

Bisley Meet to Close Today; Seven Canadians in Finals

Pirates Shade Giants--4-3 Win In Eleven Frames

Fette, Di Maggio Star As Bees Drop Cubs 6 to 1; Cars Take Two--Tigers, Red Sox, White Sox and Indians Triumph

NEW YORK, July 16—The Giants threw away a fine chance to regain the National League lead today by giving up an unearned run in the 11th inning and thereby handing Pittsburgh Pirates a 4-3 victory in their overtime clash.

Cliff Melton walked two of the three batters to face him in that frame, and was replaced by Dick Coffman. Pep Young then hit what should have been an easy double-play ball, but Burgess Whitehead made a two-base wild throw past first, allowing Al Todd to score the winning run.

In Boston Lou Fette, Bees' sensational freshman, limited the pace-setting Cubs to three hits, while chalking up his 11th win in 14 starts by a 6-1 margin.

Vince Di Maggio gave Fette some lusty support at bat, knocking a homer, triple and single, scoring three runs and driving in another of the half-dozen the Bees made off Bill Lee.

St. Louis took both ends of a doubleheader with the Phillies by scores of 10-3 and 18-10. The last game went ten innings. St. Johnson was the winner in both contests while Bucky Walters was the loser.

St. Louis won the first game in quick fashion by knocking Walters out of the box in the first inning with five runs and then gave Jorgens the same dose in the fifth to clinch the contest.

The second game was a see-saw battle of base hits with the Cardinals finally knocking Walters out of the box again in the 10th with an eight-run rally.

The Dodgers belted 10 hits but had to put on a three-run spurge in the ninth inning to nose out Cincinnati Reds, 6-5.

Five straight singles scored three runs off three different pitchers in the final inning dash and broke up the ball game.

Tigers Trim Yanks
NEW YORK, July 16 — Tigers emerged from one of the weirdest ball games to be played in the American League this summer to trim New York Yankees 14-7 in Detroit today.

In one wild inning, the sixth, the Tigers scored seven runs on one hit. Monte Pearson, the veteran Pat Malone, and Frank Makosy walked seven batters to fall one short of the Major League record.

In Chicago, the White Sox pounded Bud Thomas and Lynn Nelson for 18 hits to beat the Athletics, 9-4, in the final of the series.

Every player on the Chicago team made at least one hit.

Boston Red Sox held tight to second place by taking the odd game of a series of three from St. Louis Browns 6-4.

Cleveland Indians won their fourth straight game by defeating Washington, 11-5, in Cleveland, blasting their former teammate, Wesley Ferrell, from the mound in the fourth inning.

Ferrell gave the Indians nine hits in a little less than four innings, before being replaced by Ed Linke. Mel Harder, winning his sixth game of the season for the Indians, granted 13 hits to the Senators but kept them well scattered.

LARGE NUMBERS OF CHINESE TROOPS MOVING

(Special to The Daily Mail)
JAPAN, July 16—It is reported that large numbers of Chinese troops are moving towards the battlefield. Negotiations are being carried on between the Governments of China and Japan in the hope of bringing about a settlement. The Japs claim that in recent fighting seventeen Japs were officially reported dead and forty wounded.

SCOTLAND TAKES MACKINNON CUP

Matchett, of Hamilton, Winner of Grand Aggregate

BISLEY CAMP, England, July 16—Seven Canadians are in the select circle of the "King's hundred," who fire tomorrow in the final stage of the King's prize, classic climax of the Empire meeting of the National Rifle Association.

The seven qualified today in the second stage of the big shoot and tomorrow test their skill again in the most arduous competition of the entire meeting, the final stage calling for 15 shots at 900 and 1,000 yards on a bull's eye 30 inches in diameter.

Scotland's team of 12 won the Mackinnon challenge cup in an unusually close contest that saw Canada gain second place seven points behind, and only a point ahead of the third-place Australians.

The King's second stage and the Mackinnon and junior Mackinnon, the latter won by the Falkland Isles, were the only matches fired today but Canada's second victory of the meeting came when Lieut. G. E. Matchett of Hamilton was posted winner of the grand aggregate.

Matchett's winning score was 551 out of a possible 615 in the 10 big individual matches that make up the grand taking the Dominion of Canada challenge trophy, the N. R. A. gold cross and coronation medal, and first cash prize of \$50. Matchett, who celebrated his 26th birthday on July 6, scored Canada's only previous win, taking the \$250 first prize and badge in the Duke of Gloucester match, formerly the Prince of Wales.

The final stage of the King's and the final stage of the St. George's challenge vase, in which at least three Canadians are qualified to shoot, wind up the big meeting tomorrow.

The scores in today's second stage of the King's prize, fired at 300, 500 and 600 yards, will be added to scores in the third stage to determine the final placings. Six Canadians were eliminated in the first stage Wednesday and five more fell by the wayside today, leaving seven in the final.

The Canadian Finalists
Canada's finalists with their scores in the second stage are Sgt. T. A. Jensen of Innisfail, Alta., 142; Sgt. M. F. Dillon, Ottawa, 141; Lieut. Matchett, Hamilton, 140; Major A. C. Lucas, Toronto, 139; Lieut. Wayne MacKenzie, Ottawa, 139; Capt. S. W. Graham, Toronto, 136, and Lieut. C. F. Kennedy, Hilden, N. S., 134.

Scoring was close in the Mackinnon before the Scotsmen registered their 11th victory in this team shoot which started in 1891. Canada has won the trophy eight times, the last in 1934. South Africa, winner last year, did not defend the cup.

GREYHOUND SETS NEW TRACK MARK AT GOSHEN

GOSHEN, N. Y., July 16—Greyhound, American trotting champion owned by E. J. Baker of St. Charles, Ill., smashed the world half-mile track record for trotting one mile today as he made his first start of the season on the semi-final day of Goshen's Grand Circuit race meeting.

The lanky gray horse, which has been matched with the Italian-owned Muscletone, champion of Europe, for a pair of races this fall and winter, trotted the mile over the historic oval in 1:59 3/4. This bettered his own world record of 2:02, made on the Allentown, Pa., half-mile oval last fall, and the local track record of 2:02 3/4, made by Uhlan in 1911. It also surpassed the best mile ever made by a pacer over a half-mile track, 2:01.

Yesterday's rain left the track still slow. Nevertheless Greyhound, driven by Sep Palla and paced by a running horse driven by Will Fleming, covered the first quarter mile in 29 1/2 seconds, the half in 1:00, three-quarters in 1:20 1/2 and the last quarter in 29 1/4 seconds to finish in 1:59 3/4.

GERMANY READY FOR CUP SEMI-FINALS

Bitsy Grant Plays Von Cram --- Budge Draws Henkel---Opening Singles.

WIMBLEDON, July 16—Don Budge of Oakland, Calif., and Bryan M. (Bitsy) Grant from Atlanta, Ga., today were nominated to face Baron Gottfried Von Cramm and Heinrich Henkel of Germany in the opening singles matches of the Davis Cup inter-zone finals tomorrow on Wimbledon's centre court.

Ill or lame since arriving in England a month ago, and practically reconciled to a reserved seat in the stands, Grant's name was dropped into the hat with that of Budge and drawn out against Von Cramm in the first match tomorrow.

Budge then automatically drew Henkel as his opponent on the same court. They will trade opponents in the other two singles matches on Tuesday and Budge and Gene Mako will play the two German blonds in doubles on Monday.

Walter Pate, United States non-playing captain, said that Grant was completely recovered from an injury suffered during the all-England tour than at any time since his arrival in England and was playing better. It had been expected Pate would choose Frankie Parker of Milwaukee who reached all-England semi-finals.

The winner in the inter-zone final will play in challenge round against England the following week-end.

NICHE TO DEAN HALL OF FAME

Figuring Batters Is All Cards' Ace Needs

SAN FRANCISCO, July 15—Ty Cobb, the "Georgia Peach" of yore, laid agricultural cares aside for a while today and opined that Dizzy Dean could become the greatest pitcher in history by combining his natural talents with some of the strategy of the late Mathewson.

"If Old Diz worked more on the batters' weaknesses, like Mathewson did, instead of trying to throw the ball by them, he'd probably be the greatest we've ever had," said the player whose batting and base running feats have earned him the distinction of baseball's No. 1 immortal. "Matty was finishing up about the time I started, and we played in different leagues, but I saw enough of him to know he was a master workman. But I think Dean has the stuff to top any of them if he would concentrate more on the tricky side of pitching than he does now."

The Peach, so remarkable on the offensive, he had rival teams playing Ty Cobb instead of the Detroit Tigers, rates Dean as the most valuable moundman in the game today. He'd prefer the St. Louis Cardinals star on his staff to either Carl Hubbell of the Giants or Lefty Gomez of the Yankees.

Cobb, retired to a farm at Atherton follows baseball closely and is well acquainted with Dean's eccentricities. He thinks the best way to get the most out of the big right-hander is to "kid him along."

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Billy Direct, owned by P. J. Downey of Worcester, Mass., and driven by Vic Fleming, formerly of Dundas, Ont., scored an easy victory in the Village Farm Stake for three-year-old pacers.

The colt outclassed his field to win in straight heats from Hal Cochato and take the purse of \$3,544.

The Betsy Farm of Butler, Pa., won its fourth race of the meeting when Lady Laurel took all three heats of the \$1,000 Good Time stake for 2.13 trotters.

BRITISH TRACK TEAM FEATURES TALENTED DISTANCE RUNNERS

Jack Emery Heads Section With Many Fine Performances in Mile---Charles Towne Impressive At Two Miles

The Oxford-Cambridge track team, fans may be assured that they will which competes at the Molson Stadium see a smart mile here.

Teaming with Emery in the mile is Don Martin of Oxford. He has been clocked in 4:22.3, and was very close to his Cambridge rival in their dual meet this spring.

The leading two-miler with the English team is Charles "China" Towne, 22 year old Cambridge undergraduate. Towne won the two miles against Harvard-Yale last Saturday in min. 40 sec. but is capable of running faster than that. His running mate is John "Honk" Hawkey of Oxford, who has been clocked in 9 min. 32 sec. Honk is only 20 years old and represented Oxford in cross country in 1935 and 1936 and in the 3 miles this year.

Their third long distance man is Eric Weir of Cambridge, who is more noted for his ability at cross-country running, at which he is unbeaten this year. He won the English inter-counties cross-country championship, the Oxford vs. Cambridge and the British Universities crosscountry championships. On the

track he won the three miles against Oxford in 14 minutes 46.6 seconds.

This province will have something to throw against these brilliant English distance men in Mervyn Gale, of Y.M.C.A., provincial two-mile champion. Mervyn's best time is 9:35 so he should give the visitors a terrific argument.



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Mr. Picobac's Advice to Anglers

"I WANT you to put a piece in the paper where everybody will see it," said Mr. Picobac to his friend, Herb Smith, editor of the Essex Centre Gazette and County Advertiser (circulation guaranteed). "It'll save me a lot of time writing letters in answer to correspondents."

"Sure," said Herb, feeling for the pencil behind his ear.

"It's poetry," confessed Mr. Picobac, handing it over.

The editor read it aloud:

"Angler's Calendar for April"

"Give your good trout rod a coat of shellac,
"Glue up the ferrules if any be slacky,
"Test all your tapers, silk, linen or cotton,
"Cut off the ends of all such as be rotten;
"Take last summer's leaders now frazzled and worn,
"All moth-eaten trout flies, tattered and torn,
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