

Sports

PIRATE MARGIN IS CUT THIN BY TUESDAY TILTS

Brooklyn Takes Bugs While Cubs Edge Nearer—Athletics Drop to Ten Game Lead—Foxy Lifts Long Homer Over Stand.

By Herbert W. Barker, Associated Press Sports Writer. The clash of East and West has shaved a half game off the Philadelphia Athletics' lead in the American league and left the Pittsburgh Pirates' margin in the National at a single percentage point.

Splitting even in a twin bill with the Cleveland Indians, the A's were forced to allow the Yankees, who beat Detroit, to crawl up a half game closer. However, there was no cause for alarm in the camp of Cornelius McGillicuddy, for the A's lead was 10 games today, an apparently safe margin.

Pittsburgh's position in the National league was more serious. The Pirates were trounced by Brooklyn and the battling Chicago Cubs advanced to within half a game of the top by beating the New York Giants.

Rube Walberg pitched the Athletics to victory over the Indians in the first game, 4 to 1, keeping eight alien hits well scattered. Home-runs by Al Simmons and Mickey Cochrane helped Walberg no little. The Indians, however, evened the count by scoring six runs in the ninth inning of the second game off old Jack Quinn and Yerkes, winning, 9 to 3.

Urban Faber and McKain allowed only four hits and Chicago beat Washington, 3 to 2. The St. Louis Browns pounded four Boston pitchers for 12 hits and won from the Red Sox, 11 to 4.

Billy Biele's homer with the bases filled in the seventh was the blow that enabled the Dodgers to beat the Pirates, 10 to 7. Five Pirate pitchers could not stop the Dodgers' batsmen and a costly defeat was the result.

At Chicago, Charlie Root and Karl Hubbell hooked up in a pitchers' duel that found the Cubs on the long end of a 2 to 0 count at the end. Each pitcher allowed only four hits, but Root was steeper in the pinches.

OUT & KEELER'S GOLF BAG

By O. B. Keeler. Walter Hagen, greatest of professional golfers, now is by way of becoming an enigma. George Duncan also calls him a "crack golfer," but in a thoroughly respectful and even reverent manner.

For years the critics have regarded Sir Walter as without a peer at match play, while suggesting some more or less important discrepancies in his performance in medal competition. And now at the ripe age of 37, Sir Walter, with a startling suddenness, leaps into another niche in the Hall of Fame, and the tallest he has yet occupied—at medal play.

That last day's play at Muirfield, in a half-scale off the North Sea that drew the rest of the leading competitors fairly off the course and out of the running, undoubtedly constitute the climactic performance of Sir Walter's tremendous career.

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TILDEN WILL BEAR BRUNT OF BURDEN

PARIS, July 24.—(AP)—Upon Big Bill Tilden's shoulders appears to rest most of the burden in the United States' second attempt to lift the Davis cup from France.

A glance over the probable line-ups in the challenge round which opens in Roland Garros stadium on Friday, indicates that unless Tilden can win both his singles matches the United States' hopes of retrieving the cup lost to the French in 1927 will not be realized.

The surprising move that puts George Lott on the team for the challenge round in place of Frank Hunter, has weakened the American position, in the opinion of some experts. Undoubtedly the French will play Henri Cochet and Jean Borotra in the singles and Hunter has been a rather consistent jinx to Borotra.

RUTH RETURNS TO OLD PLACE RIGHT FIELD

NEW YORK, July 24.—(AP)—Babe Ruth returned to his place in the New York American lineup today in the game against Detroit.

The bumbone was carried from the field in Detroit July 17. He came back against Cleveland two days later but lasted only an inning and was forced again to retire. For a time it was feared the leg injury would keep the Yankee slugger from the game for several weeks at least.

Ruth took his regular place in right field.

TURNER TO GET CUP FOR KLAMATH SWIM

Gordon Turner, 19-year-old student of the local high school, will receive a silver cup for establishing a new endurance swimming record when he remained in the water, swimming constantly, for 24 hours and 20 minutes, at the Klamath Falls natatorium last Wednesday and Thursday during the Elks convention.

LaVerne Gravelle, 13, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Gravelle of Phoenix, broke previous endurance records for children by remaining in the water 13 hours. Miss Gravelle is the youngest endurance swimmer in the world.

TWO BOYS HELD FOR LUMBER OFFICE RAID

Alvin Young, 21, and James Baker, 18, said to have been released from Monroe reform school last Sunday, are in the local county jail today, charged with having robbed the office of the Rogue River Lumber company of a pump shotgun, a rifle and numerous accessories last night. Arrested by Sergeant C. P. Talent, as they had pulled up to a service station 45 minutes after the robbery is said to have taken place, the boys will appear before Circuit Judge Harry D. Norton either this evening or tomorrow.

According to local officers, the boys engaged in a gun duel two years ago in Salem with former Traffic Officer Pete Reinhart, now famous aviator, having been apprehended in a stolen car.

ENDURANCE TEST CONTINUES (Continued from Page One.) "Angeleno" record of 246 hours, 43 minutes and 32 seconds was equaled when oil sprayed over the cabin windows. However, in later notes no mention was made of this trouble.

The celebration continued last night with a half-hour fireworks display at Lambert-St. Louis field. Jackson and O'Brien took part in the affair with flares.

In notes dropped yesterday Jackson told of a near collision Monday night when a plane bearing photographers seeking pictures of the refueling got in the way and Jackson missed them by 15 feet. He told also of the plane's pilot giving them the "wash" of the propeller. Another note told of the long and lonely night vigil.

Jackson received orders from Mrs. Jackson yesterday to learn to play a ukulele while on the flight, saying she wouldn't allow him to come down until he has mastered the instrument, "and that will keep you up there quite a while."

NO EXCESSIVE IRRIGATION IS SEEN BY WORK

Drainage Experts Confer With County Court On Impending Survey—Intend to Make General Outline This Season.

R. A. Wark, federal engineer assigned to make a drainage survey of the Rogue River valley, in Jackson county, and Prof. H. M. Lewis of the Oregon State college, irrigation expert, conferred with the county court this morning upon the work.

The county court gave assurance that they would pay all expenses up to \$1000, and that the county water master and the county engineer stood ready to render whatever assistance needed.

Prof. Lewis stated it was the intention this season to make a general survey, preparatory to a more intensive survey in the future, if needed.

He said the principal work now would be to determine if the wet areas had increased since the introduction of irrigation in these parts, if the natural drainage flow of the valley had been altered, and to sink wells where no domestic wells were available, for observations. He said it was the intention to use domestic wells wherever possible, if no windmills were attached.

Prof. Lewis said that it was his first impression that there was no extravagant use of irrigation water in this section, and that the objective was to remedy defects wherever they existed, before they became acute. He said all irrigation districts had their drainage problems.

Prof. Lewis said that a search was being made for a topographic map of the valley, made years ago, since Master Canning said he thought he could locate it, as it was his handiwork.

The drainage study will cover a wide range, chiefly in the orchard districts, but will also contain data showing what effect the present drainage has on towns and cities.

County Judge Sparrow informed Prof. Lewis that several local folks argued "that water has quit running down hill, and I wish you would convince them it has not changed its habits."

A. S. V. Carpenter, chairman of the committee on agriculture and commerce appeared with the engineers and said that the Medford Irrigation district would contribute \$250 towards the expense, and that the Talent Irrigation district would be broached for a donation.

H. M. McLaughlin, divisional reclamation engineer scheduled to be here to assist in the laying out of the survey, telegraphed that he would be unable to come, Mr. Carpenter said.

Pay State Interest. SALEM, Ore., July 24.—(AP)—The state treasurer's office today forwarded to the state's fiscal agency in New York \$100,000 for payment, August 1, on state high way bonds; \$100,000 on principal and \$100,000 interest.

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Coast League Yesterday

Table with columns for Club, R, H, E. Includes Missions, Portland, Hollywood, Seattle, Oakland, San Francisco.

Fights Last Night

By the Associated Press. PUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y.—Ray Miller, Chicago, outpointed Joe Alvarez, New York, (10); Patey McGrath, New York, outpointed Harry Sankey Chicago (8).

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HARVARD POLOIST DIES OF INJURIES

NORWOOD, Mass., July 24.—(AP)—James P. Mandell, Harvard polo player, died last night from injuries suffered in collision with Gov. O. Clark, 24, another Harvard player. Clark swam in a serious condition today.

Mandell was the son of George S. Mandell of Hamilton, publisher of the Boston Evening Transcript. Clark is a brother of Percival Clark, Harvard polo crew captain and football star.

CLEVELAND, July 24.—(AP)—After remaining unconscious for several hours, James A. Wigmore, noted polo player, was recovering today from a concussion of the brain received at the Chagrin valley club yesterday afternoon during a practice polo match.

He was injured when he fell from his horse, which collided with that of Edwin G. Higbee.

ANDERSON AND COLIMA DRAW IN PORTLAND GO

PORTLAND, Ore., July 24.—(AP)—Joe Anderson of Covington, Ky., and Eert Colima of Los Angeles, middleweights, boxed 10 fast and furious rounds to a draw here last night. Each round saw plenty of action. Anderson was the aggressor in the early rounds with Colima coming back strong in the latter portion of the fight.

Jack Kenworth of Salem and Joe Seiffert of Seattle went six rounds to a draw in the semi-final.

Roy Cress made short work of Johnny Snell in their six-round affair with a right to the chin in the fourth. Ted Rogoway took a four-round decision from Jimmy Petrie in a shock-absorbing contest.

Mickey Dolan knocked out Stanley Stewart in the second round of the curtain raiser.

M'CLELLAND REFEREE DUNDEE-FIELDS BOUT

DETROIT, Mich., July 24.—(AP)—Although the formal announcement will not be made until tomorrow afternoon, a few hours before the fight, Elmer (Slim) McClelland, of Detroit, will be named as referee of the 15-round welter-weight championship bout between Joe Dundee and Jackie Fields.

Dundee and his challenger were resting today.

There was no doubt in the minds of trainers of the rival boxes that their charges would succeed in making the official weight tomorrow afternoon. Dundee scaled 145 pounds after his last hard workout and his manager, Max Waxman, predicted he would tip the scale at between 144 and 145 pounds.

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LOS ANGELES, July 24.—(AP)—Defense of his heavyweight wrestling title will take "Dynamite" Gus Sonnenberg and his flying tackle hold, into the ring here tonight for a best two of three falls finish match with Joe Maloewicz, Utica, N. Y., body slam expert.

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