

Braucher's Sport Gossip

Garden Finances For some time there has been talk to the effect that Jimmy Johnston would be all through as matchmaker of Madison Square Garden when his contract expires in October.

Speculation reached almost the status of a cliché when the recent Carnera-Sharkey heavy-weight championship fight failed to reach \$150,000. And the Garden directors still have a headache over the Mara-Dempsey promotion of the Schmeling-Baer fight right in Madison Square Garden's own back yard.

Not Bad, James But over the whole period of Johnston's matchmaking, a time of depression, especially during the last two years, the Garden has managed to show a net profit, and in one of those years a dividend.

The Garden's total income during the year ending May 31, 1933, was \$2,857,205, according to a financial report just made available. Expenses during that period were \$2,289,199. That meant a net profit of \$568,006 and no dividends. Against this, the year ending May 31, 1932, showed an income of \$2,957,492, against expenses of \$3,397,564. The net profit was \$130,728 and the dividends amounted to \$53,721.

Values The decrease in profit between '32 and '33 thus was \$112,353. Mr. Johnston probably is ready to tell you that a few thousands of dollars can make an awful amount of difference in a man's popularity with his employers.

This report is for New York's Madison Square Garden alone, and does not include the Boston Garden, a partly-owned subsidiary. How much is the New York Garden worth? Assets, including land, buildings, etc., were listed in the report at \$4,622,142. Under liabilities, capital stock was listed at \$3,175,517 and mortgages \$1,200,000.

DID YOU KNOW THAT— Eddie Gharitty, who used to catch that fast ball of Walter Johnson's when Walter was throwing it up there so it looked like a BB shot, has come back to the major leagues along with his old chief, at Cleveland. . . Eddie still tells that story about his home run that went for Sweeney. . . two were out, Frank Ellerbe was on first and Gharitty was at bat. . . Eddie caught one on the nose and it sailed far up into the left field bleachers. . . Ellerbe somehow got the notion the ball had been caught. . . Reaching third he turned and jogged to his position in the infield. . . Gharitty stomped right on around, naming Ellerbe but not Eddie out.

Woodburn Leads Milwaukie for Legion Honors WOODBURN, July 24 (AP)—The Woodburn Legion junior baseball team was one up on Milwaukie after a 10 to 0 shut-out yesterday.

The teams meet again Friday in the second of a best two out of three series to decide which will play in the state finals at Klamath Falls.

Bevens and Schwab shared 15 strikeouts for Woodburn. The locals took advantage of Milwaukie's errors and scored four runs in the first inning.

R. H. E. Milwaukie 0 2 6 Woodburn 10 0 0

Hurtle, C. Seisenbala and Mize; Bevens, Schwab, Champ and Voget.

Salem Captures Tennis Tourney SALEM, July 24 (AP)—Salem carried away both the singles and doubles of the invitational tennis tournament here yesterday.

Fred Hageman won the singles in straight sets from Staylor of Salem who eliminated Mountain of Eugene in the semi-finals.

French Hageman and Creach of Salem eliminated Mountain and Buck of Eugene in the doubles semi-finals and then took the finals from Fred Hageman and Staylor, who eliminated Foster and Merdock of Monmouth in the semi-finals.

Snake Wraps Self Around Man's Neck LAKE CITY, Calif., July 24.—Visions of rattlers were through the mind of Ray L. Ward of this place recently while raking hay on his father's farm. A tooth of the rake which he was operating went through the body of a big blow snake. When he dumped his hay load the snake whipped through the air and wrapped itself around the young man's neck.

The snake, comparatively harmless, was one of the largest of its species seen here in many years.

Leave for Boise—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Huss left Saturday morning for Boise, Idaho, where they will spend a week visiting their daughters. They will bring their son, Frank "Pat" home with them upon their return. "Pat" has been in Boise for the past two weeks.



ENGLISH STARS BEAT U. S. MEN

Britain Halts American Bid to Recapture Davis Cup

AUTEUIL, France, July 24. (AP)—For the second time in three years, England's twin tennis stars, Fred Perry and H. W. (Bunny) Austin, have halted America's bid to regain the Davis cup in the interzone finals.

Just as they did in 1931, but under circumstances even more dramatic, Austin and Perry smashed through to victories in both of the final singles matches before a record crowd in Roland Garros stadium yesterday, gaining one by default through the collapse of the American champion, Ellsworth Vines, won the series four matches to one, and gained the right to battle France in the challenge round Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Austin Wins Series To Austin went the honor of clinching the series and ending for another year America's hopes of recapturing the trophy France has held ever since the "Four Musketeers," Rene Lacoste, Henri Cochet, Jean Borotra and Jacques Brugnon, won it at Germantown in 1927.

Meeting Wilmer Allison in the first match of the day, with Great Britain holding a 2-1 lead, Austin polished off the Texan in four sets, 6-1, 7-5, 6-2, 6-4, but all the drama, oddly enough, was concentrated in the second duel between Perry and Vines, meaningless though it was after Austin's clinching triumph.

Fighting to regain the prestige he lost through the terrific beating he took against Austin in the opening singles match Friday, Vines fought Perry point for point until he suddenly fainted from nervous exhaustion and the pain of an injured ankle with Perry at set-point in the fourteenth game of the fifth set.

The lanky American fell flat on his face, his long arms stretched full length in the red dust. Officials hurriedly applied wet towels to his face, then carried him to the clubhouse where he was quickly revived.

Perry was awarded the victory, 1-6, 6-0, 4-5, 7-5, 7-5 default.

Big Lakes Team Defeats Dorris in 12 Innings The Big Lakes baseball team nosed out Dorris, Calif., on Mead field, Sunday, 8 to 7. The game, one of the few contests going extra innings this year, lasted 12 innings.

Big Lakes, strong at bat, hit the Dorris pitcher frequently. The seven runs were scored on 14 blows. Dorris hit safely nine times.

Johndal and Thompson pitched for Dorris with Simmons catching. Budson and Gordon worked on the mound and behind the plate for the Klamath team.

State Legion Squads Meet Here for Title The state championships in the American Legion junior baseball race will climax wide attention at the convention here next month. The winners of the semi-final rounds will open the play here at the Fairgrounds, Thursday, August 10 at 1:30.

The state title will be determined Friday at 1:30.

Klamath Stars Will Meet G. P. The Klamath All-Stars will meet the Grants Pass team at the Fairgrounds next Sunday. Both teams have met this year and Sunday's game will be the determining factor of the series.

STANDINGS (Includes Sunday's Games) PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

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BAERS ARE RECONCILED



Max Baer and his wife, the former Dorothy Dunbar, have decided to kiss and make up, as the picture indicates. The Baers posed in Sacramento after Mrs. Baer dropped her suit for divorce against the heavyweight championship contender.

TWO NEW YORK CLUBS BACK IN LEADERSHIP; YANKS TRIM INDIANS

By HUGH S. FULLERTON, Jr. Associated Press Sports Writer The two New York clubs, again bracketed together as leaders of the major league, once more were the centers of baseball interest today as the Yankees forged ahead in their duel with Washington for first place in the American league and the Giants found their lead in the National dwindling before the onslaughts of the Chicago Cubs in spite of a remarkable effort to hold their own.

The Yanks picked just the right time yesterday to hand a pair of 3 to 1 laces to the Cleveland Indians. Washington's Senator's cracked up at the same time and dropped a 13 to 8 decision to the Detroit Tigers. And as a result the Yanks took the lead by a half game.

The Giants put on a sensational ninth inning rally, scoring seven runs off three pitchers in the final frame to beat their neighbors, the Brooklyn Dodgers, 5 to 3. But the second place Cubs came through with a double victory over the Phillies, winning the opener 9 to 5 when Harvey Hendrick smashed a pinch home run with the bases full in the tenth, and the second game 3 to 1 on Pat Malone's five hit pitching. Thus New York's lead was cut to two games.

The Yankees got fine pitching from Johnny Allen and Danny MacFadden for their double triumph and Lou Gehrig aided the cause in the first game with his 19th homer of the season. The Senators also were doing well until Al Thomas skyrocketed in the eighth.

Standings Shifted The Tigers' triumph brought further changes in the standing of the junior circuit. Detroit moved from sixth place to fourth while Chicago's White Sox dropped a pair to Boston and went to fifth and Cleveland continued downward to sixth. The Red Sox beat the Pale Hose 6 to 2 and 7 to 1, collecting 11 blows in each game behind the steady pitching of Henry Johnson and George Piggas and swept their five game series.

The Philadelphia Athletics and St. Louis Browns had an off day. The Cincinnati Reds checked Pittsburgh's threat to the National league leaders and moved up a notch to sixth place by defeating the Pirates twice, 6 to 1 and 6 to 4 when the veteran Ringers, Red Lucas and Eppa Rixey displayed some expert old-time hitting and Chick Hafey led a 23-hit attack with five doubles.

The Boston Braves and St. Louis Cardinals exchanged places twice in the course of splitting a doubleheader and finished with Boston holding fourth place, which it captured Saturday. In seven hit ball and the Cards slammed out a 12-0 victory. Rain halted the second game after six innings when the Braves held a 2-1 margin.

WRESTLER FROM JAPAN WILL MEET DAWKINS; THYE, KOVERLY SIGNED

The first mixed wrestling bout, Klamath Falls has seen in several years has been billed by Mack Lillard, promoter, for the Legion hall Friday night. The program will star a newcomer to Klamath wrestling activities, Oki Shikina, Jiu jitsu artist from the orient.

The Japanese will meet Scott Dawkins, the Boston grappler who put up such a rugged match against Bob Kruse. Dawkins lost to the Oswego man, and then came back the following week to draw with Ray Fribble of Medford.

Ted Thye, former champion of the world from Portland, will go against George Koverly of Hollywood in the preliminary. Both athletes lost to Al Karasick here, and for that reason have rated evenly.

Ptolemy, in 150 A. D., made the first gutter, but his work was lost until the fifteenth century.

Gresham Utilities Hearing Postponed SALEM, July 24 (AP)—The public utilities commission hearing at Gresham set for Wednesday on the application of the Portland Electric Power company to close its Estacada line between Bell station and Borline, has been postponed to a future date, it was announced today.

BEAVER DUCKS TAKE 3 GAMES

Missions Smothered in Week-End Contests; Hitter Goes On

By Associated Press With a mark of 60 games, Joe De Maggio was the Coast league's lone candidate today to equal or surpass the all-league 69-game consecutive hitting record established by Joe Wilhoit of Wichita in 1919. Jim Ogilby, Los Angeles, was stopped Sunday by Roy Joiner of Oakland after having hit safely in 44 games in a row.

De Maggio made it 60 straight with an infield single in each of the three week-end games at Sacramento. The Senators took the Saturday game from San Francisco, 8-7, and the last half of Sunday's double-header, 3-2. The Seals won the morning game at Stockton, 7-4. Sacramento fans booed the scorekeeper who credited Joe with a hit in the night-cap. The Seal rookie-punched a grounder to deep short which French could not handle. Police escorted the scorer from the field. Sacramento captured the series, 5-2.

Portland gained ground on the Solons by upsetting the Missions with three week-end victories, 15-8 Saturday, and 3-1 and 3-2 Sunday. Magnus Purzang, Red catcher, heaved the ball to right field in the opener to give the Beavers 2 unearned runs and the game. Lou Kouppal's 5-hit pitching and Charley Wallgren's lustrous double with two men on base decided the nightcap for Portland.

Los Angeles trounced Oakland 11-1 Saturday behind Dick Wards 7-hit toting, and again in yesterday's nightcap, 7-2, with Buck Newsom on the mound. Although out-hit 11-5, the Oaks won the opener in the 12th inning, 4-1. Los Angeles took the series, 2-3.

After being stopped 3-2 by Herman Pilleto Saturday, Hollywood came back yesterday to beat Seattle, 9-5 and 7-2, and walk off with the series, 3-2.

Marshfield Lads Win Legion Game MEDFORD, Ore., July 24. (AP)—Medford's American Legion junior baseball team was defeated 6 to 5 in a close, hard fought game in Marshfield yesterday. The coast boys broke a tie in the final inning.

Marshfield, winner in this section, will now play Eugene to decide the winner in western Oregon.

NEW CODE NAMED FOR SHIPBUILDERS WASHINGTON, July 24. (AP)—An agreement between Administrator Johnson of the national recovery act and leaders of the shipbuilding industry on hours and minimum wages in shipyards was reached today after many days of bitter discussion.

The new agreement provides for a 32-hour week in shipyards having government construction and a 36-hour week in yards which have no government construction and in ship repair work. The minimum wage provisions were shifted from 35 cents in southern yards and 40 cents in the north to 25 cents in the south and 45 in the north.

Portland Prepares For Liquor Trade PORTLAND, July 24. (AP)—Mayor Joseph K. Carson said today he will request authority at the Wednesday council meeting to appoint a committee of citizens to get a fact-finding committee in preparing data for drafting city ordinances to meet conditions arising from repeal of the 18th amendment.

COMMISSIONER RETURNS SALEM, July 24 (AP)—Charles H. Gram, state labor commissioner, returned here today from Washington, D. C., where he was called for conferences over the labor situation under the federal recovery act.

STRONG ADVANCE AIDS STOCK MART NEW YORK, July 24. (AP)—Advances of \$1 to around \$10 today helped a strong stock market plug the gaps torn out by last week's "corrective reaction."

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Golfer Scores Two Successive Aces RIVER FALLS, Wis., July 24 (AP)—Stan Morse gave the hole-in-one golfers something to shoot at when he scored two aces on consecutive rounds of play on the River Falls golf course yesterday. Both were made on the 99-yard eighth hole.

Shaw-Bertram Wins Contest From All-Stars

Shaw-Bertram was near the top of the Klamath independent teams this week, with the Sunday Stars at the fair grounds. The game was a free-scoring affair, ending 14 to 12 for Shaw-Bertram.

This evening the series between the two teams, and a third and deciding game will be played within a few weeks.

Young Scroggins, Shaw-Bertram pitcher, practically won his own game in the seventh inning by breaking a tie with a home run. The Bertram men added two more when Shipman's double scored Wakeman and Donaldson.

Deering also hit a homer for Shaw-Bertram in this inning. The All-Stars scored three runs in the ninth.

The summary. R. H. E. Shaw-Bertram 14 13 5 All-Stars 12 13 5

Scroggins and Deering; Gehman and Booth.

Baseball AMERICAN First game: Washington 5 11 2 Philadelphia 2 4 2

Burke, Russell and Iarg; Grove and Cochrane. Second: Washington 10 14 0 Philadelphia 6 11 5

Crowder, McAfee, Russell and Sewell; Earnshaw, Freitas and Cochrane.

Frankie Frisch Becomes Manager of Cardinals ST. LOUIS, July 24. (AP)—President Sam Breadon of the St. Louis Cardinals today announced Frankie Frisch, second baseman, had been named manager of the team for the remainder of this season and for 1934, succeeding Gabby Street.

Breadon said the change was made because "we want to win the pennant."

COLLEGE OFFICERS MEETING AT SALEM SALEM, July 24 (AP)—Registrars of Oregon colleges, universities, normal schools and junior colleges was being held here today at the call of C. A. Howard, state superintendent of public instruction. It was expected all of the 19 such institutions would be represented at the hearing.

The purpose of the meeting is the possible revision of uniform college entrance blanks and to consider plans for furnishing the superintendent's office with information concerning comparative work of students from each high school in the state. This would be used for constructive work in the various schools. C. A. Howard stated.

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NEW MACK



Dick Oliver, former sandlotter from Philadelphia, formerly of the Cardinals' training camp, Houston and Elmira, suddenly has turned up as one of Connie Mack's regular slabsters, and has been doing a pretty good job.

Bend Elks Hold Leadership of Oregon League BEND, Ore., July 24 (AP)—The Bend Elks staged their way into undisputed first place in the Oregon State baseball league standings Sunday by defeating Eugene's Townies 19 to 5. The game, expected to be a pitching duel between Murphy, Bend hurler, and Whitshire, Eugene ace, turned into a barrage of safe hits as Bend garnered 13 off Whitshire. In the only other game played the Shumps team of Portland won from the Salem Senators 11 to 9 in 10 innings at the capital city.

Scores: R. H. E. Eugene 5 19 2 Bend 19 5 1

Whitshire, Inman and Blabop; Murphy and Kubanks.

Lakeview Team Triumphs Over Bend Shamrocks LAKEVIEW, July 24.—The Lakeview baseball team, claimant for the championship of southern and central Oregon, upset the Bend Shamrocks in a 17 inning game here Sunday, 19 to 8.

Harry Dutton, former University of Oregon star, cleaned up the contest in the last inning when he rapped out a home run to score two Lakeview runners. There were two out when the winning hit came.

George Cellerwood, Lakeview pitcher, struck out 24 Bend batters.

Contests Won By Two Alturas Women ALTURAS, Calif.—Two young maidens won first prizes here during the past week in local contests. Mrs. Mary Nigh, local school teacher, drove a Model V-8 Ford car 7.73 miles on a quart of gasoline with measurements conducted by a committee of judges.

In a contest sponsored by the Pit River Hardware company, Mrs. Frank Yates caught the largest trout of the season so far.

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