

# Singer Favored by Fans to Defeat Champion Mandell Tonight

## RINGSTERS SAY LOAD OF YEARS HANDICAPS SAM

### Two to One Odds Favor Challenger — Gate Expected to Total \$200,000 — No Foul Will Apply.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Fears that Sammy Mandell, lightweight champion, would not be able to make the class limit of 135 pounds for his title bout with Al Singer at the Yankee stadium tonight, subsided today when he weighed in at 134 1/2 pounds. Singer tipped the scales at 133 1/2.

By Edward J. Neil, Associated Press Sports Writer. NEW YORK, July 16.—The purses of the fight faithful boomed today and piled up a pot of gold for Sammy Mandell and Young Al Singer to fight for tonight in the ring at the Yankee stadium.

Last minute predictions were for a \$200,000 gate. This will be Mandell's second defense of his lightweight title here in two years.

Some money appeared in the market of chance at 2 to 1 on the sleek challenger. If the same odds prevail at ring time, Singer will be the shortest priced challenger since Pancho Villa knocked out the aged Jimmy Wilde for the flyweight crown back in the days when fouls were something to be frowned upon.

No Foul Countenanced. By special ruling of the New York state boxing solons, there can be no foul tonight. Both the champion and the challenger have agreed to equip themselves with such protective devices as they consider will render them immune to low blows. If either winds up on the floor he will have to look for sympathy in the voice of the referee, tolling off the count of ten.

The shift in the tide toward Singer appears unjustified by past records of the gladiators, although it is generally admitted that Mandell, after 11 years of warfare, has begun to show signs of wear.

He reached his peak in whipping husky Jimmy McLarnin in the Polo grounds two years ago, but since then the clothing Celt twice has belabored the champion in overweight matches. Sammy had a desperate time edging out the decision over Tony Canzoneri in his last title defense in Chicago almost a year ago.

Weight Limit Hard. The increasing years have added to the difficulty Mandell all ways encountered in making the class limit of 135 pounds. Singer, a genuine lightweight, has had no trouble holding his full power at 134 pounds.

The chances are Sammy will retire tonight if Singer, chasing him into the shadows, a careful cham-

## LOS ANGELES WINS FIRST HALF OF LEAGUE RACE



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length trout which had been put in since last season, besides thousands left over from last year. "More than 300 other streams which are not under state lease but are open to public fishing had also been stocked by the state board of fisheries and game. Officials report that, in addition to these streams the state has acquired rights over more than 75 miles of tributary brooks which have been closed to fishing and are being used as breeding waters."

## Baseball Standings

Coast			
	W.	L.	Pct.
San Francisco	2	0	1.000
Mission	2	0	1.000
Oakland	2	0	1.000
Portland	1	1	.500
Hollywood	1	1	.500
Sacramento	0	2	.000
Seattle	0	2	.000
Los Angeles	0	2	.000
National			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	49	31	.613
Chicago	48	36	.571
New York	43	38	.527
St. Louis	41	38	.519
Cincinnati	38	42	.481
Pittsburgh	38	44	.463
Cleveland	36	44	.450
Philadelphia	28	49	.364
American			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	59	29	.670
Washington	55	30	.647
New York	50	35	.588
Cleveland	43	43	.500
Detroit	41	48	.461
Chicago	32	51	.386
St. Louis	32	54	.372
Boston	31	53	.369

## With Rod and Gun In Rogue Valley

By Ernest Rostel and Dick Green



The planting of Eastern Brook trout in southern streams has never proven a success, despite the contentions of some that the fish linger where they are planted. Like the Rainbow and Cutthroat trout, they find their way to the sea and only the stragglers succumb to anglers' lures. The Dolly Varden trout are of the same turn of mind and seldom caught. This variety has never been planted in the Rogue river, but there are said to be a few native Dolly Varden in that stream.

## ENCHANTRESS HAS BEST RACE TIME

HONOLULU, July 17.—(AP)—The Enchantress, scratch boat in the trans-Pacific yacht race from San Pedro to Honolulu, today was assured of receiving the silver replica of a viking ship offered the first to cross the line, having arrived shortly after ten o'clock last night with an official time of twelve days, seven hours and fifty-two minutes and fifty-two seconds.

## TEXAS TENNIS ACE BATTLES ITALIAN

PARIS, July 17.—(AP)—Wilmer Allison, Texas boy who beat the world's champion Henri Cochet at Wimbledon, will play Giorgio de Stefani of the Italian Davis cup team in the opening singles match of the interzone finals at Roland Garros stadium tomorrow afternoon.

## COAST FLIGHT BY TURNER IS RECORD

SAN DIEGO, Calif., July 17.—(AP)—Colonel Roscoe Turner, former army flier, having landed at Agua Caliente, Mexico, at 4:14:02.5 o'clock yesterday evening today holds the record for a non-stop flight from Vancouver, B. C.

## ROBINS DIVIDE WITH CUBS IN CRUCIAL TEST

### Luque Turns in a Victory in Second Game of Twin Bill to Offset Malone's Win in Opener.

By Hugh S. Fullerton, Jr., Associated Press Sports Writer. The National league's latest crucial battle is a standoff with perhaps a slight tinge of moral victory for the Brooklyn Robins. They got an even break as they opened a series with the Chicago Cubs with a double-header. The Robins remained in first place by a three-game margin and left the Cubs too far behind to overtake them, even by winning all the remaining games of the series.

Pat Malone pitched a five-hit game and the Cubs won it, 6 to 4, but Wilbert Robinson countered with old Adolfo Luque in the second contest and the Robins backed him up with some heavy hitting to win, 5 to 3.

The fans thought Gabby Hartnett was the cause of the damage and started tossing pop bottles. Luque and his rival, Charley Root, nearly became embroiled over a "dusting off" incident and two coaches and Manager McCarthy of the Cubs were chased by the umpires for various reasons.

Neither the Giants nor the Cards looked like serious opponents yesterday. The Giants lost an 8-1

## Flapper Hens Barred At Pheasant Hatching Farm

(By Eva Nealon) Clinics for mothers and babies have been in existence for several years along with books on diet and "How to Train Children" as well as all sorts of weighing and measuring programs instituted to make sure mothers will make no mistakes in bringing up the next generation. And now the epidemic has spread into the fowl kingdom, a visit to the southern Oregon branch of the state game farm reveals.

Sitting hens there must take the training course before they are given eggs to hover which will break away in answer to the peep of the coming generation of pheasants. Frank Arnsperger, manager of the farm, is putting them through their lessons and it takes more than a husky cluck to qualify the modern hen for motherhood.

Before the hens are intrusted with the real bird eggs at the pheasant farm, they are given China eggs to hover. If they convince the manager that they are outgrown all flapper habits and are ready and competent to settle down, they are given the pheas-

ant eggs, which will reward them for dull days of sitting and waiting on the nest by turning out many fluffy, little striped balls with sharp bills and toe nails.

During the probation period, Mr. Arnsperger lets the hens off the nest for three-quarters of an hour to feed. When it is time to return to the eggs, he places a stick on their heads and urges them to exhibit great care in re-occupying the nest, in order that no eggs will be jarred or crushed under foot.

About 900 little pheasants have been hatched by domestic hens at the farm which is located at Rogue Land this season. Members of the first hatch are now developing tails and wing feathers without fears of shotgun. There are 12 hens on eggs and approximately 20 in training. They will be given eggs as soon as they have proven their qualifications as "sitters."

The southern Oregon branch of the state game farm, where the pheasants will live until they are ready to fly away, is operated by the Jackson County Game Protective association.

each team made 15 hits. Washington divided a pair of heavy hitting games with the Cleveland Indians. The Senators triumphed in the first contest, 10 to 4. Lefty Shoffner did very well in the second game and Cleveland won by a 13 to 6 count.

Ed Wells of the New York Yankees and Walter Stewart, rival southpaw from St. Louis, put on the leading pitching duel of the day and the Yankees gained a 2 to 1 victory on a pair of home runs, one by Harry Rice and the other by Lou Gehrig.

## RED STRENGTH ON DISPLAY IN SEATTLE TILTS

### Take First Two Games of Series in Handy Fashion — Portland Gets to Yde to Beat Stars.

(By the Associated Press.) That the Missions have considerable strength as a second-half coast league season contender is evident following their first two games with Seattle. Easily winners Tuesday, the Reds crashed through, 10 to 0, yesterday, as Herman Pillette threw a five-hit game.

Portland is in the win column today, and was the only team to reverse Tuesday's decisions yesterday, by virtue of having downed Hollywood, 8 to 4. With Ortman in the box, the Ducks scored 7 in the second to ruin Emil Yde.

San Francisco appears to thrive on night ball, having a 4 to 2 win to show for its second experience at Sacramento last night. Elmer Jacobs allowed only five hits, and Keating was unsteady in the box for the Stars.

Los Angeles, first period champion, is a straight loser so far, having lost a 1 to 0 game to Oakland yesterday. Lombard's homer in the second produced the only score as Craghead and Delaney each held his opponents to five hits, and both teams went errorless.

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