



CHAMPIONS IN TWO SPORTS TO BE UNDER FIRE

Helen Wills and Bobby Jones in Action Week of August 21

NEW YORK, Aug. 11. (UP)—Two of the chief sporting spectacles of the season conflict this month.

Those who want to see Bobby Jones fighting his way through the high class field in the national amateur golf championship at Minkahda must forego the privilege of watching Helen Wills flash upward from flight to flight in the women's tennis championships at Forest Hills.

Bobby and Helen, both of whom lost their title in 1926, are favorites to regain the top this year. The regrettable part of it is that they will be doing their regaining simultaneously during the week of August 21.

Conflict Inevitable. With the sports calendar crowded for the next two months,

a conflict of this sort was inevitable.

Which will the sports enthusiasts choose? The green fairways of Minkahda or the sun-baked horseshoe at Forest Hills?

Supporting Helen Wills in the all-star cast at the West Side courts will be Helen Jacobs, sensational youngster from the Pacific coast, Mrs. Molla Mallory, swarthy defending champion, Kea Bouman, spirited Dutch star, and the best women players from England, including Betty Nuthall and Kitty McKane Godfree.

To the charm of championship tennis will be added the grace of active femininity.

Jones at Peak. The rolling hills of Minkahda have a different but equally potent fascination. Bobby Jones has just returned from abroad where he broke half a dozen records in winning the British open championship by six strokes. To see him play in this championship may be to watch him at the peak of his game, never again to be attained.

Then there will be satirize George Von Elm, the blonde, sun-burnt Californian, who defeated Bobby at Baltusrol last summer and now holds the amateur championship; Harrison (Jimmy) Johnston, the homebred who led the big parade at Oakmont in mid-June for two hard fought rounds; Chick Evans, the irrepressible, and a host of other exponents of the best brand of golf.

"Bobby's fight through that field, or Helen's at Forest Hills. The choice is difficult, indeed."

Seeks Homely Man. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 11. (UP)—A homely man will be her choice if she decides to marry again, Mrs. Lucille Andrews, 19, declared today following her divorce from Robert C. Andrews, 23. "Pretty men like my husband are lazy and make awful husbands," she told the judge. "If I marry again it will be a homely man."

Arrested in Every State. NEW YORK, Aug. 11. (UP)—Mike Lescovitch, arrested as a vagrant, said this was the 48th state in which he had been taken up by the law.

Tunney in No Hurry To Begin Training; I'll be Ready When Gong Rings," He Says Quietly

By FRANK GETTY
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NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—Gene Tunney refuses to be hustled into action in preparation for his defense of the heavyweight championship at Chicago next month.

When the title-holder heard that Tex Rickard had decided to hold the bout in Soldiers Field, he carefully marked the place in his book where his reading had been interrupted, and said:

"How many will it seat?" Assured that the stadium would accommodate at least 155,000 cash customers, Gene expressed satisfaction and returned to his book.

The champion will take his time about training to meet Jack Dempsey. In a few weeks, of course, the promoter will demand a display of concern on Tunney's part, but for the present

there has been little change in Gene's orderly daily routine. "I've been in shape right along," Tunney explains.

Many Sparring Partners. Sparring partners will not be called for active service until the end of the month. The champion has been deluged with offers of the services of second-raters of the ring.

It is pleasant after a sparring partner for Gene Tunney than fulfilling a similar role in Jack Dempsey's camp. For one thing, the title-holder sees no need of punishing his thick-skinned aides. For another, Gene will be working for speed and accuracy rather than slugging.

The champion will continue about his fishing and wood-chopping, undisturbed by the rising tide of clamor over the bout. "No hurry," says Tunney. "I'll be ready when the gong rings."

FLOWERS BEATS DILLON EASILY

Former Champion Toys With Canadian; 9,000 Fans Witness Fight

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 11. (UP)—Tiger Flowers, former middleweight champion, administered a boxing lesson to Harry Dillon, Winnipeg light heavyweight in a ten round bout here last night before the largest fight crowd in years.

Nine thousand fans jammed the ice coliseum and watched the negro boxer toy with the Canadian. Dillon failed to land a clean blow for the first five rounds and was an easy target for the clever negro's short jab. He was down for a one count in the second round.

In the sixth frame Dillon began a spirited rally in an effort to overcome the negro's big lead, and managed to gain credit for the seventh and eighth frames, but his spirit came too late to be effective. With both eyes swollen and discolored, he had difficulty in locating his shadowy opponent.

Tiger Thomas, Philadelphia

Golden Bears Look Good in Grid Practice

BERKELEY, Calif., Aug. 11. (UP)—The University of California will have a football team that will finish in the first division of the Pacific Coast conference this year if the line can be strengthened, Coach "Nibs" Price predicted today.

"The forward wall is our problem," Price admitted, "and our greatest effort must be concentrated upon strengthening tackle and guard positions. When practice starts and we get a chance to look over the men coming up from the freshman and sophomore teams we may find the solution."

The Bears will have an abundance of backfield material. 13 experienced candidates for ball carrying places being certain to return to school.

"Present plans call for the shifting of some of the backfield talent to the line, but I will not make any decisions until I see the men at work," Price said.

"Despite the line problem I look for good season," he said. midweight, took a six round decision over Neil Campbell, Portland, in the semi-windup.

GIANTS AFTER CHICAGO CUBS

N. Y. Beats Pirates; Phillies and Braves Split; Red Sox Stopped

(By the Associated Press) Closing their trip with an 8-1 victory over the Pirates, the Giants were in New York today for their final home stand, during which Manager McGraw hopes the team can whittle down the eight and one half game margin that separates the Giants from the first place Cubs.

The Cubs profited by idleness. The Pittsburgh defeat boosted McCarthy's Bruins back into a three and one half game margin for the leadership position.

Philadelphia and the Braves divided a double header. The Phillies took the opener, 6-0, and Boston the aftermath, Boston winning 5-1.

The Yanks gained a full game on the Senators when they nosed out Bucky Harris' outfit in the capital, 4-2.

The six game winning streak of the Red Sox was halted by the Athletics at Philadelphia as the Mackmen came out with the long end of a 12-2 score.

Three double plays helped Detroit pull out a 2-1 decision over the Browns.

BEAVERS WIN; 5 HOMERS HIT

Missions Repeat Victory Over Sacramento; Oaks Win Again

(By the Associated Press) Five home runs featured the Beavers' 7-6 victory over Los Angeles, Strand, Smith, Brazill, Brannan and Cox all connecting for the circuit. Batteries: Weathers, Cunningham and Sandberg; Tomlin, Kinney, Yerkes and Yello.

The Missions made it two straight over Sacramento, winning 5-4 in eleven innings. Batteries: Vmel and Severeid; Bartlett, Ludolph and Whitney.

Ellsworth's hunt in the last of the ninth squeezed Callahan across the plate with the run that enabled Seattle to defeat San Francisco 2-0. Batteries: Mails, May and Reno; Knight, Nance, Brandt and Berenski, Schmidt.

A three run tally in the seventh gave the Oaks a 4-1 victory over Hollywood. Batteries: Cooper and Bohl; Shellenback and Murphy.

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Boston Still Peeved About Sharkey Fight

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BOSTON, Aug. 11.—Boston is one place where there is little enthusiasm over the forthcoming Dempsey-Tunney battle.

The average Bostonian feels that Jack Sharkey should be going against the champion. Nothing will convince the Hub that the Lithuanian was not fouled in his battle with Dempsey. Those in this vicinity who know Sharkey realize that he is no model of courage, but they do credit him with sincerity in believing he was merely carrying the ex-champion along a few rounds, hoping that nature would take its toll.

Accordingly, when a Bostonian looks at the Dempsey-Tunney bout, he thinks how much more excited he would feel if his fellow townsman, Joe Cusack, were taking part. The thought leads to resentment against Dempsey.

"Sharkey will get the title fight next year, when he will be better prepared to beat Tunney," say the Bostonians.

Tunney is a 9 to 5 and 2 to 1 favorite over Dempsey in the Hub.

Does Pipe Preserve? NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J. Aug. 11. (AP)—The original Doves pipe in the Rutgers University museum.

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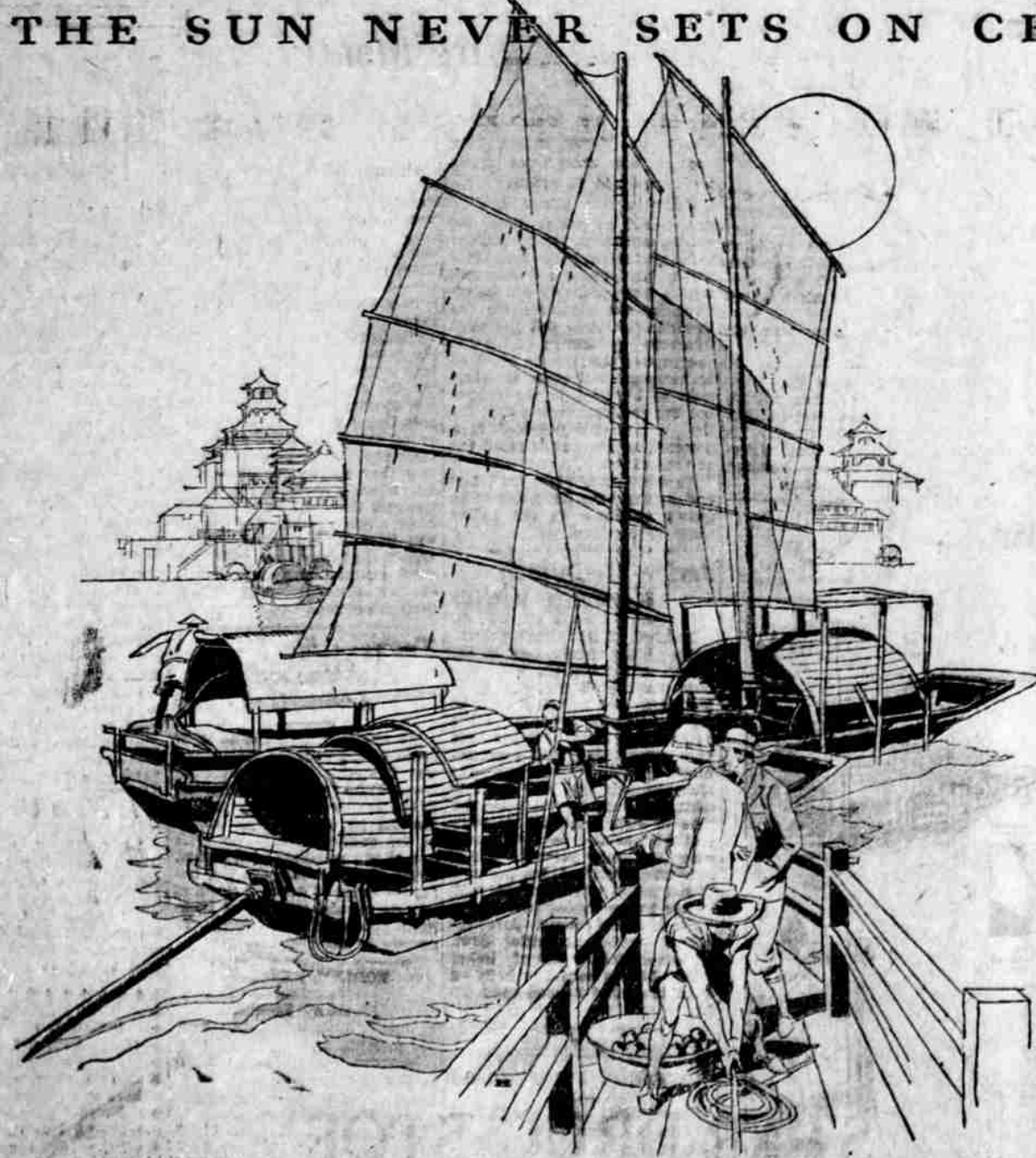
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