

# SPEED-BALLER BLANKS GIANTS ON HOME FIELD

### Perce Malone in Duel With Benton, Wins 1 to 0— Babe Strains Leg in Game at Chicago—Red Sox Hurler Sets Mark.

By William J. Chipman  
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Shadows of another baseball era were recalled by the Polo grounds yesterday by the fitness of two of the younger set with a lively ball, sniping at batters from a distance of sixty feet and six inches. It will be many an afternoon before major league fans see a better pitched game than the one Perce Lay Malone and the Cubs won from Larry Benton and the Giants by a margin of 1 to 0.

The Chicago speed-baller held command of his game at all times and after he finally received the support of one run in the seventh, he actually seemed to have an impregnable lead.

In games of interest chiefly to the cities concerned, Brooklyn entertained Flatbush with a 3 to 2 victory over the fallen Cardinals and the Braves just outlasted the Reds to win by 1 to 0 at Boston. Watson Clark outpitched Jess Haines in the Flatbush game, and Johnny Frederick batted home the winning margin with a homer and two doubles.

Harry Seibold got credit for the victory at Boston where almost all of Jack Hendrick's pitching staff was involved on the losing end. Hank Gowdy, star of the Braves' 1914 world series triumph but inactive for five major league seasons, forsook the bench for a day to pound Cincinnati pitchers for four hits.

The Athletics will have to do with a thirteen-game lead over the Yankees for at least another day. Two home runs and a double by Jimmy Foxx failed to save Major Grove in a pitched battle against Sammy Gray at St. Louis yesterday and the Browns won by 4 to 3.

The situation in the standing of the clubs permitted the same to the Yankees remained Ted Lyons to pitch and beat the White Sox to a 3 to 2 decision.

Foxx's two drives, each made with bases empty, were his twenty-ninth and thirtieth of the season and placed him second to Ruth in the American league scramble.

Herb Pennock was the victim of Ted Lyons' pinch which broke up the game at Chicago in the ninth, but turned in a good game—good enough to win by an Irish mile with the usual Yankee hitting support. Babe Ruth was forced to depart from the game with a strained leg, but expected to return to the lineup today.

Ed Morris topped in the eighth successive complete game for Red Sox pitching staff by hurling the Boston to a 5 to 4 victory over Owen Carroll in eleven innings at Detroit yesterday. This constitutes a season's record for the major leagues.

Cleveland fell upon Garland Haxton with great force in the fourth, and the sixth inning to trim a Senators by 3 to 1 in the series opener in the Ohio city. Wilds Haulton turned in his usual brick game.

# OUT & KEELER'S GOLF BAG

By O. B. Keeler.

The path of glory—the trail of the national amateur golf championship—certainly has been stretched in these last 19 years. Looking a single yard, the Pebble Beach course at Del Monte, Cal., where the competition will be played September 2-7, is 200 yards longer than the course at the Engineers' Country Club of Boston, Long Island, in 1910 when Chick Evans last won the title.

Westward the course of empire takes its way; and longer and longer stretches the trail of championship—though the longest course yet played in this fixture was at the Oakland Country Club of Pittsburg when the giant course expanded to the limit, and with 1931 Man Par out to the home, displayed a range of 6872 yards with a cut of 47-25-72.

This is the tournament scale for Pebble Beach, for the competition of 1929:

| 904 | In  | Out |     |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 1   | 285 | 19  | 195 |
| 2   | 189 | 11  | 188 |
| 3   | 255 | 12  | 185 |
| 4   | 225 | 13  | 182 |
| 5   | 160 | 14  | 155 |
| 6   | 592 | 15  | 406 |

# SPORT SLANTS

Somewhat less than two years ago, the three dominating figures in the heavyweight sphere of action were two men who met the big man with their fists, Jack Dempsey and Gene Tunney; one who profited through his skill as the big promoter and ballyhoo man, Tex Rickard.

Tunney has retired permanently, Dempsey is in temporary but probably also definite retirement, and Rickard is dead. Without a champion, with out the old Man Mauler and without the master mind of the old Klondike gambler, the heavyweight division is in the same predicament as the small town reporter, assigned to cover the big five and wired back: "All is chaos; can learn nothing."

All is chaos in the heavyweight class. Even "Big Bill" Cotto, Rickard's successor as titular head of Madison square Garden, has found that the boxing "racket" has become much more complicated than anything called in "Cham."

The big nine state Tunney's retirement has been to set up a new champion, but it has missed five altogether. The Madison-Tunney rivalry, untried with all due solemnity, has no champion. The so-called "collaborations" usually have either added to the confusion or resulted in the elimination of both fighters involved.

Jack Slack, the big Boston welter, has founded a new "good" effort to strip the holder from anyone else. For every good fight he has put on, Slacky has found in at least one other lad one Max Schmeling, the German puncher, seemed a potential "big six" until he met himself in a "Three of course" and he was out. Max is so tangled in his own legal mazes to maintain his title legal rights, he cannot get into his ring.

Other slants revealing an untried claim to the heavyweight's crown by the hold device of Tunney, Longhorn, the famous Philadelphia job and horse man, Tommy Speck, little and tiny, real dynamite in either Doc Ivancovich, but in fact had an even-money prop-

# HARVARD'S DEFEAT IS MICHIGAN AIM

ANN ARBOR, Mich.—(AP)—Fifteen years is a long time to wait, especially so when it's a little matter of avenging a football defeat.

But Michigan fans have been waiting patiently ever that span of seasons for a Malise and Blue Gridiron team to get another crack at a Johnny Harvard eleven. It'll come to pass this fall when the cheer chesty Crimson invades plebeian old Ann Arbor to do battle with Harry Kipke's Wolverines. The date is November 9.

Back in the fall of 1914 Michigan clashed with a strong Harvard outfit at Cambridge. The Crimson boasted such twinkle as Eddie Mahan, "Tack", Hardwick, Pichock, Bradlee and others.

Michigan had Maulbetech, Hurlbert, Raymond and Spahn as its outstanding stars.

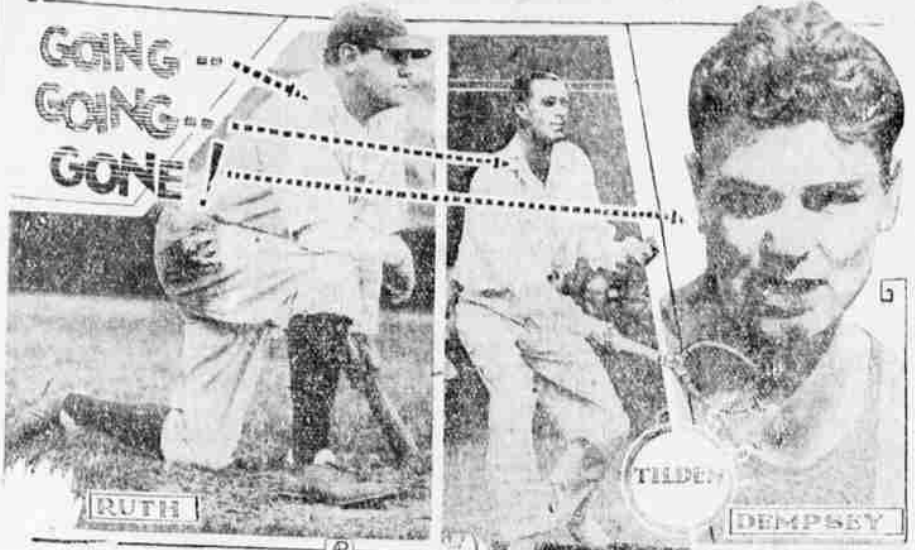
The Wolverines weren't considered much of a chance, but rather startled the astute, by holding Harvard to a 7 to 0 victory. The star of the fracas was not Mahan, Bradlee or Hardwick. On the contrary, it was stonky Johnny Maulbetech, Michigan's sophomore halfback. Twice Michigan marched almost the length of the field with Mauly carrying the leather on three out of every four downs.

The Wolverines might have had a few yards more when they had a few yards from the Harvard goal. At any rate, Maulbetech's work that date, after the manner of a place on the All-American.

Harvard fans have flushed a comeback at Newark, N. J.

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# Great Trio of Ruth, Tilden, Dempsey Fading



Ruth is going, Tilden is going, Gehrig has gone—that is the status of sport's greatest championship combination.

By JAY VESSELS  
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NEW YORK—(AP)—Ruth, Tilden and Gehrig, the greatest trio that ever performed simultaneously, soon will be known merely as heroes of the past.

Dempsey is through, Tilden may be in the closing campaign of his active career and the Babe is nearing that period when he will see more bench duty and less daily action.

When this championship trio was at its height one of the other was subdued before the public all of the time.

Think of 1921!

Here was Dempsey, then in his best kicking form, knocking Carpenter kicking in four rounds.

Ruth, after having astonished sportdom with his 54 homers in 1929, pounded out 59 for a new all-time record.

And Big Bill Tilden was sweeping everything before him in tennis. He was winning the second of six straight national singles titles and had just started his great run of 13 consecutive Davis cup challenges round singles.

That was Ruth, Tilden and Dempsey, all champions in 1921.

Today:

Dempsey, at 34, still yearns to fight again but he wouldn't have a chance to show as the old Dempsey did.

Ruth, at 25, is carrying on but with only a part of the sensational form that stamped him as the king of sluggers.

Tilden, at 26, still outranks all but a few who have effectively barred his way to the heights in international play.

There may be another trio before the sports world to equal the spectacular performances of Ruth, Tilden and Dempsey. Anyway their equal is not yet in sight.

# MICKEY MEETS LEO LOMSKI IN PHILADELPHIA

By O. B. Keeler.

It is rather interesting to trace the influence of the high-powered ball and the increased range of the expert in the expanding course chosen for the championship the last decade. Brookline, one of our finest courses, on which was played the national open championship of 1914, had an average of 7140 yards and 112 holes. It is now regarded as far too short for a modern test. It is the shortest course on which our amateur championship has been played in the last 10 years. This is the list:

|                  |      |        |
|------------------|------|--------|
| 1929—Engineers   | 6562 | Par 70 |
| 1928—Loomis      | 6488 | Par 71 |
| 1927—Brookline   | 6312 | Par 71 |
| 1926—Cossombrone | 6294 | Par 71 |
| 1925—Milton      | 6235 | Par 70 |
| 1924—Milton      | 6872 | Par 72 |
| 1923—Hullerford  | 6710 | Par 72 |
| 1922—Minkahaba   | 6668 | Par 72 |
| 1921—Brookline   | 6660 | Par 70 |
| 1920—Del Monte   | 6661 | Par 72 |

The last three seem pretty well standardized—what?

# MASHIE WIELDERS IN SILVERTON DON PAJAMAS, NIGHTIES

SILVERTON, Ore., Aug. 19.—(AP)—A field of 25 rollers attired in pajamas, in combinations of colors and designs that would have put John's famous coat out to shame, fought Mickey Walker, king of world middleweights, today in a 10-round bout with Leo Lomski, the deadly body-puncher, from Aberdeen, Wash. Mickey's crown will not go far toward determining the next light heavyweight champion. County Loughlin, matched with Jack Sharkey in the big heavyweight battle of the fall, soon is to relinquish his 175-pound championship and Walker already has let it be known he intends to claim the crown. Lomski long has been considered a leading challenger for that title.

Chicago offers an all-star card

# HOOSIER PLAYBOY TAKES ON POLICE; NOW HE'S IN JAIL

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 19.—(AP)—Chuck Wiggin, veteran local heavyweight boxer, and known to thousands of ring fans as the "Hoosier Playboy" because of his antics in the ring, died out his fists in a police station here, after a fight between a large part of the Indianapolis police force, last night, and took the seat. As a result he may not be able to go through his scheduled 10-round bout with Al Friedman, Boston heavyweight, here Tuesday night.

Wiggin was badly beaten before he was finally jailed. The trouble started when his machine struck a police car. After knocking down the officer who attempted to arrest him, Wiggin was carried in a hot bludge which was badly damaged in the ensuing fight. The emergency squad had to be called before he was subdued.

Wiggin was charged with drunkenness, operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor, resisting an officer, assault and battery, failure to stop after an accident and vagrancy.

# STANDINGS OF THE CLUBS

(By the Associated Press)

| Coast League  |    |      |      |
|---------------|----|------|------|
| W.            | L. | Pct. |      |
| San Francisco | 31 | 19   | .620 |
| Los Angeles   | 20 | 19   | .512 |
| Hollywood     | 20 | 20   | .500 |
| Mission       | 25 | 21   | .551 |
| Portland      | 25 | 22   | .522 |
| Oakland       | 24 | 22   | .500 |
| Sacramento    | 18 | 29   | .385 |
| Seattle       | 8  | 29   | .268 |

| National League |    |      |      |
|-----------------|----|------|------|
| W.              | L. | Pct. |      |
| Chicago         | 71 | 25   | .739 |
| Pittsburgh      | 65 | 45   | .594 |
| New York        | 62 | 52   | .544 |
| St. Louis       | 56 | 56   | .500 |
| Brooklyn        | 50 | 62   | .446 |
| Cincinnati      | 48 | 65   | .425 |
| Boston          | 46 | 67   | .407 |
| Philadelphia    | 43 | 68   | .389 |

| American League |    |      |      |
|-----------------|----|------|------|
| W.              | L. | Pct. |      |
| Philadelphia    | 82 | 27   | .750 |
| New York        | 82 | 44   | .694 |
| Cleveland       | 60 | 52   | .531 |
| St. Louis       | 59 | 56   | .511 |
| Detroit         | 51 | 59   | .472 |
| Washington      | 48 | 63   | .434 |
| Chicago         | 45 | 67   | .402 |
| Boston          | 35 | 74   | .320 |

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# CRACK SHOTS TO REPRESENT STATE

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 19.—(AP)—Thirteen crack shots, chosen by competition as Oregon's representatives, will leave Wednesday for Camp Perry, Ohio, to represent the state in the national tournament. The shoot is September 15.

Those making the trip are: M. M. O'Brien, George E. Harker, John McNeill, and Earl Peterson, from Portland; James Wolford and Ben Shields, from Astoria; Bert Huston and M. L. Sawyer, from Bend; Steve Pearson and Hugh Pearson, from Medford; E. W. Ellis, from Madras; Harry Evans, Melville and Chester E. McCarthy, from Hood River.

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