which promises to stand for many student generations.

He started the day by competing for St. John's in the Marquette relay at Milwaukee, in which he won places in the shot put and discus throw. Then he jumped into his baseball togs, and relieved the catcher in a game against Morgan Park high of Chicago. His team was two runs behind, but "Red" soon fixed that—he slammed out a homer with three men on base and St. John's won.

Duffing his diamond uniform he climbed into a motorist's suit and was off by bus for Madison, where he concluded the day by playing with the cadet band at the University of Wisconsin horse show.

### MILLIONAIRE NO MORE

UNIONTOWN, Pa.—Once regarded as the world's greatest coal operator and worth \$70,000,000, Joshua V. Thompson is now without funds he avers in litigation over an estate. He went into bankruptcy in 1915.

## STEPHENS, WOLFE SNAPPY FIGHTERS

Army Champion Likely to Force Tiger Thomas to Limit in Card Here

The promoters for the coming fight event feel highly elated at being able to secure the services of Ernie Stephens, champion light heavyweight of the United States army, who has recently been transferred to Vancouver Barracks from Fort Myers, Virginia.

W. C. Sturgill, lieutenant of this city, an ardent fight fan and one of the promoters, had the pleasure of watching both Stephens and Benny White, the sensational Welsh lad of Philadelphia, work out at the Portland army gymnasium yesterday and Mr. Sturgill pronounced them both O. K.

Stephens worked three four-round bouts against good sparring partners and seems to be a boy of good boxing ability and hard punching combined, and will, without doubt, Mr. Sturgill says, force Tiger Thomas to his utmost.

**Wolfe a Flash**  
Wolfe, who meets Ed Allen, of La Grande, in the semi-final, is also a flash and is said to be one of the fastest boys on the coast at this time. The card is supported by three four-round preliminaries.

Tiger Bob Robinson, of Oakland, Cal., will meet Jess George in a four-round special event which should be a whiz, promoters say.

K. O. Javis, of La Grande, will meet Jack Hartfield, of Oakland, in a four-round event and Ernie Ford will appear in a four-round fight with Zenith Thompson, a fighting bell hop. Both Ford and Thompson are local boys, and are held likely to steal the show as they are intense local rivals.

**Popular**  
The management announces that popular prices will feature this card and the stands at the high school grounds will be able to take care of 2,000 persons with ease. All seats are arranged so that a fan can view the bout to advantage regardless of the location of his seat.

### Rainbow Division To Meet in Iowa On July 14 and 15

DES MOINES, Iowa (AP)—Members of the battle of Champagne, in which the Germans made their last great drive of the world war with Paris as their objective, will be revived among 100 members of the Rainbow division in annual reunion here July 14 to 15.

The Rainbow unit was the only American division in the battle of Champagne, and its successful repulsion of the drive has been said to mark the only time American troops were on the defensive during the war.

At the reunion more than 1000 former members of the division expect to entertain as guests Gen. John J. Pershing, Maj. Gen. Charles P. Smerell, Col. Hanford MacNider, assistant secretary of war and Maj. Gen. Douglas MacArthur.

Originally composed of national guard units from 27 states, the Rainbow division saw more than nine months of continuous service in the line, starting with the 1st and 2nd divisions in front line service. It went into the line on Feb. 29, 1918, and was withdrawn when the armistice was signed. During those months 40,000 men passed through the division as replacements, so that former members of the outfit are scattered throughout the country.

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### Nice Record



Meet Eddie Brown, Braves' outfielder, who on June 23, had played in 475 consecutive major league games. Brown's record began while he was a member of the Brooklyn club. Brown's record, while not near Everett Scott's great record, is one worth talking about.

## BEFORE THE MIRROR

THURSDAY'S PROGRAMS

The National Broadcasting company program for Thursday night from 9 to 10 will be the opera "Ruddigore" broadcast over KPO, KGJ, KFI, KGW, KFOA, KGMJ and KHQ.

KOW—Walla Walla (299.5m-1000k) 10, dance orchestra 11 to 12, organ recital.

KFI—Los Angeles (408.5m-640k) 7, instrumental music; 8, drama hour; 10, modern classical music.

KGW—Portland (491m-610k) 7:30, utility; 7:45, lecture; 8, vaudeville; 10 to 12, dance band.

KFO—San Francisco (422.5m-710k) 8 to 9, program; 10 to 11, orchestra.

KOMO—Seattle (390m-550k) 5, musical program; 10:30, news; 10:45 to 12:30, musical program.

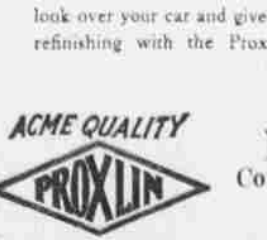
KJL—Seattle (248.5m-550k) 5, studio program; 8:30, piano hour; 9, orchestra.

KGA—Spokane (260.7m-1150k) 8 to 10, opening of N. P. freight depot.

### SEEKS ANNULMENT

NEW YORK—Helen Wainwright, swimming star, plans to seek an annulment of her marriage to George Leonard Holland, organist in a theater at Oklahoma City. As she explains it, she wore a ten-cent wedding ring in a Dallas theater as a joke, and the manager told the audience she and Holland then organized there, had been married. There was a rice shower, the papers announced the marriage and then, afraid of talk, they were married, she says, but parted forthwith.

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## KILLS MAN THEN CALLS TO POLICE

Portland Lodging House Proprietor Is Formally Charged with Crime

PORTLAND, Ore., July 12 (AP)—"I killed him in self defense," With these words Fred Hartwick, 52, lodging house proprietor, tonight admitted police to his home and pointed to the body of Dan Hanley, 29, lying on the floor.

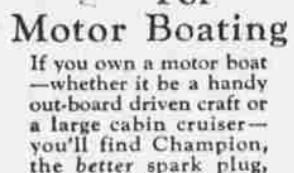
Mrs. Hanley, wife of the slain man, and from whom she was recently divorced, had apartments in the Hartwick house. For about a year, Hanley has not been working, his former wife said. She had been furnishing him with some money from her labors as a seamstress and paid his room rent.

**Abused His Wife**  
Despite warnings to stay away, Hanley had visited the lodging house several times recently, abusing his wife while there, Hartwick said.

On his visit yesterday, Hanley demanded that Hartwick produce Mrs. Hanley who was out shopping at the time. The landlord remonstrated with Hanley and was threatened. Hanley left, promising to return and "kill the two" of them. Hartwick stated to the police.

Hanley later returned and entered the room crying "I'll kill you," and then "I'll kill her!" Hartwick stated.

"Not until he was so close I could feel his breath upon my face, did I fire," the proprietor declared. "Then I shot from the hip. Hanley



rolled over, dying almost instantly." Mrs. Hanley had seen her husband through the glass in the front door and escaped by jumping from a window.

**Charged With Murder**  
Hartwick was arrested and formally charged with murder. Mrs. Hanley does not blame Hartwick for what happened, she told police last night. She returned to the room after the shooting and herself telephoned the police.

Hartwick has a wife and two sons, 12 and 23. All were away at the time Mrs. Hanley being at a theater. Hanley, by a previous marriage, is survived by two daughters, 7 and 8, who are living at the Christie home. The Hanleys were married two years ago at Vancouver, Wash.

A coroner's inquest is scheduled for today.

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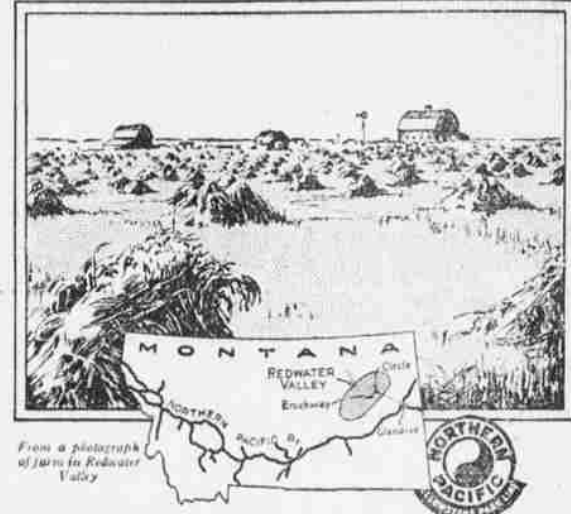
land club, who carried the ball home as a trophy, gave it to Waters, who was hit by the ball during the game. Watershouse kept it many years, then gave it to Wilhite.

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EMPORIA, Kan. (AP)—A baseball said to be the oldest in the world is in possession of O. M. Wilhite of Emporia. It was given him by Josh E. Watershouse, 32, a baseball fan before the Civil War. The ball was used in a game between the Portland club of Portland, Me., and the Tri-Mountain club of Boston, Sept. 10, 1858, in Boston Common. Boston played for bases on a rambus and permitting the pitcher to pitch the ball instead of toss it. Portland won, 47 to 42. The ball preserved until the final inning. Some years later Sam Chadwick, sportstop and manager of the Port-

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