

Absence of Tris Speaker Big Gap in Ranks of Cleveland Team

JINX THEORY GETS MENTION

Confidence is Lacking, Say Experts

Cleveland, April 21.—(UP)—There is a gap in the ranks of the Cleveland Indians as they battle for the American league pennant this season that cannot be filled altogether by a player whose baseball ability might be equal to that of the missing man—Tris Speaker.

"Veterans of the diamond already have advanced the 'jinx' theory. Psychanalysts will tell you the Tribe is suffering a 'psychological handicap.' 'Whatever the ailment may be, it has become apparent that Speaker's absence is keenly felt by the whole team. Not only a brilliant player and a brainy manager, Speaker gave to the team that certain confidence so necessary to any ball club's morale. His presence in the outfield alone gave his pitchers more confidence.

"When a player came to bat, if he preceded Speaker, he felt his chances of scoring a run if he could but get a hit; relying on 'Spoke' to drive him in. If a batter followed Speaker, that feeling was still there. A study of baseball statistics of the Tribe's efforts last year, upon careful studying, will reveal the influence Speaker had over his men. When Speaker was up to form, the team generally gave him excellent support; when Speaker sumped, the team slumped.

"To all appearances, the Indians have a strong team this year.

Jack McCallister is a popular as well as a capable manager. He was the unanimous choice of the team's players and officials. To a casual observer, the players are following McCallister with the same loyalty they accorded Tris Speaker. But a keener insight will reveal the lack of dog-like devotion the boys accorded Speaker. None of them will tell you they are a whit less loyal to McCallister than they were to Speaker. Probably they believe it. Nevertheless, it's a doubtful question.

"Perhaps Dr. T. A. Burke is the keenest fan the Tribe ever had. For years he has followed the team; been a faithful attendant of the games, and has spent many weeks with the boys during training camp days. Each year he has predicted how the team will finish the American league race. Usually his predictions haven't fallen very short of the mark. His opinion of this year's Indians was terse. 'They must forget Tris Speaker or ever payed with them if they expect to finish high in the race,' he said.

"Speaker's admirers frequently called him 'the gray ghost'. Ghost is an apt description for the gap in the ranks of the team which must banish the memory of the great player who once dominated them.

Out Our Way



THE SOCK ABSORBERS

By Williams PLAYER LOSES AMATEUR RATE

Mary K. Browne Ousted by Commission

New York, April 21.—(UP)—The barring of Miss Mary K. Browne from amateur golf tournaments because she has become a tennis professional will have a far-reaching effect, it was believed today.

As predicted by the United Press several days ago, the executive committee of the United States Golf association has ruled Miss Browne ineligible, its first definite action on that phase of amateurism.

Miss Browne has no immediate appeal and it is doubtful if she would care to press the case. She might, however, have the matter taken up to the general association at its next meeting, as Bill Tilden did when he was battling the tennis association.

The resolution approved by the executive committee made Miss Browne ineligible to compete in any amateur tournament under the jurisdiction of the association.

The same ruling will have to be applied against Jigger Stutz, Dazy Vance, Ross Young and other professional baseball players who have been allowed to play in amateur tournaments, and had never tried to enter a major or national championship.

The ruling forces all those earning money in any other line of sport, with the exception of professional football coaches into open competition or into outlaw leagues.

Seeks Record



Introducing William C. Jackson, Mobile, Ala., swimmer, who plans to swim the Mississippi river from St. Louis to New Orleans. He intends doing it in relays.

Tarzan of Infants Found In California

San Francisco, April 21.—(UP)—A veritable Tarzan of the infant world has been found here, and needless to say it has a proud 'daddy'.

Carlfield McNamara, Jr., son of a father and mother 50 and 40 years old respectively, is only 10 weeks old himself.

The tot easily lifts his 16½ pounds and can swing by his hands for several minutes before tiring. When it was 2 weeks old it could sit up without help and now, at the age of 10 weeks it stands alone.

KRUG OF ANGELS GETS SUSPENDED

Talks Back to Ump; May be Fined

San Francisco, April 21.—(UP)—Manager Marty Krug of the Los Angeles Coast league club was suspended indefinitely today by President Harry A. Williams for rowing with Umpire Eason over a decision at third base in yesterday's Angels-Senators game.

Williams announced the action upon his arrival here today.

"Yesterday's trouble in Los Angeles was caused by protesting an open and shut play which, while close, should not have caused serious protest," Williams said in a statement.

"It was a hit down the line which passes over third base and on the next round past third, struck on foul territory. Any player knows or should know that a ground ball passing over third base is fair no difference how far foul it strikes after passing the base.

"Krug has been suspended indefinitely and the size of his fine will be fixed when I receive a final report.

"I have seen many of the games in Los Angeles and there has been no discrimination against the Los Angeles club."

Head The Bulletin's want ads

Tie Battle Is Staged By Twilight Teams

The Bend Hardware and Deschutes Power and Light company teams of the Twilight league played a 3 to 3 tie in five innings last night at East Eighth and Greenwood. Loom's and Hawk were the batterymen for the hardware team and Deiters and Clarno for the power men.

Tonight at 5:30 o'clock the Anderson-Wing Motor company team will meet the Knights of Pythias team.

Baseball's Big 4

(By United Press) Babe Ruth failed to get a hit in four tries.

Rogers Hornsby made two singles in as many official times at bat.

Ty Cobb went hitless in three attempts.

Tris Speaker was idle.

Average:	AB	H	Pct	Fldz	HR
Ruth	30	7	.233	941	1
Hornsby	30	14	.467	1,000	2
Cobb	35	12	.343	1,000	0
Speaker	23	8	.348	1,000	0

League Baseball

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE	W.	L.	Pct.
Sacramento	14	7	.667
San Francisco	12	10	.545
Seattle	11	10	.524
Portland	11	11	.500
Oakland	11	11	.500
Missions	10	11	.476
Los Angeles	9	11	.450
Hollywood	6	13	.316

COAST LEAGUE RESULTS YESTERDAY

At San Francisco	R.	H.	E.
Oakland	9	12	0
San Francisco	6	14	4
Hasty, Craghead, Krause and Bool; Mitchell, McMurry, Turpin, Hanson and Vargas, Stokes.			
At Los Angeles	R.	H.	E.
Sacramento	12	14	1
Los Angeles	4	11	1
Singleton and Koehler; Piercy, Cunningham, Smith and Hannah.			
At Portland	R.	H.	E.
Missions	8	11	3
Portland	2	8	1
Weinert and Whitney; Tomlin, Ortman, Duff and Yelle, Fisher.			
At Seattle	R.	H.	E.
Hollywood	0	2	1
Seattle	5	7	2
Mulcahy, Holterman and Cook; Edwards and Jenkins.			

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At New York	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	4	7	0
New York	2	4	0
Ferguson and Wilson; Barnes and Devorner.			
At Brooklyn	R.	H.	E.
Boston	3	5	2
Brooklyn	0	2	3
R. Smith and Taylor; Barnes and Henline.			
Chicago-St. Louis game postponed; wet grounds and cold.			
At Pittsburgh	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	2	4	0
Pittsburgh	4	9	1
Rixey and J. Hargrave; Pienich; Kremer and Smith.			

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Philadelphia	R.	H.	E.
New York	13		
Philadelphia	6		
Hot and Collins; Gray, Rommel, Wills and Cochrane.			
St. Louis-Detroit game postponed; rain.			
At Boston	R.	H.	E.
Washington	7	11	2
Boston	4	4	0
Murray, Braxton and Buel; Wingfield, Russell, Welzer and Hartley.			
Cleveland-Chicago game postponed; wet grounds.			

MICKEY COCHRANE BIG LEAGUE HERO

Annexes Home Run in Yankee Contest

(By United Press)

Yesterday's hero—Mickey Cochrane, whose homer in the sixth inning tied the score of the Philadelphia Athletics-New York Yankees game. The Macks followed up their advantage and drove Shocker from the mound in the seventh with three runs. The final score was 3 to 0. As the Yankees lost, the Detroit Tigers defeated St. Louis 7 to 0, and went into a tie for first place, although having played just half as many games this season as New York, Whitehill, ace of the Detroit hurling staff, was a puzzle to the Browns' batters.

After losing seven straight on the road, the Brooklyn Robins opened their home season with a 4-to-3 victory over the Boston Braves. Bobby Barrett started it in the sixth when he hit a homer and drove in another run. The Cleveland Indians inaugurated the Chicago White Sox revamped ball park by defeating Ray Schalk's team, 5 to 4. The hurling of Hudlin, 29-year-old Oklahoma high school student, who relieved Shaute, stopped the Chicago batters.

The Chicago Cubs continued to smash the air and lost to St. Louis, 4 to 2. Stellar fielding by the Chicago infielders prevented a worse defeat.

Freddy Lindstrom lunded safely four out of five times at bat and Roberts Hornsby hit 1,000 in two times at bat, as the New York Giants took the measure of the Philadelphia aggregation, 5 to 1, in the first National league game in New York this year.

O. A. C. Poultry Expert Is Coming to Deschutes

H. A. Cosby, poultry specialist from O. A. C., will be in Deschutes county next week for two meetings. He will hold the first meeting in Redmond Tuesday, April 26, after the Union Pacific Dairy Products special leaves Redmond. The second meeting will be held in Tumalo Wednesday evening, April 27.

Miller Will Wrestle In Prineville Soon

Tomorrow night at the Community hall in Prineville, Mike Miller of Bend, Dud Mayfield of Tumalo and the two Reif brothers of Prineville will put on a wrestling card. Miller is scheduled to wrestle Frank Reif at 175 pounds.

Mayfield and Bruno Reif will stage a return match, Mayfield having taken the decision here last month. Frank Reif lost a match here on the same card to George Roc. Miller's match with Reif is on the basis that Miller forfeits \$100 unless he downs Reif twice within an hour.

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Sport Tabloids

French Lick, Ind., April 21.—(UP)—W. O. Colvin, Chicago, one armed golfer, negotiated the 405 yard 12th hole here in two strokes, put being four. Colvin, who lost his left arm in a railroad accident, made two drives of 250 and 155 yards.

New York, April 21.—Paulino, Spanish heavyweight, has been offered a match against Harry Wills, negro heavyweight, or a return bout with Tom Henney of New Zealand, by Humbert Fuzazzy, local promoter.

Cornwall, N. J., April 21.—Thomas Washington, golf pro at the Monomnock country club, claims the United States record for hole in one shots. He has scored 13 and made his first at the age of nine, he claims.

New York, April 21.—In addition to Tilden and Hunter, official team of the United States Lawn Tennis association, in the English championship at Wimbledon, individual American entrants will include Helen Wills, Watson Washburn, Elizabeth Ryan and Mrs. Franklin I. Mallory.

Ocean Park, Cal., April 21.—Claude Stotts defeated William Baker in four rounds last night.

Portland, April 21.—John Kilonis, Boston Greek, defeated Professor Hiram of Japan in a wrestling match here last night. The Greek won with a crab hold after 40 minutes of wrestling and the Japanese was unable to return to the mat.

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