

Marciano 2 to 1 Favorite Tonight



TWELVE-YEAR-OLD Zane Zirkle, 1827 Portland, looks like he'll be tough to beat in the Class B division of the YMCA-sponsored ping pong tournament that opens Tuesday at the Y and ends Thursday in the two-day tournament. Zane is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Zirkle. The meet will have four divisions: adult (19 years of age and up), Class A (15-18), Class B (12-14) and Class C (9-11).

Matthews, Rocky Mix For Shot at Walcott

NEW YORK (AP) — Sluggish Rocky Marciano and boxer Harry Matthews risk their careers in one daring gamble Monday night for a September shot at the world's heavyweight title. Marciano is a 2 to 1 favorite.

Scouting from a ringside pew at Yankee Stadium will be Jersey Joe Walcott, the 38-year-old champion who has agreed to meet the winner in the fall.

Forecasts of fair, warm weather were counted on to bring a last-minute surge to the box office. The International Boxing Club expects to draw over 25,000 fans and \$250,000 for the show.

There will be no radio, television or theater television of this 10-round elimination bout, scheduled for 7 p.m. (PDT). In the event of rain, it will be pushed back to Tuesday night.

CROSSROADS
For Marciano, unbeaten in 41 pro fights, and Matthews, who hasn't lost in 70 starts since 1943, this will be the real crossroads.

It's on toward the title or back to the clubs. Marciano, a swarthy 27-year-old from the shantytown of Brockton, Mass., is a crunching puncher who fights out of a crouch. A left hook to the body and a long overhand right to the head are his best weapons. Rough and hard to handle, he is built like a wrestler with strong, solid legs and short brawny arms.

STYLIST
Matthews, 29, is a classy stylist with 105 pro fights. A fine boxer with long arms and quick hands, he is a fine counter puncher, specializing in short sharp jolts to the body. The pride of the great Northwest and his home town of Seattle, Matthews soared toward the top under the guidance of



ROCKY MARCIANO ... fight favorite

around 2 to 1. Many professionals think it's a little high, pointing to Matthews' record of not losing in his last 70 starts since he was stopped by Eddie Booker in 1943.

Dawson Goes 40 in Victory

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. (AP) — Johnny Dawson, a veteran golfer from Palm Springs, Calif., is the Broadmoor Invitational Tourney champion, but he had to win his title the hard way.

He was forced to go 40 holes—four beyond the regulation distance—Sunday to defeat youthful Buster Reed, North Texas State collegian, 1 up. It was the longest title encounter in the 32-year history of the tournament and was witnessed by about 2,000 spectators.

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Shantz Notches No. 18

By The Associated Press
This is a tale of two southpaws. One leads the National League pitchers. The other leads the American League pitchers.

One is tall, lanky and clever. He is Preacher Roe. The other is short, slight and also very clever. He is Bobby Shantz.

Roe pitches for the league-leading Brooklyn Dodgers. His record is 7-0. He has made 17 starts but finished only six.

Shantz pitches for the Philadelphia Athletics. His record for the sixth place club is 18-3. He has made 21 starts and finished 19 of them. Once he lasted five innings and once he lasted four.

Roe and Shantz pitched Sunday. The 30-year-old Preacher took an early shower in the sixth inning with Brooklyn trailing the St. Louis Cardinals, 3-2. The Dodgers tied the score 3-3 but the Cards rallied in the ninth to win their third straight from the Brooks, 4-3. Johnny Rutherford was tagged with the defeat.

FIVE HITTER
Shantz, the 25-year-old from Pottstown, Pa., turned in a five-hitter, going all the way to defeat the Chicago White Sox, 3-1 in the first game of a doubleheader. The Athletics also won the second, 9-3.

Sunday was quite a day for southpaws. Harry (The Cat) Brecheen was awarded the victory over Brooklyn, his first over the Dodgers since July 29, 1948. Harry Perkowski snapped New York's five-game winning streak, pitching the Cincinnati Reds to an 11-4 triumph over the Giants. The scheduled second game was postponed by rain, leaving the Giants still 4 1/2 games behind the Dodgers.

Billy Hoist, 20-year-old Detroit left-hander, handed the Yankees their fifth straight loss, pitching the Tigers to an 8-3 triumph. The Yankees snapped their losing string, longest under manager Casey Stengel, when rookie southpaw Bill Miller shut out the Tigers, 6-0, in the second game.

SOUTHPAWS
Other left-handers to shine were Alex Kellner, who hurled the Athletics' second game, and White Sox, and Gene Bearden, who pitched the St. Louis Browns to their third straight win over the Boston Red Sox, 8-1. The Red Sox took the second game of the twin bill, 9-3.

Cleveland used righthanders Bob Lemon and Steve Gromek sweep a pair from Washington, 3-1 and 3-2, and climb into second place in the American League, 3 1/2 games behind the Yankees.

Philadelphia's Phillies swept a twin bill from Chicago, 12-8 and 3-0, to wrest fourth place from the Cubs.

Vern Biekford won his fifth straight as the Boston Braves defeated Pittsburgh, 5-3, in the first game of a doubleheader. The second game was called after 11 innings because of darkness with the teams tied 3-3.

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Midget Winner
LANGHORNE, Pa. (AP) — Fred (Jiggs) Peters, successfully defending his national midget auto racing title, roared to victory in the 50-mile feature event of the 32nd annual Auto Racing Fair in 32 minutes, 16.47 seconds Sunday.

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Japs Dominate Olympic Swim

HELSINKI (AP) — Japan's swimmers, who performed so sensationally in the 1936 Olympic games, resumed their place in the Olympic spotlight Monday, taking over the record-breaking roles that American track and field stars relinquished.

The Japanese 800-meter freestyle team smashed the third Olympic swimming record in three days of competition in the Olympic pool by winning its qualifying heat in eight minutes, 42.1 seconds.

This broke the mark of 8:46 established by the United States team in 1948 and carried out the pattern of record-wrecking that has marked every day of the 1952 Olympic games.

The youthful Japanese team was composed of Yoshihiro Hamaguchi, Hiroshi Suzuki, Toru Goto and Tei-jiro Tanikawa.

QUALIFY
The United States team also qualified comfortably for Tuesday's finals along with Sweden, Hungary, South Africa, Argentina, France and Great Britain.

Other Olympic swimming records broke so far are the men's 100-meter free style, in which Clark Scholes of Highland Park, Mich., was timed in 57.1 seconds in a heat enroute in winning the first tank championship for America, and the women's 200 meters breaststroke.

Two Hungarian women, Eva Szekely and Eva Novak, have

turned in Olympic record times of 2:54 in trials. The final is scheduled Tuesday.

Otherwise it was a quiet morning on the Olympic front.

Argentina set a new scoring record for the current Olympic basketball tournament by walloping Bulgaria 100 to 56. Brazil's team trounced Chile 75 to 44 in the first game of the semi-final round-robin competition.

SHAVED
American fencer Edward Vebell of New York was eliminated in the semi-final round of men's individual epee competition.

In canoeing, Michael Budrook of New York and John Eismann of Silver Springs, Md., both failed to qualify in the preliminary heats of the 1,000 meters kayak race.

Frank Havens of Vienna, Va., winner of the 1,000 meters Canadian singles event by finishing third in his heat, won by Jean Robin of France.

Frank Krick and John Haas of Philadelphia qualified in the Canadian doubles race, also with a third place.

Track and field competition—always by showpiece of the Olympic games—ended a record-breaking run Sunday.

Twenty-seven new Olympic marks were stamped into the record books. Only six old records withstood the onslaught of the most talented field ever assembled.

ACCEPTED
Nine world records were beaten and these probably will be accepted as official when the International Amateur Athletic Federation holds its annual meeting Monday.

America's track and field forces won 14 of the medals in the men's division—the most since the present program was established—and one in the women's section.

The women's gold medal was a complete surprise. It was earned Sunday by showpiece footed girl—Mae Faggs, Barbara Jones, Janet Morrae and Catherine Hardy—who ran the 400-meter relay as if the Frankenstein monster was chasing them.

They set an Olympic record and bettered the world record in the process.

The big show Sunday, however, was the 26-mile marathon.

The man who made it so was Emil Zatopek, who runs as no man ever has.

FIRST DAY
On the first day of the track and field competition he set an Olympic record for the 10,000-meter run, his favorite distance.

He came back four days later to win the 5,000 meters in record time.

Sunday he had his first try at the marathon—a triple on other Olympic runner ever—and he set still another Olympic record of two hours, 23 minutes 5.2 seconds. This cut more than six minutes off the old mark.

In the unofficial team point standings, Russia continues to hold a substantial lead. The Soviet team has 49 1/2 points to the United States' 37 1/2.

Cuppers Move To Havana

CINCINNATI (AP) — The United States Davis Cup tennis team, probably with at least a couple of new faces in the lineup, will move on to Havana this week for second round matches against Cuba.

A foursome consisting of Billy Mulloy of Miami, Fla.; Vic Selkas of Philadelphia and Art Larsen of San Leandro, Calif., Sunday completed the job of giving Japan's team a 3 to 0 beating in the first round at the Cincinnati Tennis Club.

The matches against Cuba are scheduled for next week-end.

Selkas and Larsen registered the United States' closing singles' victories over Japan Sunday in heat that was more than 100 degrees on the sun-baked court.

Selkas was threatened as he out-gunned Fumiteru Nakano in straight sets, 6-2, 6-1, 6-2.

The erratic Larsen chose to play it soft and easy with Atsush Miyagi and that was the kind of a game the 20-year-old Japanese likes best. After almost two hours of play Larsen finally got out with a 6-1, 3-6, 6-1, 5-7, 6-3 triumph.

TIME OUT!
"He was home ill all last week, and we had a 7-game winning streak and finally moved out of the cellar!"

Netmen Advance
Herman Escher, Ron Lowell and Dr. Raymond Tice won opening-round bouts yesterday at the week-long City Tennis Tournament started at Moore Park.

Escher beat Vernon Fleet, 4-6, 6-2. Lowell breezed through John Owings, 6-0, 6-1. Tice disposed of Gene Oldham, 6-3, 6-4.

In doubles Tice teamed with Bruce Dingler to eliminate Fleet and Owings, 6-1, 6-2, and Lowell and Earl Brooks had little trouble with Escher and Oldham, 6-1, 6-0.

In Junior men's singles play, favorite Dingler cut out Randall Binkler, 6-0, 6-1, and Dennis Todd defeated Fleet, 6-2, 5-4.

Eldon Repulski, outfielder for the Rochester Red Wings in the International League, attended St. Cloud (Minn.) Teacher's College on a football scholarship.

SPORTS
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Cokes Cut Early In State Bid

NORTH BEND — The Klamath Cokes didn't last long in their bid for a state Junior Legion baseball berth. Eugene won the state trip to Salem August 1-3.

Myrtle Creek handed the Klamath nine its second loss in the double elimination Southern Oregon district tournament Saturday by a 2-1 score.

Eugene beat the Cokes, 9-4, Friday as the opener.

The Cokes picked up their only run Saturday in the sixth inning when Pitcher Champo Hatcher doubled, scooted to third on a wild pitch and came home on Ron Owens' single.

That mild flurry closed the count to 1-2 and Myrtle Creek piled up three more runs in the sixth.

In the other Saturday game, Eugene beat North Bend, 3-1.

North Bend eliminated Myrtle Creek, 4-3, Sunday to earn another crack at Eugene in the finals.

But Eugene waltzed through that one, 9-2.

Line score: 009 001 000-1 7 3
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Jets Grab NC Lead

The Hill Jets jumped back in the driver's seat in the Northern California Baseball League yesterday with a squeaky 4-3 victory over Weed.

The whole slate came up with close shaves as Mt. Shasta edged Dunsmuir, 4-2; Yreka got by McCloud, 5-3, and Tulelake nipped Scott Valley, 8-7.

Yesterday's results tightened the race with sixth-place Tulelake just 3 1/2 games behind league-leading Hill.

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Cincinnati — The United States swept to a 3-0 victory over the United States in the first round of Davis Cup competition and earned the right to meet Cuba in the second round.

GOLF
Sioux City — Al Besselink of Escondido, Calif., won the Sioux City Open with a 268.

NEW HAVEN, Conn. — Don Bingham of Orlando, Fla., took the National Junior Golf title with a 2 up triumph over Eddie Meyerson of Los Angeles.

GENERAL
Ann Arbor, Mich. — William Perigo, basketball coach at Western Michigan College for the last three years, was named head coach at the University of Michigan.

RACING
Delmar, Cal. — Danae (\$12.90) won the Oceanside Handicap at Delmar.

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