

YANK SPEED YACHTS BEING OVERHAULED FOR FRIDAY'S DASH IN INTERNATIONAL MATCH

YANK SAILORS SEE NEW HOPE IN CUP SERIES

Victory Wednesday Causes Resolute's Crew to Regain Racing Confidence.

NEXT EVENT TOMORROW

BY HENRY FARRELL, United Press Sports Editor.

NEW YORK, July 22.—New hope pervaded the American yachting camp today with the crew of Resolute was given America's cup defender a "rub-down" in preparation for the race tomorrow that will mean defeat or another chance for victory.

Yesterday's victory, which was in the nature of a penalty to Shamrock IV for her superior size, made the score two and one in the series and inspired the defender's backers with the belief that the chances of the Lipton craft are poor because of her great time allowance in Resolute's favor.

Similar belief apparently prevails in the ranks of the British yachtsmen, whose dreams of taking the cup back to England in three straight races was shattered yesterday by the game little American, which sailed a dead heat with the big challenger in a boat-for-boat race.

DECREASE HANDICAP

In the hope of cutting down the big time allowance Capt. Burton has decided to let the big topside of the Resolute longer. This will decrease the handicap to six minutes and forty seconds from the five minutes and thirty seconds which was given to the British yachtsman.

Experts pronounce tomorrow's race the crucial one of the series.

Sailed over the triangle course, in which the superiority of the Lipton speed was shown Tuesday, it will give a slight

THE BLACK CAT

NEW YORK, July 22.—This is the story of the black cat, a cat of the sea, a cat of the wind, a cat of the sun, a cat of the moon, a cat of the stars, a cat of the planets, a cat of the galaxies, a cat of the universe.

A black cat was on board the Resolute's tender Monday when Shamrock won the first race; it was there when Shamrock won the second time.

Wednesday morning the same dark pussy was not there. It was on the houseboat Killarney, parent craft to Shamrock, and Resolute won.

A cat boat, which called at the Montauk, and then at the Killarney the night before the race, provided the solution.

The black cat had been gently assisted from the vicinity of Resolute and allowed to land on Killarney without the formality of passing the Irish immigration officers.

Resolute's crew today was wondering if the cat would come back.

advantage to the challenger, it was believed.

If Resolute wins tomorrow it will bring about a tie of two races each and will bring the decisive heat up Saturday over the windward and leeward course which the American craft has shown at an advantage.

Capt. Burton sailed a much better race yesterday on Shamrock IV than he had in the preceding heat. The superior generalship of Skipper Adams, generally conceded before, was not so obvious. But the work of the American crew was much better than that of the Britishers.

FINISH SIMILAR TO HORSE RACE.

A veteran yachtsman who followed the trim craft through the 4:50 of racing time yesterday, thought back over many years of racing without being able to conjure up a picture that could compare with the spectacle. It was a real yacht race from the start and it provided a finish rivaling in closeness that of a neck-and-neck horse race.

Resolute had taken the lead early to her favorite fifteen-mile beat to windward, and then Shamrock slipped swiftly down the wind with spinnaker and balloon jib topsail following superiorly.

But Shamrock IV with her greater spread of canvas, would not be deflected and slowly but steadily ate up the intervening distance, until, with little more than a mile to go, her bowsprit reached, then slowly began to creep past the defender's stern.

Inch by inch, as the spectators watched breathlessly, Shamrock IV moved up and up.

A mile from the stake they were running neck and neck through the fluffy little whitecaps turned up by the breeze. They appeared so close together from the press boats that it seemed as if a man might have jumped from challenge to defender. Actually, the distance was several boat lengths.

Shamrock IV kept up the steady crawl ahead until, at the half-mile mark, the line, she was nearly a full boat length ahead.

Then Resolute caught a tiny extra puff of wind from somewhere, and straining like a thoroughbred under the whip, crept up slowly. She had not been about about even with Shamrock's towering mast when a puff of steam from the committee boat's whistle registered Shamrock's finish.

The little fleet of spectator craft burst into a veritable bedlam of shrieking whistles and sirens as the contenders swept over the line and brought their spinnakers and balloons fluttering down.

The summary of the race Wednesday follows:

Resolute—R. W. Eumons 1:00:41 5:03:47
Yacht and Owner Start. Finish.
Shamrock IV—Sir Thomas 1:00:22 5:03:28
Yacht 1:00:22 5:03:28
Time Elapsed Corrected

Yacht 4:03:06 3:58:05
Shamrock IV 4:03:06 4:03:06
Resolute won by 7:01, corrected time.

First. Second
Yacht 2:24:40 1:58:23
Leg.
Shamrock IV 2:24:44 1:58:22

Lipton's Skipper Puts Shamrock in Drydock for Thorough Grooming

By JACK VEOCK, International News Sports Editor.

NEW YORK, July 22.—Capt. William P. Burton, skipper of Sir Thomas Lipton's challenger, Shamrock IV, is taking no chances of the green steeple not being in shipshape for the next international cup race.

After sailing on even terms against the Resolute yesterday and losing by the time allowance in the Shamrock boat race, the signal for a day of grace and the big yacht was hauled out in dry dock at Staten Island today to be scraped and polished.

The Shamrock's skipper evidently believes that under fair sailing conditions such as prevailed Wednesday, the challenger has her work cut out to win the deciding race.

While Shamrock was given a thorough overhauling today, Resolute was also subjected to a "housecleaning" and both will be spick and span for tomorrow's race.

The contest tomorrow will be another triangular affair. Under certain conditions this sort of a race will favor Shamrock. The weather, however, will play a most important role in determining the winner. The weather man has a trump card in reserve—a card that may be played against either yacht. In moderate sailing breeze, barring accidents, Resolute has proven herself a wonderful racer. In light breezes both yachts have behaved quickly.

Should heavy weather prevail in one of the remaining races, it will be interesting to see how well Shamrock can live up to her reputation as a heavy sea boat.

YANK FALLS FOR TEA FAD



WILLIAM T. TILDEN HAVING TEA IN ENGLAND.

"When in England do as the English do," is regarded as wise philosophy by William T. Tilden of Philadelphia, who is shown taking tea at one of England's fashionable homes after having won

Reach Final Round of Shoot Event on Ft. Harrison Range

The team match and pistol competition today was to put the finishing touches on the Indiana Rifle association's annual state championships on the Ft. Harrison range.

The marksmen were out on the range early this morning and were to shoot on through until late this evening in order to wipe the remaining events off their program.

At a meeting of the members of the association last night, Adm. Gen. Harry B. Smith was elected president for the coming year. Capt. George H. Gawelin, vice president; Wilson E. Conner, treasurer; Capt. Louis J. Morgan, secretary, and John E. Henley, executive.

John E. Henley led in the 100-yard slow fire event yesterday with a score of forty-five. R. E. Ford was second with forty-three. E. C. Ball had forty-two and G. R. Gawelin registered forty-one.

Capt. Albert Black, with a score of 187, took the honors in the governor's match, one of the biggest events of the state shoot.

A report of the financial committee last night showed that the Indiana association is strong in that department.

Big League Stuff

Jack Smith's double in the twelfth, coupled with Eyer's wild throw, enabled Bill Doak to score from first and the Cards trimmed Boston yesterday.

A double by Walters, followed by Hooper's triple and a sacrifice fly gave the Red Sox a victory over Chicago.

The Giants climbed to fifth place, hammering the offerings of Ray Fisher of the Reds to all parts of the lot.

Ping Bodie's throw cut off the tying run in the Yank-Indian game and New York fought down a ninth inning rally and won by a nose. "Two-Gun" Collins went in with the bases jammed and fanned Chapman for the third out.

Scott Perry held the Browns to five hits while the Athletics mauled Bayne and Sotherton.

Three hits off Riley was far from enough to give the Cubs a look in with the Phillies.

Fender outpitched Marquard and Mitchell and the Pirates checked the mad rush of the Dodgers.

Whitey Trims Old Mates

Indians, AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Reiley, Rf. 4 0 1 2 4 0
Wolf, 2b. 3 1 1 2 4 0
Covington, 1b. 4 1 2 4 0 0
Reh, cf. 5 1 3 3 0 0
Zwilling, rf. 4 1 1 1 0 0
Hendrix, 3b. 3 2 0 4 0 0
Kores, 2b. 4 0 1 2 1 0
J. Smith, ss. 4 1 2 3 3 0
Whitehouse, p. 4 0 0 0 1 0

Totals 35 5 13 27 9 0

Millers, AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Jackson, Rf. 3 1 2 1 0
Bowman, Rf. 1 0 0 2 1 1
Davis, 3b. 2 0 0 2 1 1
Rondeau, Rf. 4 1 4 0 0
Wade, cf. 4 1 1 2 0 0
Jennings, ss. 3 0 0 3 0 0
W. Smith, 1b. 2 0 1 10 2 0
Sawyer, 2b. 4 0 1 0 2 0
Player, cf. 3 0 0 3 0 0
Lowdermilk, p. 3 0 0 0 1 0
J. Owens, 1b. 1 0 1 0 0 0
Hovik, p. 0 0 0 1 0 0
McDonald, 1b. 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 31 3 6 27 14 1

*Batted for Lowdermilk in the seventh.

Batted for Hovik in the ninth.

Indians..... 0 1 0 1 3 0 0 0-5

Millers..... 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 0-3

Sacrifice hits—Wolf, Davis. Stolen base—Sawyer. Two-base hits—Covington, 2; Jennings, J. Smith. Three-base hit—Wade. Home run—Rondeau. Double plays—Jennings to W. Smith; W. Smith to Jennings to Smith; Wolf to J. Smith to Covington. Left on bases—Indians, 9; Millers, 6. Bases on balls—Off Whitehouse, 3; off Lowdermilk, 5. Hits—Off Lowdermilk, 11, and 5 runs in seven innings; off Hovik, 2, and no runs in two innings. Hit by pitcher—By Whitehouse, 1 (J. Smith). Struck out—By Whitehouse, 6; by Lowdermilk, 3; by Hovik, 1. Winning pitcher—Whitehouse. Losing pitcher—Lowdermilk. Umpires—Murray and McGloom. Time—1:40.

To Challenge Three-I

GRAND RAPIDS, July 22.—President E. W. Dickerson of the Central league fought down a ninth inning rally and won the pennant winning team of the Three-I league for a special series of blue games after the close of the season.

DRAAK HOLDS ZBYSKO

GRAND RAPIDS, July 22.—Tom Draak defeated Winick Zbyzsko in a handspinning match here last night. Zbyzsko was to have thrown Draak twice in seventy-five minutes, but the fish found Draak struggling to score a fall.

Bullock to Appear With City Poloists in Match Saturday

Tajan, Also Dayton Crack, to Serve With Rolling Ridge—Improvements Planned.

Bobby Bullock, whose sensational play was a feature of the polo game between Rolling Ridge and Indianapolis at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway last week, will be seen in the game between these two teams again Saturday afternoon.

The game will be free to the public and a large crowd is expected to take this opportunity to see one of the greatest players in the west compete in the fascinating and alluring game.

Bullock, who hails from Dayton, O., will play with Indianapolis, while Fred Tajan, another crack performer from the Ohio city, will appear with Rolling Ridge.

With these stars in the game, along with the best local players, the fans are sure of an afternoon of real sport.

The speedway polo field, although only a few weeks old, is one of the very best in the country. Rivaling the famous eastern fields where international matches have been staged. Improvements which are planned will make the setting complete in all appointments.

A clubhouse, now being designed, will soon be erected at an advantageous spot near the field. It will, of course, be for the use of the members of the Indianapolis Polo club and will be of a type to harmonize with the sports setting.

The clubhouse will be one story high with spacious verandas and wide steps and will accommodate numerous spectators during the progress of the games.

There will be a large lounge room, comfortably furnished and a cozy fireplace. The clubhouse will also be equipped with lockers and shower rooms and a dressing room for women.

The grounds will be beautified with hedges and flowers and later on a bridge path will be laid out.

A cooling shed for the polo ponies has been constructed at the south end of the playing field. It is equipped to care for thirty ponies and in the rear a players' quarters is fully equipped with showers and lockers.

CYCLE CLASSIC DATE CHANGED

Times Race Now Carded for Riverside Aug. 1.

The Daily Times fifteen-mile handicap cycle derby, originally carded for next Sunday morning, has been postponed by Charles E. Wehr, Indiana representative of the National Cycling association, until Sunday morning, Aug. 1, in order to accommodate several out-of-town riders who have signified their intentions of going after honors in the event but have notified Wehr that they cannot arrange to be here Sunday.

Art Schneider, captain of the Grand Rapids, Mich., cycle racing team, has wired Wehr for himself and three other amateur pedal pushers for The Times derby and Wehr warns local and state youths that they will have to show some speed to keep this combination out of the front positions.

Schneider's team is composed of riders who know all the tricks of the trade and they will give Indianapolis cycle fans a clever exhibition when they appear here.

RIDERS FROM OTHER STATES COMING.

Members of the racing committee of the National Cycling association have also informed Wehr that they are organizing a team of riders from surrounding states that they will send here for the big race.

At this time the best amateurs in the city and state have filed entry to the event and it looks as though there will be a big battle at Riverside park when the peddlers get together Aug. 1 in a fight for honors in the biggest race of the Indianapolis season.

The event was originally scheduled at Garfield park, but Indianapolis riders who have been training on the new track have informed Wehr that the course is in rather poor condition for fast going and the director has switched the scene of battle from Garfield to the one and one-half-mile track at Riverside park, which is in excellent condition.

Pedal Pushers Start

CHICAGO, July 22.—Ernest Keckler and Carl Stockholm, bicycle riders, left yesterday for New York to sail for the Olympic contests. They will represent America in the bicycle races.

LEAGUE STANDINGS AND CALENDAR

HOW THEY STAND. AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

W. L. Pct. W. L. Pct.
St. Paul. 65 27 .707 Milwaukee. 44 48 .489
Minneapolis. 59 43 .538 Louisville. 43 48 .489
Chicago. 52 35 .598 Detroit. 29 63 .354
Indpls. 46 44 .511 Kansas City. 30 69 .333

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

W. L. Pct. W. L. Pct.
Cleveland. 58 29 .667 Washington. 39 42 .481
New York. 59 32 .548 Boston. 39 44 .470
Pittsburgh. 41 30 .577 Philadelphia. 38 43 .469
St. Louis. 42 44 .488 Philadelphia. 25 64 .281

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

W. L. Pct. W. L. Pct.
Brooklyn. 52 38 .578 New York. 41 42 .494
Cincinnati. 46 36 .561 Chicago. 43 46 .483
Evansville. 45 37 .549 T. Haute. 28 42 .475
Pittsburgh. 41 30 .577 Milwaukee. 38 43 .469
St. Louis. 43 43 .500 Philadelphia. 34 48 .415

THREE-I LEAGUE.

W. L. Pct. W. L. Pct.
Birmingham. 54 53 .509 G. Rapids. 43 43 .500
Evansville. 45 37 .549 T. Haute. 28 42 .475
Rockford. 44 43 .509 Moline. 38 43 .469
Peoria. 44 43 .509 Rock Island. 34 51 .400

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS. AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

(First game)
St. Paul..... 1 0 0 0 1 0 0-2 5 0
Louisville..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0 3 1
Batteries—Williams and Hargrave; Wright and Meyer.

(Second game)
Louisville..... 2 0 0 2 1 0 0-5 11 2
Toledo..... 0 2 0 1 0 0 0-7 9 1
Kansas City..... 0 0 0 3 0 0 0-3 2 1
Batteries—McCall and Murphy; Horstman, Weaver and Brock.

(Second game; seven innings; called by agreement)
Kansas City..... 2 0 0 4 0 0-6 12 1
St. Paul..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0 10 1
Batteries—Songer and Brock; Stryker, Nelson and McNeill.

Milwaukee..... 1 0 0 1 0 0 0-2 4 1
Columbus..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0 10 1
Batteries—Northrop and Gaston; Danforth and Hartley.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York..... 0 1 3 0 0 0 0-4 10 1
Cleveland..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-3 10 1
Batteries—Mays, Collins and Ruel; Caldwell and O'Neill.

Boston..... 0 0 0 2 0 0 0-2 7 2
Chicago..... 0 1 0 0 0 0 0-1 6 1
Batteries—Jones and Walters; Williams and Schalk.

Philadelphia..... 1 1 0 0 1 0 1-3 7 10 3
St. Louis..... 0 0 0 0 0 2 0-2 5 1
Batteries—Perry and Perkins; Bayne, Sotherton and Severid.

(Detroit at Washington; rain.)

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

(12 innings)
St. Louis..... 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1-3 13 2
Boston..... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0-2 8 2
Batteries—Oak and Clemens; Filagin and O'Neill.

New York..... 2 0 3 0 0 0 0 0-5 8 2
Cincinnati..... 0 0 0 2 1 0 0 0-3 8 2
Batteries—Toney, Douglas and Smith; Fisher, Salles and Wingo.

Philadelphia..... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 5 0-6 10 1
Chicago..... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-1 3 2
Batteries—Riley and Wheat; Alexander, Carter and Killifer.

Pittsburgh..... 1 0 0 0 3 0 0 0-4 11 1
Brooklyn..... 1 0 0 0 0 0 2 0-3 8 1
Batteries—Ponder and Schmidt; Marquard, Mitchell and Elliott.

GAMES TODAY.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

No games scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

St. Louis at Washington.
Detroit at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at New York.
Chicago at Boston.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Boston at St. Louis.
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
New York at Cincinnati.

TRIBESMEN ON WAY TO CLOSE ROAD JOURNEY

Indians Leave West With 12 Victories and Position Well Bolstered.

THREATEN THIRD PLACE

Jack Hendricks' Indians today were on the road to Columbus, after closing at Minneapolis yesterday with a 5 to 3 victory.

The final win over the Indians gave the Hoosiers twelve out of seventeen games over the western clubs and they are now on the point of ousting Toledo out of third place.

Charlie Whitehouse, former Miller, gave his old mates a neat timpling and further demonstrated that Manager Hendricks need big league judgment when he grabbed him for the Hoosier staff.

The Millers used both Lowdermilk and Hovik yesterday, but the Indians were not to be denied, and they hit over plenty of runs to win.

Due to the fact that the Tribe pitching staff was overworked the Millers expected Whitehouse to be easy, but after the first inning he tightened and held the Cantillanites off while his mates chalked up the needed runs.

In the series at Minneapolis the Indians captured three out of four games, and if they do as well at Columbus, starting tomorrow, they are almost certain of returning home next week in third place.

The Indianapolis drive has been the sensation of the league, and it is predicted that it won't be long until the club is in second position.

The Salts are far out in front, but many games are left, and if Kelly's outfit happens to run into a slump then the Hoosiers will still have a chance at the pennant. But regardless of their pennant chances, Indianapolis fans are proud

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