

Snapshots Of Sport Figures

Babe Ruth Iked By Threatened Cut In Salary; Agua Caliente No Longer Richest Racing Prize In World.

By NEA SERVICE "Me take a \$10,000 cut I should say not!" roars Babe Ruth, swat sultan, as he returns unsigned to the Yankees...

They've slashed the prize money in half for the Agua Caliente Handicap, formerly the world's richest race, but if Harp Lap goes to the barrier...

The only member of the world champion Cleveland Indians of 1920 still in the lineup of the Ohio club is Charlie Jamieson, veteran ball hawk...

Most Scotch jokes are pretty bad, but there's nothing joking about Macdonald Smith, the smooth-swinger, Scot from Carnoustie, who recently annexed his third Los Angeles Open golf championship...

Seems like they're always picking on big Bill Terry, the best first baseman in the National league, if not in all baseball...

"To be or not to be" a tennis "loafer" is the little problem Ellsworth Vines is turning over in his 20-year-old head...

Max Schmeling hopes to earn a million in America this year. Perhaps Herr Max doesn't realize this is 1932. Jack Sharkey, Jack Dempsey and Mickey Walker are all in the picture of a million since American dollars for the German champion.

Ashland Drops Pelican Hoopers, 35 - 25

HOWELL BEATS KLAMATH FIVE IN FIRST TILT

By JIM SLUSSER Klamath Hi Correspondent Behind the scoring eye of "Big Ox" Howell, giant center and captain, the Ashland Lithians trimmed the Klamath Pelicans, 35 to 25 in the local high school gym last night.

It was a hopeless job for the Pelicans to stop Howell, for he got away to score at will, tallying up a total of 19 points. The nearest to him in scoring was Bill Estes, Klamath forward, who netted 11 tallies.

Ray Allen, captain and center of the Pelicans, and Dick Sheets, forward, sat on the bench the entire game, as a disciplinary measure effected by Coach French, when he learned they had played in an outside game. It was expected, however, these players will be in action in tonight's tilt.

Howell started off the scoring by ringing up the first three points of the game. He was followed in scoring by Estes and Parnell, of Klamath, who drew first blood for the Pelicans. The two quintets continued to battle it out on even terms for the rest of the first quarter, the score being 10 to 10 at the end of this period.

In the second period, Knieval showed the effects of the fast pace required in guarding Howell, while the Ashland giant did not seem to be very tired, and scored the major part of his points in this quarter. The Birds were putting up a hard fight and succeeded in outplaying every Ashland player except Howell, but that worthy made up enough difference for his team-mates to lead 21 to 17 at the end of the first half.

Knieval and Estes opened the scoring in the second period by bringing the Pelicans within two points of the Bears' total, but this was the only time they threatened to get near to the lead.

A system for stopping Howell was apparently devised during the rest of the period, as he only scored two baskets in the second half. However, in their eagerness to stop the Lithian giant, the Pelicans overlooked a few of the other members of the visiting team and they managed to get away for a share in the honors.

In the preliminary the Wildcats, Klamath second team, took a 29 to 9 game from the Port Klamath squad.

Summary table for basketball game: Klamath (25) vs Ashland (35). Columns: F.G., F.T., P. T. Rows: Estes, Parnell, Knieval, Knight, Triplette, Total, and Ashland players: Becot, Gearheart, Howell, Mabbott, Darling, Total, Referee.

WRESTLING

(By The Associated Press) Salt Lake City—Ira Dern, 210, beat Lake City, won two of three falls from Jack Forsgren, 212. Vancouver, B. C. Dern, first, 23 minutes; Forsgren, second, 3 minutes; Dern, third, seven minutes.

Vancouver, B. C.—Tiger Dania, 230, Hinder, defeated Bob Kruse, 195. Portland, in six of eight rounds (Australian system).

Indianapolis—Joe Savoldi, Three Oaks, Mich., threw Hardy Krunskamp, Columbus, O., two out of three falls; Krunskamp first, 21; Savoldi, 7 minutes and 3 minutes.

A Great Finish



It was a garrison finish that gave the Canadian hockey team victory over the United States in the thrilling match, pictured here, which was an opening event of the Third Olympic Winter Games at Lake Placid, N. Y. Trailing throughout the game, the Canadians tied the score with a minute to go and fought on to win, 2 to 1, in overtime.



First American Olympic winner was Jack Shea, a native of Lake Placid, N. Y., where the international winter games are being held. Acting for all the athletes of the seventeen nations represented, Shea took the Olympic oath of amateurism and sportsmanship at the opening ceremonies. A short time later he outsped the world's fastest speed skaters to win the 500-meter final.

Oregon Topples League Leading W. S. C. Cougars

EUGENE, Ore., Feb. 13 (AP)—Crafty Billy Reinhart and the University of Oregon basketball team slipped one over on Washington State, northern division conference leaders, last night when the Webfeet upset the Cougars 34-32.

Three thousand Oregon fans watched the Oregon team perform at top speed throughout the contest, piling up an impressive lead and in the last period beating back a desperate Cougar rally which tied the score.

SEATTLE, Feb. 12 (AP)—University of Washington continued its string of belated victories to-night by trouncing Idaho, 40-35, before two thousand fans.

Medford Beaten By Oregon Fresh

MEDFORD, Ore., Feb. 13, (AP)—University of Oregon freshmen basketball team defeated Medford high 27 to 16 here last night. Medford led 9 to 4 at the half, and it was anybody's game until the last quarter, when the freshmen forged ahead.

Doctor Discovers Life After Woman Pronounced Dead

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 13. (UP)—A pathologist started an autopsy today on the body of Mrs. Esther Paik, 32, who had been pronounced dead six hours before, only to discover evidence which led him to believe she still was alive.

JUDGES CHANGE DECISIONS FOR SKI CHAMPION

By HENRY McLEMORE LAKE PLACID, N. Y., Feb. 13 (UP)—After announcing to the world that Hans Beck, 19-year-old clerk in a Norwegian silver mining company had won the Olympic ski jumping championship today, the three judges of the event went back into secret huddle, reversed their decision and proclaimed Berger Rued, Beck's teammate, as the winner of the title.

The surprise occasioned by the reversal was heightened by the fact that Beck, in the first of his two jumps soared 332 feet to a new record for the interval jump. He followed this with a leap of 298.2 feet for a total of 440.2 feet.

So close were the two men matched that the final announcement gave Rued 228.1 points out of a possible 240, and Beck 237 points.

Third place went to Kaare Wahlberg, also of Norway, with 219.5 points and fourth to Ivar Sven Eriksson of Sweden with 218.9.

The other first 10 finishers in the order named were: Casper Olmen, United States, 216.7; Fritz Kaufmann, Switzerland, 215.8; Sigmund Rued, Norway, 215.1; Goro Adachi, Japan, 214.7; Cesare Chingna, Switzerland, 209.8; Erik Rylander, Sweden, 208.

The judges' new decision was made more mystifying with the announcement of the points scored by the two men on form. According to the judges' tally, Beck scored 55 out of possible 60 on his first jump and 57 on his second, as against 57 and 56 for Rued.

Certainly the judges' award of the title to Rued came as a great surprise to the more than 15,000 persons who were strung along the sides of the landing slope and gathered in the fan-shaped grandstand at the foot of the hill, when the slim Norwegian boy took off on his second leap.

Perfect Jump To the spectators, at least, it was the perfect jump, from start to finish. With every eye trained upon him Hans slid down the runway, soared into the air at the take-off, and with his arms flapping lazily to give him balance, headed for the landing field far below.

Falling a mile a minute when his skills struck the landing slope, Hans made a soft and elastic landing, nevertheless, and dashed on down the slide to a whirling ending.

Ohio Track Team Loses to Indiana

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Feb. 13. (AP)—The Indiana university team defeated Ohio State, 55 to 43, today in the first dual indoor track meet of the season between members of the big ten conference.

Winter was late in coming out this year, and it will be the same with Fall. The wires say the ex-secretary's parole from the penitentiary has been postponed until May.

A Parade of Athletes



Seventeen nations dramatically raised the curtain of the Third Olympic Winter Games at Lake Placid, N. Y. Here you see the colorful picture as the 94 American contestants, white-coated and white-hatted, entered the stadium behind the Stars and Stripes. Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt of New York, who officially opened the games, is indicated by the arrow.

Jack Dempsey Unworried By Losing Record of Comebacks

By GEORGE KIRKSEY CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 13 (AP)—The old ring adage "they never come back" does not worry Jack Dempsey, nor will he give it any consideration when the time comes for him to make a definite decision about attempting to win back the heavyweight championship.

"I don't believe in such things," said Jack. "But if you do, let me tell you that there's always a first time for everything."

In connection with Dempsey's contemplated return to the ring, the comebacks of Jim Corbett, Bob Fitzsimmons, Jim Jeffries and Jess Willard, four champions who came out of retirement for another vain stab at fistic glory, furnished food for thought.

The age at which each won his title, lost it and attempted to come back follows: Corbett won the title at 26, lost it to Fitzsimmons at 31, and attempted two comebacks against Jeffries, one at 23, losing on a knockout in the 23rd round and again at 37, losing in 10 rounds.

Fitzsimmons won the title at 25, lost it at 27 to Jeffries and attempted to comeback against Jeffries at 40 and was knocked out in two rounds. Jeffries won the title at 27, retired undefeated at 31 and attempted to comeback against Jack Johnson at 35, losing by a knockout.

Willard won the title at 32, lost it to Dempsey at 34, and attempted to comeback at 40. He was successful in his first bout, knocking out Floyd Johnson in 11 rounds, but he failed against Luis Firpo, being K. O.'d in 8 rounds.

Dempsey nearly 37. Dempsey won the title at 24, lost it to Gene Tunney at 31, attempted his first comeback at 32, knocking out Jack Sharkey and losing a 10-round decision to Tunney. Dempsey is now 38. He'll be 37 June 24.

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 13 (AP)—Jack Dempsey left today for Detroit where he will train until his next exhibition appearance at Flint, Mich., Monday night. Dempsey will meet Pat McLaughlin of Chicago and Joe Kohler in a pair of two round bouts at Flint.

Dempsey's purse for knocking out K. O. Christner in the third round last night was \$13,147.30.

SPEED CHAMPION AWAITS WEATHER

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla., Feb. 13. (AP)—Sir Malcolm Campbell, British world's automobile speed champion, today awaited favorable conditions for his attempt to lower his own record. The "Blizard 11" which reached an officially recognized speed of 215.77 miles per hour last year is ready for the test.

Since the successful trials last year, the car's nose has been given a little sharper point. The steering gear has been altered slightly. The Juggernaut is as long as four average men, 21 feet 6 inches. The 12-cylinder motor can develop 1,500 horsepower when it revolves at 3,600 revolutions a minute.

Yankee President Extends Business

NEW YORK, Feb. 13. (AP)—Colonel Jacob Ruppert, owner of the New York Yankees, tonight announced the appointment of George M. Weiss of the Baltimore Orioles as assistant secretary and general manager of the Yankees' minor league interests.

This appointment is an important event in baseball, Colonel Ruppert said, because it shows that the Yankees intend extending their minor league interests in a big way.

"Within three years, I hope to own outright six minor league clubs," Ruppert explained. "Our minor league interests already are so important that it is necessary to have a good man to handle them exclusively. As time goes on he may need an assistant, himself."

THREE TEAMS TIED

CHICAGO, Feb. 13 (AP)—Three teams were tied tonight for first place in the six day bicycle race, which ends at 11 o'clock tomorrow night. The teams on even terms were: Charley Ritter, Newark, and Jimmy Walthour, New York; Alfred Letourner and Marcq Gumbretiers, France; and the Holland-Belgian team of Jean Pilsenburg and Adolphe Van Navele.

NORTHLAND Transportation Company

Klamath Falls to Bend schedule has been reduced to one round trip daily. Leave K. F. 7:30 a. m. Arrive Bend 12:05 p. m. Leave Bend 1:30 p. m. Arrive K. F. 6:05 p. m. RIDE THE NORTHLAND Phone 999

Terminal Stage Depot

Union Stage 830 Klamath Ave.

Red Ball Stage Line One Stage Daily for Lakeview, Oregon Terminal Stage Depot 830 Klamath PHONE 999 Leave K. F. 8:30 a. m.

Canada Prepares Police Force To Halt Mob Spirit ST. JOHNS, Nfld., Feb. 13, (UP)—Extraordinary police precautions were taken today against new unemployed rioting after yesterday's attack on the government offices in which Prime Minister Sir Richard A. Squires was slightly hurt.

New Low Prices on McCormick Deering Manure Spreaders International Harvester Co. has just announced a substantial reduction in their price of the No. 4 Spreader. New Spreader Now on Display at J. W. KERNS 784 South Sixth. Klamath Falls.

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Tweet! Tweet! —the whistle —the game is on The basketball season is again in full swing. The Pacific Coast Conference race, the high school games, all are highly interesting to the basketball fan. Of course, you can't see very many of these great games, but you can find all the dope on them in The Klamath News the NEXT morning. Only in the News will you find this late news the NEXT morning. All other papers serving the Klamath Empire are printed hours before they are delivered here—too early by far to contain late news such as basketball. You Will Find It First In THE KLAMATH NEWS 2299