

Yankee Mashie Welders Set to Repel British Ryder Team

BALLOON BALL MAY HANDICAP VISITING PROS

Hagen's Forces Given Edge On Eve of Great Golf Show—Captain to Pick Final Lineups Today

By Alan Gould
(Associated Press Sports Editor)
COLUMBUS, O., June 25.—(AP)—The balloon ball goes up for an international trial tomorrow in one of the biggest golfing shows of 1931—the Ryder Cup matches between teams of home bred British and American professionals.

Captain Walter Hagen's forces, completely only after a 5-4 win over Shute had beaten Frank Walsh at the 90th hole of the competition for the tenth and last place, will carry the home colors into battle as favorites to win the two day competition over the rugged layout of the Scioto country club.

Yanks Have Edge

The Americans, whether they like the over-sized ball or not, have the advantage of greater familiarity with it plus the confidence of being on home soil and the fact that the British likely will start without the services of one of their best professionals, Henry Cotton, and with another seasoned campaigner, George Duncan, in poor condition.

The invaders, led by Captain Charles Whitcombe, have found Scioto an exceedingly troublesome battleground, in addition to manifesting a marked prejudice against the American ball. They have confidence nevertheless in their team strength and the record of having beaten their rivals in two of the three team matches played since 1926. The first of these affairs was not for the Ryder cup, however, so that this is the third series for the trophy, won by the Americans at Worcester in 1927, by the British at Moorstown in 1929.

Cotton May Play

Cotton's arrival in Columbus revived rumors that last-minute measures would result in his inclusion on the team, despite his previous refusal to play because of the restrictions imposed. Fred Pignon, manager of the British team, declared no changes were contemplated.

The rival captains, after a good deal of jockeying and master-minding, were slated to pick their lineups today for the four Scotch foursomes, Friday, and the eight singles contests, Saturday, all to be over the 36-hole route.

Hagen hopes to settle an old feud with Duncan if the latter is drawn for the singles. The 47-year-old Briton, best of the invaders, has never lost a singles match in the international pro battles. Twice he has conquered Hagen, the last time by the lopsided margin of 10 and 8.

May Bench Smith

Denny Shute's victory in the play-off for a place on the American team may mean the benching of Horton Smith or Craig Wood.

The expectation was that Hagen would pair his men in the foursomes as follows: Gene Sarazen and Johnny Farrell, Leo Diegel and Al Espinosa, Hagen and Willy Cox, Denmore Shute and Billie Burke.

Sarazen, Diegel, Farrell and Hagen are veterans of all the Ryder cup competitions. Cox, Shute and Burke won places in the home bred ranks for the first time.

PORTLAND LOSES SECOND STRAIGHT IN ACORN SERIES

(By the Associated Press)
Oakland took its second straight game from Portland last night, 3 to 2. The Acorns got two hits in the eighth inning, which accounted for two runs and boosted their total one higher than the Beavers'. Coleman smashed one over the right field stands in the fourth for a Beaver home run and McMullen got one for the Acorns in the seventh.

The supremacy of San Francisco's two Pacific Coast league baseball teams was even again last night after the Mission Reds had made up for a defeat by the Seals Tuesday night by taking a 3 to 1 game.

Hollywood made it two straight over its near neighbor last night when it took the Angels down, 7 to 5. Shellenback, star pitcher, retaliated for allowing three home runs by connecting for one himself. The three Angel homers were obtained by Barton, Summa and Farrell.

Rain at Seattle caused postponement of the Seattle-Sacramento game.

With Rod and Gun



The wet net law included in the game code has been decided ineffective in preventing commercial fishing in the Rogue and its tributaries. The law reads that no wet nets will be permitted within a one-mile radius of the streams, but the heading specifies that the law will only be effective during closed season. Since the closed season provision has been referred there is no strength left in the wet net law.

The fish code, however, specifies that the Rogue is not open to commercial fishing and lawyers are now making a thorough study of this provision to determine its workability.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett G. Trowbridge spent Sunday at Squaw lake and caught 22 cutthroat. Mr. Trowbridge is returning to the lake today, accompanied by Frank Albert. The roads into the lake are good and it takes about two hours to make the trip.

O. M. Murphy returned Tuesday night from Diamond lake after spending three days at the resort and reports a catch of only four fish. He was accompanied by Mrs. Murphy and Miss Gladys Murphy, but did all the fishing himself and is quite disgusted with his luck. The four fish taken from the lake were very fine ones, but small results for three days' angling.

A dispatch from Washington reviews the precautions being taken throughout the nation to preserve game and emphasizes the importance of this season of the year in the conservation of wild life. It reads:

WASHINGTON.—This is the most important season for wild life, the breeding season, nesting, brooding and teaching the young of many species to take care of themselves. And, in large measure, it is the result of the hunting season, the conservation of game in leaving "seed" everywhere in the forests, fields and streams, a bulletin of the American Game association points out.

But the hunters were not finished with this measure. Today, throughout the country, sportsmen are going into these environments and helping to protect desired species. Over the same ground and in the same covers they are hunting but a few months ago, these sportsmen are patrolling and helping to control predatory birds, animals and reptiles. They are trying to insure the young so far as is possible from destruction by controllable factors.

There are two predators, said to be more destructive than those of the wild—the house cat and the self hunting dog. Game wardens everywhere are requesting that cats and dogs be kept confined, especially during this season. Sportsmen are killing both in large numbers to protect the wild life upon which they prey. Newspapers are helping to reserve desired species by publishing warnings and urging editorially that owners keep their pets confined.

There are a number of dogs and cats that have reverted to the wild, roaming the woods and fields, and it is said by observers that these, together with occasional hunting dogs and cats, destroy more wild life than their natural enemies. Sportsmen are concentrating drives upon them. Or else they will have but little game to hunt in the fall, they declare.

Song and insectivorous birds are suffering alike from the predators. Not only are adult birds, rabbits and other small species destroyed, but many nests are broken up, reports show.

FLYING TACKLES TAME TED THYE IN SHORT MATCH

(By the Associated Press)
PORTLAND, Ore., June 25.—(AP)—Gus Sonnenberg, Boston, former claimant of the world's heavyweight wrestling championship, and his flying tackle, made short work of Ted Thye, Portland, here last night, taking two straight falls in 24 minutes. For a time in the first session, Thye, with his shoulder butts and wristlocks, gave the visitor some interesting moments, but after taking one of Sonnenberg's butts in the stomach for the first fall, Thye was so weakened he asked an additional five minutes, which was granted. Sonnenberg lost no time when they resumed and after a series of headlocks, got in another but and it was all over in two minutes.

Joe Devito, Italian, took one fall and the decision over Al Naumayer, German, with a crotch and half-nelson, and Basanta Singh, Hindu, and Sammy Vanzler went three rounds to a draw.

WATKINS SLAMS THREE HOMERS FOR CARDINALS

Right Fielder Equals Record—Brilliant Play Features Day's Games—Robins Climb Into First Division

By Gayle Talbot, Jr.
(Associated Press Sports Writer)
Not many times in the course of a season will major league fans see an afternoon more crammed with sparkling baseball than was served up in yesterday's program of twelve games. There was a little of everything, including prodigious feats at bat and field.

Outstanding in the list of the day's achievements was that of George Watkins, right fielder of the St. Louis Cardinals, who tied the modern record for homers in a single game when he parked three in the second game of a doubleheader against the Phillies. Watkins' three blows, one with a man on base, gave the leaders a 4 to 2 victory and a clean sweep for the day. They took the first by the same score when they knocked Ray Bengue from the hill in the ninth and scored three runs.

Moore Effective

Wiley Moore, veteran Boston Red Sox right-hander, gave the day's second remarkable performance in beating the Cleveland Indians, 7 to 3. So well did Moore have the Indians in hand that not a single chance was handled by the Sox outfielders. Bill Sweeney on first base came within one chance of tying the all-time big league record when he made 21 putouts.

Watkins' three homers proved a big help to the Cardinals. The double victory at Philadelphia enabled them to increase their lead over the field by a full game as the Giants and Cubs broke even at the Polo grounds. Carl Hubbell set the Hornsby nine down with two hits and blanked them, 2 to 0, in the first game, but Chicago came back to slug out a 14 to 0 victory in the ninth.

Robins Rise

The Brooklyn Robins surprised their constituents by taking a pair from Pittsburgh, 6 to 4 and 5 to 3, and running their winning streak to five straight. The double triumph put Brooklyn into the first division for the first time this season, supplanting Boston in fourth place.

After dropping their third straight to Cincinnati, 8 to 5, the Boston Braves came back to win the second half of their doubleheader, 11 to 6.

The Philadelphia Athletics ran into Wallace Hebert, rookie southpaw, out at St. Louis and took another beating from the Louisianans yesterday, this time by a score of 6 to 5. He licked them in his first big league start two weeks ago.

The loss failed to cut down the Athletics lead, as Washington was losing to Detroit, 7 to 5.

Babe Ruth rapped his fifteenth homer of the campaign to help the Yankees take their sixth straight from the Chicago White Sox, 10 to 3.

SAVOLDI'S TACKLE PINS COLEMAN

LOS ANGELES, June 25.—(AP)—Wearing the green of the fighting Irish, "Jumping Joe" Savoldi, former Notre Dame football star, made a flying tackle to victory in his debut as a headliner in heavyweight wrestling here last night.

Savoldi and Abie Coleman, Brooklyn grappler, took a fall apiece with conventional mat holds. Then the former fullback ended the match with a flying tackle, downing Coleman in 5 minutes, 45 seconds. "Moody" Mullins, another Notre Dame grid star, was introduced in the ring and was given a big hand.

HOW THEY STAND

(By the Associated Press.)

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Hollywood	50	28	.641
Portland	41	35	.539
San Francisco	39	37	.506
Los Angeles	38	39	.494
Seattle	35	42	.473
Sacramento	34	42	.447
Oakland	28	45	.384

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	44	14	.733
Washington	43	20	.683
New York	32	25	.561
Cleveland	30	31	.492
Boston	23	34	.404
Detroit	24	39	.381
St. Louis	22	36	.379
Chicago	20	37	.351

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	39	20	.661
New York	35	23	.603
Chicago	34	25	.574
Brooklyn	31	29	.508
Boston	31	31	.500
Philadelphia	25	24	.424
Pittsburgh	23	36	.390
Cincinnati	22	41	.349

Braves' Best Bet



JUNIOR LEGION LINEUP NAMED FOR DIST. PLAY

All but one of the junior league baseball players have been selected to represent this district in the inter-district contests to be held next month, according to Fred Scheffel, who is chairman of the local American Legion committee. Court Hall, Owney Patton and Claude Miles were judges who chose the boys.

They are: Kell of Gold Hill, catcher; Wilson of Central Point, pitcher; Tom White of the Medford Tigers, first baseman; George Harrington of the Tigers, utility man; Alva Meritt of the Tigers, pitcher; George Smith of Medford Doughboys, shortstop; Reinking of Jacksonville, second baseman and shortstop; Dick Lewis of Doughboys, third baseman; Romie Vaughn of Jacksonville, third baseman and fielder; Aaron Vaughn of Jacksonville, pitcher and fielder; Bob Smith of Shangle's, first baseman and fielder; Ward of Jacksonville, second baseman; Hammerly of Gold Hill, pitcher; Sam Van Dyke of the Tigers, outfielder.

Under the direction of Tom Higgins, the boys are practicing every evening, and are anxious for the announcement of the schedule for the district tournament, which is being arranged by Wm. Zosel of Coquille, chairman of district number 4.

Registrations for the boys have been sent into Speck Keene of Salem, chairman of the state contest.

NEWMAN RESIGNS AS O. S. C. COACH

CORVALLIS, Ore., June 25.—(AP)—Dick Newman, varsity track coach at Oregon State College for three years, submitted his resignation yesterday. No successor has been appointed, but it was considered likely that Lon Steiner, present freshman track coach, would be promoted to the varsity job.

Newman is a graduate in law and a member of the bar. He is leaving the college to enter the legal profession at the close of the present summer school. He is now assisting in the summer session of the coaching school at the college.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By the Associated Press.)
Oakland, Cal.—Roberto Roberti, Italy, knocked out Eddie Jorge, Oakland, (1); Tony Silva, Oakland, and Benny Gallup, Duluth, Minn., draw, (6).

Reno, Nev.—Jack Redman, South Bend, Ind., knocked out Jack VanNoy, California, (2).
Seattle.—George Kerwin, Chicago, and Tony Portillo, Seattle, fought to a six-round draw, (6).

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Team	R.	H.	E.
Oakland	3	9	0
Portland	2	5	1

Team	R.	H.	E.
Missions	3	10	0
San Francisco	1	6	0

Team	R.	H.	E.
Hollywood	7	11	0
Los Angeles	5	11	0

ASHLAND PLUNGE TO OPEN FRIDAY

An elaborate playland with twin swimming pools will be opened to the public at Ashland, Ore., Friday evening, June 25, at 8:00 o'clock. The new recreational center is located on Pioneer avenue and First street.

Mat Results

(By the Associated Press.)
St. Louis, Mo.—Pat O'Shocker, 222, Salt Lake City, defeated Indian Jim Clinkstock, 231. George Zaharias, 220, Pueblo, Colo., defeated Paul Jones, 203, Houston, Texas. Milo Steinborn, 220, Germany, beat Joe Cox, 203, Kansas City. Paul Harper, Port Worth, Texas, defeated Marshall Blackstock, 205, Atlanta.

HIGHWAY NAMED FOR GEORGIA'S TY COBB

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GOLFERS DROP EASY WAYS IN DOLLAR CHASE

COLUMBUS, O.—(AP)—Golf professionals, once free and easy fellows who would rather play the game than make money, have mended their ways.

They have become big business men. So well have they tended to business that the Professional Golfers' association of America reports they are doing a land office business—even during the current depression—with the sale of golfing supplies. Teaching with them has become almost a sideline.

MIDWEST STARS TO BIG LEAGUES

CHICAGO.—(AP)—The major leagues are gathering in the midwestern collegian baseball stars. Malcolm "Buck" Fyfe, star pitcher for Northwestern, was signed by the New York Yankees, and Bill Pusak, outfielder for Illinois, has cast his lot with the St. Louis Cardinals.

MANAGER OF ACORNS BETTER WITH CARDS

OAKLAND, Cal.—(AP)—With his ball club hugging the bottom rung of the 1931 championship ladder, the White Sox have grabbed William Sullivan, classy Notre Dame first baseman, a son of the famous Billy Sullivan who caught for the "hitless wonders," as the Sox were called back in 1906, when they won the world championship on a minimum of base hits.

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WILLING HANGS ON IN WESTERN GOLF TOURNEY

Rally in Second Round Carries Dentist to Quarter Finals—Rudy Wilhelm and Robbins Eliminated

By Frank G. Gorrie,
Associated Press Sports Writer.
TACOMA, Wash., June 25.—(AP)—The gallantry were astonished today to find only three Portland men competing in the quarter finals of the Pacific Northwest amateur golf tournament.

In the past few years Portland stars have nearly always dominated the final play of the northwest tournaments, and to find only three—Portland's Rudy Wilhelm, Frank Dolp and Jimmie Bushong—in today's third round was a slight wonder seeing by fans of Seattle, Tacoma, Vancouver, Victoria and other northwest cities.

Two of the Oregon city's big guns were eliminated yesterday and one Tuesday.

Two Stars Out

Rudy Wilhelm, medalist in the qualifying round, bowed before Johnny Shields, Seattle, Wash., state amateur champion, 7 and 6, and Johnny Robbins, runner-up in the finals last year, was defeated by Bill Yost, Tacoma, 2 and 1.

Tuesday Portland lost the defending champion, Eddie Hogan, when George Shaw, Los Angeles, ousted him, one up.

Today's draw over the 35-hole route was as follows: Shields vs. Wilhelm; Dolp vs. Yost; Bushong vs. Wood; Dolp vs. Brynjolfson.

The women contestants in the tournament joined the men at the Fircrest Golf club today, having played their previous matches at the Tacoma Country and Golf club.

They too were competing in the quarter finals with the draw for their 18-hole matches as follows: Mrs. B. E. Eva, Portland vs. Mrs. F. C. Shaneman, Tacoma.

Mrs. Guy Riegel, Spokane, vs. Mrs. Brent Potter, San Francisco. Mrs. Vera Hutchings, Vancouver, vs. Mrs. Everett Griggs, Tacoma.

Miss Hilda McAnulin, Seattle, vs. J. D. Gilmore, Seattle.

Carl Zamloch, manager of the Oaks, finds card playing a solace. On the road his favorite stunt is to deal an opponent eight, spades with 100 honors and two other aces and then manipulate his own hand so he gets a small slam in another suit.

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LEGAL BETTING RENEWS HOPES OF MIAMI BOOM

Celebration Follows Overriding of Governor's Veto—General Revival in Real Estate Is Predicted

MIAMI, Fla.—(AP)—Not since the real estate boom collapsed has there been so much optimism in Miami.

When the state legislature overrode the veto of Governor Doyle E. Carlton, thereby legalizing dog and horse racing and the pari-mutuel system of wagering, an impromptu celebration broke forth.

Parades formed in the downtown section and terminated in a mass meeting in Bayfront park where speeches were made amid noise-making race fans.

Martin Whelan, city judge of the township in which is located the Miami Racing association's Hialeah Park plant, said many persons now are paying taxes on property in the community who had not bothered to do so for several years. He predicted a general revival of real estate values as a result of legalized racing.

Frank J. Brown, manager-director of the plant, already has announced improvements costing \$1,000,000 will be made. Hialeah, he said, will be made the most beautiful track in the country.

Similar statements were made by Joseph Widener in New York, chairman of the Miami Jockey Club board, and Major Berkeley Warburton, president of the racing association.

Other investments may be made at dog and horse racing plants in Miami, St. Petersburg, Tampa, Jacksonville and other places, but race promoters outside of Miami are not so sanguine.

Under the new law race meetings must be approved at a county referendum, and already opponents are preparing to wage vigorous campaigns at the polls where requests for racing licenses are contemplated.

Dr. E. G. Heath, Methodist pastor at Jacksonville, has issued a statement saying: "I speak for my church and I know that I speak for all Methodist churches in the state when I say that we never will permit this territory to be wrong to steal unearned income from our country."

Dr. Heath said mass meetings and committees will be organized to fight racing and predicted that Dade county (Miami) will be the lone exception if "there is a break in the ranks."

A fight over racing legislation has been on in Florida since 1911. Racing has been conducted, but with an accompaniment of suits and injunctions. Various methods of wagering, from oral betting to selling of stock certificates, have been employed to dodge state gambling laws.

Under the new law, track owners pay a tax on contributions to the pari-mutuel pools and on admissions. Dog racing is permitted 90 days and horse racing 45 days between December 1 and April 1.

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