

WEIGHT BUGBEAR SENDS SANDE TO TURF OF FRANCE

Famous Little Rider Gives Up Battle to Hold Poundage to Requirements of American Racing Rules

By ORLO ROBERTSON, Associated Press Sports Writer
NEW YORK, July 8.—(AP)—Earl Sande, who rode to fame on some of America's greatest thoroughbreds, is packing his kit for an invasion of the French turf.

Finding it difficult to make the weight necessary to keep busy on American tracks, the popular little rider intends to sail for France within a fortnight.
"Just as soon as I can arrange my affairs here I'll be on my way," Sande said.

May Stay Long
How long he will remain abroad depends on his ability to obtain mounts and win with them. If successful, Sande probably will spend the remainder of his riding days showing the French how he became America's premier jockey.

Sande returned to the turf this spring after a year in the movies and radio but he has found it difficult to keep his weight down. He has frequently made 115 pounds, but this has entailed much hard exercise and dieting. He figures he can easily make 118 pounds and that weight should get him plenty of mounts in France, where there are more weight for age and scale weight events.

"It keeps me working hard to make 115," Sande told the Associated Press, "and I believe I'll be much better off in France where I will not have to worry constantly about diet, road work and steam boxes."

Weight has been a constant bugbear for Sande since he gave up riding and turned to training his own horses three years ago. In 1930, however, he entered into a contract with William Woodward to ride Gallant Fox, and with the Fox carrying 126 pounds in most of his races, Sande was in his element.

William Ryan, American sportsman racing a large stable in France, was instrumental in persuading Sande to desert the American turf.

In invading Europe, Sande will be following in the footsteps of other great American jockeys, notably Tod Sloan who rode with great success, both in France and England.

GIRLS LOSE FEW GAMES TO MALES

Much has been written about the girl athletes who will be in Medford to play the valley all-stars Sunday, July 17, but the fact that they can win games over men teams and hold their own in wins and losses on a 70-game touring schedule, brings home the fact also that the All-Stars may be defeated by the feminine crew.

According to reports the Kansas girls have beaten many teams, all of which had semi-pro players in the lineup, including teams as strong as the Mission Rockies of San Francisco.

The girls last year handed the Mission team a beating when they played a short schedule in the vicinity of San Francisco and they also won many games over teams through New Mexico, Colorado, Utah, Wyoming, Nevada, California and other states included in their last year's barnstorming campaign.

BOXING CHAMPION PERILS CHANCES

NEW ORLEANS, La., July 8.—(AP)—Coyless Hill of Tulane, national intercollegiate heavyweight boxing champion, has risked his chances for an Olympic title in an effort to help save the life of his sweetheart.

The boxer gave a pint of blood to Miss Peggy O'Real, 21, whom he has admitted he hopes to marry, after physicians pronounced her in critical condition from sunstroke suffered on a yachting party.

DEMPSEY WOULD ENJOY BATTLE WITH SHARKEY

SAN FRANCISCO, July 8.—(AP)—Jack Dempsey would like to fight Jack Sharkey for the heavyweight championship of the world.
"If there's one man I can beat it's Jack Sharkey," the former champion declared here last night in a radio interview. "I'd like to fight him for the championship of the world."
Dempsey recalled knocking Sharkey out in the seventh round of a fight in 127, and said he believed the same tactics he used then to defeat the Boston job would be successful again.
"I have looked at the Sharkey-Schmeling pictures and think Sharkey has slowed up considerably since I fought him," said Dempsey. "Furthermore, he's the type of fighter I think I can beat. He comes in on you, and is particularly susceptible to a body attack."
Dempsey said he would like to have a 1-round bout with Sharkey to give him time to wear the champion out. He added, however, the time is not now ripe for such a fight, with boxing at a low ebb throughout the country.
The former champion, now appearing at a theater here, said that in view of the protests over the Sharkey-Schmeling decision, Sharkey should offer the German a return bout immediately.

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By the Associated Press

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Los Angeles	48	47 .505
Seattle	48	49 .495
Sacramento	43	45 .439
Oakland	42	55 .433
Missions	40	57 .412
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New York	50	24 .676
Detroit	42	29 .592
Philadelphia	44	32 .579
Washington	40	38 .538
Cleveland	41	34 .547
St. Louis	36	37 .493
Chicago	27	45 .375
Boston	15	58 .205
National		
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Chicago	39	34 .534
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Fastest Feminine Runner Refuses U. S. Citizenship

CLEVELAND, July 8.—(AP)—Stella Walsh, fastest of feminine track stars, today declined to accept naturalization as a citizen of the United States and may run under the colors of her native Poland in the coming Olympic games.
If she clings to her decision, the United States has lost virtually certain points in the women's dashes.
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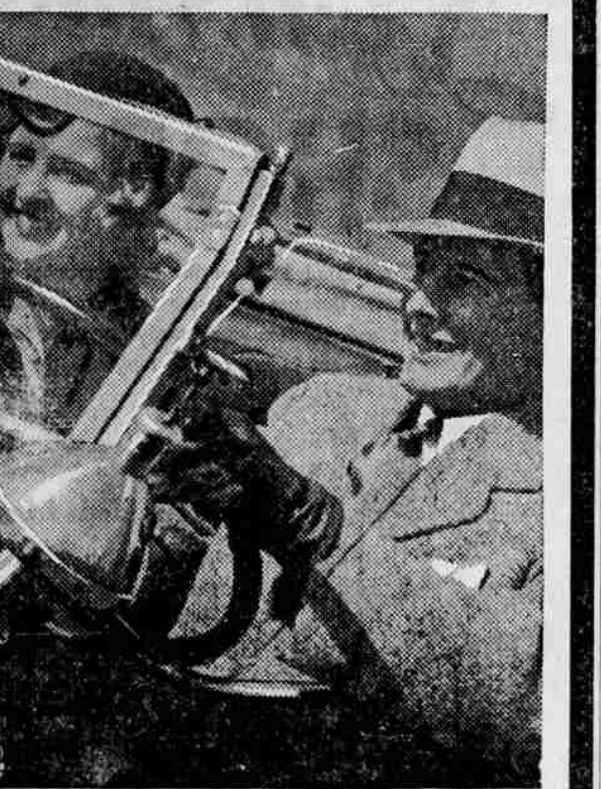
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