

U. S. Athletes Emerge From Olympics With Lions Share of Honors

8 OF 17 EVENTS WON BY YANKEES IN TEAM EVENTS

Italy With Three Titles Next In Line—All Sections Represented In American Attacks On Time.

By Alan Gould, (Associated Press Sports Editor.) LOS ANGELES, Aug. 15.—(AP)—The athletic forces of the United States emerged today from 16 days of unprecedented Olympic competition with the greatest collection of victories gained in this quadrennial carnival in at least 20 years.

In a swiftly-moving drama, unequalled in sports history for its color and spectacular elements, for its record-breaking pace, its spills and thrills, America's boys and girls romped out in front of the rest of the world under the most favorable conditions any Olympiad has known.

They won no less than eight of the 17 separate and distinct championships where, unofficially, team championships were involved. Italy, with three titles to her credit, was the nearest rival the U. S. A. had in the all-around race for medals and points, although there were thrills of triumph aplenty for most of the other big nations participating.

The Americans, at the outset, ran away with the track and field blue ribbons, for both men and women, and came down the stretch to add the chief prizes of rowing and boxing to their collection.

They yielded the supremacy in men's swimming, for the first time, to Japan's spectacular young team, but American mermals continued their unbroken succession of team triumphs.

All Sections Contribute. All sections of the United States contributed to the jousting on a wide assortment of Olympic fronts, where the fray was continuous and dazzling. Track and field stars of the American midlands, including the great Jim Bausch, of Kansas, world record holder in the 400-meter, Eddie Tolson of Detroit, the double sprint king, and Bill Carr, if his allegiance may be switched for the moment from Pennsylvania to Arkansas, contributed much to the sweeping victories of an American team that captured, altogether, 11 out of 23 men's events.

Texas sent the redoubtable Babe Didrikson, double winner and world record breaker in women's track and field sports, while the Pacific Northwest contributed Helene Madison, only double winner of the swimming battle. Eastern stalwarts like Leo Sexton and John Anderson asserted their supremacy in the weight tossing duels, besides the contribution of Philadelphia's oxman to the nation's rowing triumph. The south's Eddie Flynn of New Orleans gave a skillful boxing exhibition that helped add another team victory to the big list.

California Crew Supreme. As a climax, California's unbeaten eight-oared crew came along to beat off Italy's remarkable challenge and make safe another long-cherished item of American supremacy. It was only by the fleeting margin of one-fifth of a second that the Americans won the big boat race, with Canada and Great Britain a close third and fourth, but it was enough to keep intact their own and their country's undefeated record in this competition.

The finish of this crew race, over the 2,000-meter course at Long Beach, Saturday afternoon, gave 60,000 spectators one of the biggest thrills of the whole games. All the way it was so close that the outcome always was in doubt. Italy's final spurt, showing their shell slightly ahead, seemed the winning thrust until the Californians answered with a mighty effort to get their bow over the line scarcely more than a foot in front.

WHEN HELENE BEAT THE DUTCH



It was a battle of champions when Helene Madison (right) and her Dutch rival Wilhelmina den Ouden, met in the finals of the 100-meter Olympic swim in Los Angeles. The fraulein broke the world record in the semi-finals and then Helene came back in the finals to win by almost a length and set up a new world record of 1 minute, 6.8 seconds. (Associated Press Photo.)

BASEBALL YESTERDAY

Coast League.		R.	H.	E.
Seattle	.....	1	5	5
Hollywood	.....	1	15	0
Haid, Freitas and Cox; Shellenback and Mayer.				
Second game:				
Seattle	.....	4	8	4
Hollywood	.....	5	6	2
(Called end sixth for Seattle to catch train.)				
Nelson, Page and Bottarini; Yde, Thomas and Baasler.				
National.		R.	H.	E.
Los Angeles	.....	2	6	1
Oakland	.....	5	8	2
Stitzel, Moss and Campbell; Walsh and Rainmond.				
Second game:				
Los Angeles	.....	0	5	1
Oakland	.....	6	10	0
(Seven innings.)				
Moncrief, Fiske and Cronin; Thomas and Rainmond; LeVeque.				
American.		R.	H.	E.
Portland	.....	4	9	4
San Francisco	.....	7	10	2
Kouppal, Peterson, Bowman and Fitzpatrick; Douglas, Shine, Simon and Brenzel; Walgren.				
Second game:				
Portland	.....	1	8	0
San Francisco	.....	2	4	2
(Seven innings.)				
McDonald and Palmisano; Zinn and Brenzel.				
Missions.		R.	H.	E.
Missions	.....	4	11	1
Sacramento	.....	5	9	1
Osborn, Lieber and Rieck; Nushida, Flynn and Wirtz.				
Afternoon game:				
Missions	.....	4	12	3
Sacramento	.....	6	11	1
Reuther and Hoffman; Deshong and Woodall.				

FIGHTERS TRAIN HARD FOR BIG CELEBRATION CARD NEXT SATURDAY

So anxious are the scrappers on next Saturday's fight card at Jacksonville to be in tip-top fighting condition that most of the boys went through their training routine last night amid flashes of lightning and bursts of rain drops.

HOW THEY STAND

(By the Associated Press.)

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Portland	78	59	.569
Hollywood	77	60	.562
Los Angeles	75	61	.551
San Francisco	73	61	.545
Sacramento	67	70	.489
Seattle	64	72	.471
Oakland	59	78	.431
Missions	52	84	.382
National.			
Chicago	60	50	.545
Pittsburgh	60	51	.541
Brooklyn	61	55	.526
Philadelphia	59	57	.509
Boston	58	58	.500
St. Louis	58	57	.501
New York	51	60	.459
Cincinnati	51	67	.432
American.			
New York	76	55	.588
Philadelphia	69	46	.600
Cleveland	67	46	.593
Washington	61	51	.544
Detroit	58	51	.532
St. Louis	52	60	.464
Chicago	36	73	.330
Boston	28	85	.248

EAGLE POINT GRANGE TO HEAR ARGUMENT AGAINST SCHOOL BILL

L. L. Thomas of Marshfield, representing the School Tax-Saving association, Amecoe M. Smith, general state chairman, in opposing the Zorn-Macpherson bill, designed to move the University of Oregon to Oregon State college, will speak at a meeting of the Eagle Point Grange Tuesday evening, to which representatives of all Granges of the county have been invited.

Mr. Thomas will speak about 10 o'clock, following the regular meeting of the Grange. He will describe the content of the bill and show the taxpayers why it will not, if adopted, result in actual savings to the taxpayer, but on the contrary cost the state \$200,000 in new construction and abandoned property.

Mr. Thomas was for four years head of the Oregon Retail Merchants association, and during that period attended conventions, held in Eugene and at Corvallis, home cities of the two state schools. He has followed school events and taxation for many years and comes to southern Oregon well prepared to discuss intelligently the proposed bill.

EIGHT CLUBS IN CLOSE RACE FOR NATIONAL PEAK

By Herbert W. Barker, (Associated Press Sports Writer.) Whatever the scientific improbability of two or more objects occupying the same place at the same time, the eight clubs of the National League are busily trying to demonstrate that it can be done.

With the end of the season only six weeks away, the clubs are so closely bunched that an attempt to pick the winner can be classed as pure suicide. Chicago's Cubs still lead the parade, but their margin over the Pittsburgh Pirates is only half a game, with the Brooklyn Dodgers another game and a half to the lead. The Phillies, Boston Braves and St. Louis Cardinals follow at such brief intervals that the Cardinals are only six games out of first place.

The Cubs lost valuable ground yesterday as they surrendered two games to the Cardinals, 2-0 and 2-1 in 10 innings. Brooklyn, driving ahead toward the lead, marked time for the day by splitting two games with the New York Giants, winning the first, 2-1, in 10 innings, and dropping the second, 8-4. Johnny Frederick set up a new major league record when he eluded a home-run in a pinch-hitter's role for the fourth time this season.

The Cincinnati Reds, in last place, but only 13 games out of the lead, mowed over the Boston Braves twice, 3-1 and 9-3. The New York Yankees stretched their American league lead to nine games by whipping Washington, 6-4. The Philadelphia Athletics clubbed out a 6-1 victory over the Boston Red Sox in the first game as Jimmie Fox hit his 43rd homer, but Johnny Welch pitched the Sox to a 2-0 shut-out in the nightcap.

Tom Bridges stopped the Cleveland Indians with five hits and drove in two runs as Detroit won a 3-0 triumph. The St. Louis Browns won two games from the Chicago White Sox, 5-1 and 9-5.

Real Estate Transfers. E. S. Tule et ux to Verlin Tule; deed to land in Sec. 19 in Tp. 36 S. R. 2 E. F. W. Greene et ux to Allen Matkinson et ux; W. D. land in DLG 67 in Tp. 38 S. R. 1 W. Lottie Ayres to Ann Pearce et ux; W. D. land in Sec. 3 in Tp. 36 S. R. 1 W. M. Doh Nelson to L. P. Christean; W. D. Bks. 41 and 42, Jacksonville. First Insurance Agency to Jackson County Building & Loan Assn.; Q. C. D. tract in Lot 1, Bk. 4, City of Ashland. First Insurance Agency to Jackson County Building & Loan Assn.; Q. C.

D. Lot 8, Bk. 3, Queen Anne Add. to Medford. Mrs. A. R. Lawton et vir to Mrs. Scently Smitzer; W. D. Lot 5, Bk. 2, Wilkie Add. to Medford. Scently Smitzer et vir to Bert E. Powell et al; W. D. Lot 5, Bk. 2, Wilkie Add. to Medford. Hattie L. Smith to L. A. Smith; deed to Lots 10, 11, 12 and 13, Bk. 13, Central Point, Ore. August special. Three loads 15-in. slabs for \$6.75. Med. Fuel Co. Tel. 631. Broken windows glazed by Trowbridge Cabinet Works.



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