

YANKS CLINCH

Powerful New York Squad Defeats Detroit Saturday To Clinch Flag

NEW YORK, Sept. 17—Secure in their fourth consecutive American Baseball League championship, the Yankees lost both ends of a double-header to the tall-end St. Louis Browns 8-4 and 3-1 today.

In the first game, rookie Jack Kramer scattered 11 hits and fanned 11 as the champions scored only in the second and third innings. In the nightcap Howard Mills held them to six safeties and would have had a shutout except for a home run by Babe Dahlgren in the fifth frame.

At Boston the second-place Red Sox maintained a three-game lead over the third-place Chicago White Sox as the team split a double-header.

Chicago took the first 6-1 but Boston won the second 11-7. In Philadelphia, the Athletics and Cleveland Indians divided the double-header, the A's winning the first 4-2 and dropping the second 18-5.

At Washington, Hank Greenberg's 29th home run of the season gave Detroit Tigers a 3-2 victory over Washington in an 11-inning game before 15,000 fans.

New York Yankees captured their fourth championship Saturday by defeating Detroit Tigers 9-5.

French-Canadian Wins Honor

TORONTO, Sept. 17—(CP)—First French-Canadian pilot to win the honor, Dr. Rene Suard, President of the Montreal Light Aeroplane Club tonight holds the John C. Webster Trophy, symbol of his selection as the top-ranking amateur airplane pilot in Canada.

The young chemist defeated four other regional champions to take first place in the Dominion finals at Toronto Flying Club field here Saturday and won the trophy held last year by Gordon McGregor, then of Kingston, Ont., and now a Montrealer.

Canadian Flying Clubs Association officers supervised the final tests of flying and air navigation skill of Canada's best amateur pilots in competition for the trophy donated by Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Webster of Sherbrooke, N. B., in memory of their son killed in a Montreal Light Aeroplane Club plane crash eight years ago.

Other competitors, who won entry to the finals by winning regional competitions, includes Tom Westwell of Cape Breton Flying Club, Sydney, N. S.

ADOPT SCHEDULE

NEW YORK, Sept. 17—(AP)—Representatives of the nine clubs of the International-American hockey league held an all-day meeting today to adopt a schedule for 1939-40 and discuss their problems relating to the coming season.

The official schedule will be released in about 10 days.

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Spokane Shotmaker Slams Way To U.S. Amateur Golf Title

CHICAGO, Sept. 17—Marvin (Bud) Ward of Spokane, Wash., slugged his way to the United States amateur golf championship Saturday with a 7 and 5 victory over little Ray Billows of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., in the 43rd title tournament at the North Shore course.

In succeeding Willie Turnesa of Briarcliffe Manor, N. Y., as the amateur titleholder, Ward did it with such cool, deadly purpose that before the morning round was three-quarters over it seemed only a matter of time before the New Yorker—who tried to hang on gamely—would go down for good.

When he got into trouble—and he was several times—Ward battled his way out with a tenacious purpose that must have taken some of the heart out of the Poughkeepsie player. On the 16th, Ward went over the green as Billows put his tee shot on nicely and apparently had a chance to reduce Ward's margin to three holes.

Ward calmly chipped back, sinking a six footer for a half.

On his way to the final Billows put out C. Ross Scmerville of London, Ont., in the fourth round.

Riggs Takes U. S. Singles Championship

FOREST HILLS, N. Y. Sept. 17—Bobby Riggs, Chicago's fine tennis player, needed only 58 minutes to defeat young Wally Van Horn of Los Angeles today in the final of the United States championships. The scores were 6-4, 8-2, 6-4.

Better from the standpoint of 8,000 spectators was the hard-fought women's final, in which Alice Marble finally subdued Helen Jacobs 6-0, 8-10, 6-4.

Bobby and Alice thus completed their sweep of the Wimbledon and United States championships. Van Horn, the 19-year-old high school graduate who confounded everybody except himself by reaching the finals, lacked just about a year's experience of being able to cope with Riggs' brilliant courtcraft.

Riggs, in succeeding to the crown last won by Donald Budge, needed only two sets in his six matches during the tournament, and both of them looked like gifts.

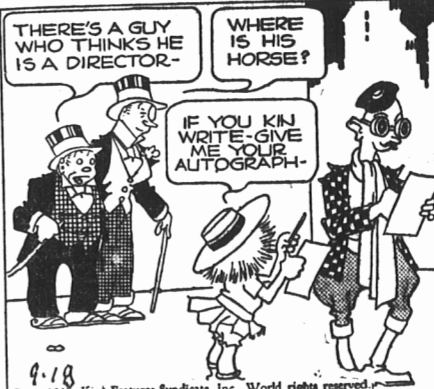
Saturday Van Horn defeated Jack Bromwich of Australia 2-6, 4-8, 6-4, 8-6.

Riggs had no trouble at all squelching Joe Hunt, the Annapolis midshipman, 6-1, 6-2, 6-0.

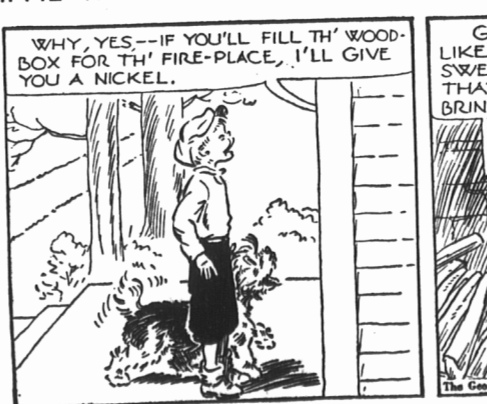
Alice Marble scarcely got a warm up in turning back Virginia Wolfenden of San Francisco, 6-0, 6-1, and Miss Jacobs disposed of Kay Stammers of England, 7-5, 6-0.

Keep Minard's in the home.

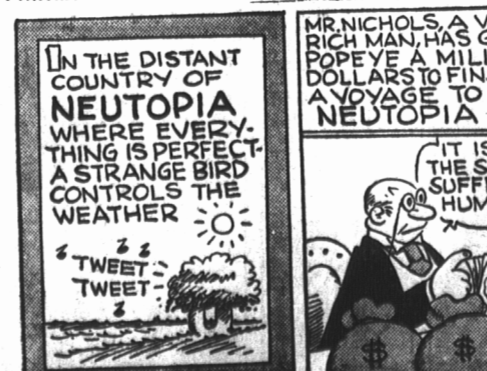
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BASEBALL RESULTS

AMERICAN LEAGUE:

First Game:

Chicago 6; Boston 1.

Second Game:

Chicago 7; Boston 11.

First Game:

St. Louis 8; New York 4.

Second Game:

St. Louis 3; New York 1.

First Game:

Cleveland 2; Philadelphia 4.

Second Game:

Cleveland 18; Philadelphia 1.

National League

First Game:

Philadelphia 7; Pittsburgh 3.

Second Game:

Philadelphia 1; Pittsburgh 10.

First Game:

Brooklyn 10; Chicago 4.

Second Game:

Brooklyn 3; Chicago 2.

First Game:

Boston 5; Cincinnati 6.

Second Game:

Boston 5; Cincinnati 3.

First Game:

New York 2; St. Louis 1.

Second Game:

New York 1; St. Louis 2.

International—Playoff Games

Newark 6; Jersey City 4.

Rochester 8; Buffalo 6.

American Association

Two playoff games to come.

SATURDAY

American League

Chicago 6; Philadelphia 7.

St. Louis 0; Washington 4.

Detroit 5; New York 8.

Cleveland 2; Boston 1.

National League

Brooklyn 3; Pittsburgh 2.

Philadelphia 2; Chicago 8.

New York 1; Cincinnati 6.

Boston 1; St. Louis 6.

American Association (Playoff)

Minneapolis 4; Louisville 5.

Kansas City 1; Indianapolis 0.

Neutrality Law Affects Heavy Orders

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14—(AP)—The State Department reported today that for the first eight months of 1939 France had unfilled arms orders, mostly for fighting planes, totalling \$58,702,063.

The report disclosed that in the eight-month period France had obtained arms export licences totalling \$72,263,381, with actual exports of only \$15,611,218. Great Britain in the same period obtained more shipments than licences called for, since she drew upon licences held over from last year. Her exports were \$21,159,427.

Joke Was On The War Office

LONDON, Sept. 14—(CP)—The Ministry of Information, under the label "amusing incident", issued the following story today on an occurrence at the depot of a Lancashire regiment.

"A taxi drove up to the gates and an old gentleman with a row of medals on his chest tottered out. "He was ushered into the office of the commanding officer."

"Good morning, Sir," said the O.C. "What can I do for you?" "Do?" queried the old gentleman. "I'm 87 and they've called me up as a 'reservist'. I left the army for soldiers' in 1914. I served with your grandfather at Poona in '86."

"It was later discovered that he had received mobilization papers which should have been sent to his grandson."

TABLETS UNVEILED AT AMHERST

AMHERST, N. S. Sept. 17—(CP)—Tablets commemorating four of the Fathers of Confederation who were born at Amherst were unveiled here Saturday by Sir Joseph Chisholm, chief Magistrate of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia.

The four Amherst statesmen who attended meetings at Charlottetown and Quebec that led to the formation of Canada were Sir Charles Tupper, Hon. Jonathan McCully, Hon. B. B. Dickie and Hon. E. B. O'Randier. The tablets, provided by the Historic Sites and Monuments Board, are similar to those unveiled at Charlottetown during the Confederation Celebrations there last July.

MOLASSES SAVES MAN FROM INJURY

HALIFAX, Sept. 16—A can of molasses saved M. Chester from injury. He was crossing a field, on his way home with the molasses, when a goat attacked him and knocked him down. Chester crawled out of danger when the goat turned its attention to lapping up the molasses.

Remember When

Gar Wood piloted his Miss America X over a measured mile at an average speed of 124.91 statute miles an hour seven years ago today, to win the world speed-boat record. Holder of the Harmsworth Trophy, the Detroitier eclipsed the 119-76 mark set by Kaye Don on Loch Lonod in 1931.

First Sacker Leads Way To Wings' Win

BUFFALO, N. Y. Sept. 17—(AP)—First baseman Harry Davis of the Rochester International baseball league Red Wings batted in four runs to lead the Wings to their fourth playoff victory 8-6 over Buffalo Bisons and the right to play Newark for the Governor's Cup.

League Will Be Resumed On Saturday

GLASGOW, Sept. 17—Scottish Football League officials announced today following a two-hour meeting that the league would resume play next Saturday. League games were suspended following the declaration of war Sept. 3. Today's decision is in line with the government announcement last Friday that organized football would be permitted providing there was no interference with national service. English league members will meet tomorrow to decide what form competition will take in England.

Champions Send Series To Fifth Game

SAINT JOHN, N. B. Sept. 17—The portside hurling of Cecil Brownell, errorless ball by his mate and seven errors by the Saint John's combined to give St. Stephen St. Croix a 5-0 victory Saturday and deadlock the New Brunswick senior baseball finals at two games each. The fifth and deciding game for the title held by St. Stephen for the last nine years will be played tomorrow afternoon at St. Stephen.

The SNAPSHOT GUILD ANIMAL PICTURES



Any barnyard is full of excellent human-interest picture chances... such as this close-up shot of a hen mothering her chicks.

WHEN someone mentions bird and animal pictures, most of us think of zoos, forests, or the African jungle. But—if you live on or near a farm—you have access to a number of fine animal subjects. And, take my word for it, domestic animals yield just as good pictures as wild ones.

Just for the fun of it, why not spend a day picturing farm animals? Go after expressive, human-interest shots, such as a hen mothering her brood, or pigs struggling for position at the trough. Short close-ups of a placid, cud-chewing cow, or a husky work-horse—just as if you were taking pictures of a person. Many animals have definite, almost-human expressions at times... and they'll make fine pictures for your album.

Distant shots, showing the animal small, will be disappointing unless it happens to be an incidental figure in a scenic. Most focusing cameras are adjusted to take subjects as near as six feet—many four feet, or even less. Many box cameras can be set for subjects as near as five. And, if you slip a portrait attachment on the camera lens, you can get even closer. Or, you can take a shot at normal distance, and have the best part of the negative enlarged to give a close-up effect.

It's not necessary to show all of a large animal, such as a cow or horse. Indeed, the head alone often makes a better picture. Choose the viewpoint which shows the head and expression most effectively—and fire away. Keep the background simple—changing your position when necessary to get distracting objects out of the camera's field of view.

Take your camera to the farm... keep your eyes open... shoot wisely and often. You'll find that any well-stocked barnyard yields splendid picture dividends.

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