



By Eddie Ash

"Game of Century" Is Talk of Baseball

49,000 to See Battle — All for Charity

THE "game of a century" is the talk of the baseball world these days and many Hoosier fans were among the fortunate to obtain tickets for the Chicago World's Fair diamond extravaganza. The feature tilt will be staged in the Windy City Thursday and Chuck Klein, the Hoosier Hercules, will be in the starting lineup for the all-star National League club. Oral Hildebrand, another Hoosier idol, will be on hand with the pick of the American leaguers, but is not sure of seeing action.

Lefty Grove will be the starting hurler for Connie Mack's "all" team and John McGraw of the Nationals will pit Carl Hubbell of eighteen-inning 1-to-0 fame against the lanky Philadelphia southpaw. The battle will begin at 12:15 Indianapolis time and it will be broadcast by both national radio networks and by WGN.

Attendance of 49,000

EVERY seat has been sold for the midseason "world's series" and at least 49,000 fans will view the battle. It will be played at Comiskey park, home of the White Sox. Gates will be closed when all fans are in their seats and no "standing room" sales will be made.

The Chicago Tribune sponsored the tilt and the Indianapolis Times helped direct the fan vote in this territory. Ballots were sent in from all over the country and the two managers, Mack and McGraw, picked their clubs almost as the public voted.

Profits will be donated to the baseball players' charity organization and it is believed total receipts will reach \$50,000. After expenses are deducted, all money left will go to the player "fraternity." If rain interferes Thursday the game will be played Friday morning, at 10 o'clock Indianapolis time.

In the event rain interferes on both Thursday and Friday the game will be called off and the Chicago Tribune will pay all expenses.

Babe and Lou Together

THE "home run twins," Babe Ruth and Lou Gehrig, will be in the American League lineup and will bat in the same position that they fill with the world champion New York Yankees. It will be interesting to see what Ruth does. He usually reaches the heights before big crowds and when much depends on swatting power.

Comiskey park has a deep right field, but Ruth has cleared the barrier there in the past and is likely to do it Thursday. The guess is that this is Babe's last year as a regular and he is sure to be "wound up plenty" when he trots out on the field for the "game of century."

No provision has been made for Jimmy Foxx in the starting lineup of the Americans, but it's a good bet that Connie Mack will order an early change to bring the stalwart clubber into action.

Umpires Are Named

THE coveted umpire assignments for the Thursday all-star game were announced today. Bill Klem and Charlie Rigler were selected by the National League and Bill Dineen and W. A. McGowan drew the American League appointments. Dineen will be behind the plate when the game gets under way. Dineen and Klem are the oldest officials in point of service in their respective leagues.

Irish Golfer Cracks Course Record to Lead British Open

BY HARRY L. PERCY

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ST. ANDREWS, Scotland, July 4.—William Nolan of Portarlington, Ireland, established a new record for the historic St. Andrews old course today, scoring a 67 in his second qualifying test. His two-day total of 138 probably established him as the medalist.

Nolan was one of three scoring 71's on the new course Monday. The others were George T. Dunlap Jr., New York amateur, and Horton Smith, Chicago professional.

The former record for St. Andrews was 68 and was held jointly by Bobby Jones and George Duncan, veteran English pro.

C. Ross Somerville of London, Ontario, holder of the United States amateur title, scored a 75 today, two over par, and was safely within

the probable qualifying limit of 160. His two-day total was 154.

Horton Smith, Chicago, had a 71 for the second consecutive day, and was temporarily in second place with an aggregate of 142.

Leo Diegel of Agua Caliente, Mexico, first of the overseas entries to finish two qualifying rounds scored a 75 today and had a total of 150.

The field was reversed today, with half playing their second rounds on the new course and half on the old.

Johnny Farrell of New York scored 36-41-77 for a total of 154.

Densmore Shute, one of the leading American professionals, scored 41-40-81, and totaled 156.

Gene Sarazen, defending champion, toured the course in 75, bringing his two-day total to 148. Sarazen played orthodox golf, sacrificing distance for safety and using iron off the tees.

Ed Dudley of Augusta, Ga., scored 37-36 for par 73 and totaled 151 for the two rounds. Olin Dutra, giant Californian, made a 75 today. His total was 148. Dutra was having trouble on the greens.

Paul Runyan of White Plains, N. Y., slipped three strokes past par, scoring a 76 to total 153.

SEEDED STARS SURVIVE

Parker, Grant and Mako Enter Third Round at Chicago.

By United Press

CHICAGO, July 4.—Three seeded players in the national clay court tennis championships entered the third round today. They were Frankie Parker, Milwaukee, seeded No. 1, who won his two opening matches with ease; Bryan Grant, Atlanta, and Gene Mako, Los Angeles.

Three other seeded stars who failed to arrive Monday and were expected to play their first matches today, were Gilbert Hall, Jack Tilden, new intercollegiate champion, and Berkeley Bell.

CARLIN, BAKER IN DRAW

600-Mile Road Speed Event to Be Staged Aug. 24-25.

By Times Special

ELGIN, July 4.—With three hundred miles carded for each day, the famous Elgin road race, discontinued after 1920, will be renewed Aug. 24-25.

Barney Oldfield, prominent veteran pilot, approved the eight-mile course for the A. A. A. contest board Monday. Many well-known drivers are expected to compete.

PURVIS MEETS PHAGAN

Jackie Purvis, local welterweight boxer, will tackle Johnny Phagan in an eight-round main event at Northwest stadium in Chicago Wednesday night.

AL BROWN KEEPS TITLE

MANCHESTER, England, July 4.—Panama Al Brown, world's bantam title elainer, outpointed Johnny King, British champion, in a fifteen-round title tussle.

WESTERN CLUB CHANGED

BARTLESVILLE, Okla., July 4.—Hutchinson will lose its Western League baseball franchise on July 6, it was announced today, when the club will be transferred to Bartlesville, due to poor attendance.

OLD TIRES BROKEN

Same Rice and Joe Judge, roommates for seventeen years with the Washington Senators, were split up when Judge went to the Brooklyn Dodgers this year.

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Cochet and Vines Meet

Tennis Stars Tangle in Semi-Final Tussle at Wimbledon.

By Times Special

WIMBLEDON, Eng., July 4.—Ellsworth Vines, lanky American champion and defending Wimbledon titleholder, battled Henri Cochet, the French ace, again today in the semi-finals of the all-England tennis tournament.

Ranked as the world's two greatest players, Cochet will be seeking revenge for setbacks handed him in their last two meetings by the young Californian.

Jack Crawford, Australian youngster who recently trounced Cochet, battled the Japanese flash, Jiroh Satoh, in the other semi-finals match. Crawford has been playing the best tennis of the tourney, while Satoh provided a major upset Monday by beating Bunny Austin, England's last hope for winning its own title for the first time since 1909.

In women's singles, Mrs. Helen Wills Moody was but two steps away from her sixth title. She was to play her semi-final match today.

Eight Pictures in City

THERE was a big crowd at the Colonial theater Monday night to view the special screening of the Primo Carnera-Jack Sharkey fight pictures that went on display to the public there, today. Highlights of the heavyweight title scrap are shown and the action gives the fans some idea of the bulk of the Italian compared with Sharkey, who is a big fellow himself.

The ease with which Primo jostled, pushed and tossed Sharkey about the ring is demonstrated clearly. Sharkey is pictured putting over plenty of heavy wallop which merely bounced off his giant rival. Jack piled up a point advantage, but was caught in a sixth round storm and a short right uppercut that really didn't appear to have a whole lot on it, dropped him down and out.

Sharkey evaded the so-called "secret punch" in the rounds previous to the sixth, so it is evident he knew what Carnera was endeavoring to put over. Jack was backed against the ropes when the fatal blow connected.

JIM THORPE, approaching the half-century mark, is touring with a semi-pro baseball team. As a means of keeping in shape, Jim used to wrestle with other members of the team two at a time. But the manager ordered him to stop because he was hurting too many of the boys.

ELK CITY, Oklahoma, claims to have the only left-handed baseball team in the country. Every player, from manager to water boy, catches, throws and bats lefthanded. The organizer of the club, Frederick Link, also is a southpaw.

Harvard university, which used to have one of the biggest assortment of coaches in the country, is making them double up now on several sports for economy's sake.

Outfielder Happy Felsch, one of the members of the 1919 Chicago White Sox ruled out of organized baseball after the world series with the Reds, is playing semi-pro ball in Milwaukee. Fred Tenney, one of the finest firstbasemen of all time, is an insurance salesman in Boston.

WALKER CHALLENGES SHARKEY FOR SCRAP

By United Press

CHICAGO, July 4.—Kiki Cuyler, Chicago Cubs' outfielder who has been on the bench nursing a broken ankle since the training season, was expected to return to the outfield today against the Cincinnati Reds.

Cuyler's only appearance in the Cubs' lineup thus far this season was as a pinch-hitter.

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McGraw and Mack Renew Old Diamond Rivalry



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McGraw, who "master-minded" for the New York Giants many years before stepping down in 1932, will be at the helm of the National League club, and Connie Mack, who has been running the Philadelphia Athletics just as many years, will be on the American League bench. Stars of the two loops,

selected by fans' ballot, and the two managers, will be in the lineups for the World's Fair special game.

McGraw and McGraw have met three times before, with the Philadelphia veteran holding a two-to-one edge. McGraw's Giants beat Mack's "White Elephants" in the first world series in 1905, but Connie got revenge in 1911 and took the edge in the 1913 title playoff. Their meeting Thursday at Comiskey park, after a twenty-year lapse, should have enough color to fill a book.

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BY BABY JOE GANS WINS

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Max Baer to Co-Star With Joan Crawford in Movie

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NEW YORK, July 4.—Maxie Baer, the handsome Livermore larriper, today issued a declaration of independence of Heavyweight Champion Primo Carnera, and he had a brand new movie contract to back up his manifesto.

"I'd like to fight Carnera," Baer said, "because I know I'd beat him and take the title. But, as far as money is concerned, I don't care if Carnera ever gives me a fight."

Baer will start working on the picture at Hollywood about July 24. He is expected to be co-starred with Joan Crawford in a story of the ring.

BY GEORGE KIRKSEY

United Press Staff Correspondent

CHICAGO, July 4.—This was the day for Equipoise and Gallant Sir, champions of the east and west, respectively, to race it out in a three-game lead to second place during a long road trip on which lost 13 and won only 14 games.

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22 Turf Stars Race Against Equipoise in Chicago Event

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