

SPORTS

BERGOLD, CRIPPEN
SLATED TO PITCH
AGAINST MARINES

Games Scheduled for Saturday Night, Sunday Afternoon; Visitors Strong.

Manager Paul Freer of the Medford-Camp White league All-Stars announced today that Ted Bergold, the southpaw mite, would pitch Saturday night against the Marine Air Base Wingers from Corvallis, with the veteran Steve Crippen, right-handed curve-baller, working the Sunday afternoon struggle.

Saturday night's tilt will begin at 9 o'clock and the game Sunday at 2:30. Both will be played at the fairgrounds park. Expected to toe the slab for the Wingers, who handed the U. S. Naval Air Station club of Klamath Falls their only defeat of the season two weeks ago, are Hank Dlugocki, property of the Cleveland Indians and Frank Dietzel, owned by the Baltimore Orioles of the International league.

Lineup Changes
Freer announced several changes in the All-Star lineup, from that which lost to the naval fliers from Klamath Falls last Sunday. Ray Brocker will catch, with either Dave Otte or Homer Sullivan on first. Don Wilkey on second, Tony D'Ambrasio on short, DeRushio on third, Harold Lange in left, Virgil Swanson or Paul Lucido in center and Otte or Swanson in right.

Brocker caught the last inning against the fliers and looked

very good. Freer, who caught the first eight innings, said he might put himself in the out-field.

The powerful Wingers, most of whose players have seen overseas service, are expected to take the field with Ticony back of the plate, Aberle on first, Johnston on second, Kreebs on short, Blackwell on third, Khelekin in left, Aruin in center and Nelson in right. The club, which has a batting average of .321, is led at the plate by Khelekin.

Best Team Yet
The marine nine will be the most powerful club to appear here this season and large crowds are expected for both games. While the visitors are expected to prove too strong for the locals, the Freermen have strengthened to the point where they could upset the dope and take one, or both, contests.

HOW THEY
STAND

American	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	59	42	.584
Boston	52	46	.531
New York	50	46	.521
Cleveland	51	51	.500
Detroit	49	50	.495
Chicago	49	51	.490
Philadelphia	45	56	.446
Washington	42	56	.429

National	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	71	26	.732
Cincinnati	54	42	.563
Pittsburgh	50	42	.543
Chicago	44	47	.484
New York	46	51	.474
Boston	39	56	.411
Philadelphia	37	55	.402
Brooklyn	38	60	.388

FORMER RED DIES
Redwood City, Calif., Aug. 4.—(U.P.)—Arthur Haugher, 47, former major and minor league baseball star who played with the Cincinnati Reds and managed the Toronto Maple Leafs, died at his home here yesterday.

YOUTHS SEEK JOBS
Cleveland—(U.P.)—Nearly 10,000 boys and girls under 18, all seeking high-paying jobs during the summer vacation period between school terms, have been granted work permits by the Cleveland school board bureau of attendance.

Franklin Death Emphasizes
Dangers To Unfit Fighters

By Jack Cuddy

United Press Staff Correspondent

New York, Aug. 4.—(U.P.)—Lem Franklin's death in New Jersey from ring injuries should serve as a grim warning to boxing commissions throughout the United States that all participants in this dangerous sport should be subjected to a thorough, rigid physical examination.

Boxing is the most dangerous of all sports, even for young men in perfect physical condition, because the delicate brain is subjected to almost constant punishment in training sessions and in combat. Even the perfectly conditioned can suffer quick death—like Luther McCarty—or be rendered permanently "punchy." Moreover there is the ever-present menace of blindness or injury to the internal organs.

If these hazards confront a boxer in peak shape, imagine the risk that one takes when he enters the ring "washed-up"—with his reactions dulled by previous head injuries or by illness or dissipation. To prevent tragedy from stalking these unfortunates, every boxing commission has its examining physician or physicians—experts of the physical check-up who protect the unfit from being killed or permanently injured, even though the unfit are ready to gamble their lives, their eyes and their sanity for dollars.

Lem Franklin, Chicago negro heavyweight, died yesterday at Newark, N. J., from injuries suffered when knocked out by Larry Lane on the night of July 24. Events leading up to the bout would indicate that Franklin was unfit when he entered the ring, although John J. Hall, state athletic commissioner for New Jersey, denies this, and report of the autopsy likewise discounts the unfitness suspicion.

Many managers and trainers suspected that there was "something wrong" with Franklin before he accepted the Newark match. In fact, Willie Stevens, boxing expert of the New York Sunday Enquirer, wrote that if Franklin went through with his proposed come-back plans, "something might happen to him."

Franklin's manager, Jack Hurley, had forced the big negro to retire last August for the evasive reason: "I knew he wasn't getting any place." Which was a polite way of saying that Lem was through—washed up. Hurley had forced another fighter into retirement in 1934—Billy Petrolle, the "Fargo Express," because he saw that Petrolle's legs were gone during a 10-round licking by Barney Ross. Hurley made Petrolle's retirement stick; but

it was a different and tragic story with Franklin, who insisted upon come-back.

PEP CHALLENGED
BY PUERTO RICAN

New York, Aug. 4.—(U.P.)—Pedro Hernandez of Puerto Rico has challenged officially Featherweight Champion Willie Pep for a shot at the title and deposited the required \$1,000 forfeit check with the New York Boxing commission.

In presenting the challenge and check yesterday, Hernandez' manager Al Weil informed the commission that if the fistie fathers questioned Hernandez' right to a title scrap, Pedro would be ready to prove his merit against any rival contender, including Chalky Wright and Phil Terranova.

Pep is recognized in New York and affiliated states; but Sal Bartolo of Boston is champion in National Boxing association territory.

BEAVERS BEATEN
BY ANGELS AGAIN

By United Press

The home run hitting Los Angeles Angels enjoyed a relatively wide lead in the Pacific Coast league pennant scramble today, taking a three game margin over San Francisco by trouncing the Portland Beavers 9-1 last night while Sacramento was drubbing the Seals 4-2.

San Diego's last place Padres edged Hollywood 1-0, while Oakland stopped Seattle 5-3. The night's games sent Oakland into fourth, and put Sacramento in a tie for fifth with Portland, a half game behind the Aorns. Red Adams' four hit pitching and Angel slugging, led by Rip Russell's three-run homer, gave Los Angeles its third straight win over the Beavers. Roy Helser was the losing twirler.

BRUINS NIP BUMS
FOR EIGHTH AND
NINTH STRAIGHT

New York, Aug. 4.—(U.P.)—The Chicago Cubs, a Major league club on paper but a Minor league outfit on the field earlier this season, today were in the National league's first division for the first time since April 20, and riding the crest of a nine game winning streak as they ended their eastern tour.

Yesterday the Bruins defeated the Brooklyn Dodgers in both ends of a twin bill for their eighth and ninth straight wins, a record equalled by only two other Major league clubs this year—the American league leading St. Louis Browns and the National league leading St. Louis Cardinals.

In addition to the club triumphs, Belting Bill Nicholson achieved a personal one when he took over the Major league lead in home runs as he clouted one in each game to extend his total to 23.

Bob Chipman, left-handed rookie whom the Dodgers traded to the Cubs for Shortstop-Second Baseman Ed Stanky earlier this season, was credited with the opening 6-2 triumph. In addition to Nicholson's first homer, Dom Dallessandro hit one off Loser Curt Davis.

Claude Passeau pitched the second game and spaced 10 hits to win 7-1 and move the Cubs ahead of the idle New York Giants into fourth place.

In the only other National league game scheduled the St. Louis Cardinals trounced the Pittsburgh Pirates 15-2 with an 18 hit attack.

The victory gave the Cards another half game margin on the idle second place Cincinnati Reds and stretched their lead to 1 1/2 games.

In the only American league activity the Chicago White Sox threw a cramp into the style of the pressing Cleveland Indians by beating them in both ends of a doubleheader. John Dickshot tripled to start a ninth inning rally in the opener and scored on Hal Trosky's single to break a 2-2 tie and give Bill Dietrich a 3-2 win in the opener. The Sox came from behind in the nightcap too, scoring five runs in the seventh and eighth inning to gain a 5-1 victory.

MACK TO OBSERVE
50 YEARS IN LOOP

Philadelphia, Aug. 4.—(U.P.)—Today marks the 50th anniversary of Connie Mack's service to major league baseball as a manager and the 81-year-old pilot of the Philadelphia Athletics will be feted in a special program tonight at Shibe park, home of the Athletics.

A dinner and celebration will precede a game between the New York Yankees and the "A's" and will be attended by all but two of the athletes Mack named to his all-time all-star squad. George Sisler and Honus Wagner were unable to be present but the other team members—Mickey Cochrane, Bill Dickey, Lefty Grove, Tris Speaker, Walter Johnson, Babe Ruth, Ty Cobb, Eddie Collins and Frank (Home Run) Baker—will be on hand.

FALKENBERG, SHEA
IN SEMI-FINALS

Kalamazoo, Mich., Aug. 4.—(U.P.)—Defending Champion Bob Falkenberg of Hollywood, Cal., and John Shea of Los Angeles, were set to battle it out today in the feature match of the semi-finals of the National Juniors and Boys' Tennis tournament being played here.

Falkenberg showed good form yesterday in advancing to the round of four when he defeated tournament Dark Horse Billy Smith of Orlando, Fla., 6-4, 6-4.

Shea moved ahead with a 6-0, 1-6, 7-5 edge over Chubby Ed Ray of Sinton, Tex.

In the other semi-final match second-seeded Bernard Barten of San Angelo, Tex., meets third-ranked Herbie Flam of Beverly Hills, Cal., last year's boys' titlist. Barten, National Interscholastic and Western Junior champion, moved into the semi-final round at the expense of Alan Watson of Short Hills, N. J., whom he defeated easily, 6-0, 6-1. Flam had a battle with Henry Pfister of San Francisco before winning, 3-6, 6-4, 6-4.

KATONEN DEFEATS
KAISER IN FINE
WRESTLING BOUT

In exactly half an hour of some of the most sensational scientific grappling yet staged in the Medford armory, Paavo Katonen defeated Jack Kaiser, two falls to one, in a main event match last night that kept the customers on the edge of their seats from beginning to end.

The pair went through every legal maneuver in the book, with Katonen, coast light-heavy champion, taking the first tumble in 16 minutes with a series of whip wristlocks followed by a body press. Katonen set up this fall with a couple of elbow blows to Kaiser's chin, a perfectly legitimate action.

The young Kaiser, who was the favorite with the fans, evened the count five minutes later with a beautiful step-over inside toe hold. He had Katonen on the defensive for several minutes and finally was able to clamp on the hold.

Nine minutes later the big Finnish fellow obtained the third and deciding fall, employing a back body drop and a press for the decider. The last nine minutes were filled with action as both boys cut loose with everything they knew in an attempt to grab the "rubber" press.

Herb Parks, the Canadian light-heavyweight champion, won his middle event match with Tony Morelli when the latter was disqualified by Referee Earl Yoakley.

Morelli won the first fall in the second round with a press, rolling over on top of Parks while the latter had what looked to be a pinning headlock.

Parks turned the tables in the third heat with a giant swing and body slam after hammering the rough Morelli from pillar to post.

In the fourth round Morelli, somewhere, picked up a little rubber stamp and scraped it across Parks' eyes. Yoakley finally spotted the dirty work and gave the match to the Canadian.

Tex Porter whipped Pat O'Dowdy in two straight falls in the opener, taking the first with dropkicks and a press and the second on a foul after O'Dowdy kicked him out of the ring three times.

Promoter Mack Lillard announced that Ernie Piluso, popular Portlander, would appear here next Thursday night, probably against Katonen.

BETTING EVEN ON
MONTY, JACK TIFF

New York, Aug. 4.—(U.P.)—A war bond sale of \$40,000,000 is expected for tonight's non-title bout between Lightweight Champion Bob Montgomery and ex-Champ Beau Jack at Madison Square Garden.

Admission is by war bond purchase only for this fourth meeting between the two negro soldiers—a 10-round bout in which both Private Montgomery of Keeler Field, Miss., and Private Peck of Fort Benning, Ga., are donating their services.

Although Champion Montgomery won two of their three previous title meetings, betting was even today for two major reasons: (1) Beau Jack is considered the more consistent performer, and (2) their 45 rounds of previous fighting was so close

that out of a possible 135 votes, Monty received only six more than Jack—67 and 61. Seven were even. In addition Beau was expected to have a slight weight advantage of about 137 pounds to Monty's 135.

COWS WARNING
Mexico City—(U.P.)—The ministry of national defense has reminded motorists using Mexican highways at night to use caution as cattle and other animals make a habit of sleeping on the road.

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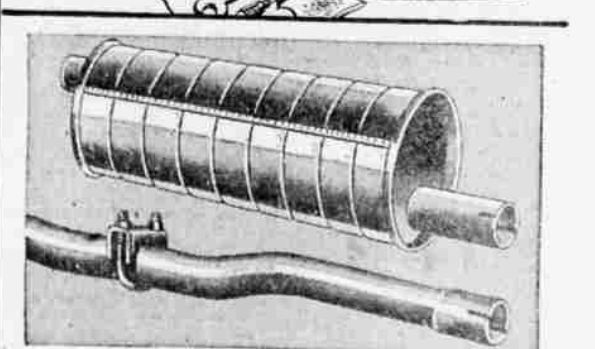
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