

HOW IT LOOKS TO US



AHEARN, EUROPE'S SENSATION LIKELY ENGLAND'S WHITE HOPE

British Sporting Papers Hail Young Ahearn as Wonderful Boxer—Calling Him Champion in the Making.

By Trixie. LONDON, Aug. 15.—Young Ahearn is the sensation of Europe. He has been unable to find a Frenchman who will meet him. Here in England he is idolized, and called by a United Press England's hope. When Young Ahearn stopped Private Braddock, at the National Sporting Club, and then knocked out Sid Burps in two rounds, the English public came to a full realization that the remarkable record this youngster has made in France was not a fluke one. Pat O'Keefe, holder of the Lord Londdale belt agreed to meet Ahearn, but has now demanded the six months time which is allowed under the championship rules. They will meet in October, provided Ahearn can do the middleweight limit then, which is doubtful, as he is daily growing into a white hope.

ECONOMY HAS COST PHILLIES \$100,000

Selling Seaton and Dolan Means a Lot to National Flag Aspirants.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Aug. 15.—A little matter of \$5000, which the Phillies refused to spend, will cost the local club something like \$100,000 before the season closes. Five thousand dollars would have kept Seaton and Dolan for that club. In fact, the shortstop actually did quit over a matter of \$500 bonus which he claimed Manager Doolan had promised him, and which was not paid. Baker refused to pay. The profits of last year's campaign were in the bank when Baker booted the play. Either he did not want to spend money, or, as is thought he did not have to. As a result, the Phillies are down in the pennant chase. But they have not been more than ten games behind the leading Giants at any stage of affairs, and it is putting a fair value on the pair to say that they are worth at least ten games in seventy.

Seaton alone might be worth that in the box. When it is considered Doolan's chief trouble all season, Dolan's value is emphasized. Hotel Krausmann, Ladies' and Gentlemen's grill, with music, imported German Beers, Frank Steak a la Krausmann. Open till 12 p.m. Corner Church and King Streets. ed7

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CHANGE GOLF RULES FOR U. S. TOURNEY

Simpler Method for Qualifying Adopted With Thirty-Six-Hole Round.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—According to the program of the United States Golf Association, there is a change in the conditions governing the national amateur championship tournament at Shinnecock, N. Y., on August 31 to September 5. Instead of an eighteen hole round for the first day and another eighteen hole circuit the second day for the thirty-two scores over the thirty-six hole circuit qualifying, a far simpler method has been adopted. In other words, there will be a thirty-six hole round the first day, the thirty-two best scores becoming eligible for match play, and instead of the first match round being at eighteen holes and the subsequent rounds at thirty-six, all of the match play will be over the double round, to the championship at Garden City, the national governing body in American golf announced these same conditions, but it was found necessary, in view of the size of the entry, to revert to the old order of things. The new plan will leave everything at thirty-six holes. The winner of the title will receive a gold medal and the club he represents will have possession of the Havermyer Club for one year. The runner-up will receive a silver medal and the others who reach the semi-final round will be awarded bronze medals. Foreigners visiting this country may be invited by the association to compete. Entries will close on Monday, August 24.

SPURT OF BRAVES IS BASEBALL TALK

Have Come Back Since Slump in the Spring with a Vengeance.

BOSTON, Aug. 15.—Many baseball writers and other winter dopsters are having their faces saved by the recent wonderful spurt of the Boston National League team. Boston was picked by the winter prophets for the first division this year, on the remarkable improvement the Braves showed last year, under George Stallings. Principally because of a poor outfield, the Braves slumped in April and May, and were the worst looking tail-end outfit in the majors, but they have come back with a vengeance. To-day they are in fourth place, and show no sign of slackening in their speed. Some of Boston's success has been due to baseball luck, but a lot of it is persistent manipulation of the line-up, regardless of the expense involved. That the policy has paid has been proved by the attendance figures, which show that the Braves are drawing capacity crowds whenever the attraction promises to be especially good, and are keeping a high average on other days.

PLENTY OF RUMORS ABOUT FEDERALS

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—There are all kinds of rumors concerning Federal League plans floating around again. A report comes from Pittsburgh that Jeff Tesreau and Jack Murray, of the Giants, are to become members of the rebels. These two players were among the five members of the Giants, who attended the games at the Pittsburgh park recently. Also President Barrow denies it, another rumor comes from Pittsburgh to the effect that Tim McCallery, the International League manager of Toronto, is seeking a Federal League franchise. Bill Bradley, manager of the Brookfields, is reported to have declared: "Toronto will be in our league next year, and McCallery will be one of our players behind our independent enterprise."

MISS RAVENSCROFT WILL NOT DEFEND AMERICAN GOLF TITLE

English Player Decides to Not Make Trip This Year—No Other Britishers Likely to Play.

By Trixie. LONDON, Aug. 15.—Miss Gladys Ravenscroft, the woman golf champion of the United States, and 1912 British champion, announces that she will not be able to visit the United States this year. Consequently she will defend the American title. It is plain that there will be no British women in the national championship, which will be played in September. To Miss Ravenscroft the question was put as to whether she knew anything about the intentions of other British women golfers in respect to the United States, especially Miss Muriel Dodd, the Canadian champion, and Miss Cecil Leitch, the new British champion. In reply she refers to the unlikelihood of there being any British entrants. This may be taken as final, as she is in close touch with her sister golfers, and should know their plans, which, if they included a trip to America, ought certainly to have been formed by this time. Miss Ravenscroft went to the United States and Canada in August of last year, accompanied by Miss Muriel Dodd, the 1912 champion of Great Britain. They both went after Canadian and American titles. Each was successful in one of these events.

WALTER JOHNSTON FALLS BEHIND LAST YEAR'S SPLENDID AVERAGE

First Ten Weeks of This Season the Washington Twirler Was Ahead of Other Major Leaguers.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 15.—It will be impossible for Walter Johnson to amass as high a percentage of victories this season as he did last, but indications point to the Chalmers car winner of 1913 equalling one of his records of that campaign, namely, pitching more complete games than any other major league pitcher. Last year Sir Walter went the route in 23 contests; Tyler, the Braves' southpaw, running him a close race for the honor of being a sticer, by finishing 28 of the games in which he had been his manager's plenary choice. In the first ten weeks of the 1914 campaign Johnson twirled 14 complete contests; no other major league pitcher doing as well. Daus of the Tigers, and Caldwell, of the Yankees, each have lost out from time to time—11 times, while these men—Christy Mathewson, of the Giants; Larry Cheney of the Cubs; and Grover Alexander of the Phillies, have rid their systems of ten complete contests. Ray Caldwell of the Yankees has the unique record of having finished every game he has started, and his starts have numbered 11. Joe Wood of the Red Sox lasted through both games in which Manager Bill Carrigan selected him to officiate, and Kahler, of Luque, of the Braves, and Kantielner, of the Pirates, the two in which they were picked by their leaders to subdue the enemy. Kahler and Luque lost their combats, and were sent to minor league teams. Kantielner won his game, but a lame arm since has kept him idle. Johnson has a "finishing" average of .933—that is, his percentage of games in which he has lasted when he has been Clark Griffith's original pitching man. The Senator would have a perfect record, like Caldwell, had his commander not pulled him off the slab in the game against Detroit on May 26, after the Senators had piled up an eight-run lead in seven innings. All told, there are 29 major leaguers who have lasted through both games of 1914, a record which was held by Grover Alexander of the Phillies in 1910, is claimed by Caldwell, Wood.

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TEN STARTERS IN SARATOGA CLASSIC

Former Feature of Coney Island Club Worth \$5,000.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 15.—The historic Futurity will be run here on August 29. The event, which was formerly the feature of the Coney Island Jockey Club summer meeting, is worth \$5000 and the subscriptions. The added money is contributed equally by the Saratoga Association for the improvement of the breed of horses and the owners' fund. With ten starters the race will be worth \$20,000, by far the richest future decided on eastern tracks this year. Fifty-six 2-year-olds are eligible. The total nominations for this famous classic were 391, of which 315 have been declared since the closing of the event, January 3, 1912.

Among the list of eligibles as announced by V. E. Schaumburg, secretary of the Coney Island Jockey Club, is Vanitie, by Ogden-Vel, which was sold by J. E. Madden recently to English horseman, who will race the colt in the English Derby, for which it is eligible. Madden leads the list of owners with eight nominations, while Harry Payne Whitney, August Belmont and Parker Whitney are next in order. Mr. Belmont has three representatives of Rock Sand, while Mr. Whitney's entries include one by Rock Sand and two by Hamburg. In addition to six sons of Ogden, Mr. Madden has one of Rock Sand's get to carry his colors.

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