

DELANEY SLIGHTLY FAVORED OVER BERLENBACH FOR TITLE

FRENCH-CANUCK REPORTED TO BE IN FINE SHAPE

Bout Has Developed Into Greatest Betting Classic in Years

NEW YORK, July 9.—Jack Delaney was the target for the professional eyes of Dr. William H. Walker and Dr. Joseph A. Baldwin at his training camp in Bridgeport yesterday. Their scientific examination was satisfactory and there is no question that Delaney will be in better physical condition in his bout with Berlenbach on July 15 than he has been in his previous engagements.

As the date of the big bout approaches, the chorus of those who favor the challenger grows louder and louder. In an even affair of this kind it is not likely that either boxer will be a favorite. But there is no telling to what extremes unbridled enthusiasm for a boxer may carry one.

FLOOD OF MONEY
The flood of money in support of the challenger kept Delaney a favorite yesterday over Berlenbach. The contest, incidentally, has developed into one of the greatest betting classics in modern ring history. It has been estimated that \$100,000 already has been placed on the battle and that an equal sum awaits takers.

HOST TO WRITERS
Delaney yesterday played host to a number of boxing writers who visited the challenger's training camp in Bridgeport, Conn., and were impressed with the form of the French-Canadian as he went through the routine of skipping the rope, working the pads, punching the light and heavy bags and sparring with his camp mates.

Maritime Rowing Champs at Halifax
Date Set is August 28—Hope to Have Local Boys Compete There

A decision to hold the Maritime rowing championships on Saturday, Aug. 28, was reached at a meeting of the Maritime Amateur Oarsmen's Association held here Wednesday night. The dates for regatta to be held by Halifax and Dartmouth rowing clubs during July and August were also settled.

ROTHERSAY LOSSES
The Saint John Imperials defeated Rothersey 8 to 5 in a game at Rothersey last night. The game was delayed by showery weather, but at the end of half an hour it was decided to proceed with the contest. For five innings the class of baseball batted out by both sides was good, but in the final innings the game was ragged, due to wet grounds and a moist ball. Up to the end of the fifth the score stood 1 to 0 in favor of Rothersey.

BOOTS LAST NIGHT
ALBANY, N. Y.—Frankie Genaro knocked out Scotty McKewen, Scotland, 10 rounds.

WINS QUEEN'S PRIZE
BISLEY CAMP, Eng., July 8.—C. S. M. Church, army champion two years ago, won the Queen Mary's prize in the shoot-off with Lieut. A. G. Rumbelow, of the 1st Suffolk, tonight. Church and Rumbelow tied for first place with scores of 178 in the competition proper which concluded two days ago. Rumbelow received the silver medal for second place. The match was with service rifles, under service conditions and shot in four practices.

MCKENNA MEETS HARTNETT
Jack McKenna, of Sydney, C. B., holder of the Maritime welterweight title, and Joe Hartnett, of Halifax, challenger for the distinction, will meet at Halifax tonight. The Halifax press says that both are in fine shape and predicts a big crowd of fans for the show tonight.

Channel Swimmers On Edge Now As Time For Big Test Approaches

Along The Sport Trail

By JOHN J. DUNLOP
TY COBB, than whom there are few greater, as a ball player, is having his troubles these days with his team after the team of Henry Ford's town had it all figured out that the Tigers were due to win the first place in the American League race this year. They ran full tilt into a succession of reverses recently that shoved them down into sixth place. Mr. Cobb has had charge of the baseball destinies of Detroit for several years but so far, to make a crude expression, has not delivered the goods and if he can't come through this year, owner Navin may decide on a new man. But a new man is not likely to pull very evenly with "Temperamental Tyrus" and this factor may very well cause Mr. Navin to pause in the interests of harmony on his team. The idea of getting rid of Ty is unthinkable, not merely from the sentimental standpoint but from the baseball angle as well for there's a lot of life in the old boy yet. Every time that Ty Cobb comes to bat these days he sets a new record and it won't be in our time that these marks will be broken. No matter what happens, Ty is due to stay. As a manager, he has not been a howling success, such as Tris Speaker or Bucky Harris. One player-manager who is putting up a quiet but effective battle is our friend Eddie Collins with his Chicago White Sox.

A FAN writes in to say that he believes a team of the younger stars could trim a bunch of veterans here. It is an interesting point. How about trying it out?
THE annual meeting of the M. P. B. to be held early in August at Amherst is likely to be featured by a discussion on the separation of the provinces as far as sport goes, despite the indisputable fact that the combined strength of the New Brunswick and Nova Scotia clubs have not spoken definitely on this question yet and it might very well be that the combined strength of the New Brunswick and Nova Scotia clubs seeking provincial control of their own affairs may be sufficient to pass a resolution giving effect to their wishes in this regard. The question then would be passed on to the annual meeting of the Canadian Union here. The question of the presidency also holds considerable interest. "Sammy" Doyle, who is the present incumbent, lives in Charlottetown; the branch secretary, Mr. Quigley, resides in Halifax. It always has been the custom to have the secretary and president selected from the one town in order to save time and expense. Whether this will be done this year remains to be seen.

HANDICAP track and field events here are bound to prove popular and supply much needed competition for local athletes. Practice makes perfect is a saying specially applicable to sport.

Harry Vail Visits New Brunswick Home
Harry E. "Dad" Vail, head rowing coach at the University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis., accompanied by Mrs. Vail, is visiting Mrs. Vail's sister, Mrs. George Brown, Main street, for a few days previous to their departure for Gagetown, where they will visit Mr. Vail's old home. Mr. and Mrs. Vail are planning on spending a two months' vacation in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia.

Mr. Vail, who is looking hale and hearty, said yesterday that he had his eight-oared crew entered in the regatta at Foughekeaple but the Navy eight proved too fast for them. "Dad" Vail was asked whether he would take charge of any Halifax crews this year, as he did one recent summer, but he replied that he would have good reason for returning to his duties in September. Both he and Mrs. Vail are busy renewing old acquaintances.

Tod Morgan and Pete Latzo Swing Into Action in New York
NEW YORK, July 9.—Tod Morgan, of Seattle, junior lightweight champion, faces Johnny Kochanski, Jersey City's best lightweight, in a ten-round bout at Boyle's Thirty Acres tonight. Kochanski can win the Crown by entering the ring within the weight limit and winning by a foul or knock-out, but under law there can be no decision. Morgan lost to Bud Herman in a bout at Boston in which the title was not at stake.

LATZO IN RING
NEW YORK, July 9.—Scranton's minor champion, Pete Latzo, tonight makes the first real defense of his welterweight crown in a fifteen round contest with George Levine, of Brooklyn, at the Polo Grounds. Latzo knocked out Willie Harmon, of New York, in Newark last week, putting a sudden end to what was expected to be a no-decision contest. But tonight, if the match goes the limit two judges and a referee will be there to bestow the award.

There will be little difference in weight, but quite a margin in experience with the champion having a decided edge. The man who could outpoint Mickey Walker to gain the welterweight crown and then topple his first challenger has had experience. Levine first came into the top rank by defeating Tommy Milligan of Scotland, Europe's best in the division.

WHITTIER, Cal., July 9.—Clarence Johnson, 19-year-old, righter, boxer, known to the ring as Rosey Johnson, died here last night following a fight in which he was knocked out in the fourth round. His opponent was Pat Hallick. Death apparently was caused by a cerebral hemorrhage. An investigation has been started.

Toronto Girl In Phila. Contests
PHILADELPHIA, July 9.—An assault on United States track and field records starts today when the Women's National A. A. U. championship meet gets underway at the Sequi Centennial Stadium. Earlier in the week a number of records were shattered at the men's senior A. A. games. Keen competition was expected in several of the events, particularly the 100-yard dash. In this event Miss Pilkey, who holds the United States record of 11.4 seconds, will face Rosa M. Grose, of Toronto, holder of the world's record of 11 seconds; Norma Silk, Chicago; Mabel Morrissey, New England champion, and others.

IF AN elephant can carry a trunk how much can a polar bear?

YANKS' LEAD IS CUT FROM TEN TO SIX GAMES

Mackmen Gain Second Position by Beating Chicago, 8 to 7

NEW YORK, July 9.—First honors in the renewed east-west strife in the Major Baseball League go to the east, although the New York Yankees lost a full game to Philadelphia and Cleveland.

The Indians, not only pitched himself to a 6 to 1 verdict over the Yankees yesterday but also delivered three hits. The Yankee lead has been brought down from ten to six games. Experts predict that the western invasion in the American League will decide the championship.

The Mackmen gained second position in the race by outbating the Chicago White Sox, to give Embke an 8 to 7 victory. The game in the ninth with a Chicago rally in full blast and he struck out Kamm to end the fray. Joe Poole and Simmons, of the Athletics, hit homers. Poole scoring two runners ahead of him.

Heavy hitting by the Boston Red Sox and brilliant pitching by Weiser downed the Tigers 7 to 3, the sixth straight defeat for the Cobblers. The Tigers drew Willie from the mound in the second but were sorry afterward for Weiser held them to two safeties for the remainder of the game. The Sox made fifteen hits off Wells and Holloway.

Philadelphia captured the only game played in the National, straightening the curves of four Pirate pitchers for 10 to 6 verdict. Wanner, Pittsburgh, and Wamsa, Phillies, hit homers and other extra base hits were numerous.

Baseball
NATIONAL LEAGUE
R.H.E.
Philadelphia .000802140-10 16 2
New York .010102900- 8 9 2
Batteries—Ulrich and Heinl; Yde, Adams, Kremer, Oldham and Gooch. Only one game scheduled today.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
R.H.E.
Cleveland .104000001- 8 11 2
New York .010000000- 1 8 1
Batteries—Uhl and Sewell; Penock, Thomas and Clegg.
R.H.E.
Detroit .080000000- 8 9 2
Chicago .010102900- 8 9 2
Batteries—Thurston, Edwards, Connolly and Schalk; Embke and Cochran.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
R.H.E.
Newark .200010011- 8 11 2
Syracuse .48110101- 11 13 3
Batteries—Zubris, Hankins, Small, Wood, Jeffries, Schroeder and Schulte; Frankhouse and Nibergall.

Reading .000000011- 2 10 2
Toronto .00152001- 9 11 1
Batteries—Ellis and Hill; Carroll and O'Neill.

Baltimore .000100000- 4 8 0
St. Paul .00022118- 9 10 2
Batteries—Parham and Cobb; Thormahlen and Devine.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
R.H.E.
Kansas City .210 1 0 0
Batteries—Sheehan and Snyder; Schupp and Hoffman.

MINNEAPOLIS .712 2 3 0
Milwaukee .000050011- 7 13 3
Batteries—Paeth, Sommers, Zumbro and Meuter; Tincup and Meyer.

TOLEDO .410 2 3 0
Indianapolis .619 8 3
Batteries—McNamara, McCullough and Heving; Hill, Sheeh and Hollings, Ainsmith.

Games Tonight

A GOOD crowd is expected at the South End grounds this evening, when the Martellos and Royals play a league fixture there. In the Intermediate League the Glenwoods and St. Peter's will play a game on the Allison grounds.

There will be no game in the City League this evening. The Water Department and Trojans were to have played their league game postponed from last Tuesday evening. This game will now be played a week from tonight.

SAINT JOHNS BEAT TROJANS TEAM, 5-1

Contest Goes Only Five Innings With Nelson Hurling Effectively

Despite the rain, the City League game scheduled between the Saint Johns and Trojans took place on the East End grounds last night, the former team winning by five to one. The game, which was played through a continual fall of rain, went only five innings, being called after the Saint Johns had scored two runs in the first half of the sixth.

The losers were away off in their hitting, being helpless against Nelson's plants. The colored star struck out seven men, and the only hits made off him were Kerr's double in the fourth and R. McEachern's single through Kearney in the fifth. The latter hit developed into their only run as McEachern stole second, went to third on a passed ball and scored on Nelson's wild pitch.

The Saint Johns turned a pass, a stolen base, two hits and an error into two runs in the initial session, and got three markers in the fourth on a feller's choice, a single and Mountaineer's triple to the left garden. Young O'Connor, holding down the hot corner for the Trojans, fielded in the fifth.

The box score and summary follows:
Saint Johns—A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E.
Hazelwood, cf., 2 2 0 0 0
Kearney, 2b., 3 1 3 0 0
Mountain, 2b., 3 0 0 0 0
Nelson, p., 5 0 0 0 0
Paynes, rf., 2 0 0 0 0
Finney, lf., 3 0 0 0 0
O'Brien, 1b., 2 0 0 0 0
M. Stirling, rf., 2 0 0 0 0
Barry, c., 3 0 0 0 0
O'Brien, 1b., 2 0 0 0 0
Logan, 3b., 1 0 0 0 0

Trojans—A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E.
O'Connor, 3b., 2 0 0 1 5
Johnston, 2b., 2 0 0 0 4
Cox, c., 2 0 0 0 0
Cox, c., 2 0 0 0 0
McEachern, lf., 2 1 0 0 0
G. Moore, cf., 2 0 0 0 0
Noel, ss., 2 0 0 0 0
Morris, rf., 2 0 0 0 0
H. Jones, p., 5 0 0 0 0
J. McEachern, p., 0 0 0 0 0

*Ran for Nelson in first.
Score by innings:
Saint Johns .000000—00000—3
Trojans .000001—00001—1

Summary—Earned runs, St. Johns 4; Trojans 0. Two base hit, Kerr. Three base hit, Mountain. Stolen bases, R. McEachern, Hazelwood. Left on bases, St. Johns 6; Trojans 1. Runs batted in, Hazelwood, Kearney 2, Mountain, 3, 2-3 innings. Off McEachern 0 in 1-3 innings. Passed ball, Barry. Wild pitch, Nelson. Losing pitcher, Daley. Umpires, Sterling and Atchison. Score, McGowan. Time of game, 55 minutes.

LEAGUE STANDING.
Won Lost P.C.
Water Department .1 1 1000
Trojans .1 1 500
Saint Johns .1 1 500
St. Roses .0 1 1000

CALAIS WON
The Calais Independent Amateurs recently met the Woodland, Me., aggregation at Calais and defeated them after a 14-inning struggle by a score of 8 to 7. Woodland's pitcher won two runs in the eighth inning and made the score read 7 to 7. In the last half for the fourteenth inning, Calais drove home the winning run.

DEATH SENTENCE AFFIRMED.
ANNAPOLIS, Md., July 9.—The Maryland Court of Appeals has affirmed the conviction and death sentence of Richard Reese Whittemore, bandit king and admitted slayer of a Maryland penitentiary guard.

SLATTERY WON
NEW YORK, July 8.—Jimmy Slattery of Buffalo, N. Y., gained a judge's verdict over Bob Sage of Detroit in a hard-fought 10-round feature bout at Madison Square Garden tonight.

Both boxers abandoned caution in the final rounds and swapped blows furiously to the finish. Sergeant Sammy Baker, of Mitchell Field, knocked out Henry Malone, of Jersey City, in the fourth round of the 10-round semi-final. Baker weighed 145 1-2 pounds; Malone, 140.

One of The Favorites



BOBBY JONES

"BOBBY" JONES, winner of the British open championship, is out to capture the American open as well in the tourney now proceeding at Scioto.

Madame Sion, the French hope for the channel, is an older woman and is never seen indulging in athletic exercises. She does most of her training off Calais or near her home in Dunkirk. She frequently comes to Gris Nez for tea and to study channel conditions from the climatic point of view but if the outlook is not favorable she goes back, saying she must look after the house. She is a charming sports woman and a great favorite with the other swimmers.

On the other hand, the Canadian, is planning his attempt late in August, according to recent reports. Hercules Heini, the Egyptian, does everything, or nothing, according to what the others are doing. He is "the life of the party," ready for any sort of sport or fun. Huge as he is, he is as playful as a schoolboy, and quite the most picturesque figure that has descended upon Gris Nez.

But the swimming colony must provide its own distractions. There are only two hotels here, both of the humble resort type, and perhaps a score of farm houses scattered about the hillsides. The nearest theatre or picture house is in Boulogne, an hour's ride distant by car, which is the only means of transportation; but the swimmers give Boulogne a wide berth unless they are obliged to go in for supplies.

Seals Sheared In Identification Plan
HOWARD, Alaska, July 9.—Hunts for seals is the latest thing in the Pribilof Islands in the Bering Sea. Ten thousand one-year-old male seals will receive conical attention this season. Captain A. A. Anderson, of the United States Bureau of Fisheries vessel Elder, reported on his arrival here. The object of the shearing, Captain Anderson said, was to indicate the increase next year as the seals are slaughtered only in a certain time each year.

ROYALTY ENGAGED.
OLEGGE, Wurttemberg, July 9.—The engagement of Dr. Max Hosenberg, eldest son of the assassinated Archduke Franz Ferdinand of Austria, to the Countess Elizabeth Eron Waldburg, is announced. The Countess, who is 21 years old, is the youngest daughter of the Prince of Waldburg.

But Sweepings Left From Last Year Crop
WINNIPEG, Man., July 9.—What is left of last year's crop on the prairies are mere sweepings, or just about 2,000,000 bushels of wheat. A total of 184,142,219 bushels of wheat was marketed on Canadian Pacific lines since August 1 of last year, stated E. D. Cotterell, superintendent of transportation for the western lines of the C.P.R. today.

LIVELY GAME EXPECTED.
A lively struggle is looked for tonight on the West Side diamond when the West Side Kirk team and the Assumption aggregation, respective winners of the City and West Side divisions of the Girls' Softball League, meet in the first game of a three-game series for the city championship. Both teams have gone through their sections without a defeat.

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