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Sports Briefs
By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28 (AP)—Although navy football coaches aren't saying anything, don't be surprised if Midshipman Cecil Duffee of Birmingham, Ala., turned out to be the best back at Annapolis this season. Duffee was kept under wraps as a plebe last year, but those who have seen him say he really can go... And incidentally, don't take too much stock of those reports of navy's line "weakness." Inspired by the success of the weekend visit of the Brookline, Mass., American Legion ball club, Toronto promoters hope to make it an annual tussle for the Eddie Quinn trophy... In his first year in the majors—1905—Ty Cobb got in so far wrong with his Detroit teammates that Manager Hughie Jennings decided to trade him off for the good of the club. The offers weren't so good, so Ty only remained a Tiger for 22 seasons.

RECONVERSION NOTE
Remember a couple of months ago when there was a two-front war on and it looked as if transportation troubles would wreck what was left of the sports program? Well, look at this week's slate: The tennis nationals, the Chicago all-star football game, the All-American Kids' ball game, finals of the American Legion and national semi-pro baseball tourneys and what have developed into a pair of terrific pennant races... to borrow Tommy Fitzgerald's swell line, the only ODT that seems to be causing any trouble is O'Neill's Detroit team.

SHORTS AND SHELLS
The will of Larry Conover, former Penn State football star and a noted official who died recently, offers Penn State a \$5000 fund for the New Jersey boy who "attains the best record in football and scholarship." The judges are to be the football coach and the college registrar—which looks like the makings of a swell scrap... Jack Saunders, who'll play in the outfield for Babe Ruth's east team in tonight's Esquire ball game, plays the drums and xylophone in civic concerts at Cincinnati. And he probably wouldn't be complemented by any comparisons with Eddie Basinski, the Dodgers' violinist-shortstop.

Cuccinello, Holmes Lead Hit Parade
NEW YORK, Aug. 28 (AP)—Despite their batting slumps last week, Tommy Holmes of the Boston Braves in the National league and Tony Cuccinello of the Chicago White Sox in the American league retained their swat leadership. Holmes slumped five points to 365 and saw his lead reduced to a mere three points as the Chicago Cubs' Phil Cavarretta returned to action after a week's layoff due to a shoulder injury and maintained his .362 pace. Brooklyn's Goody Rosen was still searching for his lost batting eye as his skidding average dropped to .341, high enough, though, to keep him in third place. Mel Ott of the New York Giants broke a fourth-place tie with Stan Hack of Chicago ending the week with a .327 figure, one point higher than the Cubs' third-sacker. Other National league leaders were Luis Olmo, Brooklyn, .321; Whitey Kurowski, St. Louis, .313; Dixie Walker, Brooklyn, .310; Don Johnson, Chicago, .309 and Ernie Lombardi, New York, .306.

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Brownies May Annex Loop Flag

By JOE REICHLER Associated Press Sports Writer
While others have been stealing the spotlight, the American league champion St. Louis Browns are quietly going about playing the brand of baseball that may gain them their second straight flag.
With Detroit and Washington, the only two teams ahead of the Browns in the standings, apparently going into nose-dives, the Swellmen, as a result of last night's 8-7 triumphs over the Chicago White Sox, are only four games out of first place, and may sneak into the lead by Labor Day.
Should St. Louis sweep the two-game series with the Tigers starting today, they will stand a very good chance to overtake the Bengals and the tough Cleveland Indians and New York Yankees, respectively. The Browns will have comparatively easy pickings in a four-game set with the White Sox from whom they've just concluded a five-game sweep.
Browns 19th Win
Yesterday's victory over the Pale Hose marked St. Louis' 19th win in its last 24 games, a 792 pace, or the best in the league during the past three weeks. The Browns have taken four straight from the Yankees and two out of three from the Senators.
The only other major league action was a two-night doubleheader between the New York Giants and Philadelphia Phillies, won by the Giants 4-0 and 6-2. Bill Voiselle fashioned a three-hitter to shut out the National league cellarites in the opener. Sal Maglie gave up nine hits to register his third win in the nightcap. Nap Reyes' loaded bases triple started Charlie Schanz on the road to ruin in the first contest, while Outfielder Leon Treadway paced the Giants hitters in the second with three safeties off Pitcher Dick Mahey including two runs batted in.

Feller May Stop Other Flag Threats
By JIMMY JORDAN CHICAGO, Aug. 28 (AP)—Ex-salor Bob Feller probably can't be pitched Cleveland into an American league pennant this year, but before he gets through with his season's chores, the chances are he'll give the pennant contenders plenty of trouble.
"I think he can win every game he starts the rest of the season," Indian Coach Burt Shotton said today.
"I didn't see much of him when he pitched in the American league before he went to the navy, but if he throws that ball like he did against Detroit last Friday, don't know who can stop him. From what I know of him, he's better now than he was four years ago."
Right now, the Indians are six and a half games back of league-leading Detroit, down in fifth place, with 36 games left to play. But in that 36-game stretch they meet every team in the league, and have two series with Detroit, third-place St. Louis and sixth-place Chicago.
"I don't know how often he'll pitch, but he'll have to have some bad days if he loses any," Shotton said. "He's still got that fast ball, and he has some new pitches that give him a chance to conserve some of his energy."

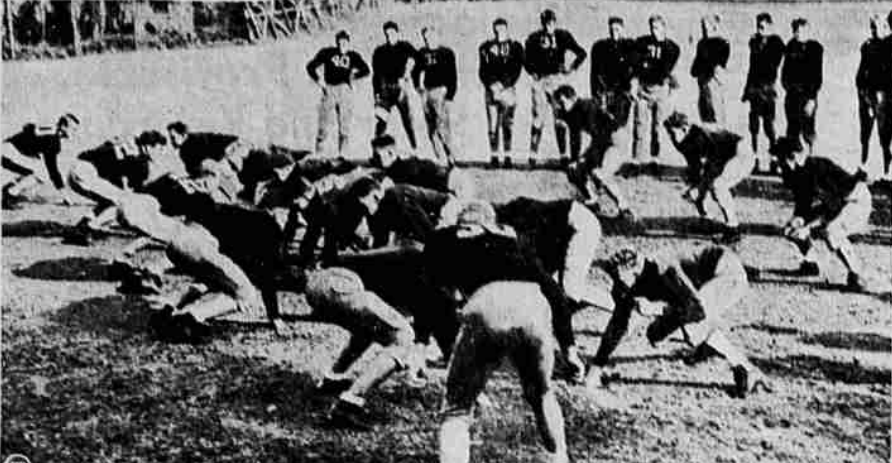
Daily Double Pays Off \$4000
NEW YORK, Aug. 28 (AP)—A \$4,313.90 daily double payoff—the highest on the North American continent since 1942 and New York's richest—was registered at Belmont Park today.
Miss M. J. O'Leary's two-year-old Buddie Bones won the first race and returned \$138.80 for \$2 on a straight win ticket.
G. H. Bostwick's Junction City, a field horse among the 14 starters triumphed in the second at \$20.40, \$8.30 and \$5.20 across the board.
The richest daily double payoff on record is the \$10,772.40 for \$2 returned by the combination of Joy Bet and Merry Caroline at Washington Park, Chicago, on August 14, 1939.
Twenty-three \$2 tickets and one \$10 ticket were sold on the winning pair today.

Seattle Boy Wins Tiny Tad Golf Toga
SEATTLE, Aug. 28 (AP)—Slamming down the last stretch with a string of pars, Dan Barkley of Seattle yesterday posted an 85 to win the state Tiny Tad golf championship at the Olympic View golf club—a contest for youngsters 13 years or younger.
Meanwhile Joe Greene, also of Seattle, grabbed a 71, one under par, to set the pace for boys in the 14-17 years old group. The first 18 holes of the annual 36-hole state junior championship.

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Here We Go Again



University of Washington's Huskies line up in the first scrimmage workout of the season. Two squads try out new trick plays developed by Coach Ralph (Pest) Welch. Huskies have only three returning letter men, but Welch expects additional experienced players in November.

Brilliant Field To Play In National Net Tourney

FOREST HILLS, N. Y., Aug. 28 (AP)—The National Tennis championships, the first "major" national title event to be contested since the end of the war, gets underway today with a field that already has begun to show the effects of the cessation of hostilities.
The tourney was kept alive through the war years partly because of soldiers and sailors who managed to get leave to play and last year, just halt the men's field of 32 was composed of military and naval personnel. Sgt. Frank Parker, then stationed at Modoc air base in California, came east long enough to win the 1944 title in his 15th attempt to win the crown.
Returning to competition this year are Frank Sneides, who served as a captain in the army air forces; Navy Lt. Gardner Auduloy, who was skipper of an LST during the landings in Africa and Europe; Major Frank Guernsey, a crack army pilot; Lt. Comdr. John Van Ryn of the navy, a former Davis cup player; Army Lt. Hal Surface, who spent three years in India, Navy Lt. Charles Mattmann, and Edward Cooke, who saw service as a navy lieutenant.
Parker, Lt. Seymour Greenberg and Air Cadet Bob Falkenberg, who played last year, were able to come back, Parker flying here from Guam where he was playing in an army-navy series. But Navy Lt. Don McNeill, fourth in the national rankings, remained in the Pacific. Also missing are Lt. Ted Schroeder, 1942 champion, who is in the navy and Ens. Jack Kramer of the coast guard, runner up in 1943 to Lt. Joe Hunt, who was killed in the crash of a navy plane.

Navy Nine Will Meet Marines

Setting the stage for a Klamath Falls playoff for the Southern Oregon league title next Sunday, the local marine and navy nines won their opening Shaughnessy series game against Medford and Central Point in Medford yesterday afternoon.
Saturday night at Medford the navy men downed the marines, 11 to 1, to take over the league lead and set up their Sunday game with the Craters.
Pat Patterson, hurling for the sailors on his last day in the service before getting discharged, held the marines to two singles and fanned 21. Patterson had a perfect game until Jack Pitts, leading off in the seventh frame, beat a slow bouncer for a hit. Pitts scored a few minutes later for the only Leatherneck tally.
Meanwhile, the sailors were hitting Chapin hard and benefited by several marine errors to pile up their 11-run total. Ruggiero relieved Chapin on the mound in the eighth.
Sunday afternoon the navy nine continued to shine at bat and romped over the Craters, 20-7. Weinzner and Vincigara divided mound chores for the sailors.
In the second playoff game the marines barely edged out a win over the fourth-place Central Point Studs, 10-9.

Phyllis Otto Rallies To Beat Invincible Babe

By JERRY LISKA CHICAGO, Aug. 28 (AP)—A lass from Iowa, who started playing the game with a single club when she was 11, ruled as the new queen of goldfom today.
Phyllis Otto, 21-year-old senior at Northwestern university, was the new feminine boss of the fairways after her dramatic 1-up title triumph over Babe Lidrikson Zaharias in the 45th women's amateur tournament Saturday.
Since 1938, Mrs. Zaharias has mowed down all comers. Three-time winner of the women's Western Open, she has been undefeated in 16 straight tournaments, a string that might have stretched even longer had she been an amateur before 1944.
But a tense 36-hole battle at trap-sattered Knollwood club in nearby Lake Forest, Ill., dispelled the Zaharias legend of invincibility. For the first time, Babe folded under pressure.

Langley Will Coach Sweet Home Hi-School

SWEET HOME, Aug. 28 (AP)—Gene Langley, former coach at Grand Coulee, Wash., and Union and Mac-hi in Oregon, will be mentor at Sweet Home Union high this fall. Principal G. A. Sprague said today.
An Oregon Normal graduate, Langley was until recently a physical training instructor in the maritime service.

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Bevo Fans Hope For Road Wins



By PAUL WELLS Associated Press Sports Writer
Rabid Portland baseball fans, whose fervor for a 1945 Pacific Coast league pennant rests with a team of slipping, tired veterans, pinned their hopes today on season's statistics which show the Beavers to be one of the greatest road clubs in the circuit.
Both the Beavers and the runner-up Seattle Rainiers, a scant three games behind, open two-weeks stay in California tonight. Portland tackles the San Diego Padres, who fell before the pace-setters eight games out of 11 in their last two meetings. The Rainiers tackle the third-place Sacramento Solons, whom they beat six times in their last nine starts.
Good Road Club
In the past the road has held no terrors for the Bevos. Contrary to all baseball precedent in which a club is rated fortunate to break even away from home, Portland has taken nine of 11 series, winning 49 games while losing 26 for a .653 percentage. At their Vaughn street home field they have capped five series, lost four, tied three for a 43-33 standing and a .566 rating.
Only 25 playing days remain on the schedule, and if the Beavers can duplicate their previous road performances betting odds will favor them to finish the season at the top of the heap.
Hollywood, almost hopelessly mired in the cellar four and a half games behind the seventh-place Los Angeles Angels, will complete tonight's schedule with a series opener against Oakland's A's, who are pursuing a will-o-the-wisp quest for a first division spot.
The San Francisco Seals, currently in fourth six tilts ahead of the Oaks, will begin an engagement at Wrigley field in Los Angeles with an afternoon doubleheader tomorrow.

Ann Curtis Wins 3 Major Events In AAU Meet

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 28 (AP)—The Crystal Plunge team of San Francisco, flashing class with a capital C, won the great Ann Curtis, who won three events—swam away with the three-day National AAU women's outdoor swimming and diving championships ended yesterday.
Scoring 50 points, the San Franciscans topped the combined total of their two nearest rivals, the Riviera club, Indianapolis, 22, and the Multnomah Athletic club, Portland, Ore., 20. The Crystal Plunge victory ended the Riviera club's four-year domination of team honors, starting in 1941.
Machine-like Miss Curtis won the 100, 400 and 800-meter free style events, in which she was defending champion, and swam a spectacular anchor to give her team the 800-meter relay after trailing by 12 yards. Her efforts thus accounted for 25—or half—of Crystal Plunge's winning total.

Luke Appling Plans To Don Chisox Uniform

ATLANTA, Aug. 28 (AP)—Luke Appling, the 38-year-old shortstop who led the American league in batting two years ago, plans to lose no time in changing from khaki to a Chicago White Sox uniform.
Luke, inducted into the army in 1943, is getting a discharge in a few days under the rule releasing men over 38, and he says he plans to head straight for Chicago when the discharge ceremonies are completed.
This might be by the week-end, according to the public relations officer at Lawson General hospital here, where Appling is a sergeant.

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Title Tiff To Be Gory Attraction

Patrons of Gladiator's Gully will get their money's worth and more Friday night when Georges Dusette tackles Jack Lipscomb for the junior heavy-weight mat crown of the Pacific coast.
Dusette has agreed to fight free gratis and the lion's share of the purse will go to the burly Lipscomb. Georges downed the snarling Hoosier in a tussle here last week that had the fans shrieking their lungs out before the fray was one minute old.
It was as wild a tiff as Klamath railbirds have seen in many moons and the fracas this week promises to be even more gory with Dusette grimly determined to lift the belt from his surly opponent.
Lipscomb is one of the most brutal rascals ever to appear in the Klamath arena and he will make use of every illegal trick in the book in an effort to preserve his reputation.
It has been feared that Dusette would some night permanently injure an opponent with his powerful full-Nelson but the French-Canadian Atlas has indicated that Lipscomb will have to take his chances Friday as he plans on pulling no punches.
Rufus Jones, highly-touted negro tussler from Detroit, will mix it up with Milt Olsen in the opener. The semi-windup has not yet been set, but Promoter Mack Lillard said today that Gorilla Poggi would probably be on the card.

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Meeting Called Of WIL Owners

TACOMA, Aug. 28 (AP)—Robert D. Aole, president of the western inter-national Baseball league, announced today that he had called a meeting of the four franchise holders in the class B circuit for September 16 at the Tacoma hotel.
Those expected to attend were William Ulrich, Spokane; William Kuepper, Salem; Robert Brown, Vancouver, B. C.; and Roger W. Peck, Tacoma.
President Aole said that he has been assured that the St. Louis Cardinals would make application for a franchise at Wenatchee and this is expected to bring up the attitude of the present club owners toward major league teams operating farm outfits in the Western inter-national.

Ike Williams Holds Big Betting Edge Over Gene Burton

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 28 (AP)—Ike Williams, the Brown Bomber Jr., from Trenton, N. J., holds a 13 to 5 edge in the wagering for tonight's clash with Gene Burton, but the odds-makers may be in for a major surprise.
Williams, who has not defended his NBA lightweight title since he wrestled it last April from Mexico's Jump Zurita, meets the New York slugger in another non-title 10-round set at Philadelphia's outdoor arena stadium.
CAMDEN, N. J.—Trymenow, \$9.50, beat Buzuz by a neck in Garden State Park's \$25,000 Jersey Handicap.

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