

KENNY HANER'S TRIP

NO CHANCE OF GETTING TENER TO CHANGE HIS MIND ABOUT RESIGNING

Believed That John Heydler Will Be Named to Fill Vacancy Until League Meeting in December; Would Not Be Surprising If Ban Johnson Follows Footsteps.

By H. C. Hamilton

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—(U. P.)—There was no expectation here today that Governor John K. Tener would reconsider his demand that the National League accept the resignation he presented to it last December. The former governor of Pennsylvania never has been known to change his mind, once he set it on a certain accomplishment, and that trait is expected to guide his actions now. He has announced himself opposed to the methods by which Ban Johnson conducts business for the American league and has declined to participate in any more sessions of the national commission in which Ban Johnson takes part.

On this is based the resignation, for the club owners in the National League, instead of backing up the president to the limit in his commendable stand for power in the national commission, have decided to play a world's series, which would involve business dealings with the American league. Therefore, Governor Tener wants to step aside so someone else can represent the league.

Heydler May Fill. Certain factions have been trying to force Governor Tener from the presidency of the league and have already hand picked a man to succeed him. Opposition to this action, however, is strong and his man will not be elected without a struggle. Indications were that John Heydler, secretary and treasurer, would be chosen to fill the vacancy and no new president elected until the meeting in December.

It is not improbable that both leagues will have new presidents when things again open, for John Heydler incurred the enmity of several of his club owners recently and may follow the footsteps of Governor Tener.

Tener Resigns His Post. New York, Aug. 7.—Acceptance of his resignation tendered last December was requested in a letter sent to the National league club owners yesterday by John K. Tener. Several questions, including the taking of the Scott Perry case into the civil courts, caused Tener to take the action.

Tener's letter was as follows: "Gentlemen: "Having declined to serve further on the National commission for the good reason that I am not a member of the league, I am prompted to take this course out of consideration of the present situation and that you may more speedily select my successor, who will, if you desire, serve as your representative on the commission under the circumstances."

INSTRUCTORS OF BOXING IN ARMY GOING DOWN LINE

Kilbane, Burns and Herman Do Not Show Up as Well as Formerly.

You might think—if you should think about it at all—getting into the war game, with its attendant drill and muscle hardening and all, would be great stuff for the boxer boys.

But it is not so, they say, who have tried it. There is too much particular training needed for both stunts, for fighting in France and for fighting in the ring, each needs its own kind of training and drilling, and neither is particularly a preparation for the other.

Pete Herman, featherweight champion, for instance, is in the navy. He's wearing the blue and white midship outfit that is in season there this year in place of the almost all-togethers of the ring. And when he came up against Frankie Burns the other day, the Jersey star didn't make it look good for him. It looked as if Pete would have to do a great deal of practice if he wants to swing back into form.

Johnny Griffith, who has been teaching boxing to army men in the South, is another example in point. Johnny has lost considerable of his technique and today is nowhere near the champion he formerly was. Johnny Kilbane is going down under the army work; it's the price the boxers are paying to help whip the Germans.

Captain McClure Is Over Gas Attack

Eugene, Or., Aug. 7.—Captain Walter McClure, former University of Oregon track star and graduate of the state institution in 1915, who has been in the army for several months, has been commander of Company M, Twenty-sixth infantry, in France, was gassed recently and has just been discharged from his hospital, according to a letter received by his mother, Mrs. O. Bennett, of this city.

McClure was one of the first Americans to see active fighting on the west front and already has several notches on his pistol handle, testifying for some of the "good Boches" the Yankees have made. He states that he is back at his old job of training troops behind the lines now.

Boxer Dies, Youthful Opponent Arrested

Jersey City, N. J., Aug. 7.—(U. P.)—Nelson Tapperman, 18, a bantamweight boxer, is dead today, and Victor Ritchie, also 18, is in custody, following a scheduled fourth round bout at the Army Athletic club here. The boys fought with eight ounces gloves. In the middle of the second round it was so apparent that Tapperman was being badly beaten that the referee stopped the fight. Tapperman lost consciousness in the dressing room and died two hours later in a hospital.

JOHN K. TENER, who asks National league club owners to accept resignation tendered at meeting of directors last December.



AMERICAN LEAGUE

Boston 7, Detroit 5

Detroit, Aug. 7.—The Tigers were trimmed 7 to 5 in their game with Boston Tuesday. The game went 10 innings. One in the fourth, three in the eighth and three in the tenth marked the winners' score. Each side used two pitchers.

The score: R. H. E. Boston 7 12 1 Detroit 5 14 2 Batteries—Mays and Mayer, Schanz; Kallio and Stange.

Cleveland 1, Washington 0

Cleveland, Aug. 7.—It took Cleveland 10 innings to register the single winning score over the Washington Americans in their game Tuesday, 1 to 0. Harper and Matteson for Washington pitched against Bagby for the locals.

The score: R. H. E. Cleveland 1 0 1 Washington 0 11 1 Batteries—Harper, Matteson and Ainsmith; Bagby and O'Neil.

PORTLAND BOYS IN RUNNING FOR TENNIS TITLES

Neer and Stevens Win Matches in the Washington State Court Tournament.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 7.—Phil Neer and Henry Stevens, Portland players, remain in the running for the Washington state tennis championship as the result of the victories yesterday. Neer defeated Flye, a Seattle youngster, in easy fashion, 6-1, 6-2, while Stevens annexed two matches, the first from Morris, a local entry, 2-6, 6-4, and the second from Moser, 6-1, 6-0.

The surprise of yesterday's play was the defeat of Bob Wabraussek, the northwest junior champion, at the hands of Crawford Anderson of Seattle, after the champion had secured a lead of 5-1 in the first set. The scores of the matches were 7-5, 6-3.

Will White and Jack Wright, junior players from the Inland Empire, defeated Wickersham and Scott, veteran Tacoma players, by the scores of 6-3, 2-6, 6-1.

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Soldier Ball Team Is Seeking Contests

Manager Beesley of the 439th squadron baseball team would like to arrange games with the fastest teams in the vicinity of 100 miles, for midweek and Saturday and Sunday games.

The 439th team is composed of professional and fast semi-professional players. Roschko, former Kansas City association player, and Harper, of Reading, Pa., Tri-State league, do the flinging with Kullman, former Coast League player, on the receiving end. Flinchbach of Minneapolis, also former association player, covers first base, with Holland, an old University of Minnesota player, on second. Thomas Beesley, former Colgate University star, on short, and Carruth, Salt Lake City, stationed at third. Boston, an old league player, with Beasly, University of Michigan, and Konza, Ingle and Nance for choices in the outfield.

To arrange games communicate with Business Manager Thomas E. Beesley, 439th squadron, Vancouver barracks.

Portland Boy Loses Bout

Oakland, Cal., Aug. 7.—(U. P.)—Featherweight Jimmie Dundee today has a decision over a lightweight in his credit, earned last night in his battle with Stanley Willis here. Sailor Harvey Wilson beat George Share, Battling Virra stopped Jimmie West, Johnny Conde won from George Brandon of Portland. The police stopped the bout between Larry Lasher and Billy Shade and Eddie Denny beat Charles Miller.

Western Champions to Play Chicago, Aug. 7.—Walter N. Hayes and Ralph Burdick, western tennis champions in doubles, will participate in the national tourney in Boston next week. It was announced today. The two won their titles Sunday.

COBB WILL QUIT GAME THIS YEAR

Georgia Peach Will Not Be Seen in Action if War Continues.

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—(U. P.)—If the world war continues next year Ty Cobb will not be seen in action, no matter how baseball stands.

With a long winter ahead and many uncertainties as to what may develop, it is by no means certain that baseball mags will not try to open their parks next season, but with war still raging Ty will be among the missing.

His Last Season. During a recent visit of the Detroit Tigers to Washington, Cobb told an intimate friend that this was to be his last season in the game until after the war. And at the time he was by no means sure that it would not be his last under any conditions.

The Georgia Peach told his Washington friend that he meant to get into the big game somewhere and do what he could to help win the war. Cobb placed in class 4, Cobb could continue as long as baseball continued and his status remained unchanged, but his decision to hang up the spikes was well meant.

Have Same Feeling. Many players feel the same as Cobb. They are not going to be governed by what baseball club owners do in the future if the war goes on. The game is going to lose many stars who have a number of good seasons ahead of them. An early peace is the only thing that will bring them back into the harness.

Royal Knight Wins on Cleveland Track

Cleveland, Aug. 7.—Royal Knight, never before a heat or race winner on the grand circuit, captured the Press stake for 2:17 trotters yesterday afternoon, winning the first and third heats. Royal Knight, notwithstanding the fact that he had never won a heat, was the favorite and he rewarded his backers by a great performance. His best time was 2:05 1/2.

A rank outsider, Maggie Wreath, won the 2:14 pace and Budlight, a favorite, finished first in the 2:11 pace in straight heats.

The results: 2:11 CLASS PACING Budlight (Murphy) 1 2 1 Dan Hedgewood (Swain) 2 1 2 Miss Quigley (Hunt) 3 2 3 Lucy T. William Patch, Admiral, Hal H. Time—2:05 1/2, 2:06 1/2, 2:06 1/2.

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WILLIAM H. HEER, Oklahoma champion, who annexed national singles trapshooting title Tuesday in a shootoff with F. S. Tomlin.



MARATHON RACE WILL BE STAGED ON SATURDAY

Permission Secured to Stage the Event Between Hawthorne and Morrison Bridges.

Permission to stage the annual Willamette river marathon swim of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic club between the Hawthorne and Morrison bridges Saturday has been secured from the shipping board. The event will start promptly at 2 o'clock from the foot of Salmon street, the course being across the river and back.

The shortening of the course has added a great deal of interest to the event and indications are that this year's race will be closer than any of the past events.

Thelma Payne, national diving champion; Irene Pennington, Virginia, Pembroke and Mrs. Eldon contemplate entering the event.

The officials who will handle the event are: F. Morris Dunn, referee; Frank E. Watkins, starter; George A. Anderson, clerk of the course; Harry Fischer, George Burns and A. D. Wake-man, judges; George L. Parker, George Philbrook and Richard Sharp, timers.

Two additional entries were received Tuesday. C. Seymour and A. Hollinberry deciding to enter the event.

Duffy Joins the Navy. Oakland, Cal., Aug. 7.—(U. P.)—Jimmie Duffy, Oakland featherweight ring star, today is a full fledged sailor in Uncle Sam's fighting forces. He joined the navy yesterday.

German Cities Fight Over Meat Rations

London, Aug. 7.—(U. P.)—A quarrel has broken out between Munich and Berlin because the latter is allowed seven ounces of meat weekly and Berlin but five and one quarter, according to an Amsterdam dispatch printed in the Daily Express today.

Berlin answered the agitation of the Munich populace by saying that three fourths of the meat ration consisted of bone, adding:

"Munich, like all Bavarian cities, has everything to eat in plenty." This the Munich authorities replied.

"Berlin's contention is a lie." Dresden has joined the protest against Berlin.

Employees of Lead Company Get Raise

Washington, Aug. 7.—(U. P.)—Establishment of a minimum wage and a system of collective bargaining for employees of the lead industry, together with a general increase in wages, feature the decision of the war labor board in the case of the St. Joseph, Mo., Lead company, made public today.

The company produces one ninth of all lead mined in the country. The wage increases granted range from 33 1/3 per cent for the 35 men, down to 10 per cent for the 35 men.

Catholics of Ireland Are Advised by Pope

Rome, Aug. 7.—(U. P.)—Pope Benedict has addressed a letter to the Irish bishops, pointing out the patriotic duties of the Irish Roman Catholics, who were learned in circles close to the Vatican today.

It is presumed that the papal message deals with the situation in Ireland resulting from home rule agitation.

Denver to Buy Water System

Denver, Aug. 7.—(U. P.)—Denver is to own its water system. By a majority of 4448 the city voted to bond itself for \$13,900,000 to take over the property of the Denver Union Water company, which it will operate after October as a municipal system.

Four Killed in Collision

Chicago, Aug. 7.—(U. P.)—John Hirth, his wife and their daughter, and a brother of the man, were killed here when a local interurban electric train struck their automobile. Hirth was fatally injured. The car was owned by the Hirth family, Racine, Wis.

HEER WINS NATIONAL TRAP TITLE

Frank Troeh Annexes Doubles Championship—Grand American Handicap Thursday.

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—Frank M. Troeh of Vancouver, Wash., won the national doubles trapshooting title Tuesday, by shattering 90 out of 90 pairs of doubles. Troeh shot in wonderful form, and was given a close race by J. S. Day of Cuero, Texas, who missed two more targets than Troeh.

William H. Heer of Guthrie, Okla., won the national single title, by defeating F. S. Tomlin of New Jersey in a 20-bird shootoff. In the event proper, each man broke 98 out of 100 targets.

A. R. Chezik of North Dakota won the Chicago overture after a shootoff with B. F. Elbert of Des Moines and D. Fauske of Worthington, Minn. In the event proper, each shooter missed one out of 100 targets.

In the national singles, Troeh registered a score of 96 and in the Chicago overture he made a mark of 95.

The preliminary handicap will be staged today and tomorrow, the blue ribbon classic of the trapshooting world—the Grand American Handicap—will be held.

The High Scores. The high scores in Tuesday's events: National amateur championship at singles—G. L. Becker, Utah, 95; F. S. Tomlin, Pennsylvania, 94; H. J. Prendergast, Phoenix, N. Y., 93; Charles Hummel, La Porte City, Iowa, 92; W. M. Ford, Wilmington, Del., 91; A. R. Chezik, Portland, N. D., 90; C. H. Newcomb, Philadelphia, 89; W. H. Heer, Guthrie, Okla., 88; F. M. Troeh, Vancouver, Wash., 86.

National amateur doubles championship—F. M. Troeh, Vancouver, Wash., 90; J. S. Day, Cuero, Texas, 88; C. C. Collins, Kankakee, Ill., 87; R. A. King, Tulsa, Okla., 87; W. H. Heer, Guthrie, Okla., 86.

Chicago overture—A. R. Chezik, Portland, N. D., 92; B. F. Elbert, Des Moines, Iowa, 90; J. E. McCurdy, Sydney, N. S. W., 89; J. D. Moore, Anglin, Cal., 86; Marc Arie, Thomasboro, Ill., 85; F. M. Troeh, Vancouver, Wash., 85; G. A. Smith, Marshalltown, Iowa, 84; E. F. Woodward, Houston, Texas, 83.

"If it's a gimper you've picked on—and 'plike' is only the aviation way of saying attacked or charged

Gimpers Have Lingo Almost as Puzzling As That of Ball Fan

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With the American Airmen in France, July 10.—(By Mail.)—"We'd better translate some of this gimper talk into honest to gosh American, or the United Press readers won't be able to step it," observed Lieutenant Eddie Rickenbacker, American ace and former automobile racer, as he began some "gimper talk," which is the aviation word for aero slang.

"We'll start out with the rudiments of the aviators' language," said Rickenbacker. "It's completely ignores the study of grammatical formations. The only formations we know are aero formations, which is group flying and stunts abruptly."

"First of all, there's an airplane. With us it is never an airplane—it's always known as a 'can.' Probably we call it that because it carries such big gasoline tanks and when you stop to think of how easily the Germans could set the can afire if we didn't let them have it first, you understand why an airplane is a 'can.'"

"Letting them have it is just the aviation way of saying you're firing the machine gun as fast as it will go, into Helio. You almost always have a chance when you 'go to a pink tea.'"

Going to Pink Tea. "Going to a pink tea" is going up in the air after a German. "Cuckoo birds" are always talking about pink tea, though they never have them. A "cuckoo bird" is an aviator who does all his fighting while none of the gimpers are around, and then comes back and tells about it.

"If you 'spot' something, which is seeing another plane, you 'scooby for position.' That is trying to get where you can shoot at him without his shooting you. Usually you try to get under his tail, which is behind and under him and coming after him. He can't shoot then, and you can.

"He would probably 'zoom' or 'dive' or 'wille' then. If he zooms he runs for home; if he dives he goes straight groundward without turning, while if he wille he goes around in a loop, so it's difficult to shoot him.

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Doing Stunts Is Insult. "Doing stunts over Archies is the worst insult you can give the Germans and they never fail to pepper you. If you are wise, you will zoom for home as they call them, or you are liable to be 'en panne,' which means the same as 'cuckoo.' 'Cuckoo' is the aero slang for broken down somewhat.

"It's all right if some Helio hasn't shot out of his belly at you, unexpectedly, before you can zig-zag out of range. Zig-zagging usually fetches him, as we say. Anyway you want to be near enough to the line when your motor 'cuckoo' on you, so you can glide back. Then the chances can come out and get their 'back' on as they call them, wille in their fur suits, and if you haven't scared Helio to death, maybe there'll be a 'pink tea' at the rendezvous that night when the 'can' is humming again."

Military Patrols Placed at Aberdeen

Aberdeen, Wash., Aug. 7.—To aid in forest fire prevention special military patrols have been detailed from the Third Washington Infantry, about 20 in all from the regiment. Sergeant A. E. Graham, of this city, has been detailed from Company H and will be on duty in various sections of Grays Harbor county. These military patrols will not have to deal so much with the watching or quenching of fires as they will have to do with warning campers, loggers and settlers against the careless or negligent setting of fires and their indifference to leaving live coals after a camp fire.

Al Orth, former pitcher and umpire, has enlisted with the U. S. C. A. for army welfare work and has high hopes that he may be assigned to duty in France. Since a lame knee forced him to give up umpiring Orth has been in business at his home in Lynnburg, Va.

President Joe Lannin of the Buffalo Bisons arranged a novel patriotic stunt for a recent game in Buffalo. Instead of charging admission to the game each fan was required to buy a Thrift Stamp. The money from the sale of the stamps was to be used for the purchase of war bonds.

Many insisted that the \$5 and \$10 security which they gave to insure their presence today be returned and that they be committed to jail.

No formal charge has yet been made against them, although it is likely to be "unlawful assemblage."

Yakima High School Gets New Teacher

Yakima, Wash., Aug. 7.—Mrs. C. E. Keeler was elected member of the high school faculty Monday, taking the position in the science department which Professor C. C. A. Palmer recently resigned. The new member of the faculty is the wife of Dr. C. E. Keeler, who left last week for Fort Riley to take active service in the medical reserve. The school board has excluded Mr. Keeler from the school, but recently modified its rule by accepting wives of men in military service.

St. Louis, Aug. 7.—(U. P.)—Former Governor Folk (Democrat) and Sellen P. Spencer (Republican) will be the opposing candidates for election as United States senator in the November general election as a result of the primaries Tuesday, which gave both a landslide over their opponents.

Incomplete returns give Folk a lead of about 25,000 votes over United States Senator Willey of the opposition.

Spencer claims a plurality of 25,000 over his opponent, Colonel Jay L. Torrey of Fruitville.

The total vote in St. Louis on the senatorship was 47,324, divided as follows: Republicans—Spencer, 19,144; Lorry, 11,548; Total, 30,692.

Democrats—Willey, 10,679; Folk, 6736; Higgins, 1623. Total, 17,444.

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