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**ROBINS SETBACK  
IN DOUBLE BILL**

Brooklyn Finding Pathway Through West Thorny One to Travel.

By Otto Robertson  
(Associated Press Sports Writer)  
Once again the Brooklyn Robins are finding the pathway through the western half of the National league circuit a thorny road to travel in their quest of the championship pennant.

On their last swing through the west, the pace setting Robins failed to break even, dropping seven of their thirteen games, and if the results at St. Louis the last three days are any criterion then Brooklyn's pennant hopes are due to receive a severe jolt before the Robins return to Flatbush.

The second and third blow in two days was handed the Robins yesterday when the Cardinals took a double header, the first 8 to 2 and the nightcap 4 to 0. The double defeat while the Cubs were winning two gave Brooklyn just a one game advantage over the league champions.

Burlingame pitched steady ball to the first but Wally Hallahan was brilliant in the closing contest. He let the Robins down with five hits and fanned 12, striking out seven of the nine men that faced him in the third, fourth and fifth innings.

The Cubs took the measure of the Boston Braves 6 to 0 and 11 to 1. A pair of highly polished pitching performances by Charlie Root and Pat Malone and Hack Wilson's home run but accounted for Chicago's triumph. Root set the Braves down with three hits in the opener while Wilson blasted out his thirty-seventh and thirty-eighth home runs. Malone produced a five hit game in the second while Hack was sending his thirty-fourth home over the fence.

The newly Phillies also won a double header, taking the Cincinnati Reds into camp by the score of 18 to 0 and 4 to 0. Four Red hurlers were sent to the hospital in the first while Collins had the edge over Rixey in the nightcap.

Turning on the Cleveland Indians, the Washington Senators managed to hold on to second place in the American league by margin of 19, 100 points by edging out an 18 to 0 victory. Eleven runs in the eighth inning accounted for the large score.

The Yankees kept pace with the Senators in a double header, winning 14 to 11. Babe Ruth connected with his forty-second of the year while Combs, Goslin and Blue Huggins rapped off hits.

Earl Whitehill chalked up his ninth straight victory for Detroit as the Tigers turned back the Boston Red Sox 4 to 2.

**NEW CHAMPS  
ARE CROWNED  
IN NET PLAY**

Seattle, Aug. 10.—New champions in tennis were crowned in the Washington state tennis tournament which closed the Pacific Northwest season here yesterday.

The last defending title holders to be returned were Lauranson, Lenz and Ray Casely. San Francisco in the doubles finals yesterday. Bradshaw Harrison, former University of Oregon star, Tacoma, and Bob Hoops, Eugene, defeated the California combination 7-5, 6-3, 3-6, 2-6, 6-3 to win the Washington title.

Harrison trounced Harry Prusoff, Seattle, in straight sets, 6-2, 6-0, 6-2. He captured his fourth singles championship in the Pacific Northwest with the Pacific Northwest, British Columbia clay court and Western Canadian titles.

Miss Alice Marble, 16 year old San Francisco girl, garnered four championship titles in the Washington meet. She defeated Mrs. Golda Meyer Gross, Berkeley, 6-2, 6-0 to win the women's crown, and with Prusoff her partner in the mixed doubles, defeated Mrs. Gross and Frank Gove, Oakland, in the mixed doubles, 3-6, 6-2, 6-2. She had previously captured the girls' singles title and women's doubles championship with Miss Margaret Sturgeon, Santa Monica.

**Justo Suarez Will  
Battle Perlick**

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—Justo Suarez, Argentine lightweight, makes his second American start in the Metropolitan district this week.

The South American, who beat the veteran Joe Glick in his debut in this country recently, faces Herman Perlick, of the famous Kalamazoo brother-act, in the feature ten rounder of the Queensboro stadium's show tomorrow night. Perlick, in a recent appearance here, lost a close decision to Jack (Kid) Berg of England and should give Suarez a bitter argument all the way.

**Hack Wilson Near  
National Record**

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—Just five more home runs—and 44 games in which to get them—and Hack Wilson of the Cubs, will have set a new National league record for round trip bluffs.

The pudgy Cub outfielder yesterday laced Boston Brave pitching for three homers in a double header to give him a total of 39 for the season, and equal his 1929 record. The league record of 43 was set last year by Chuck Klein of the Phillies, who today was ten behind Wilson.

**OLD MAN MORTON'S SON, ELMER**

By Oscar Hitt



**Portland Wins  
Six Games From  
Seattle Indians**

By the Associated Press  
Los Angeles took two games from the San Francisco Missions yesterday to maintain its place in second position in the Pacific Coast league, only one game now behind the leading Hollywood Stars. The Angels won the series, 5 to 2.

San Francisco won one and dropped one in the double header with the Stars, to hold third place, and stay two games behind the leaders.

The Angels won in the morning, 13 to 1, and in the afternoon session 6 to 2. In the morning, they hit Herman Pillette hard and often and the Missions played ball in the field. The southern team was pushed harder in the afternoon, facing Bert Cole in the box for the Missions. Cole put up a stout battle until the ninth, then Sigafos clinched the affair, with a homer, scoring Rixey.

Double Bill Split  
At Los Angeles, Hollywood dropped the first game 12 to 5 to San Francisco.

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**25,000 Baby Golf  
Courses In U. S.**

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—These baby golf courses sprouting around the United States now number 25,000 and represent the incredible value of \$125,000,000 in investment.

This is the estimate compiled by the commerce department, which finds 15,000 of them have sprung into existence since last January.

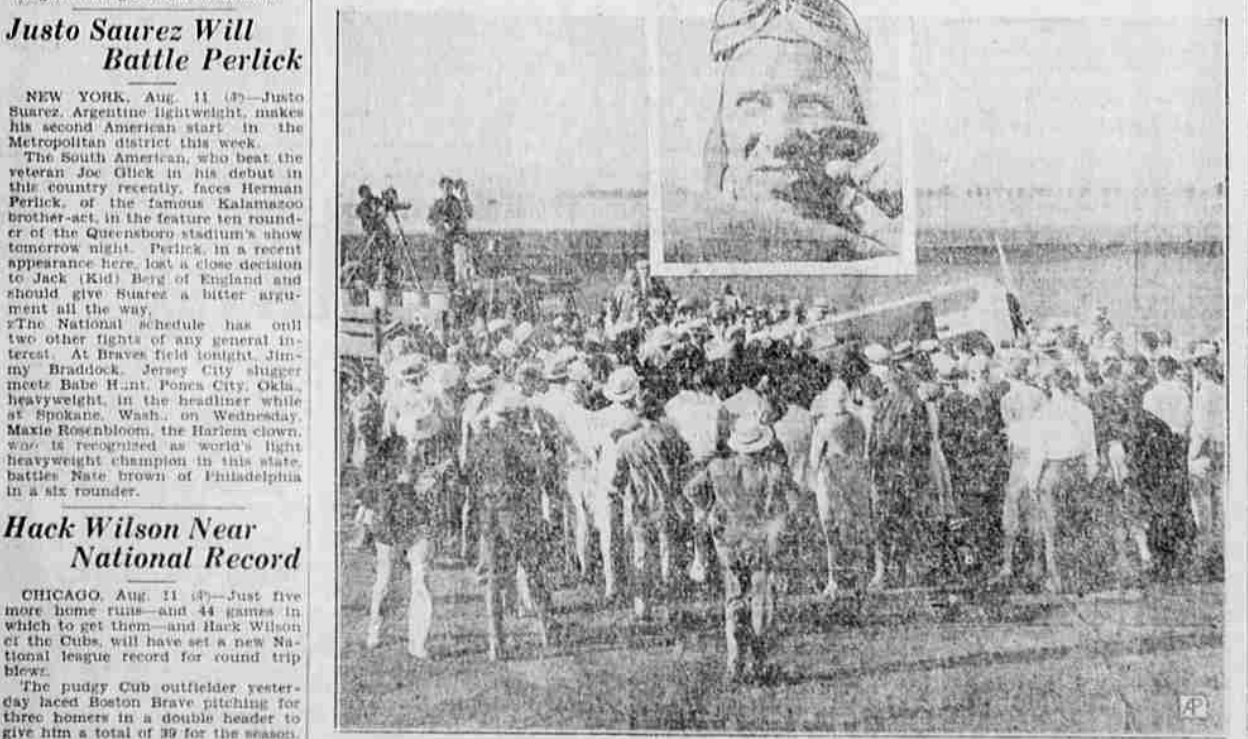
Primarily the government's commercial shapers have been investigating the subject by reason of the demand the miniature golf establishments are creating for materials of various kinds, all during a period when demand for substances is a matter of urgent concern. The courses promise to consume in the aggregate very respectable quantities of cotton, through their use of duck and canvas for enclosures. They use also the products of a dozen industries.

**BOBBY'S FIRST SWIM IN 10 YEARS**



Bobby Jones recently forsook golf and donned a swimming suit for the first time in 10 years. He is shown above with Mr. and Mrs. Roberts (center) and Bob Gardner (right) on the beach at Sea Island, Reimswick, Ga.

**ENTHUSIASTS GREET HAWKS AFTER RECORD FLIGHT**



Surrounded by a group of admirers Frank Hawke (right) climbed out of his speedy monoplane at Los Angeles after crossing the continent in 14 hours, 55 minutes, 43 seconds. He clipped nearly four hours from the previous fastest time made in an east-west crossing.

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**League Standings**

By the Associated Press  
**COAST LEAGUE**

W.	L.	Pct.	
Hollywood	19	10	.643
Los Angeles	17	11	.607
San Francisco	16	12	.571
Mission	14	14	.500
Sacramento	13	15	.464
Portland	12	16	.429
Oakland	12	16	.429
Seattle	10	18	.357

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**

W.	L.	Pct.	
Brooklyn	68	44	.600
Chicago	64	44	.593
New York	61	46	.570
St. Louis	56	52	.519
Pittsburgh	50	55	.476
Boston	50	59	.459
Cincinnati	45	58	.437
Philadelphia	37	70	.346

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

W.	L.	Pct.	
Philadelphia	77	67	.533
Washington	66	45	.595
New York	67	46	.593
Cleveland	53	53	.513
Detroit	56	57	.496
Chicago	41	67	.386
St. Louis	41	69	.369
Boston	38	74	.339

**Sport Slants**

By Alan J. Gould  
(Associated Press Sports Editor)  
College football coaches, as a whole, are quite ready to let the non-scouting idea die a natural, but nevertheless speedy death. On the other hand, some warm advocates of the theory and practice remain, among them Dan McOglin of Vanderbilt.

Celator Dan has suggested to all of Vandy's 1930 opponents that their games be played under a non-scouting rule, but it is questionable as to how many will accept the invitation.

A few years ago, non-scouting gained impetus, partially as a reaction to accusations of over-emphasis on

the gridiron sport. Yale, then under T. A. D. Jones as head coach, campaigned for it. Princeton fell in line. So did Harvard with a reluctance that has since grown to dissatisfaction and abandonment of the policy entirely. West Point likewise failed to share Yale's enthusiasm and has cast its vote unequivocally for organized scouting.

"Scouting is a legitimate part of the game," Major Ralph Irvine Sasser, Army's new head coach, told me in a discussion of the subject. "Why should we waste a lot of time in coaching when it can be saved and spent to better advantage by useful reports from our scouts? Information on opposing teams is bound to drift in anyway and it might better be on an organized basis than otherwise."

Throughout the middle west the visiting scout is a guest of honor. Special space is reserved for him in a good section of the stands, usually in proximity to the press box. He is dined and entertained, made to feel welcome and in some cases furnished with charts to facilitate his observations.

There should be a limit, however to this sort of hospitality. An enemy scout is still an enemy scout.

A vicious-toss or hammer-thrower gets greater momentum, consequently greater distance, into his leaves in proportion to the number of spins he makes before letting the missile go. Acting on this theory, Prof. Rockne will introduce a "double spinner" play to the gridiron this fall, with the ball-carrier whirling twice to gain momentum before he hits the opening.

All I have had in a hotel room demonstration of this apparatus, but on the basis of this preview, it looks good. Ralph Sasser, Army's head coach, has offered to send Rockne a set of castanets to disguise the ball-carrier as a Spanish tango artist.

Maricopa college, Ohio, ambitious to take its place in intercollegiate rowing competition next year, has invited Washington to race there on the way east to Poughkeepsie. Ellsworth, former Washington captain and stroke, has coached inter-class crews in developing the sport at Maricopa. He thinks Ohio State university may take up the invitation with interest in a college sport confined largely for years to a handful of seaboard colleges.

**Son of Wallowa  
Couple Fatally  
Hurt In Wreck**

By Etha Rentrow Hunter  
(Observer Correspondent)

WALLOWA, Oregon (Special)—Roscoe Royster, of Walla Walla, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Royster, of Wallowa, who was fatally injured in an automobile accident 4 1/2 miles west of Dayton last Thursday, died at 2 o'clock Saturday morning. With him in the car at the time of the accident was W. R. Rehorn, city engineer of Walla Walla, who died from his injuries before reaching the Dayton hospital. Both men were found unconscious by a passerby, who summoned officers and a physician.

The S. R. Royster family was notified of the accident Friday morning and left immediately for Walla Walla, reaching there before the death of their son and brother. Mr. Royster leaves a wife and two-year-old child in Walla Walla and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Royster, and two brothers and three sisters, of Wallowa. The funeral will be held in Walla Walla Monday.

The home of Bill Cramer was destroyed by fire about 11 o'clock Saturday night. Mrs. Cramer and infant child are visiting in the east. Mr. Cramer had gone home in the evening and started a fire in the kitchen range and later retired. He was awakened by the noise of the fire and had just time to escape from the house. It is supposed the fire started from a defective flue.

Ronald McKinnis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henebel McKinnis, is her from Pittsburg, Penn., where he is a professor of chemistry at the university. He will spend a two weeks vacation visiting his parents.

A wire was received by Mrs. C. C. Rupp Friday that the 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pfeiffer of Pocatello, Idaho, had been killed in a water wheel. Mrs. Rupp and her son, Edward, left Wallowa Saturday morning to attend the funeral. Mrs. Rupp and Mrs. Pfeiffer are sisters. The Pfeiffer family were former residents of La Grande.

Delbert Keeler, former resident of Wallowa now living in Milton, is visiting in the valley. Mr. Keeler states that it has been 15 years since he has been in Wallowa and that he is glad to be back renewing old acquaintances.

Mrs. Harold Hamstreet and daughter, Mona Louise, were down from their farm-home on Prairie Creek Saturday, visiting Mrs. Hamstreet's

Sunday morning to spend the day visiting friends.

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