

SPORT NEWS

YANKEE LEAD IS
NARROWING DOWN

Mackmen Just Two and a
Half Games Behind
the Idle Yankees

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The Athletics' lead in the task of beating away the remnants of that Yankee lead, once so hampering, but National League contenders are making much better progress. The Athletics' lead is now only two and one-half games behind the idle Yankees, while the Cardinals, out of the Chicago, heard tidings of defeat for two of their challenges—the Pirates and Giants.

The men of McClellan led by a half game and one-half game over Chicago as they moved into Pittsburgh today for the start of a crucial series of which the National League will see many in the coming fortnight if not the next few weeks. The Pirates threat at this moment is the most serious the Cardinals face. They must put it down by at least the end of the week to be in the next two weeks or face the threat of disaster.

As the National League situation works its way toward a possible solution in games involving the western contenders against one another, the Yankees and the A's set sail through next scheduled landing up to their last series against each other on the banks of the Harlem just before mid-September.

In other American League engagements, the Browns made it four straight over the Red Sox by winning 4 to 1, and the Indians claimed the Athletics Tigers, 3 to 2. George Burns got two, home runs, and Marty McManus one.

Ben Cantwell, traded to Boston in the Gaudin deal, came back to the Polo grounds to lead other former Giants in making it three straight over the home boys 4 to 2. The clan McGraw was home in honor on circuit duty by Lindstrom and Jackson, but was in the race for the decision at no time after the third round which witnessed a brutal assault upon Vio Aldridge and Fred Fitzsimmons for five runs.

The defeat was the seventh straight for the Giants and their ninth in their last ten games. It dropped them a fraction of a point behind the Cubs who moved up to second place by a half game without playing. The clan McGraw, too, is in a virtual tie with the Reds, who led yesterday.

Even though shut out, the Phillies by 4 to 0 at Pittsburgh yesterday, the Pirates are only half a game behind the Giants and the Reds, one full contest worse than the Cubs and six and one-half to the rear of the Cards. If the seven National League games are important to the Cards, they are vital to the Buccaneers. The Cards need nine out of seven, the Pirates need nine out of seven, the Cardinals need nine out of seven, the Pirates need nine out of seven.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	44	41	.512
Pittsburgh	32	44	.421
St. Louis	38	40	.488
Washington	37	40	.480
Detroit	37	40	.480
Cleveland	33	44	.430
Chicago	30	47	.390
Boston	28	52	.350

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	38	40	.488
New York	32	44	.421
Chicago	30	47	.390
Cincinnati	27	50	.350
Pittsburgh	27	50	.350
Brooklyn	26	51	.340
Boston	25	52	.325
Philadelphia	24	53	.312

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Close Win, 3 - 2

Pacific Coast League Standings

	W.	L.	Pct.
Hollywood	40	19	.675
Sacramento	33	21	.611
San Francisco	25	24	.510
Oakland	22	26	.455
Los Angeles	20	32	.385
Albion	23	34	.403
Portland	22	37	.370
Seattle	17	42	.288

By The Associated Press
Stinging from the defeat handed them at the opening of the series, the Stars came back in with a close win, 3 to 2, against Portland. Although Hollywood got only five hits from Fullerton they were used to good advantage to clinch victory. The Beavers' rally in the ninth was stopped when Rhodes replaced Kinney at the bat. Kinney, Batteries: Kinney, Rhodes and Hammer, Fullerton and Whitney.

Sacramento evened the series with Los Angeles by winning 4 to 2. The Senators took the jump on the Angels with a three run lead in the opening inning. Two of which were accounted for by Earl Sheeley, Sacramento first baseman, who picked off a four base cloud with one man on. The Senators scored again in the second and fifth. Batteries: Rachee and Kachler, Phil Weatherly and Warren.

Illinois in the sixth and seventh during which eleven runs were scored brought another victory for Oakland over the Seals. Thurston let the Seal mound after the vicious pounding of Acorn batteries in the sixth and was replaced by Ataya who lasted only part of the seventh. Maury finished the already lost game. Batteries: Craighead and Lombardi, Thurston, May, Moody and Sprink.

Edna Nevada gave his finest exhibition of the season at Seattle to win 3 to 2. Pitching against the veteran Edwards, Nevada showed the only four hits which were scattered. The Indians runs came when they capitalized on a pair of walks. The Homebats, at the bat for the first, getting a homer and driving in the winning run with a single. Batteries: Nevada and Sypher, Edwards and McNeely.

CHAMPION



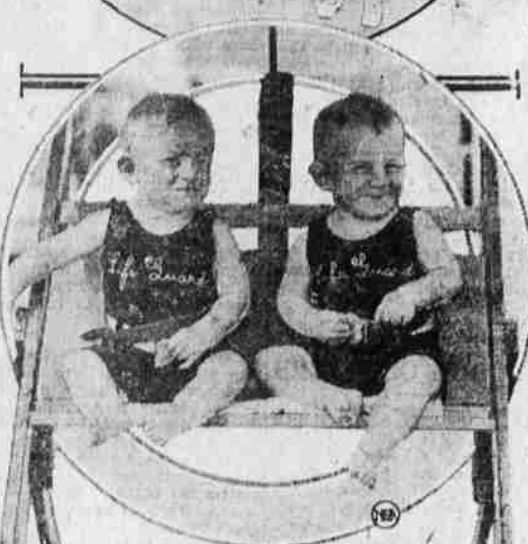
Mrs. Harry Pressler, of Los Angeles, defeated Miss Virginia Wilson, of Chicago, Aug. 18 in Chicago to win for the second consecutive time the women's western open golf championship.

OUT OUR WAY



HEROES ARE MADE—NOT BORN

Gene Wins In Baby Parade



Gene Tunney won the grand prize in the baby parade at Wildwood, N. J., the other day. Of course the retired champion wasn't there in person, but his romance with pretty "Polly" Lauder furnished the inspiration for the winning stunt. In the upper photo you see Frances Smith, of Lewiston, Pa., as the bride-to-be; John Regemond, Bellefonte, Pa., as Gene; Eleanor Chestnut, of Philadelphia, as the winner of Gene's last match. Other popular members of the youngest generation who passed to review along the beach boardwalk were the two little life guards below. They're Billy and Bert Blackburn, of Cleveland, O., the only twins in the carnival.

NIGHT FIGHTS

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

LONDON—Johnny Hill, Scotland, defeated Newshy Brown, New York (15); Johnny Curley, England, beat Benny Schack, United States, round (17).

DAYTON, O.—Ray Wallace, Indianapolis, defeated Johnny Mason, Pittsburgh (10).

WEST NEW YORK, N. J.—Man Mountain, Erie, Pa., defeated Knocked out Frank Zavala, New York (11).

DAYTON, Ky.—Mike Dundee, Rock Island, Ill., knocked out Tony Escandano, Los Angeles (11); Fred Mahen, Los Angeles, won over Meyer Grace, Chicago (11); Joe Lucas, Detroit, defeated Bobby Hermann, Los Angeles (10); Otto Anderson, Terre Haute, won from Lon Lovelace, Terre Haute (14).

MONTREAL—Eleanor Dixon, French Canadian, heavyweight knocked out Ramiro Rojas, Chile (3).

SAN FRANCISCO—Speedy Dado, Filipino, knocked out Pinky George, Des Moines (2).

Mangled Bodies Of
Lost Aviators Found

MILFORD, Pa., Aug. 30, (AP)—

The bodies of M. M. Merrill and Edwin M. Rennie were found today by Arthur McCarthy, according to a telephone call from Ford Eddy. They were said to have been mangled by the plane crash. The bodies were located about six miles from Milford in the heart

of an almost impenetrable forest. McCarthy said that the gasoline tank of the plane which the two men were flying from Buffalo to New York apparently exploded. McCarthy was one of several scores of men who had been combing the woods since the wreckage was sighted from an airplane yesterday.

JOFFRE AGING,
TOO WEAK TO
GO TO FUNERAL

PARIS, Aug. 30, (AP)—Because Marshal Joseph J. C. Joffre, did not feel equal to the two mile walk involved in the funeral today of his war colleague, Marshal Fayolle, there were reports of an alarming nature regarding the state of his health. These, however, promptly were discounted by friends of the 72-year-old victor of the Marne.

"The marshal has led a very active life, including long service in the tropics in Madagascar, but he is as courageous and unconcerned as ever," said Col. Fabry, his former aide-de-camp to the associated press.

"Papa," Joffre has been ailing for several months and late in June there were rumors that he was in a precarious condition. But he has been able to take a few minutes of exercise daily, although he spends most of his time in his rooms.

No immediate apprehension is felt by his close friends, but they acknowledge that the old warrior and idol of the French people is slowly weakening under burdens of

By Williams

TUNNEY ORATES
FOR CELEBRITIES

Scores Knockout with In-
telligentia at British
Dinner Party

LONDON, Aug. 26, (AP)—Landing Gene Tunney's bearing at last night's dinner party given in his honor by Harry Preston, noted British sportsman, the Express refers to the ex-champion as "The embodiment of human decency."

Tunney scored one of the greatest knockouts of his life, the paper says, by gracefully hobnobbing with the literary celebrities and other notables attending the party. In a toast to the guest of honor, Lord Decies called Gene a "great gentleman" and hoped he would have much success in "his chosen field of literature."

The young Marquis of Clydesdale followed with a brief speech and the ex-champion replied with graceful phrases of appreciation. "I don't know why you make this fuss over me," Gene said. "What is boxing? The ability to coordinate mind and muscle at a critical moment, that is all."

"Let you receive me with all this acclaim. If I had been a great painter I would have been met by a couple of long-haired men and short-haired women; had I been a famous literary my welcome would have been left to posterity."

He denounced the "bitter" type as a menace to boxing, declaring the only joy to be obtained in a fight is by facing a man of physical and intellectual equality. Noting that Tunney's dinner jacket failed to hide his shoulder muscles, the Express writer's first impression was as he puts it in today's edition: "Here was a mountain guide who ought to be something better, a man you would trust your sons to on a camping holiday, a man you would trust your daughter to anywhere."

Gene's speech is described as a triumph of sincerity that carried all before it. The speaker is characterized as "an orator to whom words are music."

"Here was a speaker who had knocked the language cold and claimed a championship over its dead body," the writer says.

Among the distinguished men present at the dinner, perhaps this in all, none had a chance after Tunney's telling remarks, but Arnold Bennett, the novelist, topped off the occasion with a graceful touch.

"A friend asked me to dinner," said the famous author, "but I told him I was going to dine with Tunney. You are a liar," the friend retorted. "You are boasting."

Gene wore a dress suit which his tailors rushed to a finish although he was measured for it the first time only Tuesday. After the dinner the guests attended a cabaret show.

Cross-Channel
Swimmer Fails

CAPE GRIZ NEZ, France, Aug. 26, (AP)—Alexander Bakker, of Holland, who started a cross-channel swim last night, gave up the attempt early this morning. He entered the water about two hours after Annie Meynell, of Germany, started. She was forced to quit after five hours of fruitless effort.

If some men went as they paid it would take them a long time to get anywhere.

Guinness is the greatest drink.

MAJOR LEAGUE LEADERS

(By The Associated Press)
National
Batteries—Mornoby, Brakes, 282.
Runs—J. W. Wagon, Pirates, 121.
Runs batted in—Rattonley, Cards, 107.
Hits—P. Wagon, Pirates, 187.
Doubles—P. Wagon, Pirates, 44.
Triples—P. Wagon, Pirates, 17.
Home runs—Wilson, Cubs, 26.
Stolen bases—Coyler, Cubs, 26.
Pitching—Henton, Giants, won 21, lost 8.
American
Batteries—Goslin, Senators, 232.
Runs—Ruth, Yankees, 138.
Runs batted in—Gohrig, Yankees, 122.
Hits—Mann, Browns, 133.

Doubles—Flanagan, Red Sox, 39.
Triples—Combs, Yankees, 17.
Home runs—Ruth, Yankees, 46.
Stolen bases—Mott, White Sox, 21.
Pitching—Hoyt, Yankees, won 17, lost 2.
Lightning killed a barber in South America as he was shaving a man. Those who have listened to insistent declarations that the half "needs a little wash, some tonic and a singe" know now that justice occasionally takes that hand off her eyes.
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30x3 1/2 S. S. 11.40	31x4 9.85	
31x4 14.25	32x4 9.95	
32x4 15.15		
32x4 15.90		
32x4 19.95		
32x4 20.75		
33x4 20.75		
34x4 21.45		
33x5 27.15		
35x5 29.15		
1.40 21 9.95		
1.50 21 11.15		
1.75 20 12.55		
1.75 21 13.05		
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30x3 1/2 Ex. size 6.85		
30x3 1/2 S. S. 9.95		
32x4 11.95		
34x4 13.15		
32x4 16.95		
34x4 17.95		
33x5 23.15		
29x4.40 7.35		
30x4.50 7.85		
29x4.75 9.95		
30x5.00 11.95		
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