

Sport Graphs

Billy Hulén Says:

Del Baker Still Holds Out Hope For Hutchinson

Freddie Hutchinson, making his first start for Detroit Tuesday after being dragged back from the minors for one more try at the big time, came up with a six-hit, six-strikeout job against the Athletics...

Eddie Brietz wants to know if the world is going backwards, pointing out that "here's Marshall Pétain, the old World war hero, running France..."

The Craters are having a rather difficult time obtaining a release from the Portland Babes for Joe Peccia, who is living here now and playing softball for Wooden Box...

Eleven Yankee players, six of them pitchers, are reported slated for shipment down the river next winter...

Johnny Kilbane, the old featherweight champ, is running for the senate in Cleveland...

Stanford and Notre Dame are cooking up a home and home grid series, the first at Palo Alto in 1943...

NATIONAL AMATEUR IN 1941 GOES TO OMAHA

New York, July 17.—(AP)—The 1941 national amateur golf championship will be held at the Omaha Field club, Omaha, Neb., the United States Golf association announced today.



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Colored Piney Woods Collegians to Play Craters Tonight

YOUTHFUL NEGRO CLUB CONSIDERED GOOD AS DAVIDS

Collegians Boast Stars at All Posts — Craters Intact Except for Al Wray

The Medford Craters take time out from their intensive Oregon State league and state tournament battling to face the scintillating Piney Woods Collegians, colored barnstorming club, under the lights at the fairgrounds park tonight.

It will be the first home appearance of the Craters since July 7. In the interim they copied a couple of state tourney victories at Portland and gained an even split with Hills Creek in a two-tit State loop series.

The darkies, hailing from the Piney Woods Negro school at Piney Woods, Miss., are rated on a par with the famous House of Davids and Kansas City Monarchs teams, and considerably better than the African Zulu Giants, who were here recently.

Coach Plays

Managed by Lee Payne, who coaches and teaches physical education at the Piney Woods school and plays left field for the club, the Collegians will line up with Webster Herron catching, John Henry Dunn on first, Burnell Longest on second, Jim Wallace on short, Eugene Tyler on third, Clarence Knight in right and Bilbo Williams in center.

Piney Wood's starting hurler will be selected from this array of mound talent: Curtis "Schoolboy" Hollingsworth, Eddie "Lefty" Thompson, Leonard Johnson, C. M. Bickler, Augustus Forte, A. W. Cummings. The team won 126 out of 142 games played last season against the best semi-pro clubs in the nation, and has an even better record this summer.

Manager Tommy Hawkins of the Craters is undecided who will pitch for the locals, although it will probably be Jim Rego, Bill Lanning or Steve Crippen. Lanning worked against Hills Creek Saturday night, Rego pitched Sunday and Crippen's last start was at Portland Friday.

Wray Pulls Muscle

The Crater lineup should be intact this evening, with the exception of Al Wray, right field. Wray pulled a muscle again against Hills Creek Saturday night and probably won't be able to see action. Hawkins will catch, Patterson will be on first, Riney Cook on second, McDonald on short, McLean on third, Pacheco in left, Peterson in center and Calvert in right.

NOVIKOFF STILL TOPS COAST LOOP HITTERS

Los Angeles, July 17.—(AP)—Louie Novikoff of Los Angeles and Steve Messer of San Diego hold the Pacific Coast league batting lead, in games played through Monday, with averages of .359 and .345 respectively.

Team batting leadership is held by San Diego and Seattle with .268 and .287 respectively.

the Omaha Field club, Omaha, Neb., the United States Golf association announced today.

May Hurl Against Craters



When the sensational Piney Woods Collegians face the State league Craters at the fairgrounds park tonight at 8:30, (filing for the colored club may be Curtis "Schoolboy" Hollingsworth (above), one of the aces of the barnstorming club's mound corps. The pitcher is known to his teammates as "Mr. Sparks," possibly because of his fireball.

PARKER LEADS IN TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Jackson Heights, N. Y., July 17.—(AP)—Play in the fourth round of the men's singles at the eastern clay court championships began today with the seeded favorites led by Frank Parker of Pasadena, Calif.

Parker, seeded No. 1, defeated Louis Valentine of New York, 6-0, 6-1, yesterday and Joe Fishback of New York, seeded fifth, won over Tom Brown, San Francisco, 7-5, 6-2 to complete the seeded contingent in the fourth round.

The women stars—Virginia Wolfenden, San Francisco, listed first; Dorothy Bundy, Santa Monica, Calif., second; and Norma Taubele, New York, former national indoor champion, advanced without much effort.

HOW THEY STAND

American League			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	47	31	.603
Cleveland	48	32	.600
Boston	45	33	.577
New York	41	36	.532
Chicago	36	39	.480
Washington	34	48	.415
Philadelphia	32	47	.405
St. Louis	33	50	.398

National League			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Cincinnati	51	24	.680
Brooklyn	48	28	.632
New York	42	33	.560
Chicago	43	40	.518
St. Louis	33	41	.446
Pittsburgh	33	42	.440
Boston	27	45	.375
Philadelphia	25	49	.338

Pacific Coast League			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Seattle	70	36	.660
Oakland	64	48	.571
Los Angeles	56	53	.514
San Diego	55	55	.500
Hollywood	52	59	.468
Sacramento	52	60	.464
Portland	37	57	.396

PROMOTER NAMES FIVE WRESTLERS

Promoter Mack Lillard today came up with the names of five of the six grapplers who will tangle in a battle royal at the armory next Monday night, and announced that the sixth gladiator would be named later in the week.

Heading the list, as disclosed by the promoter, is Dangerous Danny McShane, former world's light-heavyweight champion. Pete Belcastro, another ruffian, will be on hand for the fireworks. Otis Clingman of Amarillo, Texas, will return after a long absence, as will Jimmy Goodrich, former Notre Dame grid star. George Wagner of Houston, Texas was the fifth man mentioned.

It will be ladies night, with all purchasers of a ringside or balcony ticket being given a free one to admit a feminine fan.

B-O WINS THIRD TOURNAMENT FRAGAS

Portland, July 17.—(AP)—John Linde cast a long shadow over the state semi-pro baseball tournament today after pitching B & O Transfer of Portland to a 9-2 victory over Valseltz last night.

It was the B & O chucker's third straight tournament victory. He pitched Valseltz to five hits and fanned 13. The defeat was Valseltz's first.

Molalla passed out of the tournament with a 5 to 1 licking by Verboort. It was the second loss for the Willamette Valley nine.

Scores:

B & O	9	2	1
Harris, Johnson and Dixon; Linde and Marr.			
Molalla	1	4	3
Verboort	5	9	1
Clanni and Corbett; Lydia and N. Krieger.			

BOXMEN TROUCE MEDCO, 15 TO 4; UMPIRES REMOVED

Mighty Medco lost its first American league softball game of the year last night to Wooden Box, 15 to 4, in a riotous clash that saw Catcher D'Arcy of the winners ejected from the tilt in the second inning and both umpires replaced by two new arbiters as several hundred fans staged a five-minute demonstration against the calling of balls and strikes.

D'Arcy was chased from the game when he protested too violently to Umpire Lew Miles on the latter's calling of Joe Peccia's pitches for Wooden Box, and immediately the crowd took up the Boxmen cause.

To quiet the crowd, Field Manager Riney Cook instructed Miles and Base Umpire Fred Lennard to switch places, but Lennard refused on the ground that it would put his brother official in a sorry light. E. H. Hedrick then substituted Fred Soler and Bill Newland for both umpires, and the game continued.

At the time of the trouble Medco was ahead, 3 to 0, but in the third inning Wooden Box went base-hit crazy to tally 10 runs on seven hits and an error and ice the contest. Pacheco and Piche hit triples for the winners and Leavens doubled, while Wilson and Steiner tripled for Medco. Pacheco also scored from first base on a single to centerfield, on a hit and run play.

Peccia, in pitching the Boxmen to victory, allowed only four hits, while Steiner was rapped for 13 by the hard-slugging winners.

In the other American league game, Copco tallied five runs in the seventh inning to wallop Catholic Men, 14 to 9. Kevan tripled and doubled for the losers.

In the National league, Bear Creek punched across three runs in the seventh frame to edge out Faber's, 12 to 11, and Teamsters blanked Eagles, 7 to 0, on Russ Bean's one-hit hurling. Bean fanned 17.

Scores:

Copco	14	15	4
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ARMSTRONG LONG CHOICE TO BEAT JENKINS TONIGHT

New York, July 17.—(AP)—Henry Armstrong will out-weight Lew Jenkins by three and one-half pounds for their 12-round fight tonight at the Polo grounds. At the official weigh-in, Armstrong scaled 139; Jenkins 135½.

Scores Yesterday

American League

Philadelphia	3	Detroit	1
Washington	11	Cleveland	8
Chicago	5	New York	1
Only games.			

National League

Pittsburgh	5	Brooklyn	3
Chicago	3	New York	0
St. Louis	4	Boston	3

Pacific Coast League

Seattle	3	Oakland	2
Hollywood	3	San Diego	1
San Francisco	6	Los Angeles	3

Portland at Sacramento, Portland traveling.

Fights Last Night

By Associated Press
Albany, N. Y.—Buddy Knox, 190, Dayton, O., outpointed Jorge Brescia, 204, South America (10).

Los Angeles—Al Smith, 149, Los Angeles, stopped Irwin Kay 147, Los Angeles (7).

Stockton, Calif.—Jimmy Garrison, 140, Los Angeles, and Dencio Cabanela, 142, Stockton, drew (10).

Boise, Idaho—Tiger Jack Fox, 182, Spokane, knocked out Pio Pico, 180, Mexico (9).

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hitting little man who ever lived. The immovable object—Welterweight Champion Henry Armstrong, veteran of 117 fights, a tireless, mahogany-colored chunk of flesh and bone who has never met the man who could knock him off his feet. Armstrong's great record—he once held the featherweight, lightweight and welterweight titles at the same time—made him a 9 to 5 favorite. Betting is heavier than on any recent fight here and the customers are looking forward to the best brawl between little men since Benny Leonard and Lew Tender tore into each other 23 years ago.

By Harry Ferguson.
New York, July 17.—(AP)—An irresistible force meets an immovable object at the Polo grounds tonight, and about 40,000 students of the theory of thump are going to gather under the stars to see what happens. The irresistible force—Lightweight Champion Lew Jenkins, the killer-diller from Texas who is riding a string of eight straight knockouts and who may turn out to be the hardest

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