

SWAT HISTORY IS REVISED BY LIVELY PELLET

Five Players Reach Homer Mark Set in Early Era By Babe Ruth Ahead of Best Year.

By Hugh S. Fullerton, Jr., Associated Press Sports Writer.

In 1919 Babe Ruth opened the era of lively baseball by hitting 29 home runs.

Five players, still led by the Babe, already have reached the mark of 29 this year with only about two-thirds of the season past. Ruth is even ahead of his greatest year, 1927, when he raised the home run record to 60 while Lou Gehrig and Hack Wilson are only a game or two behind that pace.

Gehrig was the only leader in the slugging brigade to hit a homer yesterday and he picked a highly appropriate moment to connect. The homer came in the tenth inning of the Yankees' first game against Boston and turned a 2-2 pitching battle between Herb Pennock and Milton Gaston into a rout, the Yanks winning 8 to 2.

The second game went to the Yanks by a 10 to 1 count.

The double victory gave the Yankees a bit of an edge on their leading rivals as the Philadelphia Athletics defeated Washington, 7 to 4. The Yanks now are only 2 1/2 game behind the second place Senators.

The Detroit Tigers won from the Indians, 4 to 5.

Sox Make Errors

Wally Stewart and George Blaeholder each pitched a nice game for St. Louis against Chicago and the Browns won the first by means of unearned runs, 3 to 2 in ten innings, and the second, 6 to 1. The Sox made seven errors in the first game.

Brooklyn improved their position with a double victory over Philadelphia, 5 to 5 and 9 to 4.

Fred Fitzsimmons clinched a rather doubtful dispute between the New York Giants and Boston Braves, giving New York, a 5 to 2 victory with his home run.

Pittsburg won its second, 6 to 5 victory over St. Louis.

THIRD NATIONAL TITLE EXPECTED

ATHENS, Tex.—(AP)—Losing three members from his basketball team hasn't dimmed the hopes of Jimmy Kitts, Athens high school coach, for a third consecutive national basketball title next spring.

With Benny Tompkins, Rowland and Reynolds of his 1929-30 championship combination gone, Kitts bases his hopes for another winning five this fall on the new boys coming up to take their places. He will have one All-American to start within Freddie Tompkins.

A trip through the middle west during the Christmas holidays already has been arranged for the Hornets. One of the games will be played against De La Salle academy, Kitts says he is hopeful the University of Chicago tournament will be held again this season.

SUMMA SOLD TO A'S BY BEAVERS

PORTLAND, Ore., July 31.—(AP)—Thomas L. Turner, president of the Portland Beavers of the Pacific Coast league, announced that Homer Summa, outfielder, had been sold to the Philadelphia Athletics. He left for the A's camp last night.

Portland gets Roger Cramer, Philadelphia outfielder, and an unnamed amount of cash, Turner said. Cramer played last year with Martinsburg, W. Va., of the Blue Ridge league, and joined the A's this year. He will leave Washington, D. C., tonight for Portland.

600 ANGLERS TO VIE IN ANNUAL TOURNEY

MOBILE, Ala.—(AP)—Six hundred anglers from many states will vie here August 25 to 27 in the second annual golf fishing rodeo with tarpon, the silver king of the sea, the principal objective.

The anglers, novices and experts, also will pursue king mackerel, Spanish mackerel, bonito, speckled trout, redfish, blackfish, cavalla and ling.

Fort Gaines on Dauphin Island, at the entrance of Mobile bay, will be the center of the rod and reel carnival.

WEDDING CULMINATES HIGH SCHOOL ROMANCE

SAN FRANCISCO, July 31.—(AP)—A romance that started when they were both attending Polytechnic high school here led Lee Elean quarterback on the University of California football team for the last three years, and Edith M. McClelland, to the marriage license bureau today.

\$250,000 and Rockford's Respect Soothe Sammy Mandell in Loss of Championship

By Charles W. Dunkley, (Associated Press Sports Writer)

ROCKFORD, Ill.—(AP)—Here is what four years as lightweight champion did for Sammy Mandell: Made him a fortune which he invested wisely.

Established him as a stable citizen of Rockford with the respect of his hometown.

Mandell lost his title to Al Singer of New York but he still has domestic happiness, a \$200,000 home here, a little son, Dick, now almost three years old and something like \$250,000.

A year ago the former lightweight champion said he was "set for life." Since then he has had two bouts with Jimmy McLarnin in which he earned upwards of \$50,000, and the other night when he was knocked out for the first time, he picked up \$65,000.

Mandell is one of the extraordinary characters of the ring. This black headed Italian youth, a year before he won the championship from Rocky Kansas in 1926 decided that his father, who had worked for 20 years in a Rockford foundry, had toiled long enough.

Sammy married a Rockford girl and built an English type bungalow in one of the city's best residential streets. Then along came Dick to make the love nest complete.

Mandell liked to box but he loathed a certain type of hunger on who infest gymnasiums.

Through the friendship of the late Thomas Sizer, cashier of the Forest City National bank and Thomas Gill, an attorney, Mandell made wise investments with the money he earned in the ring.

The first knockout of the Rockford lad is likely to be the last. He once said:

"As soon as I am convinced that I have begun to slip I shall quit. I'll never stay in there and get punched around until I am goofy."

When Mandell came back to Rockford, a dethroned champion, 2000 persons were at the station to greet him.

That's what they think of Sammy Mandell in Rockford, the town he loves to brag about.

HERMAN'S INSTRUCTOR AIDS AWKWARD BOONE

BROOKLYN, N. Y.—(AP)—Old Ivan Olson probably will have a lot to do with the length of time the Boone stays in the majors in his most recent climb.

Olson has been asked by Wilbert Robinson to help the lumbering Boone polish up his fielding. That Ivey has a tough job is obvious when it is recalled that Boone was released by the Boston Red Sox for slow fielding after he led the club in hitting.

Olson, however, believes that the Boone assignment can't be any tougher than his last. The job was to make a fielder of "Babe" Herman, who for a time had all he could do to keep from being hit by batted balls.

Herman this season, however, has developed into one of the best fielders in the National league and Ivey gets a large share of the credit.

Coast League Yesterday

(By the Associated Press.)

At Portland:	R.	H.	E.
Hollywood	7	9	1
Portland	2	10	5
Page, Rhodes and Severeid:	Mails and Paim.		
At San Francisco:	R.	H.	E.
Sacramento	3	14	6
San Francisco	6	10	1
Vinck, Gould and Wirtz; Jacobs and Gaston.			
At Los Angeles:	R.	H.	E.
Oakland	2	19	3
Los Angeles	6	9	1
Daglia, Edwards, McQuaid and Reed; Lombardi; Yerkes and Hannah.			
At Seattle:	R.	H.	E.
Missions	3	8	3
Seattle	4	7	2
Leiler and Hofmann; Kallio and Borreani.			

Baseball Standings

(By the Associated Press.)

Coast.			
Missions	W.	L.	Pct.
Hollywood	11	5	.688
Los Angeles	9	7	.562
San Francisco	8	8	.500
Oakland	8	8	.500
Sacramento	7	9	.438
Portland	5	11	.313
Seattle	5	11	.313
National.			
Brooklyn	69	38	.642
Chicago	58	41	.588
New York	54	44	.551
St. Louis	48	48	.500
Pittsburgh	47	49	.490
Boston	45	52	.464
Cincinnati	44	52	.455
Philadelphia	31	65	.326
American.			
Philadelphia	W.	L.	Pct.
Washington	61	39	.609
New York	58	43	.574
Cleveland	52	59	.519
Detroit	48	55	.468
Chicago	41	58	.414
St. Louis	42	60	.412
Boston	39	64	.384

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RAJAH EAGER TO TAKE UP BURDEN AT SECOND BASE

CHICAGO, July 31.—(AP)—Rogers Hornsby is certain he will be ready to play second base regularly for the Cubs before the season is over—regardless of what anyone else might think.

The Rajah has never been downhearted over injuries that have kept him out of action. After his workout yesterday he said he felt like a player reporting for spring training.

"The bones are O. K.," he said. "As soon as the muscles and ligaments loosen up I should be able to play. I can't set any date, but I feel like a fellow reporting for training—just enough overweight to require plenty of work and eager for the season to start."

PRIMO AND LEON WILL DO BATTLE

CHICAGO, July 31.—(AP)—The proposed "battle of vindication" between Primo Carnera and Leon Chevalier, has been approved and will be held August 14—provided Uncle Sam does not shoot Primo from his shores before that time.

Promoter Mike Malloy gained sanction to put on the bout after the National Boxing association lifted its ban on Carnera, imposed after the giant Italian's last bout with Chevalier.

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GRIFFITHS GAINS TECHNICAL KAYO O'ER HARD ROCK

NEW YORK, July 31.—(AP)—Tuffy Griffiths, a rising young heavyweight from Sioux City, had a technical knockout over old Tom Heene to his credit today while the "hard rock from down under" was one fight nearer the end of a career that reached its height two years ago in an unsuccessful bout with Gene Tunney.

Griffiths pumiled the New Zealand veteran all over the Queensboro stadium ring last night to get a technical knockout in the ninth round. Old Tom was helpless with his left eye badly cut at the end of the fifth and the referee stopped the battle before a blow had been struck in the tenth.

DANIELS, NOBLITT FORSAKE WILDS

T. E. Daniels and Bert Noblitt, well known local sportsmen, have returned to this city from one of their favorite haunts, Windy Gap cabin at Abbotts Lake on the Unquaga divide. While vacationing there they packed over the mountains to the South Unquaga, where they enjoyed some good trout fishing.

Although the difficult trip into this mountain region was made for fishing chiefly, Mr. Daniels is said to have become an expert with the six-shooter while at Windy Gap cabin, where he practiced extensively on woodrats and stove pipes. He is now in need of new targets in the latter class.

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BEAVERS AGAIN OCCUPY CELLAR COAST LEAGUE

Second Straight Defeat By Stars Dumps Ducks' in Dungeon—Hollywood in Tie With Reds.

By the Associated Press.

Juangling of standings occurs frequently when few games have been played, and today saw quite a different line-up from yesterday's in the Coast league.

Hollywood was tied with the Missions in first place as a result of its second straight defeat of Portland, 7 to 2, last night. Walter Mills struck out ten men but received poor support as the Beavers went into a cellar tie with Seattle.

The Missions failed to maintain their margin when Seattle turned on them, 4 to 3, as a result of some ninth inning hits and shortstop Rodda's third error of the game which enabled the Indians to break a tie score.

Los Angeles stood alone in second place, having made it two in a row from Oakland, 6 to 2, with Yerkes in the box striking out eight Aces. The Angels pounded Douglas.

San Francisco rose to a fourth place tie with Oakland by giving Sacramento a second let-down, 6 to 3, although Jacobs was nicked for 14 hits. Four Seal doubles in the eighth broke a tie.



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