

Gabby Hartnett Replaces Grimm As Manager of Chicago Cubs

Wrigley Wants Pennant Winner Brilliant Catcher Is Given Assignment

Chicago, July 21 (AP)—A big, red-faced Irishman, delighted with his own good fortune but sad for the man he replaced, took over the job of managing the Chicago Cubs today after 17 years' service as the club's catcher.

Charles Leo Hartnett, 37, a man everybody likes, was made manager by owner Phil K. Wrigley, who, dissatisfied with the team's fourth place position in the National league standings, fired Charlie Grimm.

The Cubs were five and a half games out of first, had lost their last game, which ended a seven-game winning streak.

Although Grimm's contract runs until the end of 1938, his release was effective today. He will be paid for the full term of his contract.

Wrigley and Hartnett claimed to have made no arrangement as to Hartnett's salary as manager.

"Leo will not be fired if the team fails to win the pennant," Wrigley said. "That's too short notice. I think I'm safe in saying he'll be given a contract for 1939."

Gabby's major league career—17 years with the Cubs—is one of the most brilliant in baseball. He went to them in 1922 from the orcestrer (Mass.) club of the Eastern league and was a hit almost at once.

As a handler of pitchers, he has no peer. His throwing arm is deadly. His knowledge of opposing National league batsmen probably is unequalled. His popularity is unlimited in Chicago and he stands almost as well with fans of every other city.

Hartnett has caught 100 or more games for 12 years, last year tying the "iron man" record of Ray Schalk, former Chicago White Sox star. His lifetime batting average is .300.

In 1935, he was voted the National league's most valuable player.

Sport Parade

By Henry McElmore
New York, July 21 (AP)—I know this will brand me as a heretic of the first, second, and even third waters, but I feel obliged to say today that of all the things that bore me in baseball, nothing bore me so much as Lou Gehrig's feat of playing 2042 consecutive games for the Yankees.

The fact that Gehrig has not missed a league game since that afternoon of June 1, 1925, when he replaced Wally Pipp at first base, leaves me cold and I find the counting of the games he has played a much better means of wooing sleep than the counting of sheep.

To come right out and say so I consider Gehrig's insistence on playing—even when he has fractured bones (such as he now has), concussion, fever and the all-round miseries as abnormal and none too flattering. Usually it is the dumb or the desperate who continue to carry on while in pain. The human thing to do when you're hurt is to take it easy, not pull out all the stops marked "heroic."

This is especially true when all your heroes will get you a "gold watch" and the sobriquet "Iron Horse."

Granting that Gehrig's refusal to give-in and miss a game when he is injured is good for his scrap book and ego, I wonder if it is good for his team? There have been times, when Lou was younger and better, when he was a better first baseman injured than anyone who could have been put in to replace him. But I doubt if that is true today. He knocked but one ball out of the infield against the Indians in the crucial game Monday, and it was plain he was favoring his badly swollen thumb.

Suppose a manager found himself with a team composed entirely of men protecting a consecutive game streak? Picture a team where the catcher had a cracked wrist but insisted on going behind the plate, and the pitcher demanded his right to work, fractured skull or no fractured skull, a team where the short-stop hobbled about with a sprained ankle, the second baseman with pneumonia, the third baseman with beri-beri, and the outfield with advanced cases of chestnut blight.

It wouldn't take the supporters of such a team long to cease admiring such foolish gameness and demand that its players be replaced by able-bodied workmen. Yet such a team is entirely possible. In this country all men are free and equal and if one man can stay at a position until he drops, so can all the others.

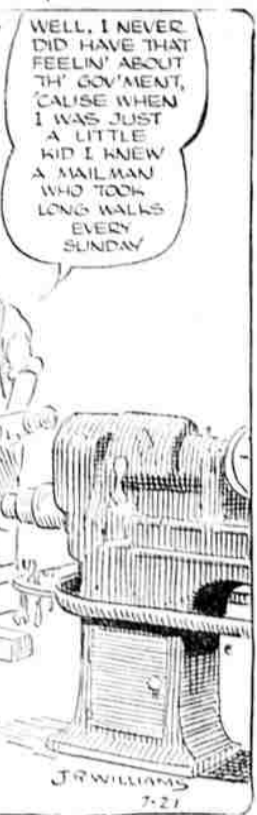
Unless Gehrig relents before too many more years have passed and he is forced to leave the rules of baseball should be changed. The present set-up makes no allowance for a wheel-chair at first base, or a crutch. And it won't be long before Gehrig will have to employ one or the other. The Yankees should have a ground rule whereby a fly ball dropping in

Out Our Way



ALL MY LIFE I'VE HAD A SORT OF FEELING OF AWE ABOUT THE GOVERNMENT, BUT ONE DAY OF THAT GOVERNMENT INSPECTOR'S HAMMER HAS KILLED THAT IN ME -- SOMEBODY THREW AN EMPTY CAN AMONG THEM ROLLERS, AND IT CAVED IN WITH THE STAMP OF APPROVAL.

By Williams



WELL, I NEVER DID HAVE THAT FEELING ABOUT THE GOVERNMENT, 'CAUSE WHEN I WAS JUST A LITTLE KID I KNEW A MAILMAN WHO TOOK LONG WALKS EVERY SUNDAY.

THE IDOL BUSTER

BABES BUMPED OUT IN SEMI-PRO PLAY

Silverton, Ore., July 21 (AP)—The Silverton Red Sox and the Hills Creek nine will meet in the semi-finals of the Oregon state semi-pro baseball tournament as a result of victories last night.

Silverton and Hills Creek Stay in Tournament

The best team defeated Kinzua 4 to 0 with three-hit pitching by Bob White, and Hills Creek edged the Portland Babes 3 to 2.

Oregon Pole Vaulter Wins in Swedish Meet

Stockholm July 21 (AP)—Sweden's three-day international track meet opened yesterday with U. S. athletes winning five events.

Bend Boat 12th, 9th in Races at Seattle

Phil Peoples, piloting a "flattie" made by his father, S. R. Peoples, placed No. 12 in the first of a series of races at Seattle this week and was ninth in the second race, according to word received in Bend today.

MAJOR LEAGUES

New York, July 21 (AP)—The seventh place St. Louis Cardinals rose up and smacked the New York Giants down twice, 7-2 and 7-1. The double defeat dropped the Giants to a game and a half from the top and left them only four games ahead of the third-place Cubs.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Sacramento cut down Los Angeles' lead in the Pacific Coast league to two games Wednesday night by defeating San Francisco while the Angels were losing to Portland.

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Portland beat the league-leading Angels, 6-3, taking the lead in the third and never losing it. Two runs in the eighth clinched the game for the Beavers. Bonadotis scattered 11 Angel hits while his mates got the same number off Prim and Lieber.

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San Diego took another free-hitting game from Hollywood, 11-5. Craghead won by scattering 14 hits over the route while the Padres made good their 11 runs on 11 hits, aided by three Hollywood errors.

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ELKS PREPARING FOR EUGENE GAME

Second Half of Season to Open Sunday

Convinced that Harry Clomunger, veteran catcher who has taken over the direction of Eugene's entry in the Oregon state baseball league, is out to corral the second half championship, the Elks of Bend have attended down to still practice in preparation for their important game against the Townies here Sunday afternoon.

FAVORITES HOLD SWAY IN CONTEST

Junior Golf Tournament Reaches Semi-Final

Portland, Ore., July 21 (AP)—Twelve youthful golfers, four of them girls, were still in the running for three titles in the annual Oregon state junior golf championships at Alderwood Country club as the three divisions entered the semi-finals today.

Dick Hansen, Marshfield, defending junior champion, matched strokes this morning with Jack Deaver of Kelso after eliminating Mike Montag of Portland 3 and 2 yesterday. Deaver beat Bob Duden, Portland, 3 and 4, in the quarter-finals.

Allan MacAllister, Oswego, who removed Edgar Allen of Portland 1 up, met Vaughan of Longview in the other half of the junior semi-finals. Vaughan dropped Ray Weston, Portland, 2 and 1.

Fred Smith of Portland, to whom Jack Mayers of Portland defaulted yesterday because of an injured hand, met Andrew Johnson, Kelso, in today's semi-finals of the boys' division. Johnson defeated Stanley Gressell, Astoria, 2 and 1.

The other boys' bracket pitted Jack Shuler, Portland, co-medalist with Ferd Barker, Eugene. Shuler advanced over Hill Warren, Portland, 5 and 4, and Barker took a 4 to 3 decision from Eddie Valla, Marshfield.

The girls' defending champion, Margaret Cavell, Alderwood, was eliminated in the quarter-finals yesterday by Sissy Green, Portland, 2 and 1. Miss Green was matched in today's semi-finals with Babe Freese, medalist, who defeated Lou Daniels, Vancouver, 4 and 2.

Nancy Lewis, Portland, and Madeline Speth, La Grande, were opponents in the other half of the semi-finals today. Miss Lewis eliminated Norma Jones, Portland, 2 and 6, and Miss Speth dropped Jessie Miller, Astoria, 6 and 5.

The best medal round Wednesday was turned in by Bill Schaeffer, Kelso. In the first flight of the junior division, when he scored a sub-par 69 to defeat Ralph Huestis of Eugene, 6 and 5.

MAJOR LEAGUE FINALS

(All Times Pacific)

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Every CCC camp is being equipped with a chessboard, so that "rollies" may study school lessons and job-training, to fit them for private employment.

The Seattle racing program will continue the rest of the week. Several hundred sailboats were expected to be entered.

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