

# Canzoneri Hands Kid Berg Terrific Lacing to Win Clean Decision

## CHAMPION FLOORS BRITISHER TWICE FOR COUNT OF 9

Slim Crowd Sees Polo Ground Fist Fiesta—Ten Rounds of 15-Frame Bout Go to New York Boy

By HERBERT W. BARKER  
Associated Press Sports Writer  
NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—(AP)—Great Britain's leading exponent of the gentle art of fistcuffing have no luck whatever in their attempts to lift world's titles.

There's Jack (Kid) Berg, the Whitechapel whirlwind, for instance. For the second time in five months last night, Berg sought Tony Canzoneri's lightweight diadem and for the second time he went down to decisive defeat.

Draws Slim Crowd  
A slim crowd of 17,000 piled into the Polo Grounds, watched the sturdy New York Italian hand Berg a terrific beating, but he severely about the face, floor him twice for counts of nine and do everything but knock him out.

Early in the battle it appeared that Berg would not last as long as he did in his first contest with Canzoneri in Chicago last April when the Briton was knocked out in three rounds.

Trout Spawns Eaten by Hungry Whitefish

BEND, Ore., Sept. 11.—(AP) Dr. Clint Vandeventer of the state game commission said today efforts will be made soon to remove several tons of whitefish from the Crane Prairie area in an attempt to increase the natural propagation of trout in the local streams. Whitefish feed upon the trout spawn.

## PRESIDENT'S SON IN HONOLULU



Associated Press Photo  
Allan Hoover (center), younger son of the President, is vacationing in Honolulu. He is shown with A. L. Castle (left), brother of W. R. Castle Jr., undersecretary of state, and Duke Kahananoku, former noted Hawaiian swimmer, as he prepared to take his first outrigger canoe ride.

## HOW THEY STAND

(By the Associated Press)

Coast			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Los Angeles	40	30	.571
Oakland	41	32	.562
San Francisco	39	32	.549
Portland	38	34	.528
Hollywood	34	35	.493
Seattle	32	39	.451
Missions	30	40	.429
Sacramento	29	41	.414

  

American			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Philadelphia	96	41	.701
Washington	93	54	.606
New York	80	55	.593
Cleveland	70	65	.519
Detroit	57	80	.416
St. Louis	57	81	.413
Chicago	52	84	.382
Boston	50	85	.370

  

National			
W.	L.	Pct.	
St. Louis	89	48	.650
New York	83	56	.597
Brooklyn	72	67	.518

## YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

	H.	H.	E.
Portland	5	12	3
Missions	8	15	2
McQuillan and Woodall; H. Pillette and Hofmann.			
San Francisco	5	9	3
Oakland	6	11	1
Zinn and Penebaki; Joiner and Read.			
Seattle	8	12	0
Los Angeles	2	8	3
Keating and Gaston; Ballou, Nelson and Campbell.			
Hollywood	9	14	5
Sacramento	11	15	0
Yde, Bray and Baseler; Bryan, Colard, Hubbell and Wirtz.			
Chicago	78	65	.514
Pittsburgh	67	71	.486
Boston	60	78	.435
Philadelphia	60	78	.435
Cincinnati	51	65	.387

## LEAGUE LEADERS SEE CONTENDERS FALL BY WAYSIDE

Only One Possible Rival Left for Cardinals—Two Face Athletics As End of Major League Season Nears

(By the Associated Press)  
It seems to be only a matter of time now before the Philadelphia Athletics and St. Louis Cardinals, leaders of the two major leagues, reach the point where their grips on the 1931 pennants are mathematical certainties. The mortality among the erstwhile contenders has been heavy in the past week or so and today the Cards have only one possible rival left and the A's two.

The New York Giants yesterday put an end to Pittsburgh's recent winning streak. Brooklyn received its dismissal from the hands of the last place Cincinnati Reds. With all other rivals long since out of it, the Washington Senators and New York Yankees still cling to the faint chance that they will overtake Philadelphia's Athletics although that chance grows slimmer day by day.

Seven games behind, the Giants turned in one of the day's greatest feats as they opened their final tour of the west with a 6 to 1 triumph over Pittsburgh.

The Cardinals won their fifth in a row on their fifth successive good pitching performance, Bill Hallahan downing the Boston Braves 7 to 3.

This victory alone would have been enough to end Brooklyn's chances of taking the pennant, but Cincinnati completed the job by downing the Robins 5 to 1.

With Pat Malone pitching well and helping his own game with a homer, the Cubs downed the Phillies 17 to 4.

The A's won from St. Louis, 6 to 3. The Senators fielded expertly behind Lloyd Brown, cutting down Cleveland's scoring chances with four double plays as they downed the Indians 5 to 3.

Detroit, aided by some fine pitching by Young Tom Bridges, disturbed the standing a trifle by passing St. Louis to go into fifth place. Bridges shut out the Boston Red Sox with six hits to beat Wilcy Moore in a mound duel 3 to 0.

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Dr. H. P. Coleman has returned from San Francisco and will be in his office in Medford Bldg. regular hours.

## With Rod and Gun



The Oregon State Game commission, which recently announced its 10 year policy, also reports that game funds have been hit by the depression and the program for the next 10 years is accordingly much less extensive than originally planned.

The license fund is \$75,000 short, so many of the outstanding features planned in this department will have to be forgotten until sportsmen buy licenses.

Therefore the game commission's program will remain pruned until some signs of prosperity return.

The recent rain storm raised the water line in the Rogue one inch, and game farms are standing expenses which must be met.

according to latest reports. This is not enough of course to benefit fishing a great deal but the stream has been freshened and the steelhead which have been lurking at the mouth of the river are expected to move upward.

## Hoodoo Camps on Trail Of 'Rajah' as Cub Leader

By Paul Nickelson.  
(Associated Press Sports Writer)  
CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—(AP)—Baseball has produced many queer contrasts but the brief and stormy managerial career of Rogers Hornsby, boss of the fluttering Cubs, today looked like the classic of them all. Five years ago the "Rajah" led the St. Louis Cardinals to their first National league championship. He topped that performance off by piloting the Cards to the world's championship. As St. Louis toasted him as the "wonder man" of baseball, he lost his job and was traded to the New York Giants.

Today he is leading the Cubs in one of their poorest campaigns in years. Trouble appears to be dogging his footsteps everywhere. Fans boo him. Yet, he appears more strongly entrenched as manager of the Cubs than ever. Owner William Wrigley, Jr., who dismissed former Manager Joe McCarthy toward the end of the 1930 campaign because he failed to win the pennant and the world's series in 1929, insists that the "Rajah" is here to stay as manager.

The case of Hack Wilson, baseball's man of tragedy for 1931, has been the most distressing to Hornsby. The big little man, who batted out 56 home runs last year and broke the National league record for runs batted in, has failed to deliver all season. Whether the reason for his reversal of form was failure to keep in condition, refusal to do his best under Hornsby or a seasonable slump may never be known. He will wear a new uniform next year and so may Pat Malone, the Cub fireball ace, who was fined heavily last week for assaulting two Chicago sports writers after what Manager Hornsby reported was a "night out."

Hornsby, himself, is banking his hopes for a winning team next year in a host of new players, many of them stars uncovered by the increased Cub scouting system in the minor leagues.

## PORTLAND TAKES ANOTHER ON CHIN FROM MISSIONS

(By the Associated Press.)  
Right after Los Angeles had bounced into first place in league standings, with a doubleheader win over Seattle, the Indians came back to partly avenge the two-time beating.

Last night Seattle overcame the Angels, 8-2, but the defeat failed to oust the latter from first place.

Oakland handed San Francisco a 6-5 defeat when Harlan Pool, Accum utility man, homed in the ninth inning, scoring two men ahead of him and blasting a two-run Seal lead.

After a neck-and-neck race which lasted up to the ninth inning, the Mission Reds defeated Portland, 6-5, when a single scored the winning run. Heavy hitting featured the game, the Missions collecting 12 and Portland 10 connects.

Aided by five Hollywood errors, the Sacramento Senators too last night's game, 11-9. Wirtz homed for the Senators and Barbee for Hollywood, each bracking a tie before the Senators staged a winning rally in the eighth.

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