

In the World of Sports

PASSING BATTER PROVES FATAL TO YANKEE HOPES

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The intentional pass may be a good thing at times but it also may prove a boomerang. Lefty Heimlich, the Yankees' newly acquired pitcher, made that discovery yesterday. Heimlich and Grady Adams of the White Sox had been trading an old-fashioned pitchers' battle. In the ninth, Bill Cissell opened the inning for Chicago with a single and advanced to second on Legg's sacrifice. Adams made it two out with a fly. In this position the Yankee board of strategy decided to pass Mossil and give George Redfern, rated one of the weak hitters of the league, a chance to make the third out. The supposed weak hitter promptly confounded this strategy by leaping on the first ball pitched for a triple that sent Cissell and Mossil across the plate and put the game safely on ice. The final count was 5 to 2 in favor of the White Sox.

With a gaping hole left in the American league by this defeat of the leaders, the Athletics allowed themselves to be thrown for no gain by a group of embattled Tigers led by Elam Van Garder. The Detroit pitcher held the Philadelphia to nine scattered hits and the Tigers won by a 4-to-1 score.

In the other American league games "Sam Sam" Jones had a shiny day and gave the Browns only four hits which failed to net them a run, while the Washington batters were crossing the plate three times, and Uble did a somewhat similar feat for the Indians, giving them a 2-to-1 victory over the Red Sox.

The Cardinals and the Giants in the National league reversed the Yankee-Athletic situation. Instead of being beaten, the Cardinals and St. Louis, clinging to its pre-record two and one-half game lead, "Old Pete" Alexander resumed his customary role as hero on the mound, making his first appearance after a period of illness. Alex gave the Braves only seven hits, while the Cards batted out a 7-to-1 victory.

Meanwhile the Giants were seeking to find that they did not fall behind in the race by battering the Chicago Cubs all over Wrigley field to win, 10 to 2.

The race for third place in the National league also remained unchanged.

The last moving Pirates registered a slight gain by handing the Robins a second straight defeat by a 4-to-2 score.

BOTH FIGHTERS ARE READY FOR GONG AT ARMORY TOMORROW

With their fight scheduled for tomorrow night at the armory Joe Jewett of Portland and Dick Raimes of San Diego were resting today for their battle, which both are determined to win. Raimes is generally given the edge to win, but many local fans lean toward Jewett, who put up a good battle with Raimes in a four-round special event at the armory two weeks ago.

Raimes is rated as one of the best welterweights in southern California, and a short time ago fought with Mushy Callahan, junior welterweight champion of the world, in Los Angeles. Although he lost the fight by a decision of the judges, he was given a newspaper victory, which gave him credit for doing most of the leading during the fight and taking all of Callahan's punishment without any visible damage. Raimes has a scrap book filled with accounts of his encounters, most of which he won.

The semi-windup between Pat Padelford of this city and Sammy Gordon of Portland is nearly attracting as much interest as the main event and is expected to be as active.

New seating arrangements were being completed today at the armory and the ring is also being improved, including the installation of new ropes.

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JOIE RAY SHOWS GREAT FORM IN IRISH MARATHON

DUBLIN, Aug. 15.—(AP)—Joe Ray of the United States won the Tailteann games marathon run from Movon to Dublin today.

Joie was up with the leaders all the way and took the lead a couple of miles from the finish. His time was 2 hours, 31 minutes, 24 2/5 seconds which is more than a minute faster than that made by the Algerian El Quafi, in winning the Olympic marathon for France on Aug. 5. Ray was fifth in that event.

The little American runner is almost as well known and popular in Ireland as in the United States and his victory which opened the athletic festival here was popular.

Harold M. Osborn of Illinois A. C. won the standing broad jump with a leap of 10 feet, 6 1/2 inches. This event constituted a successful defense of his championship as in the 1924 Tailteann games he also won. His win today was an improvement and a half better than on that occasion.

MOTHER GOING STRONG TO BEAT WORLD RECORD

COLTON, Cal., Aug. 15.—(AP)—Although the second of her two swimming matés was taken from the water here this morning, Mrs. Lee Fourrier, 36-year-old mother of two boys, was still going strong. She was obviously still determined to attain the 60-hour endurance swim mark she has set for herself and is reported in splendid condition.

After 18 hours and 14 minutes of swimming in the outdoor pool here, where Mrs. Fourrier is trying to break back the world's record recently won from her by Mrs. Myrtle Huddleston, Earl Smith, 19 years of age, was taken from the water apparently now the worse for the grind. A little over two hours before Muriel Gordon, 15, came out after swimming 15 hours and 57 minutes. She is thought by local aquatic fans to have thus established a record, as the previous known mark is 16 hours, reached by a 12-year-old San Bernardino, Cal., girl, Edith Brooks Smith and Miss Gordon are both pupils of Mrs. Fourrier.

If Mrs. Fourrier attains her 60-hour goal she will once again hold the continuous swimming championship lost a few weeks ago to Mrs. Huddleston, who beat her record of 42 hours, 21 minutes and 19 seconds, by 12 hours, 6 minutes and 42 seconds.

Baseball Standings

Pacific Coast League			
W.	L.	P.C.	
Sacramento	21	13	765
Hollywood	28	16	636
San Francisco	27	17	614
Oakland	24	20	545
Mission	21	23	477
Los Angeles	19	25	432
Portland	15	19	341
Seattle	11	33	250

American			
W.	L.	P.C.	
New York	27	24	631
Philadelphia	27	20	543
St. Louis	26	23	522
Chicago	22	21	460
Cleveland	22	21	461
Detroit	19	22	441
Washington	19	24	439
Boston	14	21	433

National			
W.	L.	P.C.	
St. Louis	29	12	622
New York	23	14	606
Cincinnati	21	18	589
Chicago	20	20	558
Pittsburg	18	19	542
Brooklyn	17	21	482
Boston	16	22	476
Philadelphia	15	24	422

Major League Leaders

Including games of August 14: (By the Associated Press)

National.

Batting—Hornsbey, Braves, 381.
Runs—P. Waner, Pirates, 95.
Runs batted in—Bottomley, Cardinals, 57.
Hits—P. Waner, Pirates, 104.
Cardinals, 155.
Doubles—P. Waner, Pirates, 56.
Triples—Bottomley, Cardinals, 13.
Home runs—Wilson, Cubs, 27.
Stolen bases—Chaplin, Cubs, 23.
Leading pitcher—Benton, Giants, won 12, lost 4.

American.

Batting—Goslin, Senators, 311.
Runs—Ruth, Yankees, 122.
Runs batted in—Ruth, Yankees, 67.
Hits—Manush, Browns, 171.
Doubles—Flaxstead, Red Sox, 36.
Triples—Combs, Yankees, 15.
Home runs—Ruth, Yankees, 44.
Stolen bases—Mossil, White Sox, 21.
Leading pitcher—Hoyt, Yankees, won 14, lost 7.

Heavy crop of filberts expected in Willamette Valley orchards, 24.

YERKES PITCHES GOOD GAME, BUT OAKLAND WINS

A pitching duel between Howard Craghead and Carroll Yerkes for 14 innings gave the Astoria victory 2 to 0. Two singles, a walk and another single spelled defeat for the Beavers. Yerkes gave only two walks and six hits during the fracas while Craghead was somewhat more headier allowing six walks and four hits. Batteries: Craghead and Reed; Yerkes and Whitney, Rezo.

Poor pitching by Bill Hughes and Nelson at the Mission lineup allowed the Stars nine runs in the first three innings and the game, 13 to 3. Dittler, who replaced Hughes at the end of the third, blanked the Hollywood boys in all but the seventh when they again went on a rampage to score four runs. Fuzzy Huff, Mission outfielder, got a home run, batteries: Hulvey and Hassler; Nelson and Hughes, Dittler and Baldwin, Bretzel.

Earl Averill and Smead Jolly, hard hitting Seals, got two homers apiece to bring another Seal victory 10 to 1 from Los Angeles. This was the thirteenth San Francisco victory in fifteen games with Los Angeles. Averill and Jolly accounted for seven of the team's ten runs. Batteries: Raether, Jones and Sprinz; Barfoot, Chesley and Sandberg.

Seattle only got seven scattered hits from Ray Keating and Sacramento's added another to its victory column, 5 to 0. The Senators bunched eight hits in the first, third and eighth innings to secure five. Ray Rowher's homer scored another ahead of him. Batteries: Keating and Severid; Reyan and Almsmith.

CADDIES' TOURNEY HERE IS STARTED

Shooting the lowest score, 192, Warren Turnquist won the qualifying round of the caddies' tournament at the Medford Golf club yesterday. He was followed by Fred Stone with 199, George Harrington with 211 and Harold Stone with 212.

The other contestants were August Todd, Harold Swant, Russell Roach and Earl Webb.

The playoff for the club caddy title will start the first of next week between the first four players. H. Chandler Egan has donated a cup for the winner and the caddies are much excited over the outcome.

RAH-RAH GRAD OF PRINCETON ENDS LIFE WITH PISTOL

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—(AP)—Spreading a large Princeton banner on the floor of his bathroom, Samuel Clarke Backus, Peck, 23 years old, a graduate of the university in the class of 1927, fired a bullet into his right temple and is expected to die.

He was found in his three-room apartment at 150 Waverly Place shortly before midnight by his room mate, Samuel B. Payne. The latter told police Peck, who is employed as a statistician by the Guaranty company of New York, had been suffering from a nervous breakdown.

Several notes and letters were found by the police. One letter, undated, read: "O, Clara in death, good bye and good luck, you will do better without me."

The other notes were incoherent. One of them referred to the "ever wonderful Princeton" and said he would never forget "what Princeton had done" for him.

Peck died later without regaining consciousness.

SAMMY MANDELL IS SURPRISE TO FANS. KO'S JOHN O'DONNELL.

JANESVILLE, Wis., Aug. 15.—(AP) Sammy Mandell never was much of a puncher in the days he was climbing to the world's lightweight championship, but in recent months he has demonstrated that there is steam in the lightning left and the accurate right of his. Johnny O'Donnell of St. Paul found it out here last night, when Mandell stopped him after eight rounds of fighting.

O'Donnell's trouble was that he was outclassed. For seven rounds he took an agonizing drubbing, most of that time with his left eye closed. He was sent to the floor at the close of the eighth round, the bell sounding just as the referee had called a count of two. The referee examined O'Donnell during the intermission and then announced the fight was over.

TILDEN WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO PLAY

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—(AP)—Bill Tilden definitely will not be allowed to play on the eastern team in the East vs. West tennis matches Friday and Saturday at Forest Hills. It was announced today by P. Schuyler Van Bloem, vice-president of the Eastern Lawn Tennis association and a member of the committee in charge of organizing the eastern team.

Mr. Van Bloem said his committee reached this conclusion because "it felt it would not be sportsmanlike."

Tilden, accused of violating the amateur player-writer rule, is to be "tried" by the United States Lawn Tennis association, August 24.

RISKO TO FIGHT TONIGHT IN FIRST ELIMINATION GO

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—(AP)—The great manhunt for the man who is to fill Turney's shoes as heavyweight champion of the world, gets under way tonight. In the first of the elimination bouts that are expected to produce a new champion Roberto Roberti of Italy meets Johnny Risko of Cleveland at Elbets field. The battle is scheduled to go 10 rounds, starting at 10 o'clock.

Although Tex Rickard is supposed to stage the elimination series for the title, his metropolitan rival, Humberto J. Encary, has stolen a march on the master of Madison Square Garden by taking the first battle away from him.

TILDEN BEATEN BY OWN PUPIL

RYE, N. Y., Aug. 15.—(AP)—Bill Tilden was beaten in straight sets today by Fritz Moray, a young Pennsylvania tennis player, Seagov were 6-4, 6-2.

Frank Hunter, Bill Tilden's veteran Davis cup partner, whose playing has been on a downward trend since he raised himself to second place in the national ranking last year, today suffered his first defeat of the season in American tournament competition. He lost to the brilliant Berkeley ball, 19-year-old University of Texas player, 6-4, 7-5.

Tilden took the court with the remark, "It's too hot to play tennis out here," and was trimmed in short order by the youthful star from whom Big Bill on several occasions has predicted great things in a tennis way.

JOE SIMONICH AND DIXON FIGHT DRAW

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 15.—(AP) George Dixon, Portland's promising negro contender for the middleweight title, and Joe Simonich, rugged batter from Butte, Mont., went 10 rounds to draw here last night. Dixon was slow in getting his heavy artillery working and allowed Simonich to pile up a lead in the early rounds. Dixon's best round was the eighth, when he had Simonich staggering from hard fights to the edge. In the six-round semi-final, Ray McQuillan, Oakland, and Joe Eloff, Seattle, drew. Eddie Graham, Salem, took a six-round decision over Bobby Clark, Portland. Frankie Burnell won from Cal Olson, four rounds, and Billy Church stopped Fred Coyle in three rounds in the curtain-raiser.

NO MORE BASEBALL TILL PICKING ENDS

A moratorium has been called for local baseball games, until after the peak of the fruit season has been passed. Many of the players are away with the peaches and some Sunday work will be required, so Manager A. Court Hall decided to suspend all further games, until early in September. The attendance at the games has fallen off, owing to many fans being busy, or on their vacations.

It is hoped that by the time baseball is resumed, the Bond team, claimants of the state high league championship, will be in a mood to accept a reasonable financial guarantee.

The final games of the season will be with fast upstate teams, if they can be secured.

Redding Ships Car Melons

REDDING, Cal.—(AP)—A carload of Persian melons was shipped from Anderson, 19 miles south of here, to New York. It was the first time a carload of melons ever was shipped from Shasta county.

MEDFORDITES MAKE STRONG PLEA FOR R. R.

W. H. Gore, Ted Baker, J. F. Reddy and George Dunn Give I. C. C. Strong Array of Figures Justifying Building of Cross-State Railroad.

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 15.—(AP)—That there is enough traffic available from southern Oregon alone to justify the building of the proposed cross-state line, was declared by W. H. Gore, Medford banker and farmer, at the interstate commerce commission hearing late yesterday.

Besides the fruit industry, he declared, that minerals would furnish a great part of the tonnage. There were more than two billion tons of copper ore blocked out in the Blue Ledge district alone, he said. He predicted the year output would be doubled in five years.

E. T. Baker, secretary of the Medford chamber of commerce, said one of the greatest handicaps of the fruit industry of the Rogue River valley was length of haul necessary to reach the eastern markets. Ninety per cent of the pear crop of 1927 went east, and the average haul was 2292 miles. He estimated the 1928 crop would exceed last year's by 400 carloads, and the combined tonnage of pears and apples would reach 4100 carloads, the Rogue River fruit industry represents an investment of ten million dollars with an annual payroll of three quarters of a million dollars, he said.

J. F. Reddy, of Grants Pass said southern Oregon was loaded up and needed branch lines. Bon C. Day, Southern Pacific attorney, cross-examined Dr. Reddy, asked whether the Southern Pacific had not spent millions in building branch lines in Oregon, and the witness replied that this had been done only when the company had been forced to do so because other parties had started a project first. He cited the Marshfield branch, which, he said, was started by a group of English capitalists, who finally were "bought out" by the Southern Pacific. He cited the line to Tillamook as another example.

George Dunn, state senator of Ashland, and Glen Ireland, of Crescent City, Cal., also testified.

COL. HOUSE HOPES SMITH WILL WIN, BUT ISN'T SURE

AVENHAM, Mass., Aug. 15.—(AP) Colonel Edward M. House, adviser to President Wilson, starting the year ago, hopes Governor Smith will win, but declines to hazard a guess as to how the election will go.

Colonel House arrived here yesterday to spend a few weeks at the home of his daughter after a trip abroad.

"Governor Smith knows more about government than any man in America," he said. "He is not a lawyer and yet he can debate governmental policies with men like Root and Hughes or anybody, and certainly holds his own."

"He is a man of great ability, so indeed, is Hoover, whose strong points are his executive ability and efficiency in organization. It is utterly impossible to tell how the election is going."

Mr. House expressed the belief that the south would support the democratic nominee, Texas, he predicted, would go for Smith although he was of the opinion that the republicans might increase their vote of four years ago.

They Are Everywhere

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—(AP)—"You don't mean to say there are crickets in North Carolina?" Federal Judge Meekins explained when the tar heel state was named as the scene of operations of a defendant before him charged with mail order fraud. The judge is a native of the state.

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