

COWBOY FOULS GEORGE DIXON AT PORTLAND

Unintentional Blow In Third Round Stops Fast Fight

PORTLAND, Ore., March 26. (AP)—What promised to be a great boxing match, ended in the third round here last night when George Dixon, Portland negro, was awarded the decision over Cowboy Jack Willis, San Francisco, on a foul. Although the blow, a right-hand uppercut which landed several inches below Dixon's waistline, was unintentional, Referee Tom Louttit had no other course. Dixon slumped to the floor, gasping for breath. Willis had a shade in the first round. The second was even. In the third Dixon opened up with a savage attack piling up a good lead and soon had Willis backing up. Willis kept his head and while Dixon was backed against the ropes, he let loose with both hands to the negro's mid-section, when the foul blow was delivered.

Preliminaries Hot
Lou Sauer, lightweight, and Jack Kentworth whaled away at each other for six rounds to a draw. Eddie Volk, gave Happy Chapman, Centralia, a four-round beating, but could not put him away. Al Straub won a four-round decision over Chuck Sumak. Ray Archer scored a four-round decision over Billy Jenkins.

Remember Farmer
Before the main event, Chairman Longman of the boxing commission tolled off the count of ten while the audience stood in silent respect to Frank Farmer, Tacoma veteran, who died in a Tacoma ring battle Monday night. Farmer fought many of his battles in Portland.

Shires Must Prove Greatness to Win

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., March 26. (AP)—Charles Arthur Shires may be as great as he claims to be but he has to prove it to Donie Bush, manager of the White Sox.

Although the "Great One" gained reinstatement and signed a contract at Chicago yesterday, he will have to fight to get his old first base job back. Manager Bush said. Bud Clancy has been tending to the bag in great fashion all spring.

Shires, the last of the White Sox holdouts, was en route to camp today, penitent but "all out to outwit Hornsby and Ruth."

Ball Players Nearly All Golf Bugs

PIPE THE EMPTY GOLF BAG—THERE'S A SMART GOLFER—HE ONLY CARRIES THE CLUBS HE CAN USE AND NO OTHERS!



By AL DEMAREE
Former Pitcher New York Giants

Ed. Barrow, the hard-boiled Yankee business manager, and a baseball man of the old school, watched a parade of knickered Yankees leave the club house on their way to the golf links, during spring training.

"What the h—l have we down here, anyway?" said Barrow. "A ball club or a golf club?"

The late Miller Huggins frowned on golf during the regular season. Once Babe Ruth requested permission to play in some exhibition in the summer months. "If you play, it will cost you a \$500 green fee," said Miller.

Byrd, a utility outfielder on the Yankees, and a really good golfer who shoots in the upper seventies, was coming down in the elevator of his hotel this spring with an empty golf bag, having left his clubs out at the country club the day before.

He overheard two strangers whisper, "There's a smart golfer. He only carries the clubs he can use."

And then there's the story of Wilbert Robinson, manager of the Robins, and Dazzy Vance.

"Losing that game yesterday to the Giants was a great blow," said Uncle Robby.

"I'll say it was," answered Vance. "It's taken ten yards off my tee shot."

BID FOR MAYOR'S JOB

DONSBACH, Germany—Rigid economy faced this town during the recent elections. Everything possible had been done to cut expenses. Someone conceived the idea of giving the job of mayor to the lowest bidder. Finally, one member of the council, a patriotic as well as courageous soul, bought the job for \$35 a month.

College to Issue Track Meet Entry Blanks Shortly

OREGON STATE COLLEGE, Corvallis, March 26.—High schools of Oregon will soon receive entry blanks and instructions regarding the fourth annual Oregon State Intercollegiate track and field meet which will be held on the Oregon State college campus May 10. Paul J. Schisler, head coach, has been named director of the meet again this year.

Attendance Grows

More than 400 athletes from 38 high schools competed for honors in the meet last year and indications are that even more will take part this year. Past meets have brought out the fact that high school athletes all over Oregon are about of equal strength and that no section can be given the edge. In 1927 when the first meet was held, Salem high school captured team honors. The next year Benson took first and last year Franklin. However, 22 other high schools from all parts of Oregon broke into the scoring column last year.

Requirements

Athletes to enter the meet will be required to at least equal the following times and distances: 100-yard dash, 11 seconds; 220-yard dash, 25 seconds; 320-yard low hurdles, 30 seconds; 120-yard high hurdles, 20 seconds; 440-yard run, 55 seconds; 880-yard run, 2 minutes, 10 seconds; mile run, 5 minutes, shot put, 35 feet; discus, 100 feet; javelin, 140 feet; pole vault, 10 feet; broad jump, 19 feet; high jump, 5 feet, 4 inches.

McGraw Lines Up Giants for Play

SAN ANTONIO, March 26. (AP)—Manager John McGraw has lined up his New York Giants for the 1930 campaign and Eddie Marshall, recruit infielder, gets the call at second base.

Andy Reese, who played second most of last season, will alternate with Fred Leach in left field, depending upon whether right or left handed pitchers oppose the Giants. Doc Farrell and Pat Crawford will be the utility infielders and George Fisher utility outfielder.

Babe Optimistic About Teammates

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 26. (AP)—Always an optimist Babe Ruth is ready to show cause why he thinks the New York Yankees are going to win the American League pennant. The A's, he says, reached top form in the world's series and "perhaps by now they've slumped."

"The Yankees have been strengthened," Ruth explains. "Chapman will be all right at third if he hits the old apple a little harder. I don't see how Vernon Gomez can miss being a regular pitcher."

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INTER-LEAGUE GAMES PROVE TEAMS EQUAL

Each Circuit Has Won
19 Games and One
Contest Was Tie

NEW YORK, March 26. (AP)—Inter-league conflict in spring training in spring baseball exhibitions has "proved" that the National and American leagues are of exactly equal playing strength.

Of the nine games involving teams from each league, the National has won 19, the American 19, and one, between the New York Giants and Chicago White Sox, ended in a tie.

Robins, Braves, Strongest

From a National league standpoint, the Brooklyn Robins and Boston Braves have been most effective against clubs from the rival circuit. The Robins have won three of their four games with American league rivals, while the Braves have won seven of twelve. In the American league only the Chicago White Sox and Detroit Tigers can boast better than an even break with the National league. The White Sox have won four out of six and Detroit four out of seven.

The New York Yankees together with Philadelphia Athletics have lost one more game than they have won from the older circuit. The Yankees have won six of seven and the A's have broken even in ten contests.

Senators Undeclared

In the compilation of all spring games, regardless of the character of the opposition, the Washington Senators head the list, with four victories and no defeats. All of the Senators' triumphs have been scored over minor league clubs. The Boston Red Sox and Cleveland Indians also have perfect records, each with two wins against minor league opposition.

Bell Looks Good To Champion Cubs

LOS ANGELES, Calif., March 26. (AP)—George Bell, a six foot two inch strapping just up from Dixie, today had an inside track in the race for the three or four pitching berths open on the championship Cubs team.

Bell started and finished an exhibition game for the Cubs impressively for the second time yesterday, limiting the Los Angeles Angels to six scattered blows. The Cubs won, 8 to 6.

One more game with the Angels today and then the Cubs open their important four-game series with the Pittsburgh Pirates.

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BOWLING

In the Mercantile Bowling league last night, at the Klamath Recreation, Edd, Arthur's lunchers shot good, consistent ten-pins, games that would win all four points on most any other night, but it was their luck to be against Al Sherman and his bunch of Golden Rules, who never practice the old rule in a bowling match. Every man on Edd's team got one double century, but Mike Parsyck, who bowled in tough luck all through the match. Al's hangover from the trip to Salem was the only thing that prevented the Rules from making it four points, he just could not hang on longer, and had to be satisfied with 145 in the final game, losing the point by two pins.

Connolly Bros. shot away below their usual standard, and were lucky to have the Oregon Slagers just when they were off their stride. It looked as though both teams were playing the Adolph and Gaston act, and when the act was over Connolly Bros. had added three more points to their winning side.

Les Sailing was absent from the line-up of the Barbers, and the rest of his team proceeded to show to bowl without a captain. After dropping the first game to Montgomery Ward, they got down to business and took the remaining three points. Both teams were shy one man, which kept the total scores down. The scores:

Golden Rule Stars
Wilson.....171 196 193 560
Peterson.....215 192 184 591
Mitchell.....174 200 157 531
Ross.....177 169 185 531
Sherman.....161 220 145 526
Handicap.....7 7 7 21
Total.....955 984 871 2760

Edd Arthur's Lunch

Parsyck.....161 157 149 467
Carroll.....203 164 143 510
Arthur.....113 219 162 494
Valente.....226 174 183 583
Naris.....164 179 236 579
Total.....867 893 873 2643

Connolly Bros.

Driscoll.....149 122 194 465
Schaal.....147 130 161 438
Poole.....150 154 193 497
Nitschelm.....153 128 174 455
Lorenz.....185 190 124 499
Total.....784 724 846 2354

Oregon Slagers

Johnson.....151 163 180 494
Chisler.....176 134 144 454
Wilson.....148 124 175 447
Aryin.....130 117 118 365
Knapp.....124 162 136 422
Handicap.....35 39 40
Total.....764 739 796 2299

Blue Bird Barber

Squire.....130 165 230 525
Stamper.....116 170 157 443
Livingston.....139 163 114 416
Briteau.....155 171 181 507
Handicap.....20 20 20 60
Total.....560 689 702 1951

Montgomery Ward Co.

Chapman.....159 134 151 441
David.....93 150 109 352
Living.....179 165 175 519
Robertson.....181 134 141 456
Total.....612 592 567 1771

Klamath Men Get Recognition at State Tournament

The office of vice-president and a place on the executive board of the newly organized Oregon State Bowlers' association was awarded to Klamath Falls at a meet held in Salem this past week-end.

Floyd McMillan, secretary of the local Elks' lodge, was elected vice-president, and T. B. Watters, mayor of the city, was elected to a place on the executive board. Those who made the trip to Salem to represent this city in the state tournament were: F. McMillan, A. Sherman, Joe Hickerstaff, W. A. Barron and Roy Pruitt.

The team did not cover itself with a whole lot of glory as far as bowling scores were concerned, but, according to Barron, it made its presence felt in the organization of the association, which was the main object of the trip.

In the team event the following scores were made: Pruitt, 545; McMillan, 517; Hickerstaff, 537; Barron, 591; Sherman, 556; total, 2,672 pins.

It is not expected any of the local boys will be included in the doubles and singles, with the possible exception of Barron, in the singles, whose 591 may squeeze through.

The 1931 meeting and tournament will be held at Eugene, the exact date to be set by the executive committee. The following were elected officers for the ensuing year:

V. M. Stollker, Salem, president; F. McMillan of Klamath Falls, L. E. Hensler of Eugene, F. Hesel of Tillamook, vice-presidents; R. A. Nebersall, Salem, secretary-treasurer. Executive board: T. B. Watters, Klamath Falls; Harry Knight, Eugene; E. W. Kay, Salem; H. Ireland, Hillsboro; Roy Pruitt, Medford; Charles Ellsasser, Portland.

Lefty Says Anger Inspired Bating

WINTER HAVEN, Fla., March 26. (AP)—Lefty O'Doul, Philly outfielder and champion league batter last year, says that he was so mad when the Giants traded him to the Phils "because he couldn't hit," that he had to do something about it. "So every time I stepped to the plate," he said, "I say, 'here's one for me and one for McGraw.' I'm set to show McGraw some more this year, too. Guess I'll be up with the first five anyway."

It is calculated that the Mississippi river carries into the Gulf of Mexico more than a million tons of sediment every day, and that it would require 1000 trains, each made up of 45 cars of 25 tons capacity, to transport an equal amount of silt and sand.

Johnny Schiff, Hero of Ring and War, Passes on

LOS ANGELES, March 26. (A career in Australia to avoid embarrassing his father, Porter S. Newman, Sr., then a bank executive in southern California.

A building, recently constructed in Moscow, is built to represent a wartime tank.

In death the man whose name twice during his career was on the tongues of the country is inscrutable. His age, birthplace and whereabouts of his parents are known only to a few intimates, who like himself are wanderers of the sports world, and have not been reached.

Toured World
The two occasions when Schiff's popularity reached the multitudes were in 1912, when at the peak of his boxing career, he made a tour of the world, appearing in rings of a dozen countries, and during the world war when his bravery as an ambulance driver through gas and shells won for him the distinction of being decorated by the king of Italy personally, and by representatives of three other governments.

How Led to Death
The last and anticlimactic phase of Schiff's career was lived here, where he was called southern California's most unpopular fight referee. His death was the indirect result of a decision he made in the ring, to which a fan took violent exception. The fan struck Schiff a blow on the jaw.

The blow appeared to be of no consequence, but after a few days an infection set in and although he had his teeth pulled, Schiff died yesterday in the General Hospital.

His real name was Porter S. Newman, Jr.; he took the name of Schiff when he launched his

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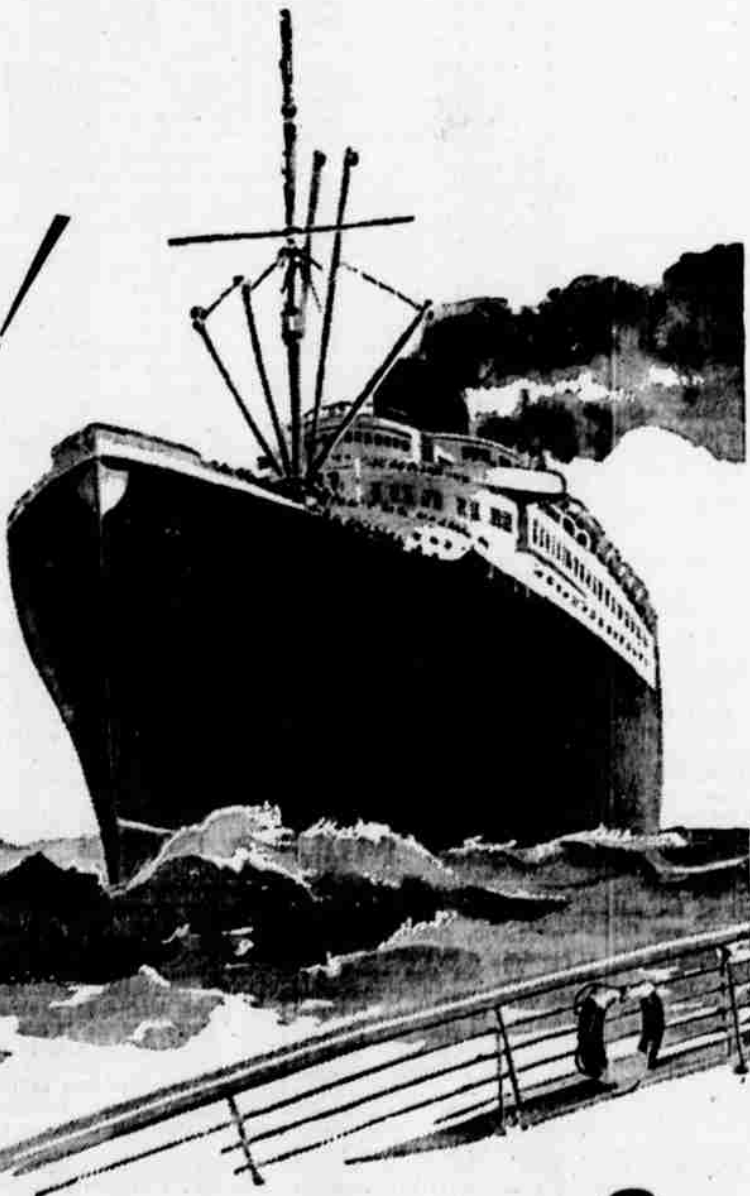
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