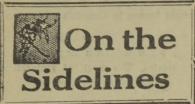


# SPORT





The first gun of the local amateur baseball season was fired last night when the executive of the York County League met and made tentative

The Montreal Star comments on the Gilroy rule matter as follows:-

It might have made a difference to the Royals if the deferred penalty rule had been in force at Halifax when Referee Foster made his now famous decisions which whittled them down to such a weakened state that they were easy prey for the Wolverines.

President Gilroy is recommending its adoption by the amateurs who thus follow the trend of the N. H. L. Some years ago when it was suggested that the amateurs should try to make their there were many horrified exclamations from various parts of Ontario. Even Bill Hewitt was a bit against IRISH SWEEPS the idea. Bill was not then a sort of liason officer between the professionally-minded Mapre Leaf Garden directors, and the amateur-minded C.A.H.A. and its affiliated bodies such as the

Even he was a trifle backward in endorsing the suggestion. Time brings many changes, and there is very little difference in the code governing both games. It is true the amateurs use a different type of net, but the same kind of light signifies a goalhaps in preferred as well.

purpose after all," says the Boston burned Record. "The scientists over at Har- It was reported that the fire was vard are running tests on the boys to started by incendiaries.

selves to tests before the race and big hall, only its four walls were again examined afterwards. standing. From the results of these tests the The giant drum designed for the something more about the human body in the world, was left a twisted and fatigue.

Babe, the home run king, is a trouper race.

"Being married to the Babe," says Organization York the lady whose beauty once graced the Ziegfeld Follies, "is like trouping. Home is wherever our hats are.

"Babe is happy in Boston. He prob-

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## **ALEX CONNELL UNCERTAIN AS TO** RETURN TO GAME

Now at His Post of Secretary of the Ottawa Fire Department.

OTTAWA, April 26-Alex Connell, the old master whose goal-tending helped Montreal Maroons to the Stanley Cup, emblematic of the world's professional hockey championship went back to his desk yesterday in the fire department's headquarters.

"You know," said the National Hock ev League veteran, "there's something pretty nice about being back here again at the old job." Connell is sec retary of the fire department.

He declined to say if he would go back to hockey next season. "Will I do it again? We'll see about that next fall. A lot of things can happen be tween now and then.'

## PLAZA IS NOW A MASS OF RUINS

Historic Building where Millions Have Been Alloted to Winners Destroyed—'Foils Saved.

DUBLIN, April 25-Dublin's great They are coming together more and Plaza Hall, scene of the Irish Hospimore as time goes on, and it is inditals sweepstakes, was almost destroycative of the trend of the times how ed by fire yesterday. With the interior much they have in common-and per- of the building went the great drum from which sweep counterfoils were drawn. It was feared many ledgers "The B. A. A. Marathon serves one recording ticket counterfoils were

John Kelley, the winner, and other men in Greater Dublin who could be runners, it seems, submitted them- spared had fought vainly to save the

Harvard professors hope to learn sweepstakes, the only one of its kind of metal.

And who could be any more tired sweep, announced after the fire that weekly session today. than a Marathon runner after his race none of the foils was burned. All had been taken to the fireproof strong crack Pittsburgh bantam, Nat Litfin, pion. If the battle goes five or six room in which foils are stored, in the who fights Dick Welsh of New York, rounds it will be acceptable and it

### County Ball Begun Here Last Night

whether he'll hit 50 homers this year, or sollice of the city han last even ing. Preliminary steps towards the sion as world's title-holder. LANNAN'S and discussion held on the players, but accepted the challenge tentativeformation of a city club were taken, The Commission did not agree that The fight will have to be held in the SPECIAL 25c and 40c L. Dougherty, was in the chair. An- goes on. other meeting is to be held shortly for complete organization.

> but I'm sure he'll hit enough to keep the turnstiles clicking."

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## 'Daffy' Dean Lost His First

## Great Maroons' Goalie is LAWSON LITTLE **LEAVES TODAY** FOR BRITAIN

Title.

harnessed in better control, today was ng replaced by Heusser. Lawson Little's double-barrelled threat

shoot also at the British Open and United States Amateur. Little sur veyed the outlook confidently:

"I've got more control over those long iron shots now than I've ever had. And I've got the confidence now to go for the pin and not just for the

"My game is in fine shape for so early in the season," he said. "I believe I'm hitting the ball as well now as I did in winning the Brookline but hardly as well as I did in Britain."

To Tommy Armour's declaration that he was a "cinch" to win the British Open and Amateur tournaments, Little responded that the Scot was "very complimentary."

than a 25 to 1 choice," he said.

He feels he has a better chance of winning the British Amateur than the Open, explaining: "I've never played in the British Open, and I don't know yet just how strong our professional entry will be.'

## find out how tired they got in the grind from Hopkinton to the B.A.A." A few hours after the fire started yesterday morning, and all the fire OF MAT GAME IN

ring match in Montreal, and a sharp a ringside seat when he met and de-That 26-mile grind over hill and Officials thought at first there were forward step taken in the matter of feated Carnera. dale, and these tests may be the some thousands of counterfoils in the more adequate control over wrestling. With Dempsey all set to help the of all kinds here, by the Athletic Com- ballyhoo for the title fight, it is ex-But Joseph McGrath, director of the mission of the city of Monteral in pected to be a financial success. It

Mrs. George Herman Ruth, wife of sweep headquarters in Earlsfort Ter- appeared before the Commission to cannot be said that Baer refused to to Escobar, dependent, of course, upon contender a shot alt the title.

> management, and fixing up of the but accepted the challenge tentativeplaying field at Queen's Square. The ly. Litfin is ready to proceed with any president of the Fredericton Club C. matches offered if the tournament

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Lasted Only Two Innings.—"Schoolboy" Rowe Shelled From Mound as Sox Nose Out Tigers. A's Beat Senators 10 to 0.

NEW YORK, April 25-Paul Dean, Johnny Babich, 21 year old Brookserving in a relief role, lost his first lyn right hander, shut out the Phillies U. S. Golf Champ Fit game of the season today as Chicago with one single at Brooklyn as the Cubs landed on the offerings of three Dodgers won their straight game 6-0 and Ready to Defend Cardinal pitchers to defeat the world to retain the National League lead. British Amateur Golf champions 7-5, at St. Louis, in the Babich had a no-hit, near-perfect Amateur Baseball odd game of their series. game to hand until one was out in the

Giants Win Again

pitchers and homers at New York.

Whipped by Pittsburgh three times

6-0 at Cincinnati today to end the

NEW YORK, April 25-The ramp-

straight day.

at Philadelphia.

"Daffy," who replaced Kleinke in eighth. Then Mickey Haslin, playing The same booming wood shots of the seventh, was hit three times in third for the Phils because of Johnny 1934, bolstered by a long iron game the two innings he stayed before be- Verges' injured finger, pushed a base of the Montreal Intermediate Amateur hit past second.

The Cubs bunched their 12 hits successfully while Charlie Root and Bill Busy preparing to sail today from Lee, although hit for 11 bingles, were For the second day in succession New York to defend his British Ama- backed by good fielding that ruined New York Giants lost a shut-out be- the loop this season, Braves and Verteur championship, and determined to the effect of the St. Louis batmanship, cause of a home run as they turned dun of last year's schedule dropping

## BAER BOWING TO WISHES OF DEMPSEY

Expected to Give Brad- fourth inning and choked off a ninth dock a Pasting in Title inning Detroit rally today to win 9-8 Bout on June 13.

give James J. Braddock of New York assault on Rowe, Joe Sullivan and light-heavyweight, returned recently "Golf is such an uncertain game bout in New York on June 13, and he to come from behind for the second that I hardly figure anyone better will arrive in Dempseyland next Saturday to meet Dempsey and receive instruction for training and learn where he will train.

Dempsey Will Aid Ballyhoo

In taking the bout with Braddock, which he believes will be an easier contest than he had with Primo Carnera, the heavyweight titleholder is going through for Dempsey. The former champion asked Max to take the bout to help boxing in New York and of their old-time pressure at Boston other eastern cities. Baer will not get as much money as he is entitled to for defending the title.

Baer never will refuse to go through for Dempsey. He hasn't forgotten what by defeating St. Louis Browns 7-6 in MONTREAL, April 24—Possible the Manassa Mauler has done for him a freehitting contest at Cleveland. tion was laid for a world's title and how Dempsey directed him from

is not believed that Braddock has a Bill Simendenger, manager of the chance against the iron-fisted chamfyle a challenge for Litfin against Six. give a New York boy and prominent

Litfin winning. He pointed out that Not until after this bout will there Litfin was one of the few bantams be any business relative to a Baerwho had survived the early rounds of Schmeling bout. Dempsey thinks this the tournament unbeaten, and as bout is not a hot one. The experts The organization meeting of base- there seemed some possibility the believe Schmeling would be just as the Braves this wear and half in this community for the coming tournament might be abandoned soft for Baer as in their first fight. to have a good year. I don't know to have a good year I don't know to have a good year I don't know to have a good year. I don't know to have a good year I don't know to have a good year I don't know to have a good year. I don't know to have a good year I don't know to have a good year I don't know to have a good year. I don't know to have a good year I don't know to have a good year I don't know to have a good year. I don't know to have a good year I don't know to have a good year I don't know to have a good year. I don't know to have a good year I don't know to have I defend the title against Schmeling. United States. Manager Joe Jacobs can smoke a flock of cigars while thinking over that declaration.

Jacobs talked Schmeling into many fights in New York, but when he hit the Baer trail he found Dempsey a strong obstacle and one not to be pushed out of the way.

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#### BOY WONDER AS JOCKEY

PORT OF SPAIN, Trinidad, Apr 26-Already hailed a "boy wonder" Jockey Steve Donoghue Bennett, aged 13, celebrated the granting of his first jockey license by defeating his father in one race, winning another and placing in a third. The father, P. E. N. Bennett, is leading jockey trainer in the West Indies.

## In Montreal

MONTREAL, April 26- A meeting Baseball League was held Thursday evening at the Windsor Hotel, with President Frank Horan in the chair.

Five teams will likely operate in back Boston Braves 2-1 in a battle of out and St. Willibrord's entering for the first time which along with St. Ann's, Shamrocks, Y.M.H.A. and the Cincinnati Reds crushed the Pirates Westmount Owls makes up a strong roster of clubs.

#### **Boxing Notes**

aging Chicago White Sox blasted LOWELL, Mass., April 26-Lou Schoolboy Rowe out of action at Chi-Iron Fisted Champion is cago with a seven-run drive in the Brouillard, of Worcester, former welterweight and middleweight boxing champion, underwent an operation at and sweep the three-game series with rect a broken nose. Dr. Frank Brady, Vernon (George) Washington, with able to return to the ring after a few Max Baer has definitely decided to two doubles and a single, led a 19-hit weeks. Brouillard, now fighting as a Clyde Hatter which enabled the Sox from a campaign on the Pacific Coast.

> (PITTSBURGH, April 26-Dr. Wm. With rookie Vernon Wilshere pitch- D. McLelland, state boxing commising no-hit ball for six innings and let- sioner, said yesterday he would not ting the opposition down finally with sanction a bout here between Babe only a brace of singles, Philadelphia Risko and Paul Pirrone at Motor Sq. Athletics found their collective bat- Garden.

> ting eye today and hammered Wash- Dr. McLelland objected on the ington Senators into a 10-0 defeat grounds that there is capable local talent to go against Risko.

New York Yankees turned on some If you want a real live paper with in a seven-run fifth inning to take the all the home community news, we series final from Boston Red Sox 12-4. Will mail you one each day until Cleveland Indians moved into first | August 1st for one dollar. place in the American League today

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