

In the World of Sports

CUE CRISIS FOR TINY JAPANESE FACED TONIGHT

'Mighty Atom' of Balkline Billiards Meets Cochran in 12th Match of Tourney—Schaefer Is Third of Survivors.

By Herbert W. Barker. (Associated Press Sports Writer) NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—(AP)—Kinsey Matsuyama, the "mighty atom" of billiards, reaches a crisis in his gallant bid for the world's 18.2 ball line crown tonight. He faces Welker Cochran, of Hollywood, a former champion, in the 12th match of the round-robin tournament at the level club.

These two, with young Jake Schaefer, alone are in the running for the title now held by Edward Moseman of Beselima. Foreman, Eric Hagelacher, of Germany, and Felix Grange of France, all have fallen by the wayside.

If Matsuyama can down Cochran and follow through with another victory over Schaefer the title will be his without dispute. If he loses one of the other of his two remaining matches he still is assured of a tie no matter what Schaefer and Cochran accomplish. If the little Japanese loses both of his matches he will automatically be eliminated.

Four matches still are to be played in the tournament which is to close on Wednesday night, but only three of them have any bearing on the title hunt. In addition to Matsuyama's contests with Cochran and Schaefer the latter must also meet in a duel of their own. Thus two victories by any one of the three leaders will carry with them the championship.

But the fact remains that the Japanese who failed to win a single match in the 1927 tournament in Washington, holds the whip hand. He can afford to lose one match. Cochran and Schaefer, with two victories in three starts, will be eliminated if they lose again.

Only the Cochran-Matsuyama match is to be played today and on the result hinges the schedule for the remainder of the tournament.

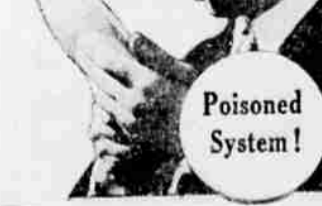
BENNY BASS CONTINUES FIGHT REGAIN TITLE

CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—(AP)—Benny Bass of Philadelphia carries on his campaign to regain his featherweight title tonight when he battles with Eddie O'Brien of Columbus, Ohio, in the outstanding ten round bout of the week here.

King Tut, sensational Minneapolis lightweight, meets Al Winkler, sturdy Philadelphia, in the other ten round feature of the double windup.

New Ski Record. GREENFIELD, Mass., Feb. 11.—(AP)—A new record for a long standing ski jump was established here when Strand Mikkelson of the Greenfield Outing club leaped 152 feet. Lars Hauken held the former record of 138 feet.

A rummage sale sponsored by P. E. O. will be held at 25 West Main street, Friday and Saturday.

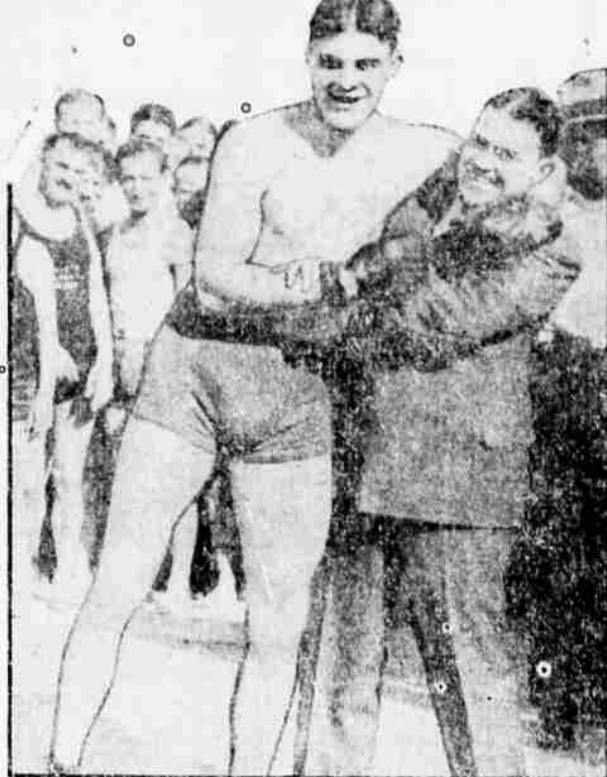


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STRIBLING TRAINS FOR SHARKEY SIX FOOT CENTER TO PLAY AS FAR AS LOCALS CARE



Young Stribling, Georgia Shockey, starts training with Pa Stribling, his manager.

As far as the players and coach of the Medford high school basketball team are concerned, it does not matter to them whether 254 Lewis, elongated center of the Washington high quintet, is used in the state tournament or not. Lewis is taller than Eddie Drummer, and about a third as wide, and has educated elbows, which he is unable to control. His height gives an advantage in the tip-off and there his usefulness begins to wane. He played in the state tourney last year and in the game with Medford had difficulty in retaining wind in his lungs.

A special ruling of the Portland association prohibits Lewis from playing in their league, but he has been held eligible in the state tourney. The Washington school leads in the Portland league, and Medford in its district, so if both go to Salem they will clash—probably in the first game of the tourney, local fans are betting.

Lewis will face Red McDonald at center this year, and a level pace will be set for him than he has been used to going. If he gets within two feet of a basket he can drop the ball through the net, but this year, with changes in the rules, he will have to watch out who he runs into. The man with the ball is required to be careful that he does not collide with a guard. It was the other way around last year.

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Lewis now is ineligible as a member of the Colonial team, but only through a ruling of the Portland Inter-school league which differs in one respect from the state organization. In Portland an athlete is required to be a student at least one term prior to participation. In the state organization this is not a requisite, although the athlete must be in good scholastic standing during the term he participates.

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SMITH CAPTURES PENSACOLA OPEN IN 10 UNDER PAR

PENSACOLA, Fla., Feb. 11.—(AP)—Horton Smith, 21-year-old Joplin, Mo., specialist, today was in at least temporary command of the golfing army touring the south by virtue of his victory yesterday in the greater Pensacola open tournament.

Smith clocked off a 72, 19 strokes under par for the 27 holes and five strokes better than the score of "Wild Bill" Mehlhorn, next in line. In third place came Gene Sarason, New York, with 232 and Henry Cotton, British, was fourth with 235. Bobby Cruikshank, Al Espinosa and Tommy Armour were in the next section with 284.

Only three others scored in the 284 class. They are: Densmore Shute, Columbus, Ohio, 285; Ed Dudley, 287; William Burke, New York, 288.

Many of the lesser lights entered in the meet which ended yesterday prepared to journey to Valparaiso in many sea planes today for an exhibition game. Smith, Mehlhorn, Sarason and Cotton do not plan to go. After the exhibition the golfers will fly back to Pensacola.

At Espinosa, Chicago, and Bobby Cruikshank, Purchase, New York, expected to leave today for New York, where they will sail for England to enter the British open.

ALASKA GIRL HAS NEW SKY RECORD FOR LADY PILOT

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 11.—(AP)—Miss Mabel Crosson, 25-year-old pilot of mail and supply planes in Alaska, was believed today to be the holder of a new woman's flight record. Yesterday afternoon the young aviator, who hails from San Diego, drove her plane into the heavens beyond the 29,000-foot recording limit of her altimeter. Inspection of her barograph is expected to prove her belief that she had surpassed the present record of 29,272 feet, made by Mrs. Louise McPhetridge Thaden of Oakland, Cal. The sealed instrument was on its way to Washington, D. C., today for official inspection.

Once Miss Crosson's motor failed, the pressure dropped off, and she dove to a lower altitude. Twice more she attempted to climb to the absolute "ceiling" of her traveling plane, but she said on coming down that she believed her first climb was the highest. The temperature at that altitude was 15 degrees below zero, she reported.

"I'll try again if officials find I failed," Miss Crosson declared as she was congratulated by her waiting parents.

Jokes Over Justice. WICHITA, Kan.—(AP)—Wanted: A dozen men for jobs as justices of the peace. The 12 who were named have resigned, saying their names were written on the ballots by jokesters.

Back to Hastings. ST. PAUL, Minn.—(AP)—A veteran of the Civil war, John B. Homers, who once retired from politics in 1892, is a member of the Minnesota legislature this year.

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EIGHT CYLINDER AGE ENGINE PRODUCTION SAYS COL. HOWARD

Col. Howard Marmon, vice-president in charge of engineers for the Marmon Motor Car Company, says: "The American public has become motor wise, and 1929 will find the automobile buyer paying particular attention to the matter of cylinders and other points pertaining to design and performance."

"So great have been the strides made in the last two years by manufacturers of straight-eight's that many already are terming this the 'eight-cylinder age' of engine production.

"Previously, the barrier of price stood between the average motorist and the straight-eight car, but modern manufacturing and engineering practices have now definitely removed this obstacle and the eight is available to buyers in practically every price class.

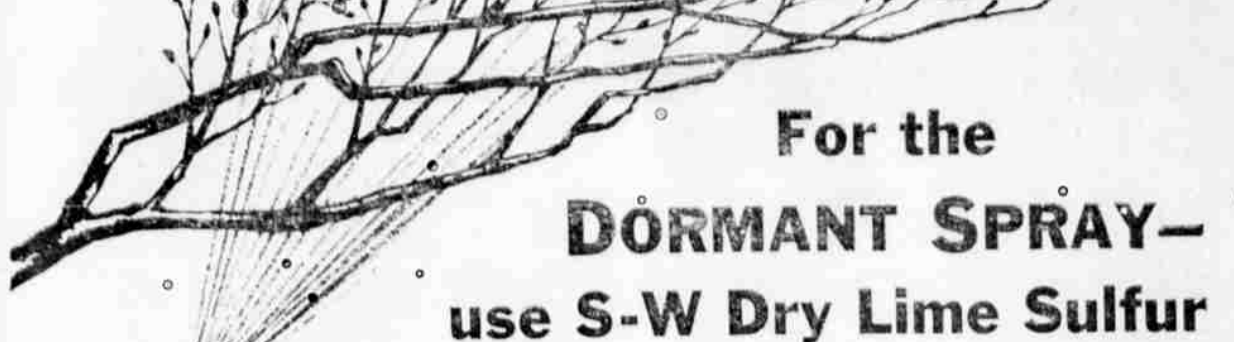
"From an engineering and performance standpoint, many advantages are obtained from eight-cylinder engines.

"In the first place, the better connecting parts, such as pistons, connecting rods and wrist pins, in the straight-eight allows higher engine speeds without undue disturbance in the form of vibration. The engines are another in operation because of the greater continuity of power which comes as a result of the more rapid occurrence of the smaller explosions.

"Many light explosions, as in the eight, are less destructive to bearings and mechanical parts than would be the case with heavy explosions occurring less frequently. Smaller valves are necessary with the eight-cylinder engine and correspondingly lighter springs are used. The use of small cylinder bores is a distinct advantage.

"The pistons in the engine containing the greater number of cylinders, being of smaller diameter, are naturally much lighter and the dissipation of heat resulting from explosions is more easily accomplished. The distance of heat travel from the center of the piston to its outside is shorter and consequently the pistons heat need not be so thick or contain so much metal.

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CHICAGO GANGMEN TAKE 2 FOR RIDE, ONE IS MURDERED

CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—(AP)—Pedro Locasto was "taken for a ride" last night, shot seven times and thrown into the ditch skirting a lonely road. Picked up, still living, by a passing motorist, Locasto was taken to a hospital where he set a precedent among "ride" victims by "telling."

With bullets in his shoulder, neck and jaw and another dangerously near his heart, Locasto, who is 36 years old, named his ride companions and between lapses into "unconsciousness" described what happened in the automobile.

CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—(AP)—James Conway, a man two weeks ago identified as the driver of a "ride" car, threatened with death if he was "not more careful in your identifications," and then released.

Conway, an oil dealer, with several other victims of recent robberies, had gone to the Bridgewell hospital last January to look at Albert Strook, who lay seriously wounded from bullets fired in a cigar store gunfight. He named Strook as the man who shot and killed Jimmy Webb, a semi-pro baseball player, last August.

The kidnaping of Conway was witnessed by his wife and the taxi-cab driver who had just driven them home.

PLAN RECORDING RADIO FOR STATION HOOKUP

CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—(AP)—A plan for the recording of complete radio programs for simultaneous playback over a number of stations had been announced by E. C. Rayner, editor of the Radio Direct.

A system similar to that employed in the "talking pictures" is employed, and Rayner said the new method would reproduce vocal and pre-recorded music electrically with more sharpness and precision than is obtained by the broadcasting program as carried great distances over telephone wires into the several stations.

ROCKEFELLER AIDS OREGON ESTABLISH UNIVERSITY CLINIC

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 11.—(Special)—An appropriation of \$400,000 to the University of Oregon medical school for the establishment at Portland of the University clinic has been approved by the executive committee of the Rockefeller Foundation of New York City, Dr. Richard H. Dillehunt, dean of the school, has announced.

People's institute in affiliation with the medical school and in cooperation with the city of Portland, county of Multnomah, Visiting Nurses association, state board of health and Oregon Tuberculosis association, will be organized by the clinic.

The object of the clinic is to provide modern, humane and scientific surgical care to sick and disabled people of the city, county and state, not financially able to afford such treatment. More than 14,000 people were rendered service in 1928, and daily attendance was 110.

In addition to regular clinics in eye, ear, nose and throat diseases, surgery, obstetrics, there are special divisions for tuberculosis, child health examination, venereal diseases, and other phases of public health. At present, quarters are inadequate and ill-adapted, and the new building will afford separate waiting rooms for men, women and children, augmented laboratory service, well appointed examining room, improved facilities generally.

The medical professional service of the clinic is provided by the faculty of the medical school without public cost, and the staff is composed of more than 100 Portland physicians, none of whom receives salary or fee," said Dean Dillehunt. Second only to the value of the clinic to patients in its value as a training station for the future doctors of the state. Moreover, the clinic adds further important elements to the education of the university in teaching subjects allied to medicine.

Dr. W. W. Hierarchy, secretary of the general education board of the foundation, sent word of the action to the committee, granting an appropriation which constitutes by far the largest gift to the state of Oregon through the medical school of the university, and is in fact the largest gift the state has ever received from any source.

The grant was made on the basis of a study of the medical school and affiliated institutions, including the Multnomah county hospital, Doernbecher hospital for children, and the Portland free dispensary, by Dr. Robert A. Lambert, secretary of the foundation. This study was made in response to a request for the appropriation, made by Dr. Arnold Bennett Hill, president of the university, and the board of regents, upon the recommendation of Dr. Dillehunt.

Bringing total gifts to the medical school in the last 15 years to \$1,250,000, this appropriation is the third to come from the general education board, a division of the Rockefeller foundation. In 1920 the board granted \$143,000 for building and equipment, and in 1927 it gave \$128,000 for equipment and maintenance, or \$1,000,000, a total of \$467,000. Dr. Dillehunt pointed out that in the past 15 years the medical school has matched, in gifts, every cent which has been expended on it by the taxpayers.

It is planned to build the University clinic on the medical school campus in Sam Jackson park, Portland, in close proximity to the medical school, the Doernbecher hospital, and the county hospital. The building will cost \$200,000, and the equipment \$100,000.

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monior him as the man who attacked her.

Taken into custody early yesterday Merritt was shown to a score of more or women victims of a to Merritt's arrest. Merritt, an ad-nigrer prowler who had preyed on mild ownership of the clothing, women in a prominent residential but said it had been torn in an district. One woman fainted after automobile accident.



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