

THREE HOMERS MARK TUESDAY GAMES IN EAST

(By The Associated Press.) Star clouters of the major leagues did their stuff yesterday. Home runs were made by Babe Ruth, Rogers Hornsby and George Sisler. Ruth's mighty wallop was one of the longest ever seen in Cleveland. It came in the ninth inning, and while it was just another run in the 7-0 whitewash administered to the Indians by the Yanks, it did give the Babe an edge on Lou Gehrig in their scramble for batting supremacy. Ruth now has thirty homers to his credit, with "Columbia Lou" one behind.

Hornsby's clout in the sixth inning, gave the Giants a 3-2 victory over Cincinnati. Sisler's homer came with two on in the ninth, at St. Louis, and gave the Browns a 6-5 win from the Boston Red Sox.

Chicago's hustling Cubs continued to hold on to first place in the National league. The Cubs poked out 13 hits while Blake was holding the Braves to three for a 6-2 victory.

The Pittsburgh Pirates kept at the Cubs' heels by beating Danny Vance, and the Brooklyn Dodgers 2-1.

The St. Louis Cardinals' 9-6 victory over Philadelphia, rounded out the clean sweep by first division teams over second division opponents.

The Chicago White Sox rallied sharply in the sixth inning to trim Connie Mack's Athletics, 8-5. The Detroit Tigers lost to Washington, 9-6.

FLORIDA BOOM TOWN OWNERS IN BANKRUPTCY

Miami, Fla., July 13.—(AP)—Three suits totaling \$2,000,000 in claims, were filed yesterday in United States district courts here and in Jacksonville, by the Highway Construction company, Inc., of Ohio, asking receiverships for two companies, which played major parts in the development of the City of Hollywood, famous Florida boom resort, near here.

Joseph W. Young, founder and developer of Hollywood, is president of both companies named, and is himself named as defendant in the suits, which are for balance due on sidewalk and street paving construction completed, and for profits lost when contracted construction was ordered stopped early this year. The companies for which receiverships were asked are the Home Seekers' Realty company of Hollywood, and the Hollywood Land and Water company.

Hollywood, from a population of 25,000 little more than two years ago has dwindled to a scant 5,000 inhabitants and its fine boulevards and sidewalks in many cases spread through thousands of acres of unpopulated development, planned originally as an ideal model community resort town. The city suffered severely from the hurricane which devastated the east coast of Florida, last September.

D'MOLAY LOSES AND GOES INTO CELLAR

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE

P. E. P. 4 3 571
Postoffice 4 3 571
Hansen-Lillequist 4 4 500
De Molays 3 5 375

The DeMolays were counted out of the race for leadership in the Industrial league when they lost last night to Hansen-Lillequist 4 to 1.

The DeMolay players lost their own game by plodding along with closed eyes to base runners, letting Folrich, keystone sacker for the mill men, steal home twice after he had hit long two baggers. Snappy fielding by the Swedes cut off many Masonic efforts.

RANCH HOUSE BURNS WOMAN IS INJURED

Lee Aldred, rancher and cherry grower between Macleay and Shaw, lost his ranch house by fire yesterday afternoon and his sister, Lilian Reed, was very painfully injured when escaping through a window of the burning dwelling. Her arms were badly cut by glass and a number of stitches were required in two deep gashes.

Aldred states that he has no knowledge of how the fire started, except he thinks it started from around a stove in the front room. The fire occurred while he was delivering a load of cherries in Salem. The house and contents were a total loss with no insurance.

MAJOR LEAGUE LEADERS

(By The Associated Press.) Including games of July 12.

National: Batting, P. Waver, Pirates, .388; runs, Hornsby, Giants, 71; hits, P. Waver, Pirates, 117; doubles, P. Waver, Pirates, 24; triples, P. Waver, Pirates, 14; homers, Hornsby, 16; Williams, Phillies, 16; stolen bases, Prich, Cardinals, 26; pitching, Meadows, Pirates, won 11; lost 3.

American: Batting, Simmons, Athletics, .403; runs, Ruth, Yankees, 88; hits, Gehrig, Yankees, 123; doubles, Burns, Indians, 33; triples, Mauch, Tigers, 12; homers, Ruth, 30; stolen bases, Sisler, Browns, 16; Taver, Tigers, 16; pitching, Reuther, Yankees, won 8; lost 2.

BOXERS FAVOR SHARKEY TO PUT DEMPSEY AWAY

New York, July 13.—(AP)—Jack Sharkey may have been fighting faults, but he is young and fast, and a big man and these two assets, a group of boxers, have concluded after watching the ex-box in his training sessions, and ought to carry him to victory against Jack Dempsey at the Yankee Stadium, one week from tomorrow.

Mike McGuire, Jack Britton, Philadelphia Jack O'Brien, Soldier Partfield, Jim Montgomery, and others, who speak of the fight game from experience, have seen Sharkey in his sparring antics and have named him the favorite. All took in Sharkey's workout yesterday, and while none cared to take a side in the forthcoming heavyweight issue, each saw Sharkey's youth, strength and cleverness as winning factors.

Sharkey's program yesterday lacked the fire and dash of the previous day. Some of his partners made him look bad by sidestepping his punches and landing often. Occasionally, however, he would block a series of blows with ease and then tap his opponents with snappy right uppercuts and short lefts. He was not punching especially hard and it was apparent he was saving his partners punishment to work for timing.

Tex Rickard announced that the advance sale for the fight is near the \$700,000 mark.

BISHOP TO OPPOSE RUSSELL ON MOUND

Salem baseball fans who pay 50 cents to see a ball game can get a bargain price tonight when they pay ten cents to see Pitchers Bidy Bishop of the American Legion and Herman Russell of the Valley Motor teams convene in a prospective pitcher's duel.

The Legionnaires hold their place at the head of the Commercial league by a shaky margin of one half game over the Knights of Columbus and if they lose to the Ford tinkers they will be minus that in second place with six wins and three losses. Should Bishop carry his team through to a victory the Legion will have a death grip on the leadership with Valley Motor back into the race of tail ends.

Anyway you look at it the game is going to be an interesting one with both clubs struggling for a win. Herman Russell has been pitching well for his team and may get the nod over his more experienced opposing alabman.

FIRE AT SAWTELLE HELD INCENDIARY

Sawtelle, Calif., July 13.—(AP)—Investigation of a fire, believed to have been of incendiary origin, which yesterday burned a part of a barracks of the Soldiers' home here, today had been begun by both officials of the home and the Los Angeles bureau of fire investigation.

Colonel John A. Hadley, governor of the Soldiers' home, last night declared he believed the fire, the third of a series at the institution, had been set intentionally.

E. E. Enos, chief of the Los Angeles bureau of fire investigation, has announced his intention to question each man quartered in the barracks, where the fire broke out. But one man was in the building when the fire was discovered. The barracks, a three-story frame structure, is appraised at \$23,000.

WILLS TRIES TO TURN TIME BACK IN BOUT TONITE

New York, July 13.—(AP)—Once the most feared boxer in the heavyweight division, Harry Wills, the brown panther of New Orleans, will try to turn back the years tonight in his 15-round fight with Paulino Uzcudun, Pyrenees giant at Ebbetts field.

The craft negro, now a prosperous resident of New York's Harlem district, is pitted against one of the strongest men in the boxing game. Uzcudun's ability to assimilate punishment has been demonstrated and although he "throws" most of his punches, he is a dangerous hurdle in the path of Wills' comeback attempt.

After 17 years in the ring, Wills, long the logical contender for a title at which he never got a chance, is a slight favorite over his youthful opponent. The Spanish wood-chopper has been dropped, temporarily, at least, from Tex Rickard's heavyweight program. Wills, after his beating last year by Jack Sharkey, named completely out of titular consideration. Wills has nothing to gain in victory, but Paulino can command respect in the event he beats the negro, even though Harry has gone back a long way.

SALEM-PORTLAND SWIM IS PLANNED

Something new for Salem fandom to ponder over is the attempt to swim from Salem to Portland in the Willamette river announced today by Marvin Lewis, 19 year old U. S. marine, who is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Lewis, on 30 day leave of absence from the Mare Island naval base at San Diego.

Lewis enlisted in the marine corps 15 months ago through the Salem office and has since been attached to the Pacific battle fleet. In the all-navy swimming competition this spring he won first honors, smashing a navy record with 24 seconds flat in the 50 yard dash.

Lewis will start the long swim to Portland from the Polk county bridge the morning of August 1 and expects to reach Portland in not more than 30 hours. He hopes to cut this estimate at least five hours but is prepared to stay in the water 36 hours.

His attempt will be sponsored by the U. S. Marine corps with the recruiting officers at Salem and Portland taking active charge.

FRENCH SEEN AS CUP CONTENDERS

New York, July 13.—(AP)—Home from a two months' tour of Europe, William T. Tilden is thoroughly convinced that France's tennis stars are going to be harder than ever to beat in the Davis cup challenge round. He has a wholesome respect for Rene La Coste, Jean Borotra and Henri Cochet, declaring that their game is sounder and more aggressive than in 1926.

"One thing I learned abroad," the former champion said after his arrival with his partner, Francis T. Hunter, and other members of the American party, "is that the French are just as apt to defeat us as we are to defeat them. As for America's chances, much depends upon Bill Johnston."

Offering no alibi for his defeat by Cochet at Wimbledon, the Philadelphia said he was unable to explain the reverse that turned the sectional match from a rout for his opponent to a Cochet triumph.

"I am in better condition now than I was last year," Tilden said. "That is due to three months of hard tennis. It is impossible to get in too much tennis."

HOPEWELL TEAM GOOD

Hopewell, Or., July 13.—According to all reports, the Hopewell ball team is taking the hides from all comers. Kimmicke, the pitcher, is feared everywhere his name is mentioned and there is an unbeatable lineup of base-men, fielders and batters. They have lost but one game this season.

CALLAHAN KNOCKED OUT BUT KEEPS TITLE

Chicago, July 13.—(AP)—Except for four pounds, Sergeant Sammy Baker of New York would be the junior welterweight champion of the world today.

MAJOR LEAGUE STANDINGS

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Brooklyn 37 42 .468
Philadelphia 31 46 .403
Boston 29 44 .397
Cincinnati 23 50 .359

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Washington 47 32 .595
Chicago 46 37 .554
Detroit 42 37 .532
Philadelphia 43 38 .531
Cleveland 34 47 .426
St. Louis 32 46 .410
Boston 19 60 .241

DEMPSEY BANKS ON OLD PUNCH TO REPLACE YOUTH

Saratoga Lake, N. Y., July 13.—(AP)—After a day of idleness, Jack Dempsey was intent on giving his sparring partners plenty of work today.

With only six more days of training left before he steps into the ring to meet Jack Sharkey, at the Yankee stadium, Dempsey is satisfied he will overcome the youth and speed of Sharkey with an old fashioned exhibition of punching.

In his workout in the canvas-enclosed ring by the shores of Saratoga Lake, Dempsey has failed to display any flashing speed, and his boxing has been visible by its lack of effectiveness, but he has been punching, apparently as hard as ever in his brilliant career, and it is the power of his punch on which he depends to carry him through to a victory over the lightning fast Sharkey.

Dempsey has deliberately taken blow after blow from his sparring mates, to weave into close quarters and batter away at their blow-wracked bodies. Jack Hildebrand, Bill Bates and Pietro Corri, left yesterday. Eddie McMullen has been unable to box in a week. Glad Motoguchi and Marty Gallagher were stiffened in their last workout.

10,000 PETITION LOWDEN TO RUN

Oregon, Ill., July 13.—(AP)—Frank O. Lowden, former governor of Illinois, today received a petition bearing the signatures of 10,000 Montana voters asking him to become a candidate for the republican nomination for president.

The petition, which had been circulated in every Montana county, was presented to Mr. Lowden at his farm home by W. E. Stockton, of Bozeman, Mont., president of the Montana Farm bureau.

"Mr. Lowden said that nothing could be said at this time," said Mr. Stockton after he presented the petition.

"Montana is very strong for Governor Lowden. We appreciate his attitude towards the farm problem and that is the big problem of our state. We believe that Governor Lowden is the man who will bring about better conditions."

BAYES-TAYLOR BOUT LIKELY ON NEXT CARD HERE

Yes, Salem is to have more fights this summer. Matchmaker Harry Plant is busy planning his next card which is slated positively for July 27.

On Phil Bayes' bout with Bobby Gray at Mt. Angel rests the secret of the delay. Bayes should win from Gray but greater surprises have happened and Plant is taking no chances in announcing a Bayes feature bout if Phil takes a beating from a comparatively unknown fighter.

BAYES-TAYLOR BOUT LIKELY ON NEXT CARD HERE

Granted that Bayes wins his Mt. Angel set he will be matched with Alie Taylor of Bend as a final test of his comeback ability. The semi-windup will be every bit as interesting with Bobby McIntyre stepping into the ring against Jack Nash of Astoria. This pair fought a fast draw in Portland on the last card there and were credited with the flashiest showing of the evening.

Other up and at 'em preliminaries are being planned which will make a splendid midsummer card.

Following the state fair Plant announces that he will start the regular bi-weekly boxing shows at the armory. Although the 1927 season was not a world beater in gate receipts, the results justify an attempt to give the local fans the best possible in boxing talent.

Salem has gained a good reputation during the past year with the pupils in the northwest among whom Vic Foley, Wildcat Carter, Joe Marcus, Benny Pelz, Ad Mackie, Frankie Grandetta and Tommy O'Brien and many others are anxious to gain action here this coming season.

Aside from the unfortunate bout between Tommy O'Brien and Angel de la Cruz which was declared no contest when La Cruz fell over the ropes and cracked his neck, not a single card went wrong. Fighters appeared according to their agreements and the fans received their money's worth if not their fullest personal satisfaction as to various decisions.

BOBBY JONES SCORES IN 68

St. Andrews, Scotland, July 13.—(AP)—Bobby Jones struck a decisive first blow in defense of his British open golf title by scoring a sensational 68 for the first 18 holes of the 72 holes to decide the title.

The champion, very much on his game, did the first 9 holes in 32, four under par, and finished the round with a stroke gained on par in the homecoming stretch to clip five strokes altogether from perfect figures. His score equaled the St. Andrews course record. Playing faultless golf, the Alltanan came up to the h home hole needing a par four to equal the best performance the historic course has known. He got it and was off in front of the big field. Three strokes back at 71 was Ten Nettelford, Australian amateur.

Joe Kirkwood was the leading professional with a score of 72. Percy Alliss, English professional had 73, with five British professionals tied at 74.

The other American players in were Jim Barnes with 76 and Larry Nabholz, 77.

LEAVES FOR PORTLAND

Woodburn, Or., July 13.—Alvord Scollard has left for Portland, where he is employed at a service station.

PROFESSIONALS WIN FROM FARMERS 5-1

Dallas, July 13.—Unable to connect with the offerings of Loy, with his artful burlesque, the Farmers met defeat 5 to 1 at the hands of the Professionals in the league play Monday night. Loy allowed no hits nor earned runs while Baughn, for the Farmers, allowed five hits and five runs. Summary of the game:

R. H. E.
Farmers 1 0 0
Professionals 5 5 8

BEAVERS BREAK LOSING STREAK BEAT MISSIONS

(By The Associated Press.) The Missions could do nothing with Larry French, youthful portender, dropping a 5-2 decision to Portland. Pillette weakened in the sixth and seventh, when the Beavers scored all their runs. Batteries: Pillette and Whitney; French and Fischer.

Earl Kunz turned on his former teammates, the Oaks, to set them down with six hits, and pitched San Francisco to a 6 to 2 victory. Batteries: Dickerman, Graghead and Baker; Kunz and Rego.

After matching Singleton stride for stride for seven innings, Doc Wright cracked in the last two innings, and Sacramento coasted to an easy 6-0 win over Los Angeles. Batteries: Singleton and Koehler; Wright and Walby, Hannah.

Hollywood at Seattle, postponed—teams traveling.

BELLANGER HOLDS DILLON TO DRAW

Portland, July 12.—(AP)—In the main event of one of the best cards put on for some time by the Portland boxing commission, last night, Harry Dillon and Charles Bellanger of Canada, went 10 rounds to a draw.

Dillon went down in the eighth with a claim of foul.

"Battling Slim," of Bellingham, electrified the crowd with his cleverness in stowing away Jack Mason of Portland, in the first round, with three knockdowns to his credit. Jeff Hoyt, Silverton, gave an exhibition of gameness seldom seen, finally succumbing to the punishment inflicted by Bob Mariels, Portland, who also knew he was in a battle. The referee gave Mariels the decision in the third round with Hoyt on his feet.

George Spady took a six round decision from Eddie Cartwright and Marty Peltz won a technical knockout over Jimmy Petri, in the fourth round.

SHERWOOD WINNER

Hubbard, Or., July 13.—The Sherwood baseball team won from Hubbard at the Hubbard Mineral Springs ball park Sunday. Brower and Houser were the battery for Hubbard. The game resulted in a score of 7 to 4 in favor of Sherwood. On account of the funeral of F. Fellers at Donald the attendance at the ball game was not as good as on former Sundays.

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