

RENE LACOSTE BOWS
TO YOUNG AMERICAN

SOUTHAMPTON, N.Y., Aug. 12. (AP)—A wiry American boy of 20, George Lott, Jr., of Chicago, today scored an astounding victory over Rene Lacoste of France, the conqueror of "Big Bill" Tilden, twice in a year. Scores were 6-4, 6-3, 6-1.

Lott's remarkable achievement in the semi-finals of the Meadowbrook tennis tournament here, was a worthy climax to a day which saw Tilden himself sweep through to an easy victory over Jacques Brugnon, another member of the French Davis cup team. 6-2, 6-1, 6-0.

Tilden thus will meet Lott in an all-American final tomorrow and the Davis cup preliminary which both Tilden and Lacoste sought to avoid, even to the event of defeating, has been spared.

In overcoming the redoubtable Lacoste, Lott rose to the topmost heights of a game which on occasions bore the mark of genius. His service was twisting and tricky, his smashing vicious, his trap shots marvelous of decept. Even Lott's choppy ground strokes, oftentimes unreliable, zipped over the net like pistol bullets.

Lacoste, on the other hand, was minus his usual steadiness and missed the chalk lines time after time, some times by two or three feet.

Both Tilden and Lott were playing the world beating game of which they are capable when at their best. A constantly rising crescendo of perfect tennis wore down their French opponents.

Brugnon, at least, was clearly disheartened in the final games as he saw the pace his rival was traveling.

Tilden and Hunter, candidates for the Davis cup doubles designation, today won a semi-final match from McRae and Holman, San Francisco, and Dr. George King, New York, at 6-1, 6-1, 7-5, in the other doubles semi-final.

American League Standings

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	77	33	.700
Washington	65	43	.602
Detroit	58	48	.547
Philadelphia	59	51	.536
Chicago	52	57	.477
Cleveland	46	63	.422
St. Louis	41	66	.383
Boston	36	72	.333

DETROIT, AUG. 12. (AP)—

The Detroit Tigers won their third consecutive game from St. Louis today, 7 to 2, driving Van Gilder from the box in the 8th inning with a rally that brought in four runs.

Score: R H E
St. Louis.....3 7 0
Philadelphia.....7 15 0
Van Gilder, Ballou and Schaag; Whitehall and Woodall.

PHILADELPHIA, AUG. 12. (AP)—

The Philadelphia Athletics entertained 10,000 boys' Day guests today by handing the Boston Red Sox a 7 to 1 defeat. Ty Cobb and Zach Wheat divided eight of the 15 hits made off Williams.

Score: R H E
Boston.....1 8 2
Detroit.....7 11 2
Whitae and Hartley; Rommel and Cochrane.

No other American league games scheduled.

Soviet Russia always knows what all other countries but is never able to flash the trophies at home. Detroit Free Press.

REMAINS ON WIRE NINE HOURS.



Sumpter Shaw, of Los Angeles, Cal., has just completed one of the strangest demonstrations of endurance ever attempted in remaining on a slack wire 9 hours and 20 minutes without blinking. He is shown above just before the finish of his performance at Los Angeles.

Scene and Principals of Coming Heavyweight Title Battle



The striking panorama of Soldiers' Field, Chicago, above, was taken between halves of the Army-Navy game there last fall, when 100,000 persons filled the mammoth stadium. The additional seats erected on the playing field around the ring for the title bout will add thousands to the total attendance. The building in the rear is the Field Museum. At left are Gene Tunney, champ, and Tex Rickard, the promoter. At right are Jack Dempsey and George F. Getz, Chicago millionaire and "resident" promoter.

National

ST. LOUIS, AUG. 12. (AP)—Bottomley's home run in the 11th inning game the St. Louis Cardinals a 2 to 1 victory over the Pittsburgh Pirates today and put the teams into a tie for second place.

Score: R H E
Pittsburgh.....1 4 0
St. Louis.....2 6 2
(11 Innings).
Hill and Smith; Haines and O'Farrell.

BOSTON, AUG. 12. (AP)—

The Braves won an old fashioned struggle from the Philadelphia Nationals at Braves field today, 12 to 6. The victory gave them three out of the four games played during the present series.

Score: R H E
Philadelphia.....6 14 3
Boston.....12 15 3
Scott and Wilson; Robertson and Urban.

NEW YORK, AUG. 12. (AP)—

New York whipped the Brooklyn Robins in 10 innings today by 7 to 6, Rogers Hornsby smashing his 18th homer of the year with the bases full in the 9th, to start an uphill battle.

Score: R H E
Brooklyn.....6 8 2
New York.....7 12 1
(10 Innings).
Elliott, Petty and Heuline; Platt, Benton and Taylor, Devorner, Cummings.

No other National League games scheduled.

MALLORY WINS
SINGLES MATCH

FOREST HILLS, N.Y., AUG. 12. (AP)—

An unexpected as well as decisive triumph by Mrs. Molla Bjurstedt Mallory, veteran American champion, over the British tennis ace, Mrs. Kitty McKane Godfree, helped the United States establish a lead of two matches to one over England today in the competition for the Wightman cup, international women's team trophy.

Miss Helen Wills, 21 year old Californian and Wimbledon champion scored America's victory with consummate ease over Miss Joan Fry by scores of 6-2, 6-0, taking only 20 minutes to make the match a rout. But where this match had been virtually conceded to America beforehand it came as a distinct surprise when Mrs. Mallory, flashing the old time power that lifted her to national title heights a dozen years ago, swept aside Mrs. Godfree with almost equal ease by scores of 6-4, 6-2.

PORTLAND DEFEATS
LOS ANGELES AGAIN

Cost League Standings

	W.	L.	Pct.
Oakland	87	53	.621
Seattle	78	59	.569
San Francisco	79	60	.568
Sacramento	71	69	.507
Portland	64	73	.467
Hollywood	65	76	.461
Missions	61	80	.433
Los Angeles	52	87	.374

PORTLAND, AUG. 12. (AP)—

Portland easily won from Los Angeles today, 9 to 4, making the fourth straight win from the tailenders. Elmer Smith hit his 32nd home run of the season, a long drive over the fence in deep right center. It was his 5th successive homer in five days and brings him to within 14 home runs of his mark of 46 for last year.

Score: R H E
Los Angeles.....4 8 1
Portland.....9 17 0
Gardner, Smith and Sandberg; Yerkes and Yelle.

LOS ANGELES, AUG. 12. (AP)—

Hank Hulvey cut short Oakland's string of 14 consecutive victories here today when he hurled Hollywood to a 9 to 1 win. He held the Oaks to 8 widely scattered hits and donated their lone run when he walked Fenton in the fourth inning with the bases loaded.

Score: R H E
Oakland.....1 8 1
Hollywood.....9 11 1
Boehler, Hasty and Bool, Lombardi; Hulvey and D. Murphy.

SEATTLE, AUG. 12. (AP)—

Handed a 1 to 0 shutout in the first game, the Indians stepped out in the second of a doubleheader here today and defeated San Francisco 9 to 4 in a seven inning hitting melee. Lefty O'Doul's homer in the first accounted for the single score. The Tribe lost its chance in the fourth inning when it collected four singles only to have Averill cut two runs off at the plate by perfect throws.

FIRST GAME—

Score: R H E
San Francisco.....1 8 1
Seattle.....0 7 0
Geary and Rego; Martin and Schmidt.

SECOND GAME—

Score: R H E
San Francisco.....9 13 1
Seattle.....0 7 0
Mitchell and Vargas; Brandt and Jenkins.

SAN FRANCISCO, AUG. 12. (AP)—

The Missions reached Max Rachac for one good inning today, scoring three runs off four hits in the sixth to insure them a 4-1 victory over the Sacramento Senators.

Score: R H E
Sacramento.....1 11 1
Missions.....4 7 0
Rachac, Singleton and Koehler; Weinert and Walters.

LATE SPORTS

PORTLAND, AUG. 12. (AP)—Bill Libke, young timber league pitcher, appeared in a Portland Beaver uniform today coincidentally with the announcement of President Turner that he had signed for a tryout. Libke has been pitching for Chehalis. He is right hander.

MILWAUKEE, AUG. 12. (AP)—

Joe Dunfee of Baltimore, welterweight champion and Pinky Mitchell of Milwaukee, former junior welterweight champion, were suspended until January 1, 1928, by the state boxing commission today following their bout here yesterday, which resulted in "no contest." The referee halted the affair in the 6th round. The sentence will keep both boxers inactive for nearly five months in the states affiliated with the National Boxing commission.

LONDON, (AP)—

The Shakespear Express is one of a number of fast trains on the Great Western Railway for the summer season.

UPAN ADAM



"The husbands that used to hafta sit up with a sick friend now have to call on a guy that's been hit low."

Sport
Ritticisms
by BILL RITT

Tex Rickard would probably spell it Chicago.

Ernst Vierkotter, German water star, has engaged a six-piece orchestra to follow him and play during his next long jaunt thru the waves. He probably figures it will make him swim to beat the band.

New York isn't excited because a star Cuban soccer team will play there. The town would much rather view the one-man soccer from Hollywood.

Mrs. Dempsey won't get to see Jack fight at Chicago. And if he repeats his Philadelphia showing, neither will the fans.

It's almost time for the country's ice men to doff their tongues and slip on the old nose guards.

Northwestern university announces it has discarded the bugle system but it's a ten-to-one shot the co-eds haven't.

The gal reporter calls her heavy "Archer" because as a beau he's an error.

BAYES DEFEATED
BY SPOKANE MAN

SPOKANE, AUG. 12. (AP)—Johnny Bayes, Spokane, won a decision over Phil Bayes, Salem, Ore., in the ground main event of a boxing card at the Dishman arena tonight. They weighed 128 pounds.

TWO RUM SHIPS COME
TO GRIEF IN NEW YORK

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In charge of a coast guard launch, was almost on the big vessel's heels. He seized a rope and scrambled aboard the freighter before his crew could make the launch fast alongside. He cowed the freighter's crew with his pistol, keeping them covered until a police launch brought reinforcements. The steamer was hauled from the bar without difficulty.

Later in the day 35 members of the Ansonia's crew were arraigned before United States Commissioner Epstein in Brooklyn federal court. Two of them, Carl Lewis and John Anasta, pilot and mate respectively of the vessel, were held in \$5,000 bail each, while the remaining 33 were each held in \$2,000 bail.

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TEN SECOND TEST
MAY TAKE MONTHS

BY NORMAN E. BROWN

Despite the fact that it would take less than 10 seconds to settle the matter the question of supremacy among the leading sprinters of the U. S. A.—Charley Paddock, Charley Borah, Chet Bowman and Roland Locke—probably will not be decided until the coming Olympic games in 1928 at Amsterdam.

The present track season is over. The athletes eligible to the Olympics and in line for the elimination trials probably will point themselves for the big games when they start training next spring, rather than for the annual intercollegiate and A. A. U. meets. Hence the deduction above.

The desire of close followers of the cinder path to have these stars battle it out is prompted partly by the still much-discussed dash at the A. A. U. games at Lincoln, Neb. This event produced one of the greatest finishes ever clocked. Borah, Bowman and Locke came to the tape breast and breast. Spectators called the race a dead heat. The judges refused to name an official winner until they could study motion pictures of the finish. Some felt, however, that Borah had won and Bowman was second. The final decision, however, gave Bowman the event and placed Locke second.

It was the second time Borah had lost in such a race. He met Paddock in 1926 and ran him aride for stride to the tape, only to have the judges decide in favor of Paddock.

The rare form of these stars presages a clean sweep in the sprints for Uncle Sam in the Olympics, but athletic officials are all aware that the middle distance and distance events will be lost unless America produces better material than that which wore the red, white and blue last year. Dr. Peizer of Germany, Nurmil, Emil Wide and other Europeans have demonstrated clearly their skill at the distance events.

RAIL EXTENSION PLAN
URGED BY COMMISSION

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ate and apart from, and discussion of the portions of our programme already taken care of or proposed by the carriers.

New Complaint Filed

"On May 14 of this year the public service commission of this commerce commission a new complaint which already has been assigned for hearing. The carriers,

or most of them, have filed answers, and we are now busily engaged in collecting data and preparing evidence to support our complaint.

"Whether we win or lose this case depends to a large extent upon the support given us by the several communities and civic organizations of this state. It is with this thought in mind that we are writing you to earnestly request your full support and cooperation. This can be most effectively given by filing with the interstate commerce commission a formal petition of intervention stating that you have an interest in the subject-matter of the case and desire an opportunity to appear and be heard."

"Please give this matter your early and careful consideration and advise us what you will do to aid in this important project."

PAT CRAWFORD'S
BIG BAT SOUGHT

GREENVILLE, S. C., AUG. 12. —Pat Crawford has changed his mind.

When this news leaked out, a bevy of big league scouts frantically scanned schedules, boarded southern-bound trains, and raced for Greenville, S. C.

In the bevy were such noted eagle-eyed ones as Nap Rucker, of Brooklyn; Paul Kritchell, Yankees; Buck Freeman, Browns; Art Devlin, Braves, and Pat Flaherty, Cubs.

The sharp-sighted crew, however, met with no success. For wily John J. McGraw had signed the Greenville Sally league star and he will next appear in a Giant uniform.

Pat's cerebral somersault occurred when, after several years of steadfast refusal to do so, Crawford has finally decided he wants a fling at the big show.

The 25-year-old church worker and diamond luminary, who will become athletic director at Guilford college in September, for years sacrificed his chances in the big time because he would not play on Sunday. Two years ago Louisville bought him. The Colonels tried to get him into a uniform on Sunday, but he balked. So back he went to the Sally league.

Though he cracks the apple at a 350 pace, and causes big league club owners' eyes to glisten, Crawford's greatest ambition is to be a sort of foreign missionary-coach, strengthening the heathen muscle as well as the soul.

A special objection to Senator Hefflin's proposal to have the congressional proceeding broadcast is that there would be more speeches and longer speeches than ever from Senator Hefflin—Springfield Republican.

FOUL BLOW CHARGE
WILL BE GIVEN AIR

NEW YORK, AUG. 12. (AP)—Paulino Uzcudun's losing battle with Jack Delaney on a foul in seven rounds will be aired before the New York athletic commission next Thursday, Al Mayer, one of the Spaniard's managers, announced today.

While the actual decision will not be protested, a plea will be made that no suspension be given Paulino because the referee failed properly to warn the fighter when the arbiter thought blows were landing low, Mayer said. A rule of the commission automatically inflicts a 30-day suspension on boxers losing on a foul in this state.

Paulino understands no English. Mayer declared, and the three warnings of Referee Crowley prior to the disqualification were not transmitted to the Basque's corner between rounds for translation to the fighter. Mayer also contends that Delaney's bent groin protector, exhibited as proof of the foul blows after the match, was discovered in that condition before the fracas by one of Paulino's handlers, who reported the matter to the referee. The latter made no effort to have Delaney's metal cup changed, Mayer said.

Just as the moving pictures of the Dempsey-Sharkey battle failed to definitely settle the question of "foul or no foul" raised by Sharkey and many ringside critics after the Boston boy's knockout, so the screen version of last night's fight proved inconclusive. Many of the boxing experts who saw the pictures today were unable to discover the low blows.

Because of the unsatisfactory ending, the match may be staged all over again, Tex Rickard said today in disclosing that the card drew a gross of \$125,541.70 to the Yankee stadium. The paid attendance was slightly over 28,000.

SPORTS
DONE
BROWN

Ever since the birth of the first rumor regarding the introduction of the lively or "rabbit" ball into the big leagues the question of its effect on the game in general has been discussed pro, con and crosswise.

The lively ball, of course, gave the batter his day—eliminated the frequent pitcher's battles which bobbed up years ago. But the answer of the baseball heads has been that the public is getting what it likes—hitting.

Now Walter Johnson speaks on the subject.

"The lively ball takes real baseball out of baseball."

That is the Big Train's opinion.

Need we go further, as the spellbinders say?

No, we need not.

If there is one man qualified to discuss baseball, especially the pitcher's end, he is Johnson. He hurried through the period of pitching which preceded the development of the rabbit ball. He saw the home run grow from the "fart" to the usual climax to the daily matinee. He has pitched under all the modern restrictions and conditions.

He points out that the pitchers were handicapped sufficiently some years ago with the elimination of the trick deliveries and the use of foreign substances. This move in itself more than equalized the advantages the hurler had held. Then came the ball with

the terrific hop to it. This truly gave the batter the upper hand.

"There is no doubt but what they have gone too far in the way of favoring the hitters as against the pitchers," says Walter.

And then, to show that his faith in the game has remained unshaken through years of scandal, intrigue and so-called commercialism the big veteran says he believes that a "happy medium" will be found eventually.

There's a message in the golfing life of Walter J. Travis, who recently died, for the golfer who finds himself handicapped by being unable to get distance to his drives.

Those who followed Travis through a long and brilliant career on the links say that he seldom dropped his drive even up with his opponent. Frequently, if not customarily, he was outdriven in his iron shots also.

How then, did he check his foe?

With his deadly accuracy—which extended from his tee shot to his putting. Some have ranked him as the greatest putter in the game's history.

JINX NUMBER 13 DOGS
COMPETING AIRPLANES

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bello this afternoon, lived at Wilmar, near here, with his wife and little daughter. He was 29 years old.

Captain Rogers, a native of England, entered the Lafayette Esquadille in the early days of the world war after being selected by the British army because of his age. "He was a friend of the ill-fated French aviator, Nungesser. When he became of age, he enlisted in the British air service and served with distinction during the rest of the conflict. After the war he unsuccessfully attempted a flight from London to New York. He recently became interested in the airplane designs of Leland A. Bryant, whose plane, "The Angel of Los Angeles" was entered in the Dole flight.

"The Angel of Los Angeles" cost \$22,000 and was equipped with tandem motors.

It is said that more men than women commit suicide. This is because the men have all the things to worry about that the women do and then have the women to worry about besides.

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EXECUTRIX NOTICE OF
APPOINTMENT

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Marion, as executrix of the last will and testament and estate of Carrie L. NeNise, deceased, and that she has duly qualified as such executrix; all persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified, to me, at the office of Ronald C. Glover, my attorney, 203 Oregon Building, Salem, Marion County, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 12th day of July, 1927.

RONALD C. GLOVER,
Attorney for executrix, Salem,
Oregon.

THERE'S A DASH OF HENNESSEY IN NEW DAVIS CUP COCKTAIL

