

Sports

HAGEN HEFTIER, KEEN FOR GOLF AFTER LONG REST

(By Brian Bell, Associated Press Sports Writer.)
NEW YORK, Apr. 24.—(AP)—There is more of Walter Hagen on his British invasion of 1928 than has been present on his other five excursions in search of the open golf championship. Whether the addition is to be an asset or liability, "The Hawk" is yet to learn.

His actual playing equipment is the same. He still has the bulging bag with spare clubs, extra shoes, several sweaters for use if a cold wind blows up, and one of the biggest of all golf umbrellas as rain insurance.

But this year, the confident Hagen walk will be topped off by a double chin and the turf of Sandwich will be called on to support much more Hagen poundage than was the case when he won his first British open there in 1922.

Hagen can not be called "fat and forty" for he is only 36 years of age, but he is more than pleasantly plump after a winter in which golf has been only incidental to other activities.

Anything lacking in his physical condition, however, may be offset by his mental slant, after what amounts to a long vacation from serious competition and will match strokes and enthusiasm with all comers.

"Who knows," he asked, as he was queried on his ideas of winning England.

"I might win again, at that. Golf is a funny game. When you think you will, you are just as apt not to, and when you feel that you are pretty sure to come through they may not be able to find you at the finish.

"I'd like to be British champion again, and think I have about as good a chance as anybody. I have not played any golf to amount to anything this winter, but that won't make any difference.

"Why, you have played more golf than I have since November," he said to a reporter.

PITTSBURGH CRAWLS OUT OF CELLAR

(By the Associated Press)

Wig Krauser has pitched the Pittsburgh Pirates out of the National league cellar—a strange resting place for champions.

The big Frenchman blanked the Chicago Cubs, with three hits at Wrigley field yesterday, while his team mates were running up six runs. Idle because of cold weather, the Boston Braves exchanged their seventh place post for the Cardinals' ranking at the bottom of the heap.

Some weird work by Willie Sheerdel gave the Cincinnati Reds a 3 to 2 decision over the St. Louis Cardinals at Redland. The cold and rainy day saw the American league successful in staging only two of its four scheduled games.

Owen Carroll pitched the Tigers to a five-hit, 2 to 4 victory over the Chicago White Sox at Detroit. Bill Cissel, expensive Sox shortstop, personally accounted for three of the Tiger runs when he threw wild to the plate in the eighth inning.

The Cleveland Indians dropped their third decision of the season to the Browns at St. Louis, 4 to 2.

SLOPPY GAME IS WON BY BEAVERS

(By the Associated Press)

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"Not me," replied the golf writer, shocked into a grammatical lapse by the unexpected charge.

ARMY SCHEDULES ILLINOIS GAMES

(By the Associated Press)

CHAMPAGNE, Ill., April 24.—(AP)—The action of West Point officials in scheduling an Army-Illinois game to be played here in 1929, with a return game set for New York in 1930, has added to the list of those which have broken the east-west barrier.

Of all the big eastern schools, Yale now remains the only one which has consistently declined to send its football team this far west.

The Navy was the first of the service eleven to come into the middle west, playing Michigan, other eastern colleges, which have either contracted to play mid-western teams or Dartmouth, Princeton, Pennsylvania and Cornell. Harvard has a home-and-home arrangement with Michigan.

The exact date of the 1929 game will be set later. It will be played at the University of Illinois memorial stadium.

Football observers say in the agreement, additional confirmation of the belief that there was little chance of the Navy and Army adjusting their differences over eligibility rules for some years to come, at least.

MEDFORD LINEUP FOR FIRST GAME

(By the Associated Press)

Manager Hall has selected the following players to start off the baseball season, May 6th, when the Medford Merchants team plays the House of David team here:

Infielders: Drolette, Shaגיע, Dunn, Swavert, Gray.
Outfielders: Hoffer, Conlin, McFarland, Dilbeck.
Catchers: Chester, McFarland, Pletcher, Michel, Hughes.
One more local pitcher is wanted by Manager Hall, who can play either infield or outfield.

Fights Last Night

(By the Associated Press)

ASTORIA, Ore., April 24.—(AP) Del Allen, LaGrande welterweight, outpointed Roy Gift, local fighter, and won the decision in a 10-round main event on the fight card here last night.

Weekly Foreign News Review

(By Oscar Watson, Cable Editor of the Associated Press.)

While Major Fitzmaurice and Captain Koehl, together with Baron Von Huenefeld, are striving with might and main to restore their trans-Atlantic airplane line to such condition as will enable them to complete their flight from Greenland, off the coast of Labrador, to New York, the wives of the German commander of the overseas expedition, and the daring Irishman, are crossing the same Atlantic by steamer to greet them.

The two women, who suffered the agonies of waiting when no word had come from the airmen after they were long overdue in America, are the guests of the steamship company aboard the Dresden, and with them is "Fitz's" little daughter "Pat," who herself figured prominently in the news prior to the hot-off from Baldonnel.

The trans-Atlantic fliers are stuck fast in the little barren island because of the damage done to Bremen when she landed on ice that broke under her weight. New parts have been sent and repairs are being made and the three intrepid aviators are determined to fly to their original destination, Mitchell field.

Brief dispatches from China last week indicated a savage flare-up of the war between the north and the south. For the moment the southerners have much the better of the battle. One northern army, numbering many thousands, is reported to have been destroyed. Several cities on the road to Peking, the objective of the southerners, have been occupied. Nearly a million

Southern Bulgaria has been badly shaken by earthquakes, numerous towns being destroyed. Several hundred were killed and thousands rendered homeless. Philippopolis is practically in ruins.

France has submitted to the government of the United States, Great Britain, Germany, Italy and Japan her ideas of a treaty for doing away with war. The French government, in its proposals, which in many ways are similar to those of Secretary of State Kellogg, reserves the right to wage war for defense and to meet certain obligations already accepted under the covenant of the League of Nations.

The Italian aeronaut, General Umberto Nobile, negotiating the first lap of his proposed trip to the North Pole, guided his dirigible Italia from Milan, Italy, to Stolp, Germany, through a terrific storm. So threatening were the elements that it seemed as though the Italia would be forced to come down at an intermediate point. But General Nobile kept on, and his dirigible proved its worth by reaching the airport in safety.

The haunting melodies of that fine orchestra possessed by Herb Widoefelt are to flow into the show-goers' enduring memory on Monday, Tuesday, May 7, 8 when this Pacific coast jazz organization plays engagements at Hunt's Craterian.

Especially ingenious and attractive in jazz entertainment is this outstanding group of artists under Widoefelt leadership. Organized in Los Angeles during the early days of the jazzmania period, this orchestra dates back to the very inception of this entertainment era. Few musical organizations have given any finer satisfaction. They stand foremost in the matter of excellent musicianship, beauty of tonal quality, faultless rhythm and novel effects.

Sawtell, Calif.—"When I arrived at middle life my health became very poor. Besides various other things which troubled me, I suffered a great deal with my back. I had heard about Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and decided to try it. The first bottle helped me quite a considerable and I continued taking it and my health steadily grew better until I became well and stout. I am still enjoying good health and shall always recommend the 'Favorite Prescription'."—Mrs. C. P. Howell, 11258 Nebraska Ave., Sold by all druggists, in liquid or tablet form, or send 10 cents for trial pkg. of tablets to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

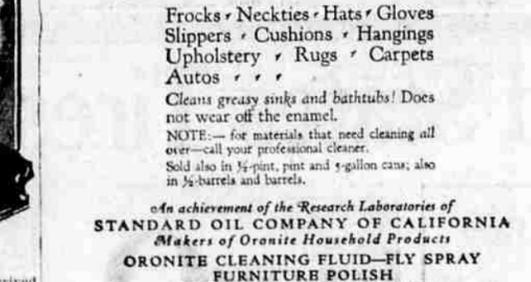
alluring title of a singing and dancing offering presented by Bobby Roberts and Maude Clark. Both have good voices and are dancers of rare ability.

With musical instruments of their own construction, the Friedlander Brothers present what is said to be an unusual, unique and humorous musical offering.

Jack Baxley brings his wife's relations past history to life in a humorous monologue, with songs, combined with stories.

PENDELTON, Ore., April 24.—(AP)—Overheated brakes on an Oregon Trail stage driven by L. V. Hudson started a fire today as the vehicle was entering Pendleton from La Grande. Use of chemicals by the driver and the arrival of the Pendleton fire department prevented the blaze from doing serious damage.

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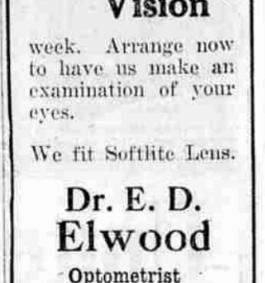
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Advertisement for Weidoelt Band, featuring the text "Weidoelt Band Coming Soon" and "The haunting melodies of that fine orchestra possessed by Herb Widoefelt are to flow into the show-goers' enduring memory..."

Advertisement for Oronite Cleaning Fluid, featuring a large illustration of a can and the text "Oronite Cleaning Fluid Cleans clean as new".

Advertisement for Vaudeville, featuring the text "Vaudeville A scintillating and rapid-fire Association Vaudeville program will be at Hunt's Craterian tomorrow..."

Advertisement for The Showdown, featuring the text "The Showdown at the Rialto theatre, lifts the golden curtain with surrounds modern culture and shows savagery!"

Advertisement for Major League Leaders, featuring a list of baseball players and teams.

Advertisement for Encouragement for Women of Middle Age, featuring a portrait of Mrs. C. P. Howell and the text "Encouragement for Women of Middle Age".

Advertisement for Fits Your Personality, featuring a portrait of a man in a hat and the text "FITS YOUR PERSONALITY".

Advertisement for The Weather, featuring the text "The Weather Lowest temperature this morning, 42. Precipitation for 24 hours ending 5 a. m., 91 inch."

Advertisement for Reichstein and Deuel, featuring the text "Reichstein and Deuel MEDFORD FUEL CO. 1118 North Central PHONE 631".

Advertisement for Insurance, featuring the text "INSURANCE First Insurance Agency A. L. HILL, Manager Phone 105 30 N. Central Medford, Oregon".