

DUCKS SHADE SEALS TO GO INTO TIE FOR LEAD

Tommy Armour Carries Off First Honors in Western Open Tournament

Portland Club Wins 13th Straight Victory as Los Angeles Team Is Beaten

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 24.—(AP)—Wallace Walters, the revengeful fat man, refused to allow his former team mates, the San Francisco Seals, to win a ball game for the third time in succession today and the Portland Ducks romped home on the long end of a 6 to 5 score.

Walters' homer in the fifth with two men on bases turned defeat into victory for the Ducks and the visitors could do no better than come within one run of tying the score in the first half of the ninth.

Walters won Thursday's and Friday's game for the Ducks with timely circuit clots. Today's victory was Portland's 13th straight.

San Francisco R H E
Portland 5 12 2
Los Angeles 6 8 0
Haworth; Fullerton and Woodall.

Angels Defeated
SEATTLE, Aug. 24.—(AP)—Lamanski, Indian hurler, kept the Angels' nine hits well scattered today in a baseball game and Seattle scored a 9 to 3 victory over the visitors.

Los Angeles used the moundmen in an attempt to stop the Indians' hitting streak. Today's victory was Portland's 13th straight.

Reds Shade Senators
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24.—(AP)—A ninth inning rally today failed to win the game for the Sacramento Senators, who lost to the San Francisco Missions with a score of 8 to 7.

Los Angeles R H E
Missions 7 14 2
Sacramento 8 17 0
Bryan, Gould, Cano and Koehler; Roether, McQuaid and Baldwin; Hoffman.

Shelks Defeated
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 24.—(AP)—Oakland bumbled the Hollywood Stars with a tenth inning rally in the fifth game of their series here, coping it by an 8 to 5 score and grabbing a one game advantage.

Oakland R H E
Hollywood 8 13 1
Hollywood 5 9 1
(10 innings)
Edwards and Lombardi; Johns, Hulvay and Severid.

Drawings Made in Doubles Net Play
BROOKLINE, Mass., Aug. 24.—(AP)—The draw for the national doubles tennis championship, which begins Monday at the Longwood Cricket club, today placed John Van Ryn, of Orange, N. J., and Wilmer L. Allison, of Austin, Tex., at the top of the American seeded list.

Headed the seeded list for the foreign group were Herbert W. Austin and John S. Ohliff, of London.

The other seeded American pairs were: (2) George M. Lott, Jr., Chicago, and John H. Doeg, St. Louis; (3) William T. Tilden, 2nd, Philadelphia, and Francis T. Hunter, New Rochelle, N. Y.; (4) Frederick Mercer, South Bethlehem, Pa., and J. Gilbert Hall, South Orange, N. J.

Placed after Austin and Ohliff, the seeded foreign pairs were: (2) Norman G. Parquharson, South Africa, and Gregory McGinn, Newark, N. J.; (3) Paul B. Dericon, Paris, and H. G. N. Cooper, Oxford university, England; (4) A. R. Avory and E. M. England.

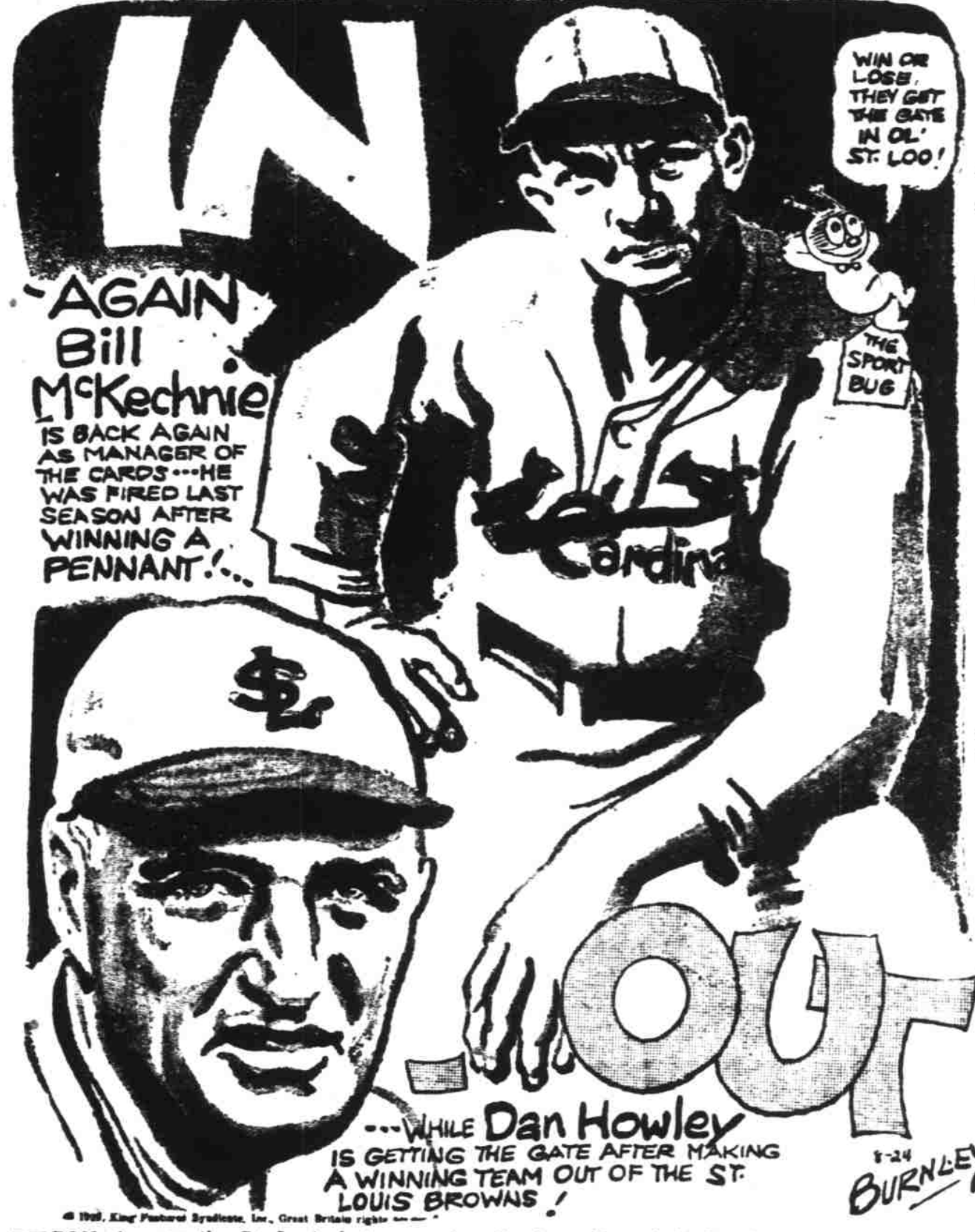
Van Ryn and Allison, the 1923 British champions, are scheduled to meet E. W. Fiebleman, Jr., New York, and J. Brooks Penno, Jr., Boston, in the first quarter matches in the first round.

Brooklyn Splits Pair
BROOKLYN, N. Y., Aug. 24.—(AP)—Brooklyn divided a doubleheader with Cincinnati here today, winning the second game 8 to 0 after the Reds had run off with the first decision by 5 to 2. Ray Moss allowed six scattered hits in the nightcap.

Cincinnati R H E
Brooklyn 5 9 0
Brooklyn 2 4 3
May and Sukerforth; Vance and DeBerry.

Giants Whip Pirates
NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—(AP)—The Giants defeated the Pirates in both games of a doubleheader here today 4 to 3 and 7 to 6. Despite the hard hitting, two Giant pitchers turned in complete games.

"The St. Louis Blues"



AGAIN Bill McKechnie IS BACK AGAIN AS MANAGER OF THE CARDS—HE WAS FIRED LAST SEASON AFTER WINNING A PENNANT!

WHILE Dan Howley IS GETTING THE GATE AFTER MAKING A WINNING TEAM OUT OF THE ST. LOUIS BROWNS!

FROM the way the St. Louis Cardinals bounce managers, some would almost swear that the outfit is run by one of those typical "efficiency experts" that have prevented business from becoming too prosperous ever since the war.

Bill McKechnie, fired by the St. Louis management, after leading the team to the National League pennant last year, has been recalled and Billy Southworth exiled to Rochester.

"Hair Trigger Sam" Breadon, a ball reported to be on the verge of casting out Dan Howley. The latter has been getting "front of the line" orders, etc., on the selection of pitchers, the placing of players, and other such master-minding.

Such stuff usually signifies the greasing of the skids and the swinging of the gate. Howley is supposed to be an able manager and popular but, as not so quaint custom has it:

"In St. Louis, win or lose, Managers are moanin' 'Those Breadon-Ball blues'!"

Baseball's High Hope Hopes for 1929 unquestionably belong to Billy Southworth who signed a two-year lease on a home in St. Louis last Spring when taking the "hot seat" there.

Prospects For Good Men On W. U. Football Squad Held Just About Average

With the opening of the training season two weeks ago, Coach "Spec" Keene of the Willamette university football team is beginning to receive word from his experienced players who are expected to return this fall, as to whether they will be on hand.

BIG BILL WINS DESPITE HISSES

Tilden Now is Entitled to Permanent Possession of Cushman Cup

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 24.—(AP)—Playing before a hostile crowd, big Bill Tilden displayed enough of his great fighting spirit to overcome George M. Lott, Jr., of Chicago, in a long five set tennis match here today in the final of the 13th Newport Casino invitation tournament.

The doubles final was won by Lott and Johnny Doeg, of Santa Monica, Calif., when they won 3 of the 64 games played. They played with Fritz Mercer of Bethlehem, Pa., and his brilliant partner, J. Gilbert Hall, of Orange, N. J., the winning figures were 6-4, 4-6, 11-9, 6-2.

Lott Plays Part Time In Stocking Feet

Tilden made a furious start against Lott, winning the first four games, three by love. The young Davis cup player started on a court which contained a large slippery area and he was worried by the unsafe footing.

Before the final set started the referee called on the crowd, overwhelmingly for Lott, to refrain from applause. Tilden served a love in the first game, and Lott held the second. During this game many of the crowd disregarded the referee's request and applauded Lott.

At Packed Stands

Tilden turned and glared at the stands for almost a minute. His gesture of displeasure so annoyed a few of the spectators that they hissed the former world's champion when he next found fault with a linesman's decision the hissing, probably the first ever heard in the historic and exclusive Casino, was quickly stopped by the protests of the majority.

Bill played a remarkably steady game during the afternoon doubles match maintaining his services on each of his performances. Mercer was broken six times during the 64 games, Doeg four times and Lott once.

During the Tilden-Lott match the governors of the Newport Casino Lawn Tennis association rewarded 73 year old Tom Pettit, who served as superintendent of the courts, 53 years, by presenting him with a silver plate and a purse of \$1000.

14th Street Team Winner of Two Baseball Games

Fourteenth street playground took both games of a doubleheader from Lincoln, Saturday afternoon on the former's field. Three home runs were hit, Lincoln getting one. The last game of the season will be played Tuesday.

The first game went to Fourteenth 10 to 2 and the second 7 to 2. Circuit clouts were made by John Perrine and John Kelly of Fourteenth street and Marvin Ritchie of Lincoln. Batteries were Perrine and Hale for Fourteenth street and Ritchie and Mathews for Lincoln.

Annual Boys' Race Scheduled Friday

Newsies will be given an opportunity to show their speed on a bicycle Friday afternoon at Fourteenth street playground in the annual paper boys race. A track will be marked off on Olinger field giving the boys a race of more than a quarter of a mile. Paper carrying bags will be used as entrance cards. More than 30 boys rode last year.

Curt Comments

Speaking of pajama-clad golfers, that's what the Rev. Thomas Hardie, pastor of the Methodist church at Silverton, is going to speak of at this morning's services.

He has announced as his sermon subject, "Why Aren't the Churches as Daring as the Golf Club?" Misgivings are felt among the more conservative members of his congregation, that someone will attend in pajamas and prove that they are as daring.

Apparently it doesn't require any pajamas to induce Dallas folk to play golf. A Polk county tournament will start today on the Oak Knoll course, with 63 men and 19 women participating in the first round.

Salem's expert horseshoe tossers are limbering up for the tournament which will be played at Corvallis September 1 and 3.

Maybe if the Corvallis County club team defeats the Salem Golf club players here today, Sharkey and Kay will install some steel pegs at their course and start the boys practicing up for revenge.

Funny how horseshoe pitching is gaining in favor now that horseshoes are so hard to find.

Ducks tried for first place. Tom Turner said a while back, when his team was in the cellar, that he'd stay in Portland until he won a Coast League pennant. Maybe he's getting tired of the town.

The Eugene ball team goes to Coquille today for the deciding game of the Valley-Bay league championship playoff. We'll bet Shy Huntington does not go along to umpire. Hot waves of wrath have been rising from the Coquille camp all week. They claim Shy won last Sunday's game for Eugene by calling a runner safe at the plate, when he was block-off, and calling a foul ball fair at a crucial moment.

Shy was the best umpire in the Willamette Valley league last year and one of the fairest, with all due honor to Al Sanders of Albany. For another thing, Shy had absolutely no "runs in" with any team, as far as we recall from a close association with all of the clubs in that league.

Which just goes to show that the smaller the town, the less philosophical it is likely to be about ball games and umpires' decisions.

If Mighty Casey had fanned out in New York instead of Mudville, no poem ever would have been written about him.

This week the athletic department at Willamette will start working over Sweetland field, and it won't be long until bleachers will be rearranged at Olinger field and goal posts erected. With the use of a little imagination, we can already see rows of perspiring youths running down under punts beneath a glaring September sun.

Goah, how terrible those first few nights of practice are! But the boys who play football today have something to be thankful for. Falling on the ball is no longer the piece de resistance of each workout for the first two weeks.

That was a barbarous custom.

MICHIGAN PRO NOW CHAMPION

Horton Smith of Joplin, Mo., Is Runnerup Although 8 Strokes Behind

By PAUL R. MCKELSON Associated Press Sport Writer OZAUKEE COUNTRY CLUB, Milwaukee, Aug. 24.—(AP)—Tommy Armour, the fighting Scot whose professional single hangs from the Tam O'Shanter club of Orchard Lake, Mich., romped away with the western open golf championship today with 272 strokes, the lowest 72 hole medal score in the tournament's 29 years of play.

Horton Smith, the Monde wizard from Joplin, Mo., was runner-up, eight strokes to the rear; Willard Hutchison, youthful assistant pro, from Glencoe, Ill., was third with 283, while Gene Sarazen, the temperamental Italian from Flushing, L. I., landed fourth with one stroke more. Other leaders were Joe Kikkawa, transient trick shot artist, and Frank Walsh of Appleton Wis., open champion, 285; Jack Hutchinson of Chicago, "Wild Bill" Mohlhorn of Hampton, of Chicago, each of whom turned in 288 totals.

Tommy lead.

Field All One

Almost one of the greatest manipulators of iron golf has never known topped the brilliant field from start to finish. All told he was seven under par for his four rounds and his total eclipsed the western open record, established by Arthur Smith of Columbus, Ohio, on the Cincinnati golf club course 24 years ago, by five healthy swats.

He was not only brilliant but steady. Only nine times did he require more than par for a hole, for these mistakes he more than retaliated for by bagging 16 birdies. His best round was the 65, five under par, which won him the tournament medal Thursday. His subsequent scores were 71-69 and a 68 today.

Smith's Putting Found Not So Good

Putting ruined Smith's hopes of catching Armour today. His drives were spectacular and his pitches far but his putting touch was lost when a mediocre stroke on the carpet would have given him birdies and at least par, forcing him to take a pair of 71's today, which was good golf but hardly his type on such a course as Ozaukee. Only once did the "Joplin ghost" get started during the tournament and that was during the qualifying test when he scored a 66 to be second to Armour for the medal. On his second round, he got a 73, his worst score of the week.

Willard Hutchison, the only dark horse to lurch well up among the leaders shot four steady rounds—69-72-71-71—while Sarazen lost what was a good opportunity to overtake Smith by losing his temper on the putting green.

Abe Espinosa of Chicago, the defending champion, blew up today to take 76 strokes in the morning and 77 in the afternoon for a 295 total.

It was inflicted on the boys just when they were the softest, and when the ground was the hardest. We've seen players out for the season with injuries, just for that.

The idea, apparently, wasn't so much to teach the candidates that particular phase of the game, but to gauge their intestinal fortitude. It also had the effect of automatically reducing the squad without posting a list of names on the bulletin board.

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