

## Hubka Beats Craig to Extend Victory String

### Germans, Japs Big Threats

American Athletic Supremacy Challenged by Orientals and Rhinelanders.

American supremacy in athletics no longer can be taken for granted.

Germany's success in track and field, boxing and rowing, and Japan's surge in swimming in the past two Olympic Games make this clear.

In both cases results were obtained through a concentrated, pointed effort, not only on the part of the athletes, but also by the governments behind them.

In four years Germany sprang from a virtual nonentity to a powerful Olympic factor.

Athletics and the spirit of sport practically was forced upon the German youth, and it took to it wholeheartedly. The Fatherland never had a national pastime unless it was gymnastics, but track and field now vie with turner activities as the dominant athletic diversion of the Rhineland.

The movement swept like wildfire. Clubs and organizations devoted to athletics sprung up all over Germany. Such extremes were reached that it now is possible for youngsters to attend regular athletic schools rather than the usual high school. There they get an academic education, but athletics is the main objective.

**Old Army Game**  
Small wonder that Naziland suddenly unloosed a band of young men and women able to compete on favorable terms with the world.

While it does not come from official sources, it is said that since every able-bodied youth is part of the German army, Olympic victors had added incentive in the knowledge that they would be first in line for promotion.

Swimming today in Japan is more than a sport. It is a science. Swimming clubs and pools have mushroomed on the small islands like miniature golf courses did in this country several years ago. The aquatic sport has been accepted with such enthusiasm and fervor that the Nipponese conduct national high school championships for paddlers barely in their teens.

The government actually has set up training schools for the better exponents of the crawl, etc. One month out of every three the best swimmers in the land train together, in preparation for big meets.

**Foxy Foragers**  
Little brown men have gone so far as to make use of an elaborate scouting system. Promising talent is uncovered and immediately shipped to the "finishing" schools.

Crowds of 20,000 have attended Japanese swimming carnivals. A touring American team meeting home-grown in exhibition meets a year ago swam before 100,000 people in a week. Interest of that kind is bound to bring results. Japan's swimming situation, built in the last eight years or so, is astounding.

Although small of stature and comparatively not the physical equals of huskier competitors for this and other nations, the diminutive Nipponese have, by their patient and well-directed training, placed themselves in an enviable position in the water.

If diving were considered apart, neither the American men nor women would have been able to prevail in Berlin. Japan again would have beaten the United States decisively. Four years ago in Los Angeles it might have been an accident. But now we know that the world's greatest swimming team is the Japanese, if diving is excluded.

Life insurance companies have issued 115,000,000 life insurance policies in the United States, representing a liability of nearly \$100,000,000,000.

### TWO FALLS GO TO NEBRASKAN

Soos Disabled in Match With Georgian; Tough Indian Quelled.

Klamath fans saw every trick in the wrestling trade displayed in the main event at the armory last night, and then saw Joe Hubka win the match with two out of three falls over George Craig.

Craig gained an early advantage, taking the first fall in 13:10, but the former Nebraska grid hero retaliated in 13:10 and wound things up with a quick finisher in 33.

The match was clean and the outcome in doubt from start to finish, with Hubka finally pulling through to defend his enviable record of main event victories here. The two matmen appeared as evenly matched as any duo promoter Mack Lillard has sent together at the armory.

In a hot billed as a second main event Johnny Soos, an erstwhile wrestling favorite here, lost to Bob Montgomery largely through the reckless enthusiasm of his own offensive. Johnny apparently had Montgomery on the go with a series of flying tackles, but when he went to lift his opponent into an airplane spin for the finishing touch, the tough Georgian produced a backward body slam and took the fall in 2:53. Soos was unable to continue.

The opener of the wrestling card saw Cherokee Ike throw a chair at Pat O'Brien and O'Brien reply with a barrage of milling fists. The melee continued until O'Brien, who could take it, won two straight falls in 3:03 and 5:05.

### Champions Defend Titles in Clay Target Tournament

**VANDALIS, Ohio, Aug. 26 (AP)**—The "little fellows" had their inning today at the Grand American trapshoot in a 200-target, 16-yard race for class championships, but the "talk of the town" still centered around the Tuesday performances of Mrs. Lela Hall and Joe Hiestand in retaining their North American clay target titles.

Mrs. Hall, blue-eyed, 219-pound No. 1 citizen of the 144 residents of Strasburg, Mo., provided most of the fireworks in yesterday's show. She broke 196 of 200 clay targets from the 16-yard line, the greatest mark ever made in the battle for national feminine honors.

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### Red Sox Defeat House of David

In a game featured by hard hitting and clever base running, the Klamath Falls Red Sox defeated Van Dyke's colored House of David team 3 to 4 on Modoc field Tuesday evening.

Three triples off Lomax, Van Dyke pitcher, accounted for the victory.

The two teams meet again at 5:30 p. m. sharp on Modoc field this evening.

**Summary:**

Red Sox	5	6	3
Van Dyke	4	10	3

Carlstrom and Fryer; Lomax and Bagby.

### 30 Survivors in Amateur Tourney

**SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 26 (AP)**—Thirty survivors of first round bouts Monday night will battle for diamond belt boxing championships in semi-finals and finals here tonight.

Arizona has three fighters remaining in competition; Utah has three; Los Angeles, 5; Northern California, 17; and Oregon, two.

**KID GETS ACE**  
**EUREKA, Calif., Aug. 26 (AP)**—California's youngest addition to golf's hole-in-one club is 11-year old Le Roy Dolvin, who has played golf only three months.

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### GIANTS PUSH TOWARD FLAG

Terrymen Become 7 to 10 Favorites to Head National League.

Associated Press Sports Writer Bill Terry's galloping Giants finally have convinced not only the rest of the National league, but the betting boys as well, that they aren't kidding around in their wild rush toward the pennant.

Riding a 1 1/2 game lead in first place over the crippled Cardinals, the Giants went down in the books today as a 7 to 10 shot to come through in the flag chase—the first time this season Betting Commissioner Jack Doyle has put them on the short end of the odds.

At the same time, the gas house gang, dropped to second place through a double defeat at the hands of a battering bunch of Boston Bees, sank to 7-5 odds, while the champion Cubs became no better than 21 to one.

A tight 6-5 victory over the Cincinnati Reds in the opener of their western invasion yesterday not only made short shots of the Giants, but gave them the loop lead as well.

The triumph was their 13th straight.

The Cards ran into a streak of tough luck and a stinging crowd of Bees at the same time, and bowed out of the lead in both ends of a double bill, 20-3 and 6-4.

Frankie Frisch's gang hit a string of injury hard luck all at once. Frisch and Pepper Martin were on the sidelines with injuries before the twin bill started.

Terry Moore joined them with a hurt ankle during the first game. And, finally, all hope for the return of Paul Dean, with his arm healed, ended, as the "Duffy" member of the Dean clan went on the voluntary retired list in order to "rest up" down on the farm.

In the American league, the Yankees slugged St. Louis Browns pitching for 22 hits and a 13-1 triumph, as Lefty Gomez won his first game since July 4, and Joe DiMaggio hammered his 23rd homer.

The second place Cleveland Indians fell 5-3 before the Senators and Buck Newsom's six-hit pitching to boost the Yankee lead to 1 1/2 games.

Schloyer Rows posted a two-hitter against the Red Sox to end the Tigers a 5-0 win, and the Athletics won a free-slugging 13-11 triumph over the White Sox.

Casey Stengel's Daffy Dodgers, with Max Butcher pitching three-hit ball, trounced the Pirates 4-1 in a game cut short by rain. The Cubs and Phillies were rained out.

### Mt. Angel and Milwaukie in Quarter-Final

**SALEM, Aug. 26 (AP)**—Mount Angel and Milwaukie moved into the quarter-finals of the state softball tournament last night with decisive victories.

The Mount Angel boys walloped the Salem city champions, 7 to 2, while Milwaukie blasted out an 11 to 1 win over Lebanon.

Salem and Mount Angel battled neck and neck until the eighth inning, when Kehoe planted one in the outer pastures for four bases with the bags loaded, to sew up the ball game for the Angels. The Salem outfit had been a tournament favorite.

Twelve hits, combined with seven errors by Lebanon, were enough to allow Milwaukie to breeze through easily in the second game. Lefty Parks limited the Linn county team to three singles.

### Standings

By The Associated Press NATIONAL LEAGUE

W. L. Pct.	
New York	73 46 .613
St. Louis	72 48 .600
Chicago	69 50 .580
Pittsburgh	61 60 .504
Cincinnati	56 62 .475
Boston	55 64 .462
Brooklyn	48 70 .407
Philadelphia	41 75 .359

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

W. L. Pct.	
New York	79 41 .658
Cleveland	67 54 .554
Detroit	66 57 .537
Chicago	64 58 .525
Washington	63 59 .516
Boston	60 63 .488
St. Louis	44 77 .364
Philadelphia	44 78 .361

### PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

W. L. Pct.	
Portland	83 70 .542
Seattle	81 71 .536
San Diego	80 73 .522
Oakland	80 73 .522
Mission	79 74 .516
Mission	76 77 .495
San Francisco	72 81 .471
Sacramento	69 93 .392

### YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

**National League**  
At Pittsburgh 1, Brooklyn 4. (Called at end of 8th. rain.)  
At Cincinnati 5, New York 6.  
At St. Louis 3-4, Boston 20-5.  
At Chicago, Philadelphia, postponed, rain.

### American League

At Washington 5, Cleveland 3.  
At Philadelphia 13, Chicago 11.  
At New York 13, St. Louis 1.  
At Boston 6, Detroit 5.

### Pacific Coast League

At Portland 11, San Francisco 1.  
At Seattle 5, Los Angeles 2.  
At Mission 7, Sacramento 4.  
At San Diego 4, Oakland 6. (All night games.)

### BEAVERS WIN FROM SEALS

Ducks Improve Position in Coast League's Standings.

By The Associated Press

Four Coast league teams improved their positions today in the battle for first division honors as the far west circuit swung into the third week from the end of its hottest campaign in years.

The sixth-place Los Angeles team, fighting for a place in the Shaughnessy play-off, was knocked out of the 500 class, dropping a 5-2 decision to the second-place Seattle Indians.

Portland got off to a flying start against the weak San Francisco Seals by hammering out an 11-1 victory. Ed Stutz, starting Seal pitcher, walked three men and was touched for four solid blows for seven runs in the first inning. Ad Liska limited the Seals to seven hits, one a homer by Harley Boss. Moose Clabaugh homed for Portland.

Oakland moved into a tie for third place with San Diego by trimming the Padres, 6-4, behind the steady pitching of Hal Hald, who relieved Jimmy Tobin in the fourth inning. Led by Harlan Pool, who clouted three singles and a double in four trips, the Dicks got to Lefty Hebert and two other flingers for 15 blows. They clinched the game in the fifth with a four-run, five-hit blast off Hebert.

The San Francisco Missions won their opener from Sacramento, 7-4, although Walter Beck let himself in for trouble by walking seven Solons. He limited the opposition to eight hits, however, while Young John Paul Wahonick was granting 12 hits and walking eight. Chick Outen led the Red attack with three hits.

Seattle and Los Angeles got the same number of hits, but Kewpie Dick Barrett was aided by some potent bluegunning by Arthur Hunt and Jerry Donovan. Hunt batted in two and Donovan three of the Indians' five runs, each getting two hits.

Solid carbon dioxide, formed in Mexican oil wells, is being shipped to New York for refrigeration.

### SPORT SHORTS

By EDDIE BRIEZE  
Associated Press Sports Writer  
**NEW YORK, Aug. 26 (AP)**—If the Giants win the National league pennant and go into the world's series, Sambo Lestle will do the first-basing. . . That's Bill Terry's promise. . . "The series is the biggest thing that can happen to a player," Bill said. "I couldn't conscientiously play with Sam sitting there on the bench."

Joe Stripp bemoans the lack of action (statistics) in the last Giant Dodger series. . . So far, the national open golf crown has been a flop so far as Tony Manero is concerned. . . The dough has been coming in dribbles. . . If and when Jesse Owens turns pro, his manager will be Marty Forkins, who handles the business of Bill Robinson, the tap dancer. . .

Bill Terry treats the Giants to a tub of gold beer after each game—win or lose. . . Mike Jacobs, who showed "em how to make fights pay, is going all the way to Red Bank, N. J., for a vacation. . . Tom Yawkey is convinced at last that you can't buy a pennant. . . He's tried now for three years and it looks like he'll wind up no better than fourth. . . Incidentally, he still is sold on Joe Cronin. Just like everybody else except a few distinguished ball players.

The Dodgers sent out 133 invitations to oldtime ball players to be their guests September 19 when the 60th anniversary of the National league will be celebrated at Ebbets Field. . . Zach Wheat, Tommy Griffith, Nap Rucker, Silent John Hummel, Ivy

Olson, Jacques Fourrier and dozens of others received in vites. . . So far, nobody has planned why Danny Vance, 38, Carey, Glenn Wright and Dan Hancock didn't. . . The American league is seriously considering changing the 1937 schedule, call for Sunday doubleheader and eliminating Monday games entirely.

Odds and ends: Lee (Black) Ross, Connie Mack's coach right-hander, stopped Earl Averill of the Indians after Earl had batted safely in 29 consecutive games. . . Tony Cantamero, stilling for his title defense against Lou Ambers September 3, never looked better. . .

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