

Dark Cloud Will Roll Berlin-Ward; Ten Negro Track Men Top Olympic Final

EASTMAN, VAROFF ARE ELIMINATED; EIGHT CHAMPS OUT

By ALAN GOULD
(Associated Press Sports Editor)
NEW YORK, July 13.—(AP)—Bound for Berlin, America's team of 66 track and field men emerged today from the final tryouts with a flock of familiar faces missing and Uncle Sam's conquest largely pinned on the most sensational squad of freshman athletes ever assembled.

They represent the cream of the 1936 crop, a complete entry for all 23 Olympic events, and in many respects the most starting array of performers this country has yet produced for the quadrennial world championships.

Featuring the list is an extraordinary group of ten negro athletes, led by the redoubtable Jesse Owens of Ohio State, only man to gain three places.

Eight athletes who entered the final tests with reputations as world record-makers, Olympic champions or national titlholders emerged with nothing but the exercise.

Eastman, Varoff Victims

Outstanding victims of the form reversals included big Ben Eastman, world record co-holder, who finished a bad sixth, and Charley Beetham, Ohio State's brilliant national champion, who fell and was eliminated on a heart-breaking 800 meter final.

Head Coach Lawson Robertson was among those rating Eastman's downfall as the biggest blow struck at America's Olympic scoring prospects.

San Francisco's colorful George Varoff, who cleared the world record height of 14 feet, 6 1/2 inches in the pole vault a week ago in the national championships, was beaten out by a trio of Southern Californians, Bill Graber, Earle Meadows and William Easton.

Ralph Metcalfe, dusky Marquette flier, five-times national champion, and co-holder of the world record for the event, finished fifth and was eliminated in the 200 meter dash to the astonishment of all. He made the team by running second to Owens in the 100 meters.

Marty Falls

Walter Marty, unable to do better than 6 feet 4 inches in the high jump, also failed to make the team. Two negro rivals, Cornelius Johnson of Los Angeles and Dave Albritton of Ohio State, negotiated a new world record height of 6 feet, 9 3/4 inches in the most startling performance of the final trials. Marty set the listed mark of 6 feet 9 1/8 inches in 1934.

Another West coast favorite, Norman Bright of Sunnyvale, Calif., ran fifth and was shut out in the 5,000 meters, which ended in a dead heat between Indiana's redoubtable Don Lash and a surprise contender, Louis Zamperini of Torrance, Calif.

The comeback of Glenn Cunningham, world mile record-holder and the sensational development of a fellow Kansan, Archie Sun Roman, strengthened America's bid to win the classic 1500 meter for the first time since 1908.

Cunningham and Sun Roman ran one-two in a thrilling stretch duel yesterday, with both being clocked under the Olympic record in 3:49.0.

Trailing them by ten yards was Pennsylvania's picture runner, Gene Venzke, who beat Bonhron for third place and thus redeemed his failure of 1932.

Woodruff Takes 800

The negro talent captured seven of 12 places in the flat races, a stand-out in the 400, and long-striding John Woodruff, University of Pittsburgh runner, filling the place conceded a month ago to Eastman in the 500.

Fritz Pollard, Jr., University of North Dakota high hurdler who placed second to Towns in the final, rounds out the contingent of extraordinary negro athletes.

Woodruff came within a tenth-second of equalling the world record Saturday when he won his trial 800 meter heat in 1:49.0. Yesterday the

FUELED WITH AN EYE-DROPPER!



Miniature gasoline-powered planes, such as that being launched above by Vernon Boehle, Indianapolis, rubber-powered and radio-controlled craft filled the air over Wayne County airport, Detroit, as 400 model plane flyers from every state in the union, and from Canada, England, and France competed in the Wakefield international trophy contest. Most of the midget planes, so small they had to be fueled with an eye-dropper, were built of balsa wood, glue, paper, and rubber. Boehle, an alternate United States flyer, was one of those competing for the trophy given by Viscount Wakefield of Hythe, England.

Ice-Pack Fails To Save Dog

TORONTO, July 13.—(AP)—The heat wave claimed a new victim today—this time a bull dog valued at \$10,000.

It was Bunkie, three-year-old international champion owned by R. P. Parkes.

Veterinarians attempted to save his life by packing him in blocks of ice.

SUDS SNATCH LEAD AS OAKS DROP TWO

By UNITED PRESS
Seattle Indians held the Pacific Coast league leadership today as a result of Oakland's double defeat at the hands of San Diego Sunday.

The Reuther squad split its twin bill with Los Angeles, losing the first 4-1, but came back in the afternoon to win 8-3.

The San Diegos won by one-run margins in both their tilts, squeezing past the Willie Kamm nine 3-2 in the opening fray and holding a first-inning margin to win 1-0 in the nightcap.

San Francisco divided with Portland, blanking the Beavers 5-0 in the first and losing the second 5-1.

The Missions and Sacramento shared their doubleheader, with the Solons winning the first game 5-0 and the Reds taking the second 5-1.

After getting off to a poor start, "Sad Sam" Gibson, the Seals' premier moundsman, held the Portlanders to six hits in the first game while the O'Doulmen clinched the issue with a four-run barrage on the strength of seven hits in the seventh inning.

ORAVEC BETS VOTES

PORTLAND, July 13.—(AP)—Johnny Oravec, Willamette University halfback, entered the race for a berth on the all-star football team which will play a professional club at Chicago, September 1 with 2304 votes today. Players on the college squad will be selected by a national ballot of fans.

Pitt negro flashed home in front of the veteran Chuck Hornbostel of Indiana and Harry Williams of the University of North Carolina in a spectacular final.

Lash was placed first by the judges, but the motion pictures later determined they hit the tape together. The official verdict was altered accordingly.

Despite these upsets, American coaches and officials found plenty of room for optimism in the makeup of the team that sails Wednesday with the rest of the Olympic forces, numbering upwards of 300 athletes in a score of sports.

Ten Records Bettered

Olympic records were bettered in 10 of 27 events in the final tryouts at Randall Island stadium. World records were smashed by four athletes, including the two high jumpers, Glenn Morris of Fort Collins, Colo., in the decathlon at Milwaukee, and by Owens in the 200 meter final yesterday.

The team personnel includes 13 individuals who either hold or have claims to possession of world track and field records.

Led by Owens, who will be America's favorite to capture both sprint and broad jump, the record-smashing headliners making the team include the two renowned Southern hurdlers, Forrest (Spee) Towns of Georgia in the 110 meters, and Glenn (Slats) Hardin in the 400 meters.

Towns and Hardin, unbeaten in any Olympic test, give the United States its best chance to sweep the Olympic hurdling honors since 1924.

NEW SWIM MARKS CHEER MEN'S SQUAD

WARWICK NECK, R. I., July 13.—(AP)—A United States men's Olympic swimming team of 24 specialists recruited from every section of the country looked confidently today at the forthcoming Olympic rivalry at Berlin, after breaking three Olympic records and two world records in their final tryouts at Rocky Point pool.

Ralph Flanagan of Miami, Fla., peer of the nation's distance swimmers, Adolph Kiefer of Chicago, best of the back stroke swimmers, and Johnny Higgins of Providence, unsurpassed in breast stroke competition, were the trio who riddled existing tank marks in pacing the battle for places on the Berlin-bound aquatic squad.

Jack Medina of Seattle, was among the qualifiers for the team.

WEEKEND 'BREAKS' MAY TELL FUTURE OF NATIONAL RACE

By SID FEDER
(Associated Press Sports Writer)
When it comes time to write the history of the 1936 big league campaign, the "breaks" of the week-end just past may tell the story of the up-to-now tight and dizzy National league race.

At any rate, if the gas house gang from St. Louis misses out of the pennant, it can easily point to the events of those two days as the root of all the evil that befell it.

When Dizzy Dean was knocked out by Burgess Whitehead's line drive in Saturday's game with the Giants, it took from the Cards the one man who has done more than any other to keep them up in the race. He will be out for at least a week.

Just as if things were not bad enough, the daffy and docile Dodgers picked this same week-end to get tough, and used the Cards to prove it. They belted out a doubleheader Sunday victory, 6-3 and 11-4, and just about knocked the Cards out of the league leadership.

With the fast climbing Chicago Cubs breaking even with the Giants, winning a doubleheader Sunday, and then dropping the nightcap, 5-6 on the strength of a seven run, second inning New York rally, the Dodgers' double trouncing of the Cards clipped the St. Louis lead to half a game.

Reds Collapse

The Phillies wrote another chapter in the sudden collapse of the Cincinnati Reds, Joe Bowman pitching a one-hit, 4-0, shutout in the opener of a twin bill, stretching the Reds' losing streak to six straight. In the second game the Reds outlasted the Phils for 11 innings and a 4-3 decision.

The Boston Bees, who played a three game part in the Cincinnati downfall last week, continued their winning run with a 6-2 victory over Arky Blanton and the Pirates, despite Cy Vaughan's one man batting spree in which he clubbed out a double, triple and homer.

In the American League, the Yanks were finding the invading Chicago White Sox just as tough as the Cleveland Indians, who had just left, and had to fight uphill to break even in a twin bill, winning the first 5-4 after Ted Lyons had shut them out, 5-0 in the opener.

The Tigers continued the chase after the Yanks with a 7-2 verdict over the Athletics. Johnny Allen let the Red Sox down with four hits for a 5-2 Indian win, and the lovely St. Louis Browns upset the fast moving Senators, 4-3.

TOLEDO DROPS 17-0 TO EUGENE JUNIORS

A dispirited Toledo nine fell before the big bats of the Eugene Legion in the glistering new fairgrounds on the afternoon of Sunday, July 12.

Whitely Ausin, Eugene second baseman, whacked out three singles, and Malloy, Bailey and Marshall hit safely twice. Pete Igoe and Mauney mounted the mound for the locals and held Toledo helpless at bat, striking out 17 of 27 batters.

Igoe worked the opening six innings, allowing only one single by Follett and fanning 11 batters. Mauney held the opposition scoreless and hitless for three innings, whiffing six of the Toledo team.

The squads will meet again on the Toledo diamond Tuesday evening. At the fairgrounds, only a handful of spectators occupied the newly constructed seats under the shelter of the reconstructed roof.

Score: R H E
Eugene.....451 120 13-17 14 2
Toledo.....000 000 000-0 1 13
Igoe, Mauney and Moore; Harris and Hoover.

"Can Take It," Says Diz; Is

ST. LOUIS, July 13.—(AP)—Dizzy Dean reminded friends today he is just the sort of a fellow he has always contended he is—unbeatable, and capable of "taking it."

Knocked unconscious Saturday afternoon by a line drive from the bat of Burgess Whitehead, Giant infielder, the great Cardinal hurler had the permission of his physician, Dr. R. F. Hyland to take his next regular turn on the mound—probably Thursday. Dr. Hyland diagnosed the injury as a severe concussion, but said no ill effects are expected.

Hills-Giustina Scores Win Over Benton-Lane

Benton-Lane went down to defeat before the onslaught of the Hills-Giustina nine in a one-sided game played on the Park diamond Sunday.

The final score was the Hill boys emerged on the long end of a 9-4 tally. Howard Parks was the hero of the day, slugging out two triples for Hills-Giustina, the first when bases were loaded in the second inning. Bird cracked out a double for Benton-Lane in the seventh.

The Hill boys ran up six errors to the visitors' three.

Score: R H E
Hills-Giustina.....9 15 3
Benton-Lane.....4 7 6
R. Kenney and G. Kelsey; Pierson and Sanborn.

Springfield Takes Oakridge Into Camp

Springfield edged out a victory over Oakridge in a tight game Sunday, on the Springfield diamond, as they squeezed out one more run from their seven hits to top, 4-3, the Oakridge challenge.

Springfield got one run in the second, two in the sixth, and one in the eighth, while Oakridge took one sacrifice in the third, sixth and eighth. With the bases loaded in the second Chatteston scored two on a single.

Score: R H E
Springfield.....4 7 3
Oakridge.....3 7 2
Shull, Mauney and Mattison; Wiseman and Stanley.

It is said that every dollar spent on roads initiates a movement which results in distribution of \$3.15 in wages and materials, and that every four men put to work on highways create employment for seven additional workers.

Eugene Townies Score Win Over Woodburn

New Formula For Speed Revealed By Women Track And Field Stars; Motherhood Gives Added Power

By MARY ELIZABETH PLUMMER
(Associated Press Staff Writer)
NEW YORK, July 13.—(AP)—Motherhood "has made me run faster," was the new chant on maternity given today by A. U. S. women's Olympic team hurdler who is the mother of a two and a half year old girl.

"I've never run so fast in my life as I have since my baby was born," said Mrs. Anne O'Brien, a thin, serious faced athlete from Huntington Beach, Calif.

Another young mother on the women's Olympic track and field team, Mrs. Gertrude Wilhelmson, of Puyallup, Wash., who also has a daughter two and a half, said maternity had enabled her to hurl the discus and javelin further.

BEANS!

"I'm better than I was before," she said. "I feel so free. I feel 100 per cent."

The two women, found showing snapshots of their babies to each other while the track and field team sat at breakfast, said they'd like to "black the eyes of people who say that women are no good in athletics after they're had children."

"I have more strength than I used to," exclaimed Mrs. O'Brien.

The two mothers, who had never met until the Olympic track and field trials July 4, said "we have a lot in common in the way we feel about things," but added:

"I guess we'll feel sick and tired of each other's children before the Olympics are over."

Boasts of Weight

"My daughter weighs 33 pounds," boasted the javelin throwing mother, Mrs. Wilhelmson.

"My stars! Yours is fast!" said Mrs. O'Brien.

Mrs. Wilhelmson said of husband Andrew, who works in a Tacoma, Wash., flour mill:

"He's the one that encourages me along. He goes to the field when I'm practicing, just to help and encourage."

She said her physician told her, in regard to javelin throwing, "Don't ever give it up."

O'Brien's husband helps her, too. He used to be a track man, and that's how she got started.

She takes her baby out to the track in its carriage, so the baby can see her hurdle; and already has taught the child to swim.

Baseball Standings

By The Associated Press Coast

Seattle	.....	60	47	561
Oakland	.....	57	47	548
Missions	.....	57	50	533
Portland	.....	51	49	510
Los Angeles	.....	53	54	495
San Diego	.....	53	55	491
San Francisco	.....	51	56	477
Sacramento	.....	40	64	385

National

St. Louis	.....	49	50	820
Chicago	.....	47	29	818
Pittsburgh	.....	42	35	545
Cincinnati	.....	39	37	513
New York	.....	40	38	513
Boston	.....	38	41	481
Philadelphia	.....	29	48	377
Brooklyn	.....	27	33	398

American

New York	.....	53	26	671
Detroit	.....	43	35	551
Boston	.....	43	37	538
Washington	.....	42	37	532
Cleveland	.....	42	38	525
Chicago	.....	38	40	487
Philadelphia	.....	27	49	355
St. Louis	.....	24	50	324

EASTERN BOUT BIDS POUR IN ON STEELE

SEATTLE, July 13.—(AP)—Out of a welter of eastern fight offers, Freddie Steele, Tacoma battler who won the world's middleweight championship from "Babe" Risko Saturday night, today appeared headed for a quick defense of his title against Jack Dempsey's up- and-coming protege, Ken Overlin.

Nate Druxman, Seattle promoter who arranged the Risko-Steele bout, disclosed he was negotiating with Overlin's managers for an early championship fight.

Druxman said both Madison Square Garden and the 20th Century Club of New York were competing for Steele's services, which grew immeasurably more valuable as a result of the new champion's knock-down punch to Risko's face in the first round, a punch from which Risko never quite recovered through the 15 rounds of the fight.

The score sheet gave Steele seven rounds, Risko four, and four even.

CALIFORNIA SAVES ONE TENNIS TITLE

PORTLAND, Ore., July 13.—(AP)—California's team of tennis stars salvaged one title out of the wreckage of a last minute assault by homebreds who swept through Sunday to carry off major honors in the 28th annual Oregon tennis tournament.

New champions were crowned all around, 1935 titlholders falling out in the week's play or failing to defend their crowns.

The California victory was hung up by Frank Kovacs, Berkeley, in an all-California final in the junior singles play. He defeated his fellow townsman, Doug Imhoff, 6-4, 4-6, 6-3, 7-5.

Elwood Cooke, Portland, won the prized men's singles title, defeating another Portlander and former Stanford ace, Sam Lee, 6-3, 6-2, 6-0, but teamed with Lee he won the men's doubles over two other Portland finalists, Ken May and Don Lewis, 6-1, 8-6, 6-0.

A Georgia girl, Isabel Berry, of Rome, succumbed to Ruth Donald, Portland, in the finals of the women's singles, 6-1, 6-3.

The women's doubles went to Leila Starr and Marge Stepp, both of Portland, over two other Portland girls, Esther Clarke and Anne Frederickson, 1-0, 6-4, 8-6. Miss Starr and Lewis took the mixed doubles from Spencer Ehrman and Barbara Koehler, both of Portland, 6-0, 6-3.

The boy's singles went to Emory Neal, Portland, over another Portland lad, Al Ellsberg, 6-4, 2-6, 6-4.

SOFTIES FINISH OFF FIRST ROUND GAMES

With the exception of the Fenns-Rubenstein game, which was rained out Friday night, all contests in the first round of the Eugene softball league have been completed. This marks the end of the first quarter of the league's schedule.

The opening game of the second quarter will be played between the fast-improving Hendershot nine and the Morning News team. It will start Monday night at 9:30, immediately after the girl's league softball opener.

Salem Blanks Grove To Keep Slate Clean

PORTLAND, Ore., July 13.—(AP)—Jerry Gastineau, Willamette University star, strangled Oak Grove with five hits last night as Salem Senators took a 10 to 0 decision to continue undefeated in the Oregon semi-pro baseball tournament.

Gastineau fanned 15.

Meantime General Motors knocked Old Timers out of the consolation bracket by taking a 14 to 2 victory behind Hutchinson's six-hit hurling.

BENO DEFEATS EUGENE C. C.

Twelve members of the Eugene Country club journeyed to Bend last Sunday only to receive a handy 25 1/2 to 17 1/2 defeat from the eastern aggregation on the Bend Country club links. W. N. Wintler, of Eugene, was medalist with a score of 82.

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LINDE'S LEFT ARM PACES LOCAL CLUB TO 8-2 CONQUEST

John Linde, Portland high school southpaw, held Woodburn in check as the Eugene Townies scored a 8-2 victory in an Oregon state game played on Howe field yesterday.

Eugene got off to an early lead, scoring three runs on a walk, a hit and successive singles by Van Gordon, and McCall. McCall was hitting star of the game, bashing three hits in five trips to the plate.

Wirth again scored in the ninth inning on a single by Courtney. The Townies got two more in the when McCall and Thompson came and scored on infield out. The two tallied again in the seventh when Woodburn's center fielder ped an easy fly after two were on.

Woodburn was unable to get against Linde's effective pitching, the errorless support given by the Townies until the eighth when Lyda and Manager Heston on a triple by Bomhoff after Heston had gone to the bench.

The visitors threatened again in ninth inning when Linde weakened and struck out the last two batters. Chuck Wirth and Bill Thompson turned in excellent performances, second and third base respectively with Wirth leading high in the batting line and turning in a double play in the third inning, accepted ten chances without an error.

Box Score:

Eugene		Woodburn	
Wirth, 2b	.....	4	2 1 0
Courtney, cf	.....	4	0 1 2
Van Vleet, cf	.....	5	1 2 3
Gordon, ss	.....	5	1 1 2
McCall, 1b	.....	5	2 3 3
Thompson, 2b	.....	4	2 1 3
Battleston, rf	.....	1	0 0 0
Stenshoel, c	.....	4	0 0 0
Linde, p	.....	5	0 1 1
Tamura, rf	.....	1	0 0 0
Totals	.....	36	8 20 2

DUTCH DIFFICULTY FACES U. S. WOMEN

By PAUL MICKELSON
(Associated Press Sports Writer)
NEW YORK, July 13.—(AP)—The 15 members of Uncle Sam's women's Olympic swimming team were all dressed up and ready to go to Berlin today, but they faced a double problem on "Dutch treats."

They waited hopefully to hear if the Olympic committee had raised enough money to send them all or whether several would have to "go Dutch" and pay their own way—or stay home.

They also faced what looked like almost a hopeless task in winning team honors from the famous Dutch team that has been cracking records relentlessly this year during tryouts.

Led by the famous Willli Don Ouden, world's champion free style star, the Dutch appeared far too strong for the Americans, except possibly in the backstroke and dives.

Katherine Rowley of Miami Beach and Mrs. Dorothy Paynton Hill of Los Angeles did their best to relieve Uncle Sam's financial stringency yesterday when they took five team berths between them.

Miss Harris won first in the 100-meter free style and three-meter dive and a third in the 400-meter free style. Mrs. Hill won first place in the high platform dive and third in the three-meter dive.

Mrs. Eleanor Holm Jarrett of New York, only American swimmer to make three Olympic teams, won her 100-meter backstroke specialty yesterday to give the United States what looked like a sure first at Berlin. She holds the Olympic title and record.

Toledo Whitewash State League

PORTLAND, Ore., July 13.—(AP)—Toledo whitewashed Hop Gold 10-0, at Toledo yesterday to move the tie with Salem for leadership of State league.

Pitcher Bill Hatch, former University of Portland hurler, teamed with two other ex-Pilots, Fred Hawkins, catcher, and Mace Stenbort, to give Bend an 11-0 decision over Albany.

Score:

Bend	.....	11	0 0 0
Albany	.....	0	0 0 0
Hatch and Hawkins; Hallock and Robertson.		

Hop Gold To Toledo

Hop Gold.....11 0 0
Toledo.....0 0 0
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