

# O'BRIEN AND BAYES SIGN TO FIGHT MAY 11

## LOUITT WANTS TIME TO PRIME TOMMY FOR MIX

Definite announcement of the signing of Tommy O'Brien and Phil Hayes for a 10-round main event was made here yesterday afternoon by Matchmaker Harry Plant. However, the arrangement, planned for May 4, will not be stated until the week following, May 11, it was stated.

The advancing of the date one week was made necessary by the signing of O'Brien for a main event in Portland against "Wildcat" Carter, the negro fighter, next Tuesday night. Tom Loutitt, O'Brien's manager, declared that it would be asking too much to fight again so soon as the Irish lad has had to crowd several bouts here lately and, it was said, he would not be in the best of condition to meet the tough Hayes.

This, however, works right into plans several fight fans have hoped would happen—a chance to witness a return match between Phil and Albie Taylor, the Bend wildcat.

It will be remembered that Hayes defeated Taylor in a thrilling match in Bend last year and the fight was so good that another was billed, this time in Salem. In the second meeting Taylor reversed the tables and administered terrific punishment to Hayes' ear, winning the fight easily.

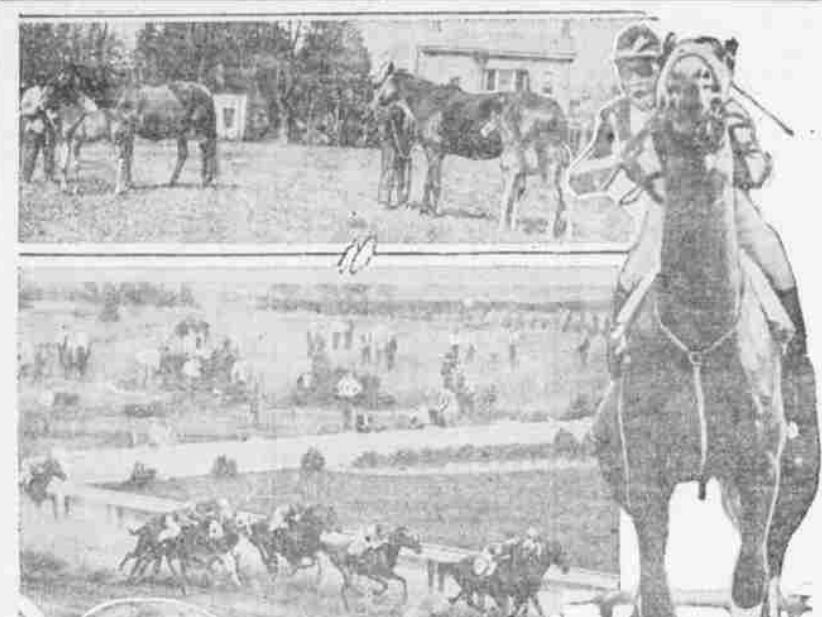
That aroused the local pride's ire and he has been angling after a third bout since, challenging Taylor at every opportunity. Now Hayes is back from a successful trip to Australia, where he had three fights, winning two of them and dropping the other by a narrow margin.

In the first bout Hayes met DeLeon and lost in the last four rounds after carrying the battle for the first 16 rounds. After that engagement the main event bouts on the island were cut down to fifteen, giving the United States fighter a better chance to show his real ability. The next fight went to Hayes and finally a return contest was arranged between Hayes and DeLeon.

Phil worked hard for that engagement and was rewarded by getting the verdict. His with a feeling of remarkable improvement and the knowledge that he can travel a long distance without showing the signs of being Bayes is anxious to get a crack at the eastern Oregon wonder and show him that the first fight was no mistake.

Plant is almost certain that the Taylor-Bayes bout will be arranged and, if so, it will be held on May 4, the date of the proposed O'Brien event. Final details will be arranged by late this afternoon or early tomorrow, it was indicated.

## Time Marks Changes In Kentucky's Races But Thrill and Romance Remain as Great



Louisville, Ky., April 12.—

Kentucky's "sport of kings" has felt the impact of the great god Change. Spectators now flock down on streets that once echoed to flying feet of fast horses. Thoroughbred race instead on tracks tended as carefully as mink's flower garden. Kentucky colonials who of old peeped into racing stables behind slips of misty julep now cheer their bangals from monumental grandstands, cooled by electricity and refreshed with soda pop.

But as the horses charge the barrier, sweep the turns, thunder into the stretch to clip off the few remaining yards at breakneck speed, the thrill is the same. Virginians had when they brought their blooded animals through Cumberland Gap more than 150 years ago and meet on the streets of town.

What are now Market street in Louisville and Water street in Lexington were the courses over which races were run in these early days. Racing in the "Main Street" of Lexington was stepped by the trustees of the town and later citizens of Louisville also complained of the danger.

Only in the recent past has development of the sport reached the gigantic proportions apparent today. Beautiful women—always the pride of the Blue Grass region—have had their part as enthusiastic followers. Now, to another woman, Miss Elizabeth Dinsinger, has come permanent fame as mistress of Fasaway Farm.

Henry Clay was a patron of horse racing and an active officer of the Kentucky Association, which succeeded the Jockey Club, organized in 1797. He bequeathed his breeding farm, Ashland, to his son, James C. Clay, whose widow operated it for years and now Major Thomas G. McDowell, his grandson, is the owner. John C. Breckinridge found time from his duties as the nation's vice-president to serve as head of the association.

On May 17, 1875, 10,000 persons saw Aristides, "the little red horse," win the first Kentucky Derby on the Churchill Downs track. Last year, on May 17, 70,000 turf followers swarmed the Downs to cheer Bubbling Over as he raced to victory and a great money prize.

Wagering, effected by "gentlemen's agreement" in Henry Clay's time, was in bales of cotton as often as money. Now complex machinery computes odds and handles wagers for thousands in less time than bookmakers need to record their transactions.

Derby Day again has the call for thousands. Today, weeks before a bugle sends the thoroughbreds to the barrier, inquisitive heads nod over records of past performances as owners train their animals for the event.

## 1927 BASEBALL ALPHABET

**Z IS FOR ZACHARY, A GOOD LEFTHANDER WHOSE MOVE FROM WASHINGTON WAS WELCOMED BY BROWN FANS!**

## Baseball Summary

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE			
	W. L.	Pct.	
Sacramento	14	7	.597
San Francisco	12	10	.545
Seattle	11	10	.524
Portland	11	11	.500
Oakland	11	11	.500
Mission	10	11	.475
Los Angeles	9	11	.450
Hollywood	6	13	.316

**YESTERDAY'S RESULTS**  
 At Portland 2, Missions 8.  
 At Seattle 5, Hollywood 0.  
 At Frisco 6, Oakland 9 (11 innings).  
 At Los Angeles 4, Sacramento 12.  
**HOW THE SERIES STAND**  
 At Portland 1 game, Missions 1 game.  
 At Seattle 1 game, Hollywood 1 game.  
 At Oakland 2 games, San Francisco no games.  
 At Los Angeles no games, Sacramento 2 games.

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
	W. L.	Pct.	
New York	8	2	.750
Detroit	7	3	.700
St. Louis	5	3	.625
Washington	4	3	.571
Cleveland	4	4	.500
Philadelphia	4	4	.500
Chicago	3	6	.333
Boston	1	6	.143

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	W. L.	Pct.	
Pittsburg	5	1	.833
New York	3	2	.625
Boston	3	4	.429
Philadelphia	3	3	.500
St. Louis	3	3	.500
Chicago	3	4	.429
Brooklyn	2	7	.286
Cincinnati	1	5	.167

## CARDS, GIANTS AND MACKMEN EACH SCORE WIN

(By Associated Press.)  
 When the world champion Cardinals took the field yesterday in St. Louis for their first game this year on the home lot, they went out and beat the Cubs, 4 to 2, with the competent Willie Sberfeld in the box.

The Giants, led by Hornsby and Lindstrom, who did most of the hitting, scored a 5 to 1 victory over the Phillies.

The hand of veterans led by Connie Mack, not only beat their red hot rivals, the Yankees, 8 to 3, but they outdid them, too, which is something few clubs are able to accomplish.

Detroit's 7 to 0 victory over the St. Louis Browns was marked by the pitching of Whitshell, steady southpaw, and the hitting of Fothergill.

The Redskins fell on Lyons, Chicago White Sox twirler, in the sixth and collected enough to win, 5 to 4.

The Brooklyn Robins beat the battling Braves in a hard fought game 4 to 3. The game snapped a seven game losing streak.

## ST. PAUL BASEBALL TEAMS VICTORIOUS

St. Paul, Or., April 21.—The St. Paul high school baseball teams played their first games of the season yesterday afternoon on the St. Paul diamond against the Gervais boys' and girls' teams.

St. Paul was victorious in both the games, the girls won their game by a score of 2 to 4 in a 4 1/2-inning game, at the request of the Gervais team. The local boys defeated the Gervais team by a score of 7 to 2.

The lineup of the team were:  
 St. Paul girls—Nelda Harle c; Emma Newcome p; B. M. Faber 1b; Zella Davidson 2b; Anne Hiller 3b; Ruth Lehman ss; Britler H; Louise Faber ss; Marie Gooding cf; Marie Kiser lf.

Gervais girls—Olive Manning, Marjorie Vincent, Hazel Seely, Estina Harris, Mamie Leith, Rose Messer, Laura Fuller, Carolina Harris, Catherine Lelaek and Zoe Cutsforth.

St. Paul boys—Blower, McCarthy, B. Berthout, Kern, Herb, Hanson, Goodwin, Lehman, Ben Berthout, Gervais—Ranch, Stoko, Manning, Freshwater, Seely, Kuhn, Cooney, Focley, Pickers, Eder.

## AMITY'S BASEBALL TEAM AGAIN VICTOR

Amity, Or., April 21.—Amity high still holds her position at the head of the county league. An exciting game was played at McMinnville, Tuesday afternoon, at which time Amity walked away with the game with a score of 9 to 5. At the beginning of the ninth inning the score stood 6 to 5, but Amity piled up three more points in a quick succession. Amity's next game is with McMinnville, Friday, on the home field.

## LOCAL RACQUET WIELDERS TAKE 5 OF 6 MATCHES

The Willamette university tennis teams, men and women, won the first tournament of the season at Monmouth yesterday afternoon when the men defeated the Oregon Normal lads five out of six matches, while the Willamette women players defeated the teachers five out of seven.

In the men's singles, Haworth, Willamette, defeated Imbler, Monmouth, 6-1, 6-3; Litchfield, Willamette, won from Rose, Monmouth, 6-0, 5-7, 6-1; White, Willamette, defeated Beardley, Monmouth, 6-3, 6-3, and Minton, Willamette, defeated Rodgers, Monmouth, 6-4, 7-3.

In the men's doubles, Haworth and Litchfield, Willamette, won 6-1, 6-4 from Irbler and Rose, Monmouth; and Beardley and Rodgers, Monmouth, defeated White and Minto, Willamette, 2-6, 6-3, 8-6.

In the women's singles, Miss Raught, Willamette, defeated Miss Knott, Monmouth, 4-6, 6-2, 7-5; Miss Knott, Willamette, won from Miss Herman, Monmouth, 6-2, 6-3; Miss Clarke, Willamette, defeated Miss Collins, Monmouth, 6-2, 6-2; and Miss Nunn, Willamette, defeated Miss Wideman, Monmouth, 6-3, 6-4; Miss Koskela, Monmouth, won from Miss Findley, Willamette, 6-2, 2-6, 7-5.

In women's doubles, Misses Knott and Raught, Willamette, defeated Misses Rider and Herman, Monmouth, 6-1, 6-2; Misses Collins and Koskela, Monmouth, won from Misses Findley and Nunn, Willamette, 6-0, 6-1.

## MISSIONS DEFEAT PORTLAND NINE 8-2

(By Associated Press.)  
 The Missions won from Portland 8 to 2 at Portland; Batteries: Weisert and Whitney; Tomlin, Ortman, Duff and Velle, Fischer.

The Oaks defeated the Seals, 9 to 6 in 11 innings here yesterday. Batteries: Haaty, Craghead, Krause and Bohl; Mitchell, McMurty, Turpin, Hansen and Vargas, Stokas.

Sacramento defeated Los Angeles 12 to 4 at Los Angeles. Manager Krug choked Umpire Eason during a dispute in the seventh inning. Batteries: Singleton and Koehler; Pierce, Cunningham, Smith and Hannah.

Seattle defeated Hollywood 5 to 0 and climbed to third place. Batteries: Mulcahy, Henderson and Cook; Edwards and Jenkins.

Games today: Oakland at San Francisco; Missions at Portland; Sacramento at Los Angeles; Hollywood at Seattle.

Silverton, Or., April 21.—The Silverton high school baseball team will play the Scotts Mills team at Scotts Mills, Friday. This will be Silverton's third game this season. The first with Gervais, where Silverton won, and the second with Woodburn, where Woodburn won. Following are the Silverton players: M. Green, McCall, Reilino, Brady, Blazer, Miller, Albright, G. Green and Fox.

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