

from MIDFIELD

by Bob Leonard

THE GREAT ZAM
Carl E. Zamloch, ex-major leaguer, ex-PCL owner and manager, ex-University of California coach and now an oil salesman, began this life at an undetermined point some time in the 1890's as the son of an internationally known magician and went on from there.

For just one guy, the big and burly Zam has gone a long way around but ended up handsomely as commercial salesmanager for a large coast firm. It's probably not the end, either. A gentleman who's covered that much ground in 40-odd years will probably cover much more before the game's over.

Zam dropped in on us the other day, which is the reason for this piece. We thought you would like to know what happened to at least one of the Detroiters who was overshadowed by the great Ty Cobb.

As a U. of Cal graduate circa 1910, Zamloch entered professional ball in the Coast league. We picked him up in the year 1912 at Missoula, Mont., in the old Union association.

That year, as a teammate of the immortal Joe Bush, Zam hurled in 58 games, winning 36 and losing 12. Bush, meantime was winning 35 and dropping 13. In one week, the junior magician won four games, two of them in a doubleheader.

He took over in the first inning of the first game when Bush was benched, won it, then stayed over for the second.

The next year, the 6-foot one-inch Zam went up to Detroit where he pitched in 17 games and led the club with a 2.7 earned run average against him.

His W and L record wasn't too sharp, however, principally because of one-run decisions. In his first game as a bigtimer, they tossed him in against Walter Johnson. He lost 2-1. Cobb stole home with the only run.

The second time he dropped another—this one 3-2 to Chicago. The third one went against him, 5-4. St. Louis did it.

That huge year at Missoula took its toll, Zam says, for after one more season with the Tigers his arm went dead and he came back to the coast.

Following a hitch in the last year, Zamloch took over head coaching duties for the California baseball team and served as assistant in the football brain department.

In 1930 he bought a half interest in the Oakland A's and went in as manager. There he stayed through 1931 and '32.

During that time he discovered Snoozle Ernst Lombardi, Tony Lazzeri and Monte Pearson. He found Pearson in Fresno, coached him and then sold him to Detroit for \$30,000. The Bengals later disposed of him for \$50,000 New York Yankee dollars.

In 1934, in San Francisco, he met a gentleman on the street who had been Zam's student manager during a California baseball junket to Japan in 1924. The gentleman was now one of the emperors of an oil company.

Zam accepted a job offer and there he is.

As salesmanager and public

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Darkhorse in National Singles



Gardner Mulloy, who has just hit a backhand, has stamped himself as strong contender for national singles championship at Forest Hills, Aug. 30-Sept. 6. The rangy Miami boy scored first upset of grass court season, eliminating Frank Kovacs in third round at Seabright, 3-6, 7-5, 6-4.

PCL Leaders Shake Off Challengers

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE
Oakland 41, Seattle 11-5
Hollywood 3-10, Portland 7-4
San Diego 7-2, Los Angeles 6-8
San Francisco 8-1, San Francisco 1-2

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE
W. L. Pct.
Oakland 41-11 .786
San Diego 37-15 .706
Seattle 36-16 .692
Hollywood 35-17 .673
Portland 34-18 .654
San Francisco 33-19 .635
Los Angeles 32-20 .615

By The Associated Press
The Pacific Coast league rides an even keel today, thanks to last-minute teamwork by Hollywood and Seattle in suppressing a threatened second division coup.

These top bracket outfits came up with double victories just when it appeared that Portland and Oakland might disturb the fixed progress of the campaign to the extent of capturing series from teams of higher rank.

Seattle twice nipped Oakland, 11-4 and 5-1, in a Sunday doubleheader, and Hollywood similarly topped Portland, 9-7 and 10-8.

Sacramento clinched the issue in the opener in Los Angeles.

relations man, Zamloch always carries a deck of cards—unmarked. Here and there he gives legendarily exhibitions picked up from the Great Sam, Sr., and puts out an advertising booklet which tells you all about match tricks and what oil to buy.

We've covered it briefly but it gives you an idea.

On current baseball matters the genial, affable big man with the observing eyes says Freddie Hutchinson should be an infielder, Oakland's Bill Rigney must learn to take a hard hit ball coming directly at him, and umpires are turning the game into a "slasy" pastime.

Hutch, he says, has a peculiar delivery particularly effective at night but maybe not so hot under the sun. He's a hitter, Zam states, and could do better in the outer patches.

Rigney can go to either the right or left but he's unsure of direct balls. But he's learning.

That incident about Eddie Mayo, who's a third baseman by the way, substantiates Zam's belief that umpires have too much authority. The Landis edict of a few years ago, barring for life any player who should, in a fit of pique, strike an umpire, has made the boys in black too overbearing.

It's taking the fight and the fun from baseball, Zam says.

Patty, Falkenburg Annex U. S. Junior, Boys Net Championships

CULVER, Ind., Aug. 11 (UP)—Two California youths—Bobby Falkenburg of Hollywood and Budge Patty of Los Angeles—Saturday maintained the west coast's supremacy in the national boys' and junior tennis championships at Culver Military academy.

Falkenburg, hampered by injuries, successfully acquired his second consecutive boys' title with a triumph over southern champion, Jack Tuero of New Orleans, 4-6, 8-6, 6-4, while Patty gave California its ninth straight junior title by defeating Vic Seixas of Philadelphia, 6-3, 4-6, 6-0, 4-6, 10-8.

Jimmy Evert of Chicago and Robert Smid of River Forest, Ill., captured the junior doubles championship without difficulty from the second ranking team of Gardner Larned of Chicago and Robert Jake of Milwaukee, 6-4, 6-2, 6-0.

Falkenburg achieved his triumph despite a back injury suffered in a fall earlier in the tournament and a broken wrist sustained previously. Tuero, playing a steady game, won the first set, but Bobby smashed away at Tuero's backhand to square the match in the second set.

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Dodgers Hold Margin With Double Victory

St. Louis Also Takes Pair to Hold Pace; Yanks Capture Brace

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Brooklyn 14, Boston 4-6
Philadelphia 14, New York 4-8
Pittsburgh 7, St. Louis 3-4
Cincinnati 4, Chicago 1-5

AMERICAN LEAGUE
New York 14, Philadelphia 1-1
Washington 6, Boston 7-2
St. Louis 7, Detroit 3-4
Chicago 3, Cleveland 2-1

By The Associated Press
NATIONAL LEAGUE
W. L. Pct.
Brooklyn 48-27 .640
St. Louis 48-28 .627
Pittsburgh 48-28 .627
Cincinnati 48-28 .627

AMERICAN LEAGUE
W. L. Pct.
New York 48-27 .640
Cleveland 48-28 .627
Boston 48-28 .627
Chicago 48-28 .627

By BILL BONI
Associated Press Sports Writer
Drama being somewhat outside this department's scope, there will be no effort made here today to tell you in glowing phrases of the history-making National league pennant race now in progress.

The Boston Braves snapped a seven-game Brooklyn Dodger winning streak Saturday, and the Cardinals promptly lost a 13-inning thriller to the rambunctious Pirates. Then Sunday there was a double victory for Brooklyn over the Braves, whereupon the St. Louis Cards, already having won the opener of their doubleheader from Pittsburgh, broke loose with three runs in the eighth inning of the nightcap to take that as well.

The Dodgers, in making their record nine wins in their past 10 starts, used divergent means. In the first tilt, which almost broke into open warfare because the Dodgers felt Dick Erickson was trying to dust them off, Brooklyn pounded three pitchers for 17 hits, including four doubles and a homer by Ducky Medwick, for a 14-4 decision. The nightcap saw stout Frederick Fitzsimmons and his knuckleball shut out the Braves, 4-0, on six hits.

Close-to-the-vest pitching was

the winning prescription for the Cards. A crowd of 26,513, one of the year's largest in St. Louis, saw Ernie White take the opener, 3-2, for his 14th decision as Terry Moore's pinch-single drove in the deciding runs, and then watched Mort Cooper, though touched for 10 safeties, bear down in the clutch to win his 10th of the year.

The baseball tradition that it's bad luck to get presents held true for the Chicago Cubs' Charley Root. The 42-year-old veteran got a station wagon from his fans, a \$1600 check from his club and even a baby pig. But when he settled down to work he got a 3-1 trimming from the Cincinnati Reds, whose Johnny Vander Meer was in seven-hit form.

The New York Giants ran the last-place Phillies' losing streak to eight in a row by winning the first half of their double bill, 5-4, getting four runs on homers. But then the Terrymen, riding a three-game victory string that was their longest since June, rode it to a fall as veteran Si Johnson turned them back, 4-3.

In the American league the New York Yankees took two from the Philadelphia Athletics, 11-2 and 4-1, and thereby climbed back into a 14-game lead over Cleveland. The Indians helped theirs along by bowing to Ted Lyons and Thornton Lee of the Chicago White Sox, who held them to six hits apiece in winning by 5-2 and 2-1, respectively.

The Boston Red Sox were their slugging selves in trimming the Washington Senators, 7-6, but in the nightcap couldn't bunt their 10 hits off Venezuelan Alejandro Carrasquel, who chalked up an 8-2 triumph.

Buck Newsom of the Detroit Tigers, who hasn't won a game since July 15, didn't win one Sunday, either. The St. Louis Browns got to him early for nine hits in four innings, got six more off Schoolboy Rowe, and won, 7-3.

Snead Fires 69 to Capture Canadian Open; Gray 2nd

TORONTO, Ont., Aug. 11 (UP)—Slammin' Sam Snead retained his Canadian open golf championship Saturday, winning the title for the third time in five years.

Snead toured the final 18 holes over the Lambton country club course in 69, one under par, for a 72-hole total of 274. This enabled the West Virginian hill billy to retain the Seagram Gold Cup and take \$1000 in first money.

Victor in a field of 126 who started Thursday's play, Snead went out in 36 and came home in three-under-par 33, to give him a total that beat out Bob Gray of Toronto by two strokes.

Three Shooters Score 100's in National Skeet Championships

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 11 (UP)—Dick Steinhoff of Detroit, Mich., shattered 72 straight targets in all gauge competition in the national skeet shoot Saturday and signalled for his 73rd.

It hissed into the air at the same time a dove wandered over the range. Steinhoff's blast missed the clay bird and felled the live one.

The judge ruled "dead bird." He gave Steinhoff another crack at his 73rd target.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 11 (UP)—Three amateur marksmen shot their second successive rounds of 100 straight targets Saturday to give them pace-setting scores of 200 in all-gauge competition of the national skeet championships. They were George Deyoe, Washington, D. C., Alex Kerr, Beverly Hills, Calif., and C. H. Poulton, San Antonio, Tex.

The final 50 birds of the 250-target contest were shot Sunday. Dick Schaughnessy, Dedham,

BUD WARD SETS OUT FOR NEW FIELDS

SPOKANE, Wash., Aug. 11 (UP)—Bud Ward today had dropped two golfing titles in as many days but he had picked out new golfing fields to conquer.

Saturday he withdrew from the Spokane city golf tourney and automatically gave up the title of city champion. He said he quit the tourney here to get in shape for the Great Lakes tournament in Chicago, Aug. 19 to 21.

Gray had a 72 for the final round and a total of 276. Veteran Gene Sarazen, who has won virtually every other title in big-time golf, was third with 277 after a par 70 in the afternoon.

When Snead started the afternoon round he was tied with Toronto's 29-year-old Gray at 205. Snead had registered a brilliant 66 in the morning and Gray had posted a par 70. Gray lost the match on the final round when he boeyed on the 17th for five and then missed a seven-foot putt on the 18th.

Meanwhile Sarazen, in his knickerbockers, had a 69 for the morning round, one stroke better than his par 70 in the afternoon.

Klamath Shooter Scores in PIST

PORT ANGELES, Wash., Aug. 11 (UP)—L. A. Marks of Castle Rock, Wash., and Earl Colson, Tacoma, shared honors Saturday in the Pacific Indian summer trapshoot on Lake Crescent.

Both men broke 99 out of 100 targets in the 16-yard event. Close behind with 98's were N. C. Janssen, Seattle, and Billy Fox, Mount Vernon, Wash.

Other scores in the 16-yard competition were John Camp, Corvallis, Ore., 97; J. H. Thompson, Blodgett, Ore., 95; T. B. Waters, Klamath Falls, Ore., 90; Dr. R. C. Vandeventer, Bend, Ore., 96.

DEAN PURCHASED
CLEVELAND, Aug. 11 (UP)—The Cleveland Indians announced that Lovell (Chubby) Dean, southpaw hurler, had been purchased from the Philadelphia Athletics for the waiver price of \$7500.

CULVER, Ind.—Budge Patty, Hollywood, Calif., whips Victor Seixas, Philadelphia, 6-3, 4-6, 6-0, 4-6, 10-8, to win national junior tennis title.

Whitebirds Drop Game, Leadership to Medford

Arrow Mark Shattered By Carl Strang

Michigan Marksman Fires 829 for New English York Round Record; Hughes 2nd

PORTLAND, Aug. 11 (AP)—The world's record fell in archery's most exacting contest as the National Archery association tournament ended Saturday.

Carl Strang, Dearborn, Mich., amassed an 829 score in the six-hour-long English York round, eclipsing the mark of 742 set last year by E. H. Turnock, Wilkinsburg, Pa.

Two others also surpassed the old record. Larry Hughes, new national champion from Burbank, Calif., scored 794, and Wayne Thompson, Richmond, Calif., 777.

Damon Howatt, Yakima, was fourth with 697; Forrest Lemley, Eugene, ninth with 565, and Sid Wheeler, Spokane, tenth with 525.

The Pope-Young round was won by Dr. Delmar Pletcher, Bakersfield, Calif., scoring 18 out of 36 shots at moving targets. I. M. Stamps, Seattle, was second with 14.

Wins 400-Meter



Bill Smith, Jr.

Hawaiian Swim Team Leads AAU

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 11 (UP)—The Alexander Community House team of Maui, Hawaii, scored heavily in three of four final events Saturday night to lead the 1941 national AAU men's outdoor swimming meet with 50 points at the end of the third day.

The Hawaiians swept the 400-meter free style at Maplewood pool, placed fourth in the 100-meter backstroke event, first and third in the 200-meter breast stroke and won the 800-meter relay.

Bill Smith, Jr., was individual star for the Hawaiians, winning the 400-meter free style championship tonight in 4:47.6 for his second individual title. He won the 200-meter free style Friday.

Three of Smith's teammates won the other places in the 400-meter event.

MAJOR LEAGUE LEADERS
By The Associated Press
AMERICAN LEAGUE
RATING — Williams, Boston, .419;
Travis, Washington, .387;
RUS — Dillinger, New York, .106;
Rols, New York, .04;
HITS — Dillinger, New York, 28;
Maggio, New York, 27;
STOLEN BASES — Case, Washington, 18;
Kubel, Chicago, 17;
PITCHING — Ruffing, New York, 18-41;
Murphy, New York, 4-5.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
RATING — Hoop, St. Louis, .343;
Reiser, Brooklyn, .334;
RUS — Hack, Chicago, .78; Reiser, Brooklyn, and Moore, St. Louis, .74;
HITS — Slaughter, St. Louis, 132; Hack, Chicago, and Moore, St. Louis, 131;
HOME RUNS — Camilli, Brooklyn, 21;
Nicholson, Chicago, 20;
STOLEN BASES — Frey, Cincinnati, 18;
Hendler, Pittsburgh, 17;
PITCHING — Riddle, Cincinnati, 12-31;
White, St. Louis, 14-9.

Among directors named were Dr. P. A. Lear and W. Clark Bachman of Silverton.

Reid Nielson of the federal fish and wildlife service advised fishermen that, if they were getting smaller catches than formerly, it was not because the fish were less numerous. Where there was one fisherman 15 years ago, there now are 15, he said.

Pelicans Win Saturday, Lose League Tilt, 14-7

Klamath's Pelicans dropped to second place in Oregon State loop standings Sunday by falling before the Medford Craters, 14-7, after winning Saturday night's exhibition contest, 8-4. The Crater victory left the valley team in a tie for first place with Silverton's Red Sox who won Sunday, 11-1.

The Craters landed on veteran Clyde Carlstrom, Pelican's starting hurler, for five hits in the first two frames Sunday which, together with two walks and a hit batsman, sent seven tallies scurrying across home plate. Davis relieved Carlstrom with one out in the second and finished the fifth canto. During his term on the hill, Davis was nicked for five safeties and four runs.

Hanauka Takes Over
Bill Hanauka took over pitching chores at the start of the sixth after a long absence due to arm trouble. He yielded five hits also in four frames with three runs scoring, only one being earned. The Medford sluggers collected a total of fifteen blows from Klamath hurlers scoring fourteen runs, eleven of which were earned.

Two young Portland boys with the Medford nine collected three hits apiece. They were Churchill, third base, and Roelandt, catcher, both of Franklin high school. Churchill poked out Medford's only homer in the fifth with two aboard. Although Medford was charged with five miscues, both the infield and outfield turned in some remarkable plays with two fast double killings and a long running catch by Joe Gray, Oregon State footballer, in the last inning with two men on base.

Crapo Homers
The Pelicans scored two in the second due chiefly to a long triple by Catcher Gross and a came back in the third with three more tallies driven in by Lloyd and Bernadou. Crapo homered in the fifth with none on the last counter came in the seventh when Crapo tripled and scored on Peters' single. "Dutch" Lieber, ex-coaster, kept the Pelican batsmen pretty well under control issuing one walk, striking out two, and yielding only eight hits.

Short score:
Medford 14, Klamath Falls 7
In winning the Saturday tilt, the Bigbills scored three in the first, a trio in the third and one each in the seventh and eighth while the valleymen rolled in one in the second, a pair in the seventh and another in the eighth for their four.

Hurrier Steve Janaso, in trouble in the first, was pulled out by a two-ply slaughter from Lloyd to Bishop to Crapo, and stayed on to hold the Craters to eight bingles. Jack Brown, Franklin high of Portland chucker, was untidily backed up by five Medford errors.

The Pelicans afield played tight ball and glittered with the first inning double killing and another in the seventh beautifully started by Paul Bernadou at third and winding through Bishop to Crapo.

Offensively the were led by chubby Jack Lloyd who hammered three hits, one a triple, in four tries.

For the Medfords, Joe Gray smacked two for four. Next Saturday night and Sunday the Pelicans entertain the

Portland Man Named Izaak Walton Leader

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