

STIRRIN' the DOPE

By VEDDER GARD

GREASE helped Gertrude Ederle to swim the channel. Grease paint is likely to aid in Bill Tilden's downfall. Maybe Bill's theatrical endeavors did not cause his slump on the courts, but many believe it was the direct reason.

Tilden may be able to get back into shape before the national tourney and Davis cup play—and maybe he won't. Grease has many uses. It may have lubricated the tennis skills for Big Bill.

Peebakoo was not given a look-in at Lincoln fields, the new Chicago race track, on Tuesday, but surprised the experts by winning the fifth race. A \$2 ticket paid \$83.70 to win.

The West may grab off the national juniors' and boys' tennis crowns. The Pacific coast juniors are formidable, but many favor Berkeley Bell of Austin, Texas, to cop the title. William Junior Coen, Kansas City, is one of the greatest boys players.

No use worrying about that Dempsey-Tunney fight any more. The two will fight somewhere on Sept. 16—and New York isn't going to present New Jersey with the battle which means a million or so in cash.

DR. WALTER E. MEANWELL, University of Wisconsin's basketball coach, and Knute Rockne, football mentor at Notre Dame, headlines of Notre Dame's summer coaches' school staff, opened their two-week courses at South Bend Monday. A large enrollment attended, due to the great popularity and splendid record of these two men. Rockne and the Badger coach have been associated for several seasons in summer sessions throughout the United States, and have created a great following. The former has divulged many intricacies of the Rockne system which has brought no little fame to recent Notre Dame eleven, while Meanwell has taught principles of his short-pass basket game.

There is a Sporting Editor who is only 2 years old. Now, no wise cracks about him working on local newspapers. This Sporting Editor finished fourth Tuesday at Saratoga in the first race for 2-year-olds—just out of the money. The colt belongs to Bud Fisher.

FRIDAY, the thirteenth, this week. On such a day Phil Rosenberg, bantam champ, and Fidel La Barba, flyweight title holder, will step into the ring at the Cubs' ball park, in Chicago. They must not be superstitious or else know their opponents very well. But, then, Battling Siki fought Mike McTigue on St. Patrick's Day in Dublin.

These are warm days for Leo Wax, Australian welterweight, who is on Friday's card at Chicago. Probably keep him in one of those big cold storage plants.

MAYBE Elizabeth Ryan will turn pro along with Suzzy. But it will not be until after the national women's championship tourney. If Miss Ryan can defeat Miss Wills in the title play it will increase her market value as a professional.

Naturally, even if it were not for commercial reasons, Miss Ryan would want a shot at Helen's crown.

Elizabeth and Suzanne are close friends and the whole thing does not seem improbable even though C. C. Pyle has denied it. That part of it is strange. The denials usually come from the other end of the line.

Puzzling Plays

By Billy Evans

Is it permissible for the pitcher to get on the rubber without having the ball in his possession?

Until 1920 it was permissible for the pitcher to get on the rubber without having the ball in his possession, provided he made no motion to deliver it to the batsman.

This was a bad rule, since it paved the way for deception and gave the runner no standard to judge as to who had the ball.

Since the rubber is to pitch from, it was taken for granted that the moment the pitcher got on the rubber he had the ball and was ready to pitch.

That is the thought now in force. It is a guide to the baserunner. It is a balk now if the pitcher gets on the rubber without the ball.

Chicago Boxing

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—Two world's champions are scheduled to appear on the same bill here Friday night at Cubs' baseball park in an all-star boxing program. No titles will be at stake, however.

Charley Phil Rosenberg, bantamweight titleholder, will meet Joey Sangor of Milwaukee in the feature bout of the evening, scheduled for ten rounds.

The other champion on the card is Fidel La Barba, flyweight champion of the world, who will have for his opponent in the ten round bout Emilio Paluso of Salt Lake City. Paluso met La Barba once before in a twelve-round no-decision affair.

Leo Wax, Australian welterweight champion, will also take part in the program. Wax will fight ten rounds with Clyde Hall of Texas.

SHAMROCK DISMISTED
By United Press
PORTSMOUTH, England, Aug. 11.—Sir Thomas Lipton's famous yacht, Shamrock, was dismantled today near Warner Lightship, according to a Lloyd's report from Ostend. Tugs were attending the vessel.
The Lloyd's message said the Shamrock's mast was broken during a race at Hyde.

'TEX' BELIEVES DEMPSEY-TUNNEY FIGHT VIRTUALLY ASSURED

"Few Little Things" to Be Arranged
Includes License for Champion, but
Rickard Is Not Worrying.

By Henry L. Farrell

NEW YORK, Aug. 11.—As soon as a "few little things are ironed out" Tex Rickard can open his box office and start selling tickets for the heavyweight championship fight between Jack Dempsey and Gene Tunney in the Yankee Stadium on Sept. 16.

Officially, as far as the New York license committee is concerned, the fight is not on, but it is not off.

Dempsey has not been denied a license to fight in New York. Action on his application for a license was not taken Tuesday by the committee. It was merely deferred.

"There are a few things to be worked out—little things—but everything is alright," Rickard said today. The little things to be worked out are merely in the process of getting a license for Dempsey to fight in New York. Tunney was granted his license Tuesday.

"Cards on Table"
Dempsey, with Gene Normile, business representative, and Arthur F. Driscoll, attorney, went to the offices of the boxing commission today and "put his cards on the table."

The heavyweight champion told Bert Stand, secretary of the commission, that he had signed no less than three contracts to fight Harry Wills, Negro challenger, none of which "took."

Dempsey then went to the offices of Tex Rickard, the promoter, to ask if he might leave the city tonight for his training camp near Saratoga Springs. Commissioner George Brower today announced that the boxing commission would hold a special session Thursday morning at 10:30. He said the license committee had been invited to attend the session.

To Fight "Some One"
To get a license, according to Col. John Phelan, chairman of the license committee, Dempsey must sign a contract to fight "some one" in accordance with the rules and regulations of the New York Boxing Commission.

The "some one" mentioned, Colonel Phelan pointed out, doesn't mean any particular person, and he added a significant remark when he said—"the license committee considers that Dempsey accepted the challenge of Harry Wills when he signed a contract with Floyd Fitzsimmons in Niles, Mich., last September."

Muldoon Suggests
Muldoon suggested to Rickard that he bring before the commission a contract signed by Dempsey and Tunney. "The commission," Muldoon said, "will again approve of the match and the license committee will then have no grounds to refuse a license. As soon as the contract is filed in this office, the fighters can start training."

Rickard pointed out that the rules forbid a promoter to sign a contract with an unlicensed boxer, and Muldoon said, "Everything will work out all right."

Rickard said he would get the contract drawn and file it with the commission as soon as possible.

Tex's Proposition
Rickard, it was learned today, plans to have Tunney sign the contract and take Dempsey before the committee with this proposition: "Dempsey hasn't a license and can't get one until he signs a contract. He can't sign the contract

until he gets a license, but he is here to accept this contract verbally."

Dempsey will then verbally accept the contract, will accept a license verbally, will sign the license and the contract and—the fight will be on.

The Ash Pile

By Eddie

Gene Normile, Jack Dempsey's "business representative," has been granted a permit to act as a second by the New York biff commission. That means more commotion.

Seems as though the Milwaukee Brewers will have to use some more influence with Prexy Hickey if they are to head off the Colonels.

There is a suspicion, however, that Louisville can throw as much league political poison as Milwaukee.

Western golfer found his lost ball resting on a rattlesnake. Maybe the pellet was trying nature's way as an act of self-defense.

The majority of young boxers who start professional ring careers as "K. O." Smith or "K. O." Jones, usually wind up as Smith or Jones k. o.

Bathing beauty contests are in full swing over the land. See Miss America first!

The English Channel is being cluttered up with "also rans."

It is said more vigorous shouting is needed to make the Chicago Cubs play better ball. Windy Lashaw is their trainer, and one word to Windy and he'll show 'em some shouting on the coaching lines that will shake the park.

N. D. COACHING STAFF

Knute Rockne Announces Assistants for Coming Year.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Aug. 11.—With the addition of Tommy Mills, former Beloit College coach, "Hunk" Anderson and Basil Stanley, Notre Dame graduates, Coach Knute Rockne announced that his coaching staff has been completed. Stanley has been coaching in California.

MISS WILLS VICTORIOUS

Takes Two Love Sets in New York State Tourney.

RYE, N. Y., Aug. 11.—Miss Helen Wills started in the New York State championships Tuesday, running through twenty-four games, disposing of two opponents in love sets. One match was played in the men's singles of the Southern New York State championships, Brian Norton of St. Louis, defeating Philip Neer of California, 6-4, 6-1.

Public Links Leaders



Lester Bolstad, left, and Karl Kaufmann

Meet the new national public golf links champion, Lester Bolstad of Minneapolis. Bolstad, who is 18, came into the honor by whipping Karl Kaufmann, Pittsburgh, in the finals of the tournament at Buffalo, 3 and 2. Bolstad played sensational golf throughout the get-together. Bolstad is shown with his latest trophy.

FAILURE FOR PAIR IN SWIM

Perrault and Mme. Sion Forced to Give Up Channel Attempts.

By United Press
CAPE GRIS NEZ, France, Aug. 11.—Two more swimmers, a man and a woman, today failed to emulate Gertrude Ederle's feat in swimming the English Channel. They were Omer Perrault, a French-Canadian, and Mme. Sion, a French woman. Since Gertrude set a new mark for speed across the channel Friday, four swimmers have failed over the same course.

Perrault and Mme. Sion returned to Calais at 6 a. m. today aboard their tug. They abandoned their efforts at about 3 a. m., probably owing to bad weather, after having been in the water about five hours.

The swimmers entered the water together at Cape Gris Nez at 10:05 p. m. Tuesday. At midnight they were only three miles out, amid troublesome currents, with conditions becoming worse.

Perrault is a powerful, speedy swimmer. In 1923 he attempted the channel swim and was beaten by rough water. While he was lying in the cabin of a small tug, exhausted, an explosion occurred aboard ship and the fire ignited a large pot of gasoline which was being used to remove the grease from his body. Perrault was terribly burned.

Mme. Sion, the foremost French woman distance swimmer, is a mature woman in her early forties. She swims with a breast stroke, slowly but steadily. Until Miss Ederle conquered the channel Friday, Mme. Sion had established the best record for women by staying in the water sixteen and one-half hours in 1923. She has been trying to swim the channel ever since the war.

BARBARIAN BACK

By United Press
DETROIT, Aug. 11.—Sid Barbarian, former prominent lightweight contender, who has been in virtual retirement for six months, has announced his return to the division. Sid's attempt in the welterweight class flopped.

Baseball Calendar

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION			
W.	L.	Pct.	W.
Louisville	73	.40	840
Minneapolis	70	.38	819
Indianapolis	69	.37	805
Toledo	58	.32	752
San Francisco	54	.30	740
St. Paul	53	.29	735
Minneapolis	48	.26	625
Columbus	38	.21	548

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
W.	L.	Pct.	W.
N. York	71	.39	845
Cleveland	62	.34	748
St. Louis	59	.32	718
Phila.	58	.31	710
Chicago	57	.30	705
Detroit	55	.29	675

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
W.	L.	Pct.	W.
Pitts.	61	.34	738
St. Louis	59	.32	718
Chicago	58	.31	710
Phila.	57	.30	705
Boston	55	.29	675
Brussels	54	.28	665

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

(First Game, 14 Innings)

Columbus 000 001 021 000 00—4 10 3

Minneapolis 002 100 010 000 01—3 13 3

Sommers, Hayworth; Hollingsworth, Middleton, Lowdy.

(Second Game)

Columbus 000 001 100 300—5 11 7

Minneapolis 100 210 02—3 10 7

Lyons, Hayworth; Wilson, Krueger.

(Game called to allow teams to catch train)

New York 000 000 000 000—0 0 0

St. Louis 000 000 000 000—0 0 0

Shocker, Shawkey; Severid, Wells, Woodall.

(11 Innings)

Philadelphia 000 000 012 01—3 8 0

Chicago 000 000 001 00—3 11 7

Grove, Quinn, Pate, Cochran; Thomas, Connally, Grabowski.

Washington 010 000 003—4 8 1

Cleveland 000 000 000 00—1 8 1

Rundher, Talcott; Levens, Sewell.

Boston 021 010 000—4 12 0

St. Louis 000 200 25—6 8 2

Heimach, Gaston; Vandier, Hargrave.

(Game called to allow teams to catch train)

Chicago 000 000 000—0 0 0

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Root, Milledge, Osborne, Gonzales, Hartnett; Barnes, McMullen, Florence.

Pittsburgh 020 111 104—10 13 0

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Williams, O'Neil, Hargreaves.

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Rhem, O'Farrell; Goldsmith, Morridge, Siemer.

Cincinnati 000 000 000—0 0 0

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RYCHELL TO MEET FORBES

In Main Go at Fort Next Week—Risko Beats Gates on Points.

Ray Rychell, Chicago, and Harry Forbes, Columbus, Ohio, will battle in the main go of ten rounds at Ft. Benjamin Harrison next Tuesday night. Ted Blatt and Mike Moran will meet in the semi-wind-up of ten rounds. There will be three other scraps.

A capacity crowd witnessed last night's fistfights at the army post "punch bowl." Every seat was filled and many fans occupied standing room.

In the main event John Risko, Cleveland heavyweight, outpointed Leo Gates, New York, in ten rounds in a rather tame exhibition. Risko was unable to find the "button" with his terrific punches, though he forced the action throughout. He won decisively.

The semi-wind-up between Fred Parker, Indianapolis, and Bob Cox, Terre Haute, was stopped in the seventh round by the military boxing board. The officials decided the boys were not doing enough work. Many fans disagreed with the opinion of the board and shouted for the fight to continue. The board remained firm, however, and halted the scrap.

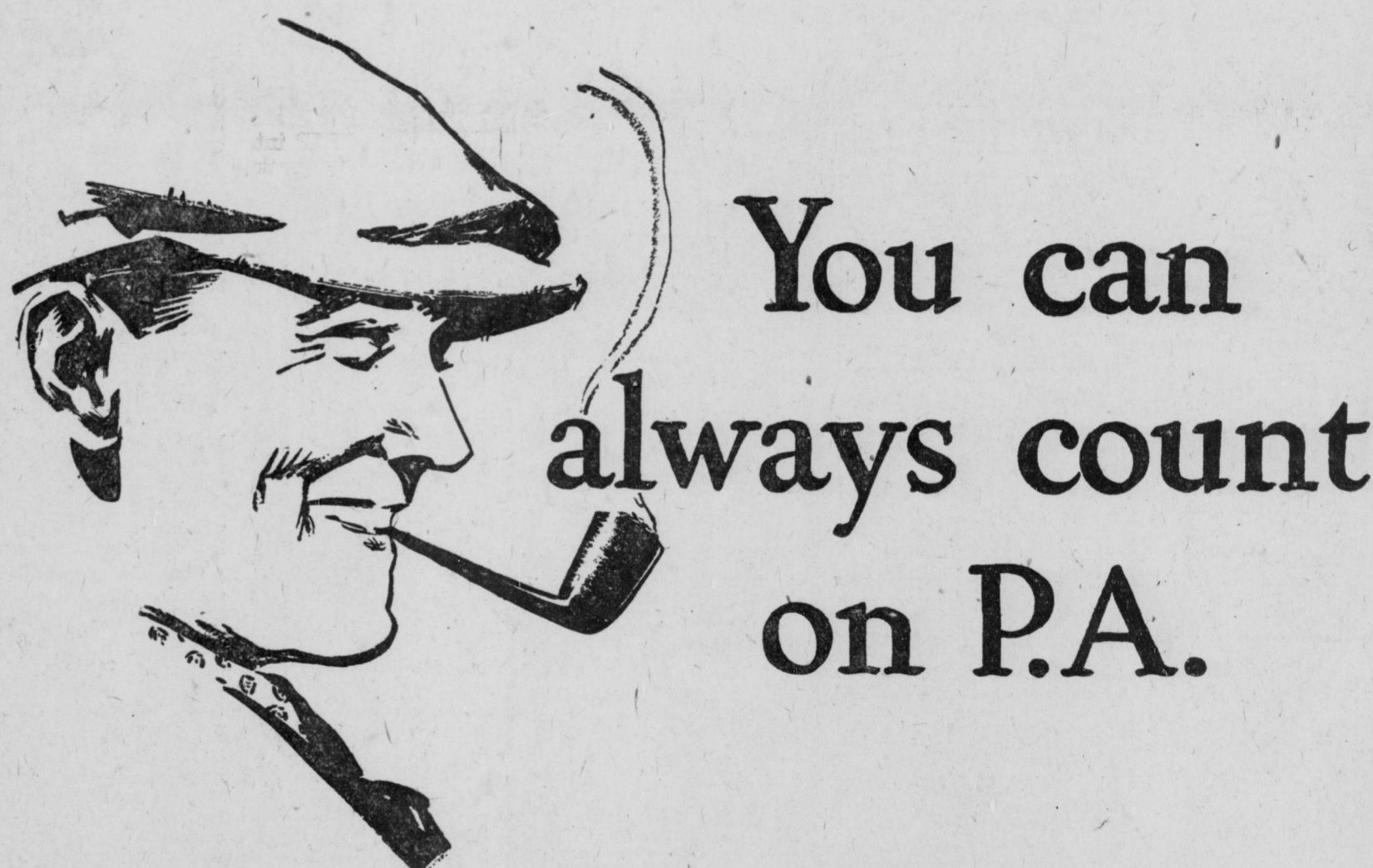
Other results last night follow: Allen Watson outpointed Ehrman Clark in six rounds; Battling Budd knocked out Johnny Baer in one round, and Howdy Stout stopped K. O. Keefe in the second round.

GAMES TODAY

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
INDIANAPOLIS at Kansas City, (two games).
Louisville at Milwaukee.
Columbus at Minneapolis.
Toledo at St. Paul.
AMERICAN LEAGUE
Chicago at Cleveland.
Detroit at St. Louis.
New York at Washington (two games).
No other game scheduled.
NATIONAL LEAGUE
Chicago at New York.
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.
Pittsburgh at Brooklyn.
St. Louis at Boston.

WITH NEW HAVEN

New Haven has obtained Del Capes, all-around player, from the Toronto club of the International League.



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