

CUBS BANGING BALL IN CLIMB AFTER SLUMP

Hornsby, Cuyler and Grimm Giving Pitchers Support—Hack Wilson Returning to Old Form With Willow

By Gayle Talbot, Jr., Associated Press Sports Writer. Victims in the opening months of the campaign of an virulent slump, both individually and collectively, as ever attacked a ball club, Rogers Hornsby's Chicago Cubs at last seem to have reclaimed the power that featured their fight for the 1930 National league flag.

Although he still is hitting only .250, far below his form of last year, Hack Wilson is banging the ball hard and often in recent games, while Hornsby, Cuyler and Grimm are high up among the leading sluggers of the league. They are giving their veteran pitching staff more runs to work on and the result is seen in the club's steady climb up the ladder.

Take Third Straight.

As a climax to their latest drive, the Cubs captured their third straight from the New York Giants yesterday, 5 to 2, and slipped into second place in the league standings, the highest point they have reached since the opening days of the race.

The Cardinals made it two out of three from the Brooklyn Robins, 5 to 0, when Bill Hallahan yielded seven hits and struck out eight. Chick Hafey and George Watkins hit home-runs to lead the champions' assault on Babe Phelps. Cincinnati fans were treated to their second pitching duel in as many days when Bruce Cunningham of the Boston Braves shut out the Reds, 2 to 0.

Pittsburgh Continues.

Pittsburgh pounded three pitchers for 17 hits, including a home-run by Comorosky, to make it four straight from the Phillies, 12 to 8. Paul Waner, Grace and Traynor made three hits apiece.

Washington's Senators scored three runs in a rousing ninth inning rally to nose out the Chicago White Sox, 5 to 4, but they failed to cut into the lead of the Athletics, who again won from Detroit, 5 to 3. Rahn interrupted the game in the seventh inning, and left the field in such a muddy condition a scheduled second game was postponed.

Roy Mahaffey pitched and batted the A's to victory over Detroit, keeping 10 hits scattered and hitting a home-run in the sixth inning. It was Mahaffey's eighth triumph of the year and his fourth over the Tigers.

Fred Schulte and Oscar Melillo made all of St. Louis' five hits off two Boston pitchers as the Browns defeated the Red Sox, 2 to 1. Lou Gehrig hit his 26th home-run and Babe Ruth his 22nd, but the Yankees lost a loose affair to the Cleveland Indians, 9 to 8.

AMERICAN TENNIS HOPE REVIVED BY SHIELDS' VICTORY

ROLAND GARROS STADIUM, Paris, July 17.—(AP) America, pulled even with England today in the first two matches of the Davis cup inter-zone tennis series when Frank Shields hammered out a victory over Fred Perry, 10-8, 6-4, 6-2, after Henry W. Austin, the British ace, had vanquished Sydney Wood, Jr., 2-6, 6-0, 8-6, 7-5.

Shields' hard, smashing game, once he got it under control, proved entirely too much for Perry to handle. After a sensational first set, which the 20 year old American pulled out after trailing 15 on games.

The battle to determine France's challenger for the world's championship tennis trophy, will be continued tomorrow with the doubles match, in which the American team of John Van Ryn and George M. Lott, Jr., will oppose Fred Perry and George Hughes. The final two singles will be played Sunday.

STEELE DEFEATS INDIAN GRAPPLER

SALEM, Ore., July 17.—(AP) In straight falls Bob Steele, 174 pounds, of Salem, defeated Basmata Singh, 164, Calcutta grappler last night. Steele won the first fall with a headlock in 20 minutes and the second with a headlock and body press in 7 minutes and 30 seconds.

The preliminary between Jack Brentano of McMinnville, 143 pounds, and Everett Newton, 145 1/2, of Oregon City was taken by Brentano after a fast, hard tussle. Newton took the first fall in 23 minutes and 20 seconds. Brentano took the second and the third.

With Rod and Gun



August 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 in Del Monte, Calif., the Pacific International trap shoot, the largest on the Pacific coast, will be held. Several crack shots from southern Oregon will attend the shoot and the Medford Gun club will be represented by Bill Bates, Chester Woods, Ed Lampert, Sidney Newton and Frank Crowson and Frank Hull and Dick Bolden of Grants Pass.

Many events have been outlined for the five days. The contestants will shoot 200 single, 100 handicap and 25 pair doubles. The Medford sportsmen plan to enter the 200 single each day and will also enter one of the other contests each day.

Steelhead are being caught this week in the Rogue near Casey's camp, both early and late in the day, according to reports from that region. The lucky anglers use flies.

Paul Barron, formerly of this city, now of Jonesboro, Ark., is visiting in Medford this week and spending much time on the Rogue. He is an ardent fisherman and during the years he lived in southern Oregon landed some exceptional catches. He has, however, had very poor luck so far this week.

Harold Grey, Joe Myers and Ralph Spencer fished the Rogue above Dodge bridge yesterday and landed a few trout. They report the fishing poor.

COYOTES KILLING FLEDGLING GEESSE

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., July 17.—(AP) Silas W. Kilgore, in charge of the Clear Lake federal game preserve, said today hundreds of young honker geese are being slaughtered there by coyotes.

More honkers are nesting at Clear Lake than ever before, Kilgore said, and because the water is extremely low the birds go about half a mile from the lake to feed. The coyotes lie in wait and then rush into flocks, cutting off the retreat to the water.

The young geese are unable to fly and fall easy prey to the raiders.

The index of the general level of farm prices May 15 was 86 per cent of the pre-war level, 38 points below a year ago, and the lowest since 1910.

MAIL TRIBUNE DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

ACROSS
1. Small cushions
5. Pitches a tent
10. Large room
14. Medley
15. Old-womanish
16. Lamb's pen name
17. Break asunder
18. Sufficient poet
21. Exist
22. Harms
23. Terminates
24. Before
25. Iban character
26. Beauty depicted in road-making
27. Substance used in road-making
28. Repose
29. Profile
30. The social elect
31. Poem
32. Lost life fluid
33. Suffix
34. Mathematical
35. Ratio
41. Like clear
42. Omits in pronouncing
43. Pelvic
44. Top card
45. Lucky number
46. Quantity per unit of time
48. So be it

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CHAMPION AND WILLING DOPED FOR FINALISTS

Lehman Paired With Moe and Dentist With MacNaughton in Semi-Wind-up Rounds of Western

By Frank G. Gorrie, Associated Press Sports Writer. PORTLAND GOLF CLUB, Portland, Ore., July 17.—(AP)—The defending champion, Johnny Lehman, Chicago, and Dr. O. F. Willing, veteran Portland ace, were picked by the majority of the experts today as the finalists for the western amateur golf tournament, but it didn't mean a thing for Don Moe and Malcolm MacNaughton, Portland, their opponents, were no easy marks.

Lehman was paired with Moe, and Willing was matched with MacNaughton over the 36-hole route, and two great battles were expected for the four golfing celebrities who yesterday survived the quarter-finals have been playing a par-killing game.

Chicagoan Brilliant.

The Chicagoan, the only middle westerner left in the tournament, after the qualifying round, was only one over par in defeating Harold Thompson, Glendale, Cal., 6 and 5 yesterday.

Fishing a dazzling 68 on the first 18 in the quarter-finals, MacNaughton was two under par when he eliminated Rude Wilhelm, Portland, 5 and 4, at the 32nd hole.

Willing was even par when he conquered Jack Gaines, Glendale, 4 and 2, and Moe was four over perfect figures when he trounced Fay Coleman, 7 and 6.

In the Lehman-Moe match it was champion against the former titlist.

Moe won the crown in 1929 and Lehman captured it last year. Don met the Chicagoan and defeated him in the semi-finals of the western amateur two years ago. Last year they locked horns again in the tournament and Lehman won today in the quarter-finals. So today's match is to be the "rubber."

MacNaughton holds a victory over Willing, having taken the measure of the two-time Pacific Northwest amateur champion and American Walker cup team member, in the northwest championships three years ago.

MacNaughton is the Pacific coast intercollegiate titlist, having won the crown for Stanford university.

See Portland Final.

With three local stars left in the tournament, the possibility of an all-Portland finals was seen. Portland qualified 15 players in the medalist and it has kept up its average more than 100 per cent through the three rounds of match play.

The city has long boasted that it is the "biggest golfing town in the world," and Lehman was the only man left to defend the interests of the rest of the country.

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CONSTANCE HANF OF THE NEW YORK WOMEN'S SWIMMING ASSOCIATION

WILD PITCH GOAT OF WORLD SERIES IN COMEBACK TRY

SEATTLE.—(AP)—John Kenneth Miljus, the only Serbian pitcher in baseball and the man who helped hurl the Pittsburgh Pirates into the 1927 world's series and then wild-pitched them out of it, hopes to go back to the major leagues again.

Miljus traveled a bumpy road the last three years because of a sore arm, but he believes that now he is "in the pink" again.

The big right-hander visited a Los Angeles surgeon last winter and the physician removed a couple of bone chips, untangled a nerve from a muscle, and pronounced the pitching arm "to be the good one."

If the surgeon is right, the Seattle Indians got a bargain when they purchased their former moundsman from San Francisco.

Miljus has had two trips to the big league. He was sold to Brooklyn in September, 1917, by the Birmingham team of the New York state league. After a year in the United States army he was farmed to Toledo.

After that followed a series of minor league engagements. He came to Seattle at the end of the 1924 season and in 1927 won 13 and lost five games with the Indians before he was sold to Pittsburgh for \$16,500 in mid-season.

With Pittsburgh he won eight games and lost three during the tail end of the season to pitch the Pirates into the world's series, which he ended when he wild-pitched home the winning run for the New York Yankees in the fourth game.

After a couple of seasons he moved to Cleveland. Last spring he went to San Francisco, but was a holdout this year and was sold to Seattle.

In his first four games this season Miljus broke even.

Uncarth Century Old Pipe SPRINGFIELD, Mass. (UP)—

A section of an old wooden water pipe, unearthed by workmen at the new post office site, is believed to be more than a century old.

HOW THEY STAND

(By the Associated Press)

| Coast. | W. | L. | Pct. |
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| San Francisco | 7 | 3 | .700 |
| Seattle | 7 | 3 | .700 |
| Los Angeles | 6 | 4 | .600 |
| Oakland | 5 | 5 | .500 |
| Portland | 4 | 6 | .400 |
| Hollywood | 4 | 6 | .400 |
| Missions | 3 | 7 | .300 |
| Sacramento | 3 | 7 | .300 |



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EAGLE POINT JUNIOR GRANGE ATTRACTS 24

EAGLE POINT, Ore., July 17.—(Special)—Twenty-four members of the Junior Grange met in regular session at the Grange hall at 2 o'clock July 15 with Mrs. A. J. Tingle, matron, in charge.

An entertaining program consisting of riddles and tap dancing by June Tingle had been arranged by the little lecturer, Helen Kent, and refreshments were served. They expect to have their new regalia soon.

51 BOYS REGISTERED FOR SCOUT VACATION

A record crowd of boys is expected at Camp McLoughlin, Lake o' the Woods Boy Scout camp next period, which starts Monday. A total of 51 registrations have been checked at the local office, according to Miss Ruth Meusel, secretary with 23 of that number from Ashland. Several of the boys will attend from Grants Pass, and the remainder from Medford.

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MAILS BLANK ACORNS 4 TO FOR PORTLAND

Indians Overcome Lead to Trounce Solons Win One, 16-9, From Seattle

(By the Associated Press) Behind the two-hit pitcher Walter Mills, veteran Portland blanked Oakland last night. The Beavers, three of their four bunched hits in the sixth driving Daglia, Oakland from the box.

Seattle overcame an effort which the Hollywood grabbed in the first inning night and pulled a 15 to 9 victory out of the fire to four in the series.

The Stars used four pitchers to stem the wave of hitting and scoring. Hollywood gained its big lead off Seattle errors.

A wild tussle gave Seattle its first victory of the series. Los Angeles, 16 to 9. The scored seven runs in the top of the second inning. The team promptly came back to tallies in their half.

Taking a lead in the third when they scored two, San Francisco Seals defeated Mission Reds, 4 to 1. The scored on a double and a tag, adding two more tallies the fourth.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

| Port. | R. | H. | E. |
|---|----|----|----|
| Portland | 4 | 7 | 0 |
| Oakland | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Mills and Woodall, Daglia, Hurst, Ortman and McMullen. | | | |
| San Fran. | R. | H. | E. |
| Seattle | 15 | 16 | 5 |
| Hollywood | 13 | 13 | 1 |
| Keating, Freitas, Bonnelly and Cox; Turner, Yde, Anderson, Johns and Severeid. | | | |
| Los Angeles | R. | H. | E. |
| San Francisco | 4 | 9 | 0 |
| Mission Reds | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| Doplas and Penabaz; Coie and Hofmann. | | | |
| Los Angeles | R. | H. | E. |
| Los Angeles | 3 | 10 | 4 |
| Sacramento | 16 | 17 | 0 |
| Herman, Peters, Nelson and Schulte; Campbell; Hubbell, Hamilton, Flynn and Ricci. | | | |

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