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Homers Play Big Part As Yanks Win Doubleheader; Cubs Out Front In National

IN THIS CORNER

Evidently Sours is beginning to get a touch of the boxing fever that is spreading over the Island for hardly had the echoes of the title fight at Kingson died away than promoters in the eastern town got busy and had up a card for July 1st, headlined by none other than George Leslie, the Island heavy champion and Battling Billy Holm of Springfield, Nova Scotia.

Although his title will not be at stake Leslie is taking on a tough job in the person of the durable Springfielder, Holm, an experienced, capable fighter and should show another Leslie's performance at Kingson was just a flash in the pan of the red McCoy. His punching power will be the key to the fight and he will likely carry the fight to more punches than he has yet received. Holm is the one who is expected to win during a fight but the odds are on hand out the same as the usual quantities.

Homers played a big part of friends around Sours while he was training Leslie for his second and concluding fight and many are of the opinion that he will beat the champion when they meet. As a result they are all stamped up over the matchup of the pair. A fast, snappy, fighting another Springfielder and a good preliminary has given promise of a real good card.

American League clubs in the east are back home after absorbing the worst inter-sectional round-robin of the year. Not one eastern team of the junior circuit got an even break; the westerners being triumphant in 30 of the 45 contests played. Chicago and Detroit played the best ball, the former winning 9 out of the 11, and the latter 9 out of 12. Every last place St. Louis Browns broke even 5-5. Western clubs of the National League started their second successful season winning 23 out of 45. St. Louis and Chicago paced the race, with the Cards winning 8 out of 10 and the Cubs 8 out of 11. Last place Cincinnati played 500 ball.

W. G. Allen in the Winning Free Press has the following comment on the Louis-Braddock fight: "With the heavyweight championship fight just two days away, the boys who have been making in the training camps like Jim Braddock's appearance better than Joe Louis'. Repeated criticism is heard of the weightier of sparring partners who are out with the Brown Bomber who needs plenty of rough work when on return and has not been getting it according to the reports."

"The challenger's managers ately reason from using white men as sparring partners, but there are plenty of good negro heavyweights available instead of the 'yes' men now in camp. A human punching bag is of no value when a fighter is training for what is expected to be a tough battle."

"Jack Dempsey and Gene Tunney had the right idea when they prepared for important fights. Each instructed his managers to obtain the best sparring partners available and instructed them to do their best every time they donned the gloves with their bosses."

"Whether based on condition reports or not, the feeling, or hunch, if you like, is prevalent that James J. Braddock is to knock out Joe Louis on June 22."

Rovers In Important Game Tonight

Seeking to make the league standing a three cornered tie in the matter of games won Rovers lackle the Esquires tonight in a City Softball League fixture at the Park diamond.

At present the Esquires and Supriors are tied at the top with Rovers in runner-up position so a victory is important to both teams with Esquires having a chance to take over the lead entirely.

Game starts at 6:15 sharp.

NEW YORK, June 20—(AP)—

The Yankees entertained the largest crowd of the season, 63,939, today and defeated Chicago White Sox in both ends of a doubleheader 8-4 and 7-4.

Murderers row collected four homers to come from behind and cash in on Lefty Gomez's six-hit pitching in the opener, with George Selkirk, the belting Canadian, getting two of the circuit couls and Joe Dimaggio and Lou Gehrig one each.

Monte Pearson went seven innings in the nightcap to get credit for the victory. Bill Dickey was the home run hitter in this contest.

Was Fenwick hung up his third straight pitching victory since he joined Washington, by defeating St. Louis 5-3 in Washington.

The Browns took an early lead, scoring a run in the first on a walk and an infield out and adding two more in the second on three hits and an error. The Senators batted in front in the third when Hill walked and scored on Kubel's double. Mihalek blasted a long triple to push in three more.

Behind the hurline of Eiden Aaker and Tommy Bridges, Detroit Tigers took both ends of a doubleheader from the Athletics, 6:18 and 8-1.

White Bridges held the Macks to six hits to hand them their seventh straight defeat in the nightcap, his mates put on a five-run attack in the sixth inning against Harry Kelley.

In the first game the A's made eight scattered hits off Auker while George Caster and Bud Thomas yielded 10.

Cleveland Indians overcame a five-run deficit to beat the Red Sox 8-7 in the second game of a twin bill after Boston captured the opener 5-2.

The Sox coasted to triumph in the opener on seven-hit pitching by "Lefty" Grove and home runs by Jimmy Foss—his 13th of the season—and Jo Cronin.

Five runs which his teammates piled up in the first two innings of the second game were not enough for big Buck Newsom, right hander Boston obtained recently from Washington and Cleveland rallied to win.

With an 8-6 victory over the Athletics at Philadelphia Saturday while the pace-setting New York Yankees lost 5-2 to the White Sox Detroit Tigers crept within a game and a half of the league leadership.

In the only other game of the day Monte Weaver hung up his sixth pitching triumph of the year when Washington defeated St. Louis 2-1. Wet grounds prevented Cleveland at Boston.

NEW YORK, June 20—Philadelphia Phillies whittled the Cubs National League lead over New York Giants to one game today when they defeated the Chicago Cubs 6-5 in the final of the series before more than 23,000 Chicago spectators. The Giants won from Cincinnati 4-3.

The victors pounded Clay Bryant for 11 hits and scored the winning run in the eighth after two were out when Herman ran back into centre field and dropped Walter's fly, permitting Whitney, who had doubled, to race over the plate.

The Giants combined timely hitting with "breaks" of the game and behind the nine-hit hurling of Cliff Melton and Hal Schumacher, defeated the Reds 4-3 in Cincinnati.

In the sixth Kampouris' failure to cover second paved the way for the Giants' winning runs, by Ott and Manauco.

Dizzy Dean and Lon Warneke held Boston Bees to nine hits in two games and by winning both the Cardinals took over second place, four points ahead of the Giants.

Diz allowed the Bees five hits in winning the second game 9-1 for his 10th victory of the year and Warneke gave only four hits in coasting to a 6-2 victory in the first. Lon now has eight wins against two defeats, while Diz has five losses.

Van Mungo's fireball nipped an eighth inning rally of Pittsburgh Pirates in the second game of a doubleheader and Brooklyn Dodgers won the nightcap 4-2, the same score by which Pirates took the opener.

Waite Hoyt started in the first game and turned in a creditable performance against Joe Bowman. He was yanked in the seventh for a pinch hitter and Luke Hamlin, who finished, was charged with the defeat.

Fred Frankhouse blanked the Pirates through six rounds in the second game but was solved in the seventh and eighth before Mungo put on his rescue act. The tying run was on first base with none out by the Pirates wilted before Mungo's hurling.

The Cubs gained a 2-1 victory over Philadelphia Saturday while the Giants were beaten 4-2 by the Reds at Cincinnati.

Led by Joe Medwick who drove in five runs, St. Louis Cardinals snatched a 7-5 victory from Boston Bees at St. Louis with a ninth inning rally after two were out. At Pittsburgh, Fat Freddy Fitzsimmons, cast off by the Giants, turned in his second straight hurling victory as Brooklyn Dodgers won 4-3 from the Pirates.

Nationals Are Defeated By All Stars 19-5

In a game that produced more comedy than baseball All-Stars defeated the Nationals 19 to 5 in a weekend game of the Industrial Baseball League schedule.

Gully of eleven errors during the tilt and failing to give any one of their three hurlers that saw action any kind of support the Nats never had a chance of overtaking the winners once the All-Stars had piled up an 8-0 lead in the first three innings.

Bruce McCallum on the mound for the winners held the Nats to one hit and no runs for the first six innings; by that time his team lead 11-0 and it made very little difference that in the losers last three times at the plate they came through with five of their six hits and all their runs. Stars in the same innings drove eight more runners across the plate.

McCallum, p. 6 1 1 1 1 1
McCallum, c. 2 2 1 1 0 0
McNeill, lb. 3 4 0 5 2 0
Whalen, ss. 4 3 0 0 1 0
Hunter, c. 5 3 3 12 1 1
Currie, rf. 6 1 2 2 0 0
Gillis, 3b. 5 1 0 4 1 1
Carmichael, lf. 5 2 1 2 0 0
D. Ward. 3 2 2 0 0 0
Totals. 44 19 11 27 7 3

—Replaced C. Ward in 6th.

ALL-STAR BOX SCORE

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NATIONALS BOX SCORE

McDougal, as & cf. 4 0 0 1 0 4
Hennessy, c. 4 0 0 11 3 3
McQuarrie, lb. 4 1 1 11 0 1
Williams, 2b & ss. 4 2 1 1 0 1
McLeod, lf. 3 1 1 0 0 0
McCallum, 3b. 2 1 1 1 1 1
A. McFarlane, p. 0 0 0 1 1 0
Foley, cf & 2b. 4 0 1 1 3 1
Binns, rf & p. 4 0 1 1 0 2
A. McFarlane, p. 1 0 0 0 1 0
J. Williams. 3 0 0 0 0 0
Totals. 32 5 6 27 11 11

—Relieved A. McFarlane in 4th.
—Replaced T. McFarlane in 4th.

SUMMARY

Earned runs, Stars 11, Nationals 3; three base hits: C. Ward; two base hit, Hunter, Currie; hits, off McCallum, 6 hits and 5 runs in 9 innings; off A. McFarlane, 2 hits, 5 runs in 2 innings; off T. McFarlane 3 hits, 3 runs in one inning; off base on balls, off McCallum 3, off A. McFarlane 1, off Binns 5, hit by pitcher, by A. McFarlane 2, by Binns 1, struck out, by A. McFarlane 3, T. McFarlane 1, Binns 8, McCallum 11; left on base, Nationals 4, All-Stars 6.

Umpires: At the plate, Mel Diamond, on the bases, J. Stanley and W. McTague.

BY INNINGS

All-Stars 205 201 404—19 11 3
Nationals 090 090 203—5 6 11

JUNIOR ROVERS PRACTICE THIS AFTERNOON

The following members of the Junior Rovers are asked to attend practice at the Park diamond at 3:30. A. Gallant, McAleer, McCormack, Shepherd, Connors, Whitlock, Purcell, Gray, Dowling.

Signed "Tarky" Whitlock (capt.)

JUNIOR PRACTICE

Practice for Jimmy Sherry's Esquires at the Victoria Park diamond at 3 o'clock. All players are asked to be on hand.

Signed, TARKY WHITLOCK, Captain.

Use Minard's for dandruff.

Tunney & Dempsey Differ In Forecasting Winner Of Louis - Braddock Battle

CHICAGO, June 20—Gene Tunney looked on from the fringe of pugilism's latest big show, where today's torrid weather helped produce a Sunday calm-before-the-storm that contrasted sharply with those memorably hectic fight days of 1927, and suggested Joe Louis "should win easily" from Champion Jim Braddock Tuesday night.

Back near the spectacular scene of his greatest fistic triumph, achieved when he got up off the floor to whp Jack Dempsey in the famous "battle of the long count," Tunney paused to survey the current outlook in the box fighting business he once dominated.

"I think Louis should win, rather easily because he has youth and punching power in his favor," said the man who retired undefeated as heavyweight champion of the world.

"Braddock's dead game," continued Gene, "but he has been out of the ring two years and at his best he was never a great fighter.

The champ on will make good use of every resource he has, because he's smart and experienced but I doubt if he can stand off Louis for 15 rounds."

Tunney's views coincide with the opinions of most newspaper experts, who give Louis a 2 to 1 edge, while betting commissioners offer 3 to 1 on the erstwhile Brown Bomber, with few takers.

Gene's old rival, Dempsey, already is on record as picking Braddock, on the general theory that the champion's experience admitted a fine condition, despite his long layoff, will carry him over the tough spots.

Although the title match is only 48 hours off, the ticket sale and ballyhoo tonight were as sluggish as the weather. Co-promoter Mike Weiss stuck to his estimates that the fight will beat last year's \$750,000, thereby assuring substantial "cuts" for all concerned, including the federal and state tax collectors.

BASEBALL SCORES

SATURDAY'S RESULTS

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

First Game
Montreal 6, Jersey City 0.
Second Game
Montreal 1, Jersey City 2.

First Game
Rochester 5, Newark 4.
Second Game
Rochester 2, Newark 11.
(7 innings.)

First Game
Toronto 2, Baltimore 7.
Second Game
Toronto 1, Baltimore 8.
(7 innings.)

First Game
Buffalo 0, Syracuse 3.
Second Game
Buffalo 0, Syracuse 1.

First Game
Chicago 5, New York 2.
Second Game
Cleveland at Boston, postponed, wet grounds.

First Game
Detroit 8, Philadelphia 6.
Second Game
St. Louis 1, Washington 2.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

First Game
New York 2, Cincinnati 4.
Second Game
Brooklyn 4, Pittsburgh 3.

First Game
Philadelphia 1, Chicago 2.
Second Game
Boston 5, St. Louis 7.

American Association

First Game
Kansas City 6, Columbus 15.
Second Game
Milwaukee 1, Toledo 5.
Third Game
Minneapolis 8, Indianapolis 3.
Fourth Game
St. Paul 7, Louisville 4.

SUNDAY'S RESULTS

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

First Game
Cleveland 2, Boston 5.
Second Game
Cleveland 8, Boston 7.

First Game
St. Louis 3, Washington 5.
Second Game
Chicago 4, New York 8.

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AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

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St. Paul 7, Louisville 12.
Second Game
St. Paul 3, Louisville 12.

First Game
Milwaukee 13, Toledo 2.
Second Game
Milwaukee 2, Toledo 6.

First Game
Minneapolis 6, Indianapolis 3.
Second Game
Minneapolis 3, Indianapolis 3, tie.

First Game
Kansas City 10, Columbus 5.
Second Game
Kansas City 15, Columbus 8.

BY INNINGS

Rovers 200 221 492—11 10 1
Canadians 100 000 000—1 2 3

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