

# The Braves May Do It Again

### Boston Climbs Swiftly Into Second Place. Last Pennant Won in 1914. Only Once in First Division in 19 Years. Washington State Northwest's Football Hope Again.

High among the notable baseball organizations of the season stands Boston of the National league. These Braves, wobbling uncertainly and deep in the second division for 19 years, have sped upward into second place, a definite threat to the New York Giants.

Upsets make for long life in sports; and the Braves have contributed unusual stimulation to the big leagues. Boston won a National league pennant in 1914, they may win another in 1933.

This magnificent string of victories—14 in the last 17 games—pushed the Pittsburgh Pirates into the fourth position. The victory was reasserting to Boston's baseball public, for even though the Braves don't win a pennant, they are almost certain to end the season in the first division.

Tuesday's 5 to 4 victory over the Pirates in a 14-inning contest was the only game the weather man would permit the National league. It was a game bringing new support to Bill McKechnie, and it undoubtedly will mean a new contract.

It's been 19 years since the Braves have won a championship, and it's been 12 years since they finished in the first division. For 18 years the team has been either in seventh or eighth place. No wonder the New England citizens are prepared to back McKechnie for another contract as manager.

McKechnie came to Boston in 1919 with the definite understanding he would be given complete authority to rebuild the Boston team. He dropped the veterans took on a group of recruits, and here he is—pressing toward a title.

A strong pitching staff, rather than power at bat, has been responsible for Boston's climb. It's true Boston is getting pretty fair batting support, but without Ben Cantwell, Ed Brandt, Fred Frankhouse, Tom Zachary and Hook Bevis, there would have been no ascension into the first division.

A few weeks ago Boston purchased Pinky Wheter from the Phillies. The shift in the infield combination worked perfectly, and apparently was sufficient to start the Braves along the path to victory.

Tuesday Frankhouse held down the Pirates for 14 innings, and then Wally Berger bopped out a home run to bring in the winning run. It gave Boston a clean sweep in a four-game series.

Berger came to bat in the 14th as the first man, and then blasted the veteran Wally Hoyt, who had replaced Hal Smith, for his 22nd home run of the year.

Washington State, the Northwest's most consistent team, has been selected again to lead the northern division toward a conference championship. Babe Hollingberry's 7 to 5 victory over Southern California on Rogers field at Pullman three years ago, has given the Cougars an unending reputation.

Oregon will be the northern division's dark horse. Pink Callison, starting his second year as head coach, has assembled many of the same lads who made such a commotion last season. The Webfoots have a finer opportunity this year than they have had for several.

Unless there is a misrepresentation of material at Seattle, the Washington Huskies won't be seriously considered. Jimmy Phelan reached the climax of his three year last season, but, unfortunately, lost many of his outstanding men through graduations.

Oregon State probably won't show much this season. The material is husky, but not exceptional. Lemmie Slinger, in his first year, will be content to play along, building for the future.

## STANDINGS

By The Associated Press

COAST LEAGUE			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Los Angeles	35	53	.394
Hollywood	34	55	.383
Portland	32	57	.361
Sacramento	32	61	.342
Oakland	31	76	.286
San Francisco	29	84	.259
Mission	27	86	.239
Seattle	24	87	.212

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Washington	77	39	.664
Cleveland	69	44	.609
Detroit	59	50	.539
Philadelphia	57	59	.481
Chicago	54	63	.462
Boston	49	68	.419
St. Louis	44	77	.364

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	62	43	.592
Boston	54	53	.507
St. Louis	54	54	.500
Pittsburgh	52	53	.492
Chicago	52	53	.492
Philadelphia	48	64	.429
Brooklyn	45	65	.409
Cincinnati	44	72	.379

The annual loss of the American public through embourgeoisement has been estimated at \$125,000,000,000.



## BRAVES WRECK PIRATES AGAIN

### Boston Club Causes Sensation in National League.

By Herbert W. Barker (A. P. Sports Writer)

Lightning seldom strikes twice in the same spot but National League contenders, harking back to 1914, are casting an apprehensive eye on the exploits of the Boston Braves.

There's still a long hard struggle ahead of Bill McKechnie's hopefuls before they can rival the feat of the Braves of 19 years ago who climbed from last place on July 4 to win the pennant and then the world series in successive games from the Philadelphia Athletics. But it's not impossible.

### Braves Crush Pirates.

Their fourth straight triumph over the Pittsburgh Pirates and their 17th victory in 21 games Tuesday sent the Braves flying into second place, seven games behind the New York Giants. McKechnie's crew was in fourth place when their winning began 24 days ago.

Wally Berger's 22nd homer in the 14th inning gave the Braves their 5-4 decision over the Pirates Tuesday and rained what otherwise was an all but perfect job of relief pitching by the veteran Wally Hoyt. Going to the mound in the fourth after young Hal Smith had given way to a pinch hitter, Hoyt walked Al Spohrer, first man to face him. Then he set down 15 batters in order before Hal Lee singled with one down in the 12th. Hoyt then got the rest. Five men in succession bled back up the ball game with some out to the 14th. Fred Frankhouse went the route for the Braves and allowed only ten hits, blanking the cougars over the last nine frames.

### Tigers Defeat Sox.

Shaping the headlines with the Braves was the Detroit Tigers who straggled the 13-game winning streak of the Washington Senators with a thrilling 10-6 triumph. Washington twice overcame Tiger leads but Detroit finally won out in the sixth when Hank Greenberg, big first baseman, cloaked a homer with one on and two out. The Senators' defeat coupled with the New York Yankees' victory over the Cleveland Indians, clipped Washington's American League lead to seven and a half games.

A triple by Bill Dickey in the ninth followed by a single by pinch hitter Joe Sewell enabled the Yankees to nose out the Indians, 4-3. Vernon Gomes singled only four hits and fanned three and should have had an easy victory over Mel Harler except for his own wildness. He struck three men in the fifth while Cleveland scored two runs and unworked a wild pitch in the eighth that put Earl Averill in position to score the tying run on "Bad News" Hale's double.

Home runs by McNair, Higgins and Finney helped the Athletics turn back the St. Louis Browns, 7-6, while the Chicago White Sox took two games from Boston, 9-1 and 4-0. Ted Lyons allowed seven hits in the opener and Joe Heving only six in the shutout.

### State Tournament Set For Salem

SALEM, Aug. 23 (AP)—Oregon's first state kiltball playground ball tournament will be played here on Willamette university's lighted field the nights of August 25 and 26, announced Dwight Adams, who arranged the tournament.

On the opening night the Knights of Columbus team of Eugene will play the Salem club at 8 o'clock, and at 9:15 the B. P. Johns company team of Portland will play the Veterans of Foreign Wars team of Oregon City.

Wednesday, the 26th, the winners of the first round will play for the championship.

### Ex-Irish Stars Will Meet Bears

CHICAGO, Aug. 23 (AP)—A team of former Notre Dame football stars under the direction of Coach Hearly (Hunk) Anderson, will meet the Chicago Bears, national professional league champions, at Soldier Field September 16.

Anderson is rounding up his squad, and will drill the men for two weeks. Red Grange, who recently signed for his eighth season with the Bears, and Bronko Nagurski, former Minnesota iron man, have started conditioning for the contest.

### Whitney's Horse Arrives for Race

CHICAGO, Aug. 23 (AP)—C. V. Whitney's Equine, ranked by many as the greatest race horse since Man o' War, arrived today from the east for the \$25,000 Hawthorne gold cup Tuesday. He came in a special car attached to the Twentieth Century Limited.

# Sporting News

BOXING BASEBALL TENNIS COLF RACING FISHING WRESTLING

## Coast's Greatest Gridders Meet East



Headed by Morley Drury, Southern California's great quarterback of 1927, these gridgers, forming the starting backfield of Coach Howard Jones' western squad, will meet Dick Hanley's eastern team in an all-star grid game at Chicago, Aug. 24. The players are, left to right: Max Krantz, Gonzaga; Galus Shaver, Southern California; "Hard Luck" Hank Schaidach, California; and Morley Drury.

## BUZZ BROWN IN TRAINING TO MAKE LIMIT DEMANDED BY JOE CALDER OF SEATTLE

Buzz Brown, clever featherweight with a lightning left hand, settled down Wednesday to the task of preparing himself for Joe Calder of Seattle. Brown will go into action against the young Filipino in an eight round main event at the Legion hall Saturday night.

The lad from the middlewest was confident he would make 124 pounds by the time limit. He will be weighed in Saturday noon.

Weight restrictions were demanded by Calder last week. He first insisted Brown enter the ring Friday night at 120 pounds, but after a compromise talk with Joe Lillard, promoter, agreed to fight Saturday night if Brown could come down to 124 pounds a few hours before the match.

Neither Calder or Brown have met each other before. Both, however, are evenly matched. Brown scored a decision over Paul Thill and Calder fought Thill to a draw.

Jack J. Hibbard of Klamath Falls was a popular favorite to either knockout or decision Cecil Jordan, San Francisco's colored lad. The boys will be in the ring for a six-round semi-wind-up.

Lillard has planned 10 more rounds of boxing to support the feature bouts.

## COUGARS PREPARING CAMPAIGN FOR CONFERENCE GRID TITLE

WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE, Pullman, Aug. 23—When Coach Babe Hollingberry sends the opening call for football practice, 12 letters from last year's second place team are expected to report. Washington State, with the brightest title prospects in years, will pin its hopes on this group of seasoned players, augmented by several promising recruits and some outstanding sophomores taken from last season's undefeated freshman team.

Graduation took eight members of the 1932 team, but the loss will be felt only in the half-back spots. George Sander, Mike Davis and Howard Moses, half-backs of three years service, have shifted assignments at some of his men to bolster the department.

A powerful line is the back to the optimistic outlook of the Cougars. The roster shows the return of five lettermen at end, three at tackle, two at guard and one at center. Several sophomores look good for line assignments as well.

## Hansford Trims Filipino Boxer

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 23 (AP)—George Hansford, 124, scored a clear cut decision over clever Simon, 124 1/2, Manila, in their 10-round main event at the Olympic stadium last night.

Hansford won six of the 10 rounds, making a fast finish in the last two stanzas in which he showed Simon with head rights to the body and left to the jaw. Simon was given the wire in the fourth and seventh rounds but otherwise showed an unwillingness to mix.

## Baseball NATIONAL LEAGUE

BOSTON, Aug. 23 (AP)—Wally Berger, hitting his 23rd and 24th home runs of the season, today drove in all of Boston's runs as the Braves defeated St. Louis 4 to 3 for their fifth straight victory. The score:			
B. L. E.	R. H. E.		
St. Louis	3	6	2
Boston	4	4	1

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

First Game—			
Washington	7	7	2
Detroit	2	10	5

## Second Game—

Chicago, 1933			
Washington and O'Connell; Duroso and Moffy.	R. H. E.		
New York	1	6	5
Cleveland	2	9	9

## Baltimore Player Sold to Yankees

BALTIMORE, Md., Aug. 23 (AP)—Sale of Tom Halloran, young notable because of the Cougars to the New York Yankees was announced today by manager W. Knickerbocker of the International league.

Four players and a cash sum will be turned over to the Yankees who is to report to the Yankees next morning.

## SEATTLE CUTS ANGELS' LEAD

### Portland Regains Winning Stride With Victory Over Seals.

By The Associated Press  
Ranked only eighth in the Coast league standings, Manager George Burns' Seattle Indians helped trim the Los Angeles first place margin to a bare half game.

Pinch hitter Truett Sewell, who pitches and patrols the Indian outfield in his spare time, clouted a ninth inning home run with two men on base last night to beat the Angels, 4-3. Although he was in the Angel box for only part of the final inning, Dick Ward, the league's leading hurler, was charged with the defeat. George Easter kept the eight Angel hits well scattered.

### Stars Crack Oakland

Hollywood's Stars found Oakland losing to their liking and blasted out a 13-4 victory to move up into the Angels' heels.

Vince Dimaggio, star center fielder, scored three runs and drove in three more with a triple and four-bagger. Fred Haney added three stolen bases to the 13 hits. Mattes collected off Fleber, batsman and catcher of the Oaks. Vance Page went the route for Hollywood.

Defeated last week by the Stars, Portland regained its winning stride Tuesday night to take the series opener from San Francisco, 9-2. The Portlanders walloped Ken McDougal, Ed Stutz and Jimmy Zinn for 14 safeties, including Fred Berger's three doubles and Prince Oana's home and brace of singles. Rudy Kallio, Beaver veteran, was never in trouble.

### Relieving Larry Gillick in the Sacramento box in the ninth inning, Bill Hartwig struck out Pinch Hitter Bud Hiley to bait a Mission rally and give the game to the Solons, 4-3. Gillick held the Reds to six hits until the ninth when they bunched three blows for their third score.

### Ah Wing Wins.

Ah Wing Lee, 129, Portland's Chinese star, got off to a good start in his comeback campaign by knocking out Joey Kaufman, 142, Buffalo, in the first of a scheduled eight-round bout. Lee had Kaufman on the floor three times before the buffalo boxer succumbed to the knockout punch.

Other results were: Chaiky Wright, 124, Los Angeles, defeated Whitey Neal, 127, Portland, in six. Roy Ockley, 136, and Louie Nelson, 133, both Portland, drew in six. Tiger Coffy, Butte, and Young Harry Willie, Longview, drew in four.

### Springfield, Mobile Meet For Pennant

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, Aug. 23 (AP)—Teams from Mobile, Ala., and Springfield, O., battled their way through the first round of the eastern sectional American Legion junior tournament yesterday. Mobile defeated Springfield, Me., 5 to 2 in 14 innings, while the local nine beat Reading, Pa., 5 to 4.

### Scores Enter Golf Tourney

CHICAGO, Aug. 23 (AP)—One hundred and sixty-one professional and amateur golfers have entered the western open golf tournament to be played at Olympia Fields Friday, Saturday and Sunday. It was announced today. Late entrants may swell the total to more than 175.

Eighteen holes will be played Friday, another eighteen Saturday, with the 40 low contestants, including tie, competing in the final 36 holes Sunday.

## Red Cagle Buys Football Team

NEW YORK, Aug. 23 (AP)—Chris "Red" Cagle of Army gridiron fame and John "Shipwreck" Kelly, former Kentucky football player, today announced that they had purchased the Brooklyn football club of the National league from William Dwyer and his associates.

It is understood that Cagle and Kelly turned over about \$25,000 cash in the transaction.

## THE SCOURGE



The young fellow above (you'll note he's not old enough to wear long pants) is bound to cause some trouble when the man's national tennis singles get under way at Forest Hills, Sept. 2. He is Frankie Parker, the Milwaukee and New Orleans youth whose specialty is upsetting stars. The picture was taken just after he beat Fred Perry, English champ, in an exhibition at Rye, N. Y.

Unqualified endorsement of the Chicago Cubs' president's plan was voiced by Alva Bradley and Stephen W. McKeever, presidents respectively of the Cleveland Indians and Brooklyn Dodgers. Other club owners almost unanimously agreed that some such radical departure from the regular order of things was needed if baseball was to climb out of the "red."

### Four Games Enough

"We need some such stimulant, and I am in favor of it," McKeever said, while Bradley pointed out he actually had advocated a definite plan for inter-league games.

### Helen Defies Orders To Play In New Tourney

FOREST HILLS, N. Y., Aug. 23 (AP)—If Helen Wills had obeyed the doctor's orders she wouldn't be seeking her eighth national singles tennis championship now.

"I was told to rest until January" because of my back injury," she said. "I walk slightly crooked now. With a lot of that California sunshine on the beach, however, I expect to recover completely. This spinal strain is quite troublesome but otherwise I feel as well as ever."

### Weather Handicap

The great California thinks one of the reasons she dropped a set to Betty Nuthall in the semi-finals Sunday was because she failed to warm up before the match.

"I thought a brisk massage would be all right," she said, "but I was wrong. I did not get warmed up until the second set. Betty played beautiful tennis in the first set."

### Battle Pending

Meanwhile tournament officials looked hopefully for a change in the weather so that the two remaining semi-final matches—one in singles and one in doubles—could be completed today and thus allow the finals to be played tomorrow.

In singles, Helen Jacobs, the defending champion, and Dorothy Round, English star, were to meet for the right to face Mrs. Moody in the final round. In doubles, Mrs. Moody and Elizabeth Ryan were paired against Miss Round and Mary Healy, the survivors to battle Miss Nuthall and Freda James for the title.

### Fish Planting Continues At Crater Lake

CRATER LAKE NATIONAL PARK, Ore., Aug. 23 (Special)—Assuring continued good angling in Crater lake, the planting of 16,000 silverides and 50,000 steelhead fingerlings is being completed under the direction of Chief Ranger David H. Canfield. The trout, furnished through the co-operation of federal and state agencies, were obtained from the Butte Falls fish hatchery.

Although the fish were hauled nearly 100 miles, only a minimum number were lost, with a part of this record due to the fact hauling was done during the evening hours.

During the past season, fishing has been better than in several years, with numerous catches of trout in excess of 30 inches reported and several over 30 inches. Limits of five per person daily have been common occurrences. Trolling with spinners has been the favorite method of angling, although fly-casting has been used to advantage.

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