



ADVANCEMENT OF RUNNER  
When can a runner properly advance on a fly ball that is caught? Must he wait until the ball is firmly held by the fielder making the play or can he advance the moment the ball strikes the hands of the fielder? If a ball strikes the hands of one player, bounds out and is caught by another before it touches the ground, does it make any difference in the advancement of the runner?

**A EASERUNNER** has the right to advance on a fly ball that is caught the moment it strikes the hands of the fielder, provided he returns to his base and holds it until such a thing happens.

If it was necessary for the base-runner to hold his base until the ball was firmly held, players would make a practice of purposely juggling the ball and running in with it at the same time, in order to lessen the runner's chance to advance.

This would place the runner at the mercy of the fielder. Thus the rule gives the runner the right to advance the moment the ball strikes the hands of the fielder making the play.

It makes no difference in the play if the ball bounds from the hands of one fielder and is recovered by the other before touching the ground.

The runner is within his rights in advancing the moment the ball strikes the hands of the first player making the play.

While at times it may seem that the runner should be made to hold his base until the actual completion of the play, such a procedure would offer him no protection and make him an easy victim for trickery on the part of the fielder.

### Fights and Fighters

PHILADELPHIA—Billy Wells, Negro heavyweight, knocked out Jim Hillies, 10 rounds, won the decision over Louie (Kid) Kaplan. The decision was close, but Wells' punches, including the cleaner blows, Lope Tenorio, Filipino, outpointed Harry Tuttle, ten rounds.

CHICAGO—Freddie Mueller, Buffalo, lightweight, won the decision over Ray Miller, Chicago, after rounds which knocked down twice in the fifth round.

HACKENSACK, N. J.—Freddie Baumert, Newark, N. J., defeated Pandio Dentio, Philippines, eight rounds, referee's decision. Baby Joe Gans, Los Angeles, made short work of Jimmie Syracuse, ten rounds. It was a slow bout.

NEW YORK—Manuel Quintero, Spanish lightweight, won a ten-round decision over Louie (Kid) Kaplan. The decision was close, but Quintero's punches, including the cleaner blows, Lope Tenorio, Filipino, outpointed Harry Tuttle, ten rounds.

CHICAGO—Jack Berg, English lightweight, outpointed Pedro Amador, Panama, ten rounds. The Briton displayed plenty of speed. Soldier Domrowski, Detroit banished, drew with Young, Philippines, ten rounds. Buster Brown, St. Joseph, Mo., defeated Louie St. Louis, six rounds.

BOWLING TONIGHT  
Illinois Duckpin League, composed of eight teams, will roll tonight on the Illinois alleys at 8:30 (Daylight Saving Time).

# Millers Open Invasion of League's Powerful Western Teams

**Champion Is  
3-1 Favorite  
in Title Go**

Loughran and Latzo Meet  
Tonight Over 15-Round  
Distance.

*By United Press*  
NEW YORK, June 1.—A 3 to 1 favorite, Tommy Loughran, the light heavyweight champion, will meet Pete Latzo, former welterweight champion, in a fifteen-round title bout, weather permitting, at Ebbets field, Brooklyn, tonight.

The bout was postponed from last Wednesday night because of rain. Both fighters were required to weigh in again this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Loughran weighed 175, Latzo 169½, when they weighed in Wednesday.

Loughran skipped rope and played handball Thursday to keep in trim, while Latzo took a light workout in a downtown gymnasium. The two-day delay is not expected to have a deterrent effect on either fighter.

**Shortridge Court  
Team Beats Tech**

Shortridge High School tennis team defeated the Technical court-mates at Hawthorn Thursday, four matches to two. The Blue and White racquet wielders close their season Saturday against Washington High School metters at Hawthorn. Thursday's results:

Loyne (T) defeated Roberts (S), 6-1, 6-2.

Sullivan (T) defeated Danke (S), 6-3, 6-2.

Warren (S) defeated Ippenauer (T).

Lowry and Denney (S) defeated Danke and Warren (T), 4-6, 6-4.

Danke and Warren (S) defeated Sullivan and Ippenauer (T), 7-5, 9-4.

OUT GO THE TONSILS!

And Adolfo Luque will rejoin Cincy Reds next Thursday.

*By Times Special*

CINCINNATI, June 1.—Adolfo Luque, mounds ace of the Cincinnati Reds, probably will rejoin Jack Hendricks' club at Brooklyn next Thursday, it was said here. Luque had his tonsils removed Thursday.

**Major Homer Leaders**

*By Times Special*

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**LEAVES RICHMOND**

*By Times Special*

RICHMOND, Ind., June 1.—Harold Little, basketball coach at Morton of Richmond, will not be in charge of the net squad this coming winter. Little resigned to take a post in Boulder, Colo.

**COLLEGE BASEBALL**

Providence, 9; Georgetown, 7.

Chicago, 6; Ohio State, 5 (ten innings).

Kelso (Japan), 3; Fordham, 1 (twelve innings).

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## BASEBALL CALENDAR

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION  
Wen. Lost. Pct.

Kansas City	28	18	.569
Indianapolis	25	19	.545
Milwaukee	23	20	.535
St. Paul	23	20	.535
St. Louis	23	20	.535
Toledo	23	20	.535
Louisville	16	29	.335
Columbus	13	34	.277

AMERICAN LEAGUE  
W. L. Pct.

New York	34	8	.310
Detroit	18	26	.409
Phil.	25	14	.341
Boston	15	22	.403
Cleveland	23	20	.335
St. Louis	17	26	.356

NATIONAL LEAGUE  
W. L. Pct.

Cincinnati	39	17	.333
Brooklyn	22	19	.537
Chicago	28	19	.378
Boston	16	23	.410
St. Louis	23	19	.368
Philadelphia	7	31	.184

Today's Games

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Kansas City, Toledo

Milwaukee at Columbus.

Minneapolis at INDIANAPOLIS.

St. Paul at Louisville.

St. Louis at Toledo.

DETROIT at Cincinnati.

St. Louis at Philadelphia.

BROOKLYN at Pittsburgh.

CHICAGO at Pittsburgh.

INDIANAPOLIS at Louisville.

St. Louis at Cincinnati.

PHILADELPHIA at Boston.

BOSTON at Philadelphia.

MINNEAPOLIS at Toledo.

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