

"SHOWDOWN" DUE IN BIG LEAGUE

Rabbit Ball of American and Less Livelier Sphere to Get Real Trial.

(Associated Press Sports Writer) While it doesn't show in the records, it appears this early that the country's two major baseball leagues will provide a "showdown" this season on the brand of ball the custom-ers want.

The American league, standing by its "rabbit" ball, is fashioning more and fancier home runs than ever before. It's still a hitters' league in the fullest sense of the word. The National circuit, with its less lively sphere, is playing them close to the vest, regaling its patrons with low-hit, fast-fielding exhibitions.

dition to pitching five-hit ball. Bobby Burke singles across the winning run in the ninth.

Red Lucas, who at last seems to have a claim back of him worthy of his talents, pitched the ambitious Cincinnati Reds to a 7 to 2 win over the Chicago Cubs before an inaugural crowd of 30,000 at Wrigley field. Joe Morrissey, rookie shortstop, knocked in four of the Reds' runs.

The champion St. Louis Cardinals plumed new depths as they lost their fifth consecutive game to the Pittsburgh Pirates, 7 to 0, and fell into a deadlock with the Giants for last place in the National league. It marked the first time in the last three seasons that the Red Birds have dropped five in a row. Steve Swetonic allowed the champs only three hits, all singles.

The Giants, led by bruising Bill Terry, rose into four fully pitched games and a 14 to 3 triumph at Baker field. Terry hit two homers for the second straight day and batted in five runs. Old Clarence Mitchell did the pitching honors.

Baseball Standings

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. National League: Boston 4-2-667, Cincinnati 5-3-625, Chicago 4-3-571, Philadelphia 3-9-275, Brooklyn 3-9-500, Pittsburgh 4-4-500, St. Louis 2-5-286, New York 2-5-286.

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. American League: Washington 6-2-750, Detroit 6-2-750, New York 6-10-375, Cleveland 4-4-500, Chicago 4-5-444, Philadelphia 3-4-429, St. Louis 3-6-333, Boston 1-6-143.

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Coast League: San Francisco 14-2-875, Sacramento 10-6-625, Hollywood 10-6-625, Portland 9-7-563, Los Angeles 7-9-438, Oakland 6-10-375, Seattle 6-10-375, Missions 2-14-125.

YESTERDAY'S SCORES: Portland 4, Missions 1. Seattle 6, Hollywood 3. Los Angeles 6, Sacramento 2. San Francisco 8, Oakland 7.

American League: New York 8, Philadelphia 3. Washington 4, Boston 3. Chicago 2, St. Louis 0. St. Louis 5, Chicago 0.

National League: Chicago 2, Cincinnati 7. Philadelphia 5, New York 14. Pittsburgh 7, St. Louis 0. Only games scheduled.

Lewis Winner Of Trapshoot Event

FINEHURST, N. C., Apr. 21 (AP)—Tracy V. Lewis of New York broke 96 targets of a possible 100 to win the all-around championship of the annual north and south trapshoot tournament here.

Andrew J. Smith, of Providence, R. I. shooting from the 20-yard mark, scored 93 to win the handicap event, and Sam Sherman, of Salt Lake City, was second with 94 scores from the 23-yard line.

Hardwick Winner Over Butcher In Scrap At Baker

BAKER, Ore., Apr. 21 (AP)—Cret Hardwick, of Baker, won the judges' decision over George Butcher, of La Grande, in the main event on a boxing card here last night. Left hooks and straight arm punches did the work. They are welterweights.

MANLEY BEATS HANNAH

SAN FRANCISCO, Apr. 21 (AP)—In a fast six round battle here last night, George Manley, 176 pounds, Denver, outboxed Jimmy Hannah, 160 pounds, Pocatello, Idaho, to win a popular decision.

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"Pavlowa" Cochrane Does His Stuff



What's this—Mickie Cochrane doing a spring dance? No, the Athletics' catcher struck this unusual pose when he started to slide into third base and then jumped on the bag instead. He'd just hammered out a triple in the third inning of the season's opening game with the New York Yankees at Shibe park, Philadelphia. That's Third Base Man Cochrane, of the Yanks, receiving the belated throw. The New Yorkers won, 12 to 6.

Betty Robinson's Successor Seen In Overnight, Girl Sprint Star

CHICAGO (AP)—A girl who ran her first official foot race less than three months ago and 60 days later smashed the Central A. A. U. 60-yard record may take Betty Robinson's place for Chicago in this year's Olympics.

One morning last January Mary Terwilliger, of DeKalb, Ill., learned that a track meet for novices was being sponsored in Chicago that evening by the Illinois Women's athletic club.

Her brother, an athlete himself who had noted her unusual speed in informal foot races, persuaded her to enter.

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Record-Hitters, These Lads



This being an Olympiad year, the athletes seem to be outdoing themselves. Left is Bob Kiesel, University of California sophomore, who ran the 100-yard dash in 9.5 seconds, equaling the recognized world record. Right is Ben Eastman, Stanford middle distance star, who's shown breaking the world's 800-yard record—two weeks after setting a new 4:40-yard mark.

Jurado Declines To Take New Shot At British Open

BUENOS AIRES (AP)—There will be no Argentine instance this season to continued United States possession of the British open golf championship.

The cricketlike little Jose Jurado, pal of the Prince of Wales and ace of Argentine golfers, who had the title in the bag last year until he took a flock of sixes on the last holes and sloughed the honors to Tommy Armour, has no appetite for another European campaign this summer.

He is playing better golf than he ever did, and burning up the courses in his native country in the middle sixties, but he has declined the offer the Argentine Golf Club, where he is professional, to send him to the wars in either the United States or Britain.

Because Jurado prefers to stay at home his co-professionals, Freddie Genta and Churio, also have spurned opportunities to play again in the British open and Argentina probably will be unrepresented.

PARIS INTRODUCES LEATHER TIES

PARIS (AP)—Leather ties are a new spring fad. As its contribution to masculine spring styles Paris has evolved a new four-in-hand, cut from a long strip of finely finished kid and left with uneven edges to wear with sports clothes.

Sport Slants

By Alan J. Gould (Associated Press Sports Editor) International sports develop some dizzy situations. Take the matter of tennis. In years past Americans have been criticized abroad for invading foreign lands and carting away the trophies.

TRACK TRYOUTS HELD

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Ore., Apr. 21 (Special)—With Coach Bill Hayward's illness hanging over the squad, the weekend track tryouts in Eugene, Ore., were held Saturday at the University of Oregon.

Announcement

Announcement from Carr Furniture Company. This store will be open daily 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Accounts may be paid and receipted at the office as usual. CARR FURNITURE COMPANY Inc.

a march" on the French and British players who will be toiling at Wimbledon while the Americans are rounding into championship form at a French resort or in the Roland Garros stadium in Paris.

TIP FOR TAT-

Unless America abandons this "cute" plan—cute, in English usage, meaning shrewd or tricky—the Evening Standard writer urges retaliation. He doesn't suggest the League of Nations might be invoked, but he mentions a boycott of the American championships at Forest Hills unless the U. S. L. T. A. calls off the "semi-boycott of Wimbledon."

Neither Fred Perry nor Bunny Austin should go to America this fall if Shields and Vines skip the two weeks' play at Wimbledon, he says. Finally, Shakespeare is dragged in to prove the unfriendly action of American tennis authorities.

"The Americans by ignoring an obligation which the give-and-take of the game imposes will show that they believe (with Casius) that: 'Tis better that the enemy seek."

DAVIS CALMS TEMPEST

Dwight F. Davis, Davis Cup donor, who spent a week in London recently, somewhat allayed the feelings of British tennis critics on the Wimbledon issue by telling them that he also felt strongly on the subject.

Declaring that he had been in correspondence with the American authorities, Mr. Davis said: "I have great hopes that our young players will be at Wimbledon. I regard Wimbledon as pre-eminent among the lawn tennis championships of the world."

English critics felt better after that, and Mr. Davis' reputation as a diplomat was firmly established in London.

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