SPORTS

20-30 BASEMAN PROVES HERO OF BURRO BASEBALL

Fred Underwood, lanky 20-30 club third baseman, proved the hero of the donkey baseball game last night at the high school diamond as well as an excellent donkey-buster, when he whanged out a deep right field drive in the extra inning and paddled his mount around the circuit for a home run, to break a tie and give his team the game over the Medford Rotarians by a 6-5 score.

A double header is in store for the fans tonight when an Eagles' girl team takes the limelight against a women's 20-30 club team in the opening game, and Medford Activians play the 20-30 club men in the main event.

Through seven innings of side-splitting ups and downs, the two teams battled on even terms, first one side and then the other succeeding in piloting one of the stubborn, long-eared beasts across the home plate. A crowd that packed the grand stand and lined the field was kept in continual mirth by the antics of the donkeys and their inexperienced but willing riders.

Charley Furnas and George Henselman, with the latter on the mound, composed the sizzling battery for the Rotarians, and Chet Leonard, their smiling second baseman, did most of the fancy gallivanting around the bases. He stuck aboard most of the bucking donks but when it came to such a ticklish task as riding the celebrated bucker named Jack Dempsey, the oilman bit the dust in very undignified poses.

In the second inning Herb Brown, Underwood and Lyle Lindley each scored to put the 20-30 club in the lead. Determined to even the count, George Henselman then stepped up to the plate for the Rotarians and connected with a swing that looked good for at least a three-bagger, but, failing to get a good straddle on his mount, he slid off the rear end and was counted out as he jostled into second base.

Cordy Sunderman scored and Jack Hughes clouted a homer for 20-30, but Harold Reichstein of Rotary deadlocked the count, which remained tied until the end of the seventh despite the fact that Andy Anderson nearly reached home, not riding, but carrying, an undersized donkey!

The lineups:

20-30: Andy Anderson, catcher; Jack Hughes, pitcher; Herb Brown, first base; Aubrey Sanders, second base; Del Cox, shortstop; Fred Underwood, third base; Lyle Lindley, left field; Truett Cantrall, center field; Cordy Sunderman, right field.

Rotary: Charley Furnas, catcher; George Henselman, pitcher; Harold Reichstein, first base; Chet Leonard, second base; Archie Pierce, shortstop; Roland Hubbard, third base; Ed Baker, left field; M. B. Isbell of Eugene, center field; Budd Gail, right field.

PITTS TROUBLED BY BATTING EYE

ALBANY, N. Y., July 10.—(AP)—After a month with the Albany Senators of the International league, Edwin C. "Alabama" Pitts has discovered the greatest obstacle to making the grade in professional baseball is his batting eye.

The former Sing Sing prison athlete, whose eligibility caused a national sports controversy, has played in 14 games since joining the Senators and his batting average is 183. His fielding has been above reproach, however.

Pitts' throwing arm has bothered him, but he has shown steady improvement under the guidance of General Manager Johnny Evers and Manager Al Mammaux.

CORBETT OFF BALANCE IN BOUT

Lou Brouillard (right), Worcester, Mass., middleweight, caught Young Corbett III of Fresno, Calif., off balance as did the cameraman in this bit of action during their 10-round fight in San Francisco. The easterner was awarded the decision. Both boxers are former holders of the welterweight title. (Associated Press Photo)

HOW THEY STAND

By the Associated Press Coast

	W.	L.	Pct.
San Francisco	19	8	.619
Missions	19	10	.565
Los Angeles	12	10	.545
Seattle	11	10	.524
Hollywood	11	12	.478
Oakland	11	12	.478
Portland	10	12	.455
Sacramento	8	15	.348

(No major league games Tuesday.)

Scores Yesterday

Coast League

Missions, 6; Los Angeles, 3.
Portland, 6; Sacramento, 2.
Seattle, 8; Oakland, 1.
San Francisco, 4; Hollywood, 3.

(No major league games yesterday).

Canadian Golfer Wins Senior Cup

PRESTWICK, Scotland, July 10.—(AP)—R. M. Gray of Canada today won the Senior Golfing Society's Founder's cup with an 18-hole score of 77. A. R. Aitken of Great Britain was runner-up with 79 and Morton L. Fearey of New York third with 80.

Other American scores included an 82 for Charles H. Jennings of Miami Beach, Fla., and 84 for Robt. O. Smith of New York.

It rained so hard during the round that several competitors withdrew after playing a few holes.

Miss Round Will Play With Team

LONDON, Eng., July 10.—(AP)—Reconsidering an earlier decision, Dorothy Round, England's top-ranking woman tennis star, announced today she would accept an invitation to play with the British Wightman cup team against the United States at Forest Hills August 16-17.

Named to the team last Thursday, Miss Round said the following day she would not play because she was suffering from a severe leg strain and was "tired of tennis."

WRESTLING LAST NIGHT

(By the Associated Press.)

BALTIMORE, Md.—Joe Savoldi, 200, Michigan, and Jim Browning, 220, New York, drew.

WRESTLING ARENA DARK THIS WEEK

Upon returning last night from a 10 days' trip to Portland and other northern muscle-mangling meccas, Promoter Mack Willard announced that he has been unable to line up a card this week and that the Armory arena will stay dark Thursday night.

A top-notch program is lined up for next week, however, the promoter announced, tentatively listing Pete Belcastro, recent winner of the Pacific coast junior heavyweight championship, as one of the main participants. Les Wolfe, who was expected to return to Medford today after several wrestling engagements at Los Angeles, is also being counted on for more of his supple mat work.

Al Stecher, German grappler, has been grappling in San Francisco, and will also return to Medford this week, seeking a main event appearance, according to the promoter.

Floyd Wolfgang, local middleweight flash, may be one of the neck-twisters in the opening engagement.

Steinke Fails In Two-Ply Wrestle

BELLINGHAM, July 10.—(AP)—Unable to throw Harry Kent, 227, of Corvallis, in 26 minutes after getting a fall from Jack Fosgren, 230, Vancouver, B. C., in 34 minutes, Hans Steinke, 230, Germany, was the loser of a "one hour limit" exhibition here last night.

BABY DONKEY IN BASEBALL HERD

"Perversity Princess is a pretty big name to attach to as small an animal as is the tiny female donkey born in the fairground barns at Grants Pass Friday. But it was suggested by the management of the touring baseball donkeys that the Mail Tribune name the spindly-legged little colt, and "Perversity Princess" somehow seems to fit.

The little jackass, or rather jacqueline-ass, was born on the 5th of July, and not the 4th, or "Independence" would have been the ideal name. According to the manager, Jack Bartlett, the new arrival is one of the very few "paint" colored donkeys in existence. Said he, "I don't know where that coloring came from. Her mother is just a plain little old grey donkey."

The mother is not entirely plain, however. She is the "center-field" animal with the voice like a ferry-boat whistle, whose plaintive wails to her offspring, confined to the company truck nearby, are the object of much merriment.

The little donkey was scheduled to ride in the parade this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Fights Last Night

By the Associated Press

CHICAGO—Gene Stanley, 160, Detroit, stopped Kid Leonard, 160, East Moline, Ill., (7).

MIAMI BEACH, Florida — Frankie Hughes, 145, Clinton, Ind., outpointed Tommy Romano, 154½, Cleveland, (2).

SPORT SLANTS by Pap

A year, generally speaking is no great length of time in the development of athletic material but the heavyweight boxing situation has developed two miracles in the period.

First there was the case of Jim Braddock. In less than a year Braddock came back from the ranks of listic discards to win the world's heavyweight championship from Max Baer. And now comes Joe Louis.

On July 4th Louis celebrated the anniversary of his first professional ring appearance with the acclaim of the experts still ringing in his ears for the complete and masterful way in which he disposed of the giant Primo Carnera in six rounds. Many rate Louis the greatest heavyweight fighter of the generation, others go a step further and compare him with the greatest of all time. A year ago he was just another amateur champion with an ambition to make a mark in the "pro" ranks.

His two-year amateur record shows 43 knockouts, seven victories on points and four setbacks in 54 bouts. Eleven months of professional boxing added 10 knock-out victims to his list in 23 bouts, without a single loss to mar his record. Thus 62 knock-outs for a career which embraces 77 bouts—that's the story of Joe Louis' punch!

A Master Boxer, Too!

His smashing victory over Carnera did more than prove Louis a great puncher—it showed him to be a masterful boxer with a well-night punch-proof defense. Many expected Carnera to outbox his inexperienced opponent but Louis brushed aside Primo's ponderous left handed thrusts, moved inside and out just as he pleased.

Most fight followers will be ready to name Louis the perfect fighting machine as soon as they are convinced that he can "take it" as well as he deals out punishment. If he continues to demolish his opponents with his crushing punch, and at the same time offering an impregnable defense—he won't have to take a great amount of punishment. Until he shows that he cannot take it he should be entitled to the benefit of the doubt.

Just to prove that being shorn of his title hasn't changed Max Baer any the former champion came through with a nifty when asked at ringside what he thought of Louis' exhibition against Carnera.

"He's truly a great fighter, but I'll make him jump out of the ring," said Max. "Get that fellow for me."

Just like the Max Baer of old. But Promoter Mike Jacobs' offer of a September bout with Louis was not snapped up by Max as readily as his remark would indicate.

One Max Or Another.

Baer's manager, Ancil Hoffman, told the promoter that Baer could accept no matches until he was certain that his hands would be in shape for a battle.

The former title holder's hands are in bad shape. One physician recommended an operation on the right hand while another suggested that both hands be placed in a cast for several weeks.

Hoffman seemed to think that there was little chance of Baer putting on the gloves again this year, let alone in a couple of months.

In the event that Baer will be unable to meet Louis in the fall it is highly probable that Promoter Jacobs will try to bring Max Schmeling over here for the bout.

The $325,000 gate of the Louis-Carnera bout sold Mike Jacobs on promoting heavyweight bouts. His good friend, the late Tex Rickard, always felt that there was only one real championship spectacle — and that between a pair of big boys. Now Jacobs is convinced.

NEW TRACK LUMINARY SETS TWO-MILE MARK

NEW YORK, July 10.—(AP)—A new star has appeared in the track firmament, and his name is Bright.

Norman Bright of Bellingham, Wn., who wears the colors of the San Francisco Olympic club, raced to a new American two-mile record last night on the rain-soaked track of New York university at Ohio field.

Bright, who said he never before had run the two-mile event in competition, amused timers before the race when he asked that his time be yelled to him as he passed each quarter-mile mark.

They had expected that the veteran Joe McCluskey of the New York A. C. would romp in first with plenty to spare.

Bright allowed McCluskey to make the pace until the last lap, when he breezed by the leader like a dash man and breasted the tape 30 yards in front in the new American time of 9 minutes, 13.2 seconds, more than two seconds faster than the former mark of 9:15.4.

Eulace Peacock, the latest negro speed sensation, turned in his third victory over Jesse Owens of Ohio State in the century dash, but Owens evened matters for the meet by taking the broad jump. Peacock, fast on the getaway, was nearly overhauled at the tape, winning by a scant foot in 9.7.

Owens gathered himself from a slippery takeoff, however, to leap 23 feet 9 inches in the broad jump. The best Peacock could do was 23 feet, 6¾ inches.

V.F.W. TO DEPLORE WARLIKE MOVES

NEWPORT, Ore., July 10.—(AP)—Considerable support of a resolution under the terms of which veterans who have fought the battles of the United States would deplore any move which might involve this nation in another world war, was apparent today at the annual encampment of Oregon's Veterans of Foreign Wars.

The resolution, introduced yesterday, had today been returned to the committee for redrafting, but it appeared to have enlisted much support.

The resolution proposed a "censorship of propaganda"; called for prohibition of sale of munitions; demanded that merchant and other ships of warring nations be denied admittance to ports of the United States; asked that belligerent nations be denied the right to recruit in the United States; suggested regulation of money loans to warring nations and the sale of bonds here by belligerents, and urged adoption of federal laws regulating activity of American merchant ships in time of war.

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