



# OHIO SLUGGER GOOD ABSORBER BUT IS BEATEN

### Charley Belanger Wins Ten Round Go; Fox Kayoes Opponent

PORTLAND, Ore., Mar. 21. (A. P.)—Joe Lohman, Toledo, Ohio, heavyweight, proved himself a good shock absorber last night in his 10-round match with Charley Belanger, Canadian light heavyweight champion here last night. In spite of the punishment absorbed Lohman thrilled the crowd in the tenth round when he bombarded Belanger with an avalanche of haymakers that rattled off Belanger's ribs and head, but lacked the power to overturn him. Bobby Lamar took the four round curtain raiser from Jimmy Wilde, Winnipeg, in a close decision. Teddy Fox, Salem featherweight, added another knockout to his impressive string in the first round of his scheduled four round go with Jimmy Warfield, neuro boxer of Seattle. The six-round special for heavyweights proved the highlight of the card with Jack James winning a viciously contested fray from young Peter Jackson. Every round saw crippling punches to the jaw and heart. Don Mack took the six round semi-final from George Haval.

### Catchers Seem To Learn Jai Alai Quickly



By AL DEMAREE (Former Pitcher N. Y. Giants)

Jai Alai seems to have taken quite a hold on the American public. Cuban ball players first brought it back from Cuba—players like Mike Gonzales, Adolpho Luque, Marsans, Alameda, Palmero. Although it is a fast game, the best players are not developed until they are about 35 years old. The Jai Alai players will lay you a 100-to-1 that you can't put the ball in the cesta and hit the wall with it, but Gabby Hartnett learned the game pretty fast, and they said he could become a pretty good professional at it. Mike Gonzales and Ernie Kraeger, former Brooklyn catcher, also learned the game easily; so it apparently comes easiest to catchers.

### ARTHUR MCKEE WILL REFEREE K. F. MATCHES

A new local sport luminary will step up to the mat in Scandia hall Thursday evening when Art McKee, employe of the Standard Oil company, takes the title of referee for the Veterans of Foreign Wars. McKee comes here, in a sporting capacity, from fight and wrestling rings at O. A. C. and the navy. As a student at the state college, he was prominently identified with interscholastic wrestling and boxing, and also figured in many bouts while a sailor in Uncle Sam's navy during the war. McKee is a member of the vets' organization. Trained under Robin Reed, now wrestling and boxing coach at Multnomah Athletic club in Portland, McKee is a referee of marked ability and under his watchful eye Thursday night, all bouts are expected to move swiftly and fairly.

### IDAHO CHAMPS WILL BID FOR HIGHEST TITLE

COEUD D'ALENE, Ida., Mar. 21. (AP)—The Couer d'Alene high school basketball game which won the title of interscholastic champion of Idaho, will participate in the University of Chicago national basketball tournament it was made known today.

### Bar Harry Sinclair's Horses From Maryland's Race Tracks

NEW YORK, Mar. 21. (AP)—The debarring of Harry F. Sinclair's horses from Maryland tracks created a stir in turf circles today. The action of the Maryland racing commission, taken because of the Topot Dome scandal is the first instance in many years where a large owner has been prohibited from racing his stock. It is one of the few times, if any, that an outstanding operator on the thoroughbred tracks of America has been the subject of such action for reasons outside racing itself. In communications to the officials of the four racing establishments in Maryland—Pimlico, Bowie, Havre De Grace and Laurel—the Maryland Commerce said: "In view of the widespread adverse criticism that has resulted from pending court proceedings and the investigation of the United States senate committee regarding the position of Harry F.

# NO WORRIES IN CAMP OF YANKEES

### Young Pitchers Especially Pleasing to Trained Eyes of Miller Huggins

By Werner Laufer ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Mar. 21.—A first-class stock of machine guns and hand grenades will be a useful asset to the team that keeps the champion New York Yankees from adding another pennant to their string in 1928.

That is the impression one gains after watching the advance battalion of Yank athletes in spring training and taking in an earful of talk handed out by their inspiring leader, Miller Huggins.

Even the business of throwing cold water on the Yankee pilot's enthusiasm by bringing up the subject of the aged and withered pitching staff is side-stepped in true real estate salesman style.

"What if Urban Shocker doesn't sign, and if years will finally catch up with Herb Pennock," asks Huggins. "Supposing Waite Hoyt does have a bad year and the veteran Covelokio forgets all about baseball? The answer is our 'rear rank' pitching staff composed of Pipiras, Thomas, Moore, Johnson and Shealey."

The logic is good, you'll agree, even though the two last named are first-year men. Both, however, are the cream of Class A baseball and, according to Huggins, are good bets to work in many Yankee ball games next summer.

Henry Johnson, a burly right-hander, won 18 and lost 19 for Milwaukee last season, while Ad Shealey was a mound mainstay for the St. Paul club in the same league.

Huggins predicts Pipiras will be a star this year if his pitching in the late season and world series is any criterion.

Another well-thought-of young man is Myles Thomas, who will be given the chance to be a regular pitcher this season. Huggins says he has great confidence in the Altoona boy's chance of finally graduating from the role of relief pitcher. Thomas has more ability than he has so far shown in major league competition and this may be his year to blossom forth.

Of course Wilcey Moore is expected to do as much as always. The raw-boned Oklahoman is already in fine shape. From the form shown by his younger brother, Nick, who is up for his first professional tryout, the name Moore again may play a big part in the Yankees' annual rush for the bunting.

The balance of the lineup, with the exception of third base, remains as last year, with the bustling twins, Ruth and Gehrig, headlining the Yankee act. Gehrig has already found his batting eye and while the Bam is usually slow in getting started, no great fear is felt for the loss of power from his direction.

The hot corner is hotly contested for by Joe Dugan and Gene Robertson, former Brown and late of St. Paul, with Gene

### JOHN FARRELL WINS LA GORCE CHAMPIONSHIP

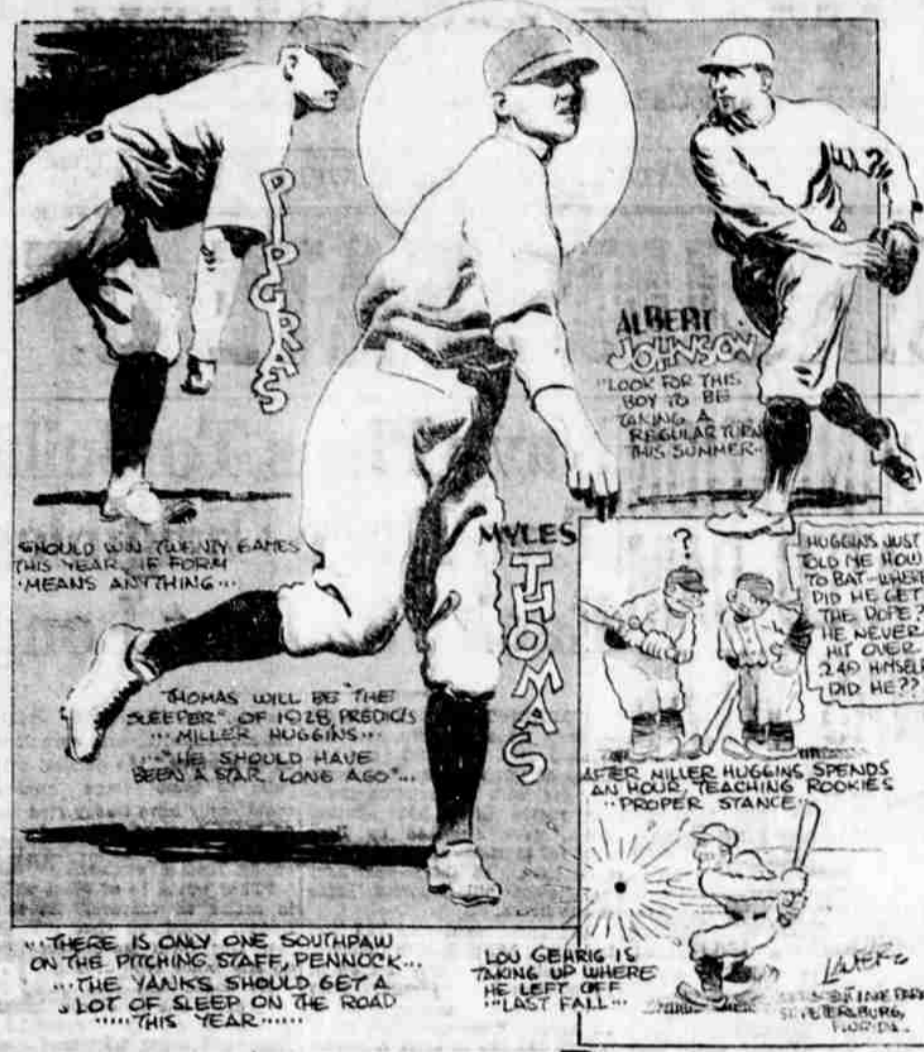
MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Mar. 21. (AP)—Johnny Farrell, the "beautiful Irishman," from Mamaroneck, N. Y., tucked away a 63 for his final round of 18 holes and added the \$15,000 La Gorce open championship to his titular list here yesterday with a total of 274, ten under par for the 72 hole distance.

Close on Johnny's heels came Bobby Cruikshank, with a 276. Farrell took down \$5,000 of the big prize money, while the Scottish runner-up is \$2,500 richer today. Joe Kirkwood, of Albany, Ga., also got into the major money with a \$1,000 morsel which his third place of 279 won for him.

### SAN FRANCISCO AT ITS BEST

San Francisco, the commission deems it advisable for your association not to permit the starting of any horse owned by, or to be run under the name of Mr. Sinclair or the Itancocas stable, at your coming race meetings until further action of this commission.

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having the rail position. an admirer of Robertson. Koenig and Lazzari seem to year with St. Paul. At first base all they are going to stand and have short and second well sew- ed up, but much promise is a good year and wants to impress

# DEATH FOLLOWS FRIENDLY BOUT

LOS ANGELES, March 21. (AP)—What seemed to have been a double knockout in a friendly boxing bout between two students in the University of Southern California gymnasium turned to tragedy last night when it was found that one of the boxers was dead.

The dead boxer was Michael Carnakis, 20, of Bakersfield, a sophomore.

His opponent, Phillip Bromley, 19, of Los Angeles, was unconscious for an hour and 45 minutes after being knocked out in the furious exchange of blows.

Fast and furiously the boxers, both welterweights, pounded each other for three rounds. In the fourth they were engaged in a swift exchange of punches when suddenly, to the surprise of spectators, both tumbled on their faces in the ring. Bromley was the first to fall. Carnakis was declared the winner. Then attendants began to try to revive them. Carnakis was dead.

### ARTHUR NEWTON OUT OF RACE; SPRAINS ANKLE

WINSLOW, Ariz., March 21. (T)—The trans-Continental marathomers left here yesterday for Holbrook, 33 miles away. As the runners and walkers struck out for the next checking-in place, Andrew Payne of Claremore, Okla., led in elapsed time to date of 89 hours and 17 minutes.

Arthur Newton of Rhodesia, South Africa, who had been leading the race until he was forced to drop out yesterday with a sprained ankle, went along with the caravan today in an advisory capacity to the other runners.

### FOXY PHANN

Advertisement for 'The Cant Club' featuring a cartoon of a man and a woman. Text: "Ball players are usually much put out by a close decision... THE CANT CLUB YOU CAN'T SIT ON A ROADSTOOL THANKS TO BETTY AUSTIN, LEE'S LIVING, PA."

the fan flock with his mastering of the fielding tricks of the initial sack. Maybe some enterprising recruit can worm his way into that outfield by superhuman stick work in the early part of the campaign, but it looks very much like Ruth, Meusel and Combs when the teams get down to the serious business of winning a flag.

Advertisement for the Valet Auto-Strop Razor. It features an illustration of a hand shaving a face and text: "Easy-Stropping — Fast-Shaving... FACE-SAVING... A few strokes on its strop—easy, simple, quick—gives you a smooth-edged, keen blade. Then—a lightning shave—78 seconds from lather to towel. Saves Your Face Buy it! Try it! An ingenious combination of razor and stropping machine. A compact shaving unit. The 'best buy' on the market. Valet Auto-Strop Razor Sharpens itself GUARANTEE We wish that every user of a Valet Auto-Strop Razor be constantly enthusiastic. Should anything happen to yours affecting its perfect service, send it to us for repair or replacement. If your strop is not in good condition—returns it for a new one—no charge for either service. AutoStrop Safety Razor Co., 656 First Ave., New York, N. Y."

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