

# YANKEE HURLERS TIE OLD RECORD IN GREAT RALLY

## Gomez Fourth Consecutive Pitcher to Turn in Shut- out—Victories Place Mc- Carthy's Men in Lead

By GALE TALBOT.  
(Associated Press Sports Writer)  
Stock in the New York Yankees' pitching department, which up to 30 days ago was selling for something like a dime a dozen on the open market and very few takers at any price, had soared out of sight today.

Climaxing the most sensational streak seen in the American league in more than two decades, the Yankee hurlers had tied a record that has stood for 26 years.

Gomez Fourth.

When Vernon Gomez set the Cleveland Indians down, 8 to 0, yesterday he became the fourth consecutive member of Joe McCarthy's staff to blank the enemy. Johnny Allen started it last Wednesday by stopping St. Louis, 9 to 0; George Pipgras followed with a 5 to 0 decision over Chicago on Saturday, and Charles Ruffing whitewashed Cleveland Sunday, 5 to 0.

The feat ties the league record held jointly by the Cleveland Indians and Boston Red Sox of 1903 and 1906, respectively. If today's Yankee pitcher—probably young Allen—holds the Indians scoreless for only the first two innings it will better the present mark of 41 scoreless rounds set by Cleveland's 1903 staff.

The Yanks still have some distance to go, however, to equal the major league record of six straight shut-outs set up by the Pittsburgh Nationals in 1903.

Take League Lead.

First place in the league standing was the prize that went with Gomez' triumph yesterday, the Yankees slipping ahead of Washington by a few points as the Senators were shut out the second straight day by St. Louis, 2 to 0. Sammy Gray yielded only three hits.

Charley Berry, late of the Boston Red Sox, doubled in the tenth inning with Appling on base to give Chicago a hard-earned 4 to 3 victory over his former teammates.

Detroit staged a five-run rally in the fourth to defeat the Athletics, 6 to 4.

Two of the day's three games in the National league were featured by brilliant pitching. "Red" Lucas of the Cincinnati Reds yielded only three hits in beating the Giants, 6 to 2, and Van Mungo, Brooklyn Rookie, allowed but four as the Dodgers overwhelmed Pittsburgh, 11 to 1.

Riggs Stephenson's single with three aboard in the last of the ninth gave the leading Chicago Cubs an 11 to 10 victory over the Phillies. As the Boston Braves were rained out at St. Louis, the Cubs stretched their lead to a game and a half.

# PORTLAND PLAYS OAKS THIS WEEK

(By the Associated Press)  
Hollywood's Stars viewed the rest of the Coast league from a position atop league standings today and prepared to carry on against the last place Mission Reds tonight.

The Stars displaced San Francisco last week after a bang up series with Sacramento in which the Hollywood team took six straight games before losing the seventh and last to the Senators. The string of victories booted them into first place as the Seals lost their series to Oakland.

Other games this week beginning tonight will see Los Angeles at San Francisco; Portland at Oakland and Seattle at Sacramento. The Hollywood-Mission series will be played on the Stars' home field.

# NET QUEEN'S KIN RESIDING APART

SAN FRANCISCO, May 17.—(AP)—The Examiner today said Dr. and Mrs. Clarence A. Willis, father and mother of Mrs. Helen Willis Moody, noted tennis star, are residing apart.

Dr. Willis, the Examiner said, had been living at the Faculty club on the University of California campus at Berkeley for almost a year.

Mrs. Willis, the paper added, has been in residence at the Berkeley women's city club for the last few months. She said she planned to leave Berkeley today to join her daughter, now engaged in a European tennis campaign.

The examiner said both Dr. and Mrs. Willis declined to comment on the situation.

# YOUNG CORBETT GIVEN NOD OVER WHITEHEAD

SAN FRANCISCO, May 17.—(AP)—An overwhelming 10-round victory over Yearl Whitehead, newly crowned California welterweight champion, was added today to the string of triumphs of "Young" Corbett, perennial seeker of the world's 147-pound title. But the Fresno southpaw was still without a crown of any kind, except glory.

The Santa Monica, Cal., boy kept his title safe last night by entering the ring at 147½ pounds. Corbett weighed 147½.

# Joe Discards Old Mount



JOE MEYERS, one of the veterans of the speed boat racing game in Southern Oregon, who is expected to show his heels to some of the California drivers who will compete in the speed boat races at Emigrant dam next Sunday.

Meyers joined the Hell Divers' club during the last meet when he spilled on a turn while leading the free-for-all and is out to square accounts at the Sunday even. He purchased the boat, Miss Sacramento, which, driven by Everett Wilbur, won a good share of the prize money, and has renamed it "Irish Luck" and will drive it rather than the leaping and bucking "Red Wing" which caused his involuntary bath when he had the race almost won.

# How They Stand

(By the Associated Press.)  
American.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	17	6	.739
Washington	19	7	.731
Cleveland	18	12	.600
Detroit	15	10	.600
Philadelphia	11	14	.440
St. Louis	13	17	.433
Chicago	8	18	.308
Boston	4	21	.160

National.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	19	9	.679
Boston	16	9	.640
Cincinnati	17	15	.531
St. Louis	14	15	.483
Philadelphia	13	15	.464
Brooklyn	11	15	.423
New York	9	13	.409
Pittsburgh	8	16	.333

# COLEMAN HIGH IN PRACTICE SHOOT

Ray Coleman of Jacksonville was again high at the regular Sunday morning practice shoot May 15 with a score of 50 straight out of 50 targets shot at. Other high scores were:

H. Croissant	49
Std. Newton	48
Joe Terry (Pro.)	48
Bill Bates	45
Chester Wood	43

The Medford club expects to be represented with a strong team at the Oregon state trapshooting tournament which is to be staged at Corvallis May 20-21-22. One of the main events will be the shoot-off for the Oregonian trophy which will take place Sunday morning, May 22.

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Helman Bath, Adv.—Swim and tub.

# OFFICIALS NAMED FOR BOAT RACES AT EMIGRANT DAM

Officials for the speed boat race which will be held at Emigrant dam on Sunday, May 22, are announced today by headquarters of the Medford navy, who are sponsoring the water sports meet in conjunction with the Southern Oregon Boat club.

The judges of the race who will make all decisions in regard to the various events will be Bill Holger, Jerry Jerome, Clatous McCredie and L. Pennington.

Al Stevens will be clerk of the course while Parker Bundy has been appointed starter. Pop Wilbur of Sacramento will be on hand as representative of the California Boat club.

Tom Robinson will be in charge of the docks and anyone attempting to stray onto the docks which are limited strictly to drivers and their mechanics will have to reckon with the well-known conscientious Tom. Ted Baker will be in charge of the announcing system, which will again be furnished through the courtesy of the Standard Oil company. The announcing system which was one of the highlights of the first meet, kept the crowd in touch with the identity of the various drivers and other details of the races, as well as the decisions of the judges, who were located in the large Crater lake cruiser, which was furnished by the park service. Arrangements are being made to further amplify the speaker system so that every person in the large crowd will be able to hear perfectly all announcements.

Ground and highway traffic will be handled by the local unit of the efficient state police who will have extra men on duty to take care of the additional traffic in a speedy manner.

# WILLAMETTE TRIMS LINFIELD, 8 TO 0

SALEM, Ore., May 17.—(AP)—Willamette Bearcats smothered Linfield's baseball team, 8 to 0, here yesterday. Taking the lead in the second Willamette was never in danger. Lowell Gribble brightened the game with a homer in the seventh.

EUGENE, Ore., May 17.—(AP)—Three Oregon pitchers fell victims to University of Washington's hitters here yesterday, when the north-erners took a 11 to 7 victory. Anderson, Watkins and Donin were the unlucky heavers, while Specs Putnam went the entire route for the huskies.

# VICTOR H. DALEY FOR CONSTABLE

Victor Hugo Daley, republican candidate for constable of the Medford district, was born at Eagle Point, Ore., the son of a pioneer miller of that town, educated in the public schools of Medford. He passed the civil service examinations and entered the employ of the U. S. government with headquarters at Washington, D. C., with the interstate commerce commission.

Tax payer and home owner, Mr. Daley is married and the father of a ten-year-old son. For the past eight years he has conducted his own hardware shop, which is known as the Allen Barber shop, formerly the Nash Barber shop, and has been active in local affairs. For seven years he has served as secretary of the Medford Volunteer fire department; he is a charter member of the Eagles (Crater Lake Aeriel), Knight of Pythias and a Mason.

As a testimony of character, Mr. Daley submits a letter dated April 25th, 1923 over the signature of Geo. T. Collins, manager of Mason, Ehrman & Co.:

To Whom It May Concern:  
We are very glad, indeed to state that Victor H. Daley has been employed by us in a responsible position for about three years, and we have always found him to be a man of good habits, thoroughly honest, and reliable in every way, and we will be glad to answer any questions made direct to us regarding him.

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Geo. T. Collins.

If elected, Mr. Daley pledges himself to carry out the duties of his office with efficiency and dispatch. Vote 82 on the Ballot for VICTOR H. DALEY Constable.

A servant of the People. Paid. Adv.

Helman Bath, Adv.—Swim and tub.

# FACTS About Coroner's Office

Special stress is being laid upon the fact that I have held the office of coroner for two terms.

I would therefore ask each voter to pause and consider what firm held this office for four consecutive terms before I took over its duties. Then if my services have been satisfactory, I shall appreciate your hearty support.

H. W. CONGER

PAID ADV.

# Victor Bursell Is Candidate For Legislature

(Contributed)  
Victor Bursell, candidate for representative on the Republican ticket, has a thorough knowledge of county affairs and its needs, through his years of service as county commissioner. He has been an earnest worker for the upbuilding of the community,



Victor Bursell.

has a large part in constructing the splendid system of roads throughout the county and in obtaining state and federal aid on the Crater lake and Ashland-Klamath Falls and

other highways, and for the opening of the road to the Oregon caves. He has stood for economies in tax matters at all times, which is shown by figures compiled by the assessor's office. During his term of office such agencies as the health unit, home demonstrator, assistant county agent and experiment stations have been added for humanitarian and financial betterment, all of which has been done without an increase of taxes for county purposes, during which time our population has greatly increased.

Mr. Bursell had an active part in obtaining the O. & C. land grant money and seeing that it was properly expended by cancelling all warrants, reducing the bonded indebtedness, saving the \$260,000 to construct the new courthouse, and placing \$309,000 in a bond sinking fund for the final payment of outstanding bonds.

If nominated and elected, Mr. Bursell says: "I will continue to work for the best interests of the people of this county and the whole state, will support a conservative tax program and uniform budget plan, and will favor fewer and simpler laws."

# Wedding Bells

Perl Clarence Bateman, 21, and Birdie Marjorie McIntosh, 17, both of Medford, secured a marriage license Saturday afternoon from County Clerk Coon and were married by Rev. C. H. Hutton. Bateman is a mechanic and Mrs. Bateman is a dancer. He is a native of Medford, and she of Portland.—Grants Pass Daily Courier.

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# POSSE PURSUING SLAYER SUSPECT

COLVILLE, Wash., May 17.—(AP)—Scores of officers and volunteers tramped through the mountainous Lake Thomas summer resort country near here today, seeking Harry Chitwood, and the possible mortal shooting of A. E. Carsow, druggist.

Carsow, a patron at a resort operated by Mrs. Chitwood, said he heard shots near his cabin last night. Investigating he saw Chitwood running from his divorced wife's store. "My wife has just committed suicide," Carsow said the man shouted, and then opened fire on him.

Two bullets struck the druggist in the body and the hand. Brought to a hospital here, surgeons said he had no chance to recover.

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3. Greenhouse tomatoes grade out readily because of being consistently uniform in size, shape and color. Such uniformity prevents waste and loss on the part of all those concerned in the buying and selling of the fruit and also affords satisfaction to the consumer who appreciates uniformity of fruit for general serving at the table.
4. Freedom from blemish is one of the outstanding characteristics of the tomatoes grown under glass. Its freedom from skin cracks, bruises, etc.; places it in a class by itself. The conditions under which these fruits are grown make it possible for high-class fruit to be free from those blemishes often found in outdoor-grown tomatoes.
5. Greenhouse-grown tomatoes keep remarkably well. They are solid, and being free from blemish and standing up well, both in the store and in the cooler of the average home. Grocers have invariably mentioned the fact that there is practically no loss in the handling of this kind of fruit. Neither does the housewife lose if she has such tomatoes left over from day to day. This fruit has been kept in perfect state during moderately cool weather for over two and sometimes three weeks without losing a single fruit.

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