

RUTH AND ADAMS ARE HOME-RUN AFFLICTION OF BABE-RUTH'S CAUSES PHILS TO SOCK BALL OUT OF LOT, GETTING 50-50 BREAK

AN AFFLICTION known as "Babe-ruthitis" swooped down upon our Phils yesterday afternoon. This disease originated in New York and was quite contagious. The victims go when up at the plate in a ball game, and take such a violent dislike to the baseballs that they knock them as far away as possible. In fact, everybody tries to sock the bounding ball out of the lot.

Therefore, when the boys were laid low with "Babe-ruthitis" they acted accordingly. Three times was the ball slammed out of the playground, and three, according to the rules, are known as home runs. Of course, they helped wonderfully and made it possible for the Phils to win a ball game from Pittsburgh, the first which has been won this year from that club on the home lot. Gavy hopes his athletes never will get well.

All of this happened in the other part of a double-header. The opener was a grand slam for the victors, but the home fans were not so kind to the home team. It is about the nightcap that we are writing.

Babe Adams, who once was youthful enough to deserve the front handle, tumbled on the mound for the Pirates. He was a nice chap, kind to the Phils and they hated to see him leave abruptly at the end of the fifth. It was he who made it possible for the home team to win.

In the second game Wrightson, who sat in at third for both Millers—Jack and Hilly—connected with a fast one and it landed on a passing auto in Broad street.

Then an inning passed and all innings pass. Fletcher stepped up and batted a liner to center. Carey couldn't get near it, nor could Hughes. Therefore the pellet fell on safe ground and bounced right into the pocket of a bleacherite.

Walter Traverser perpetrated the third blunder about just before Mr. Adams left. His was a walk-up into the left field stand.

The home folks were fortunate to get those slams. They were needed at the end, for in the ninth inning Cecil Algoner Cansy exploded with a long bang and the game almost went boogie. Three runs came in before Bert Gallia put a stop to it. The final figures were 5 to 4.

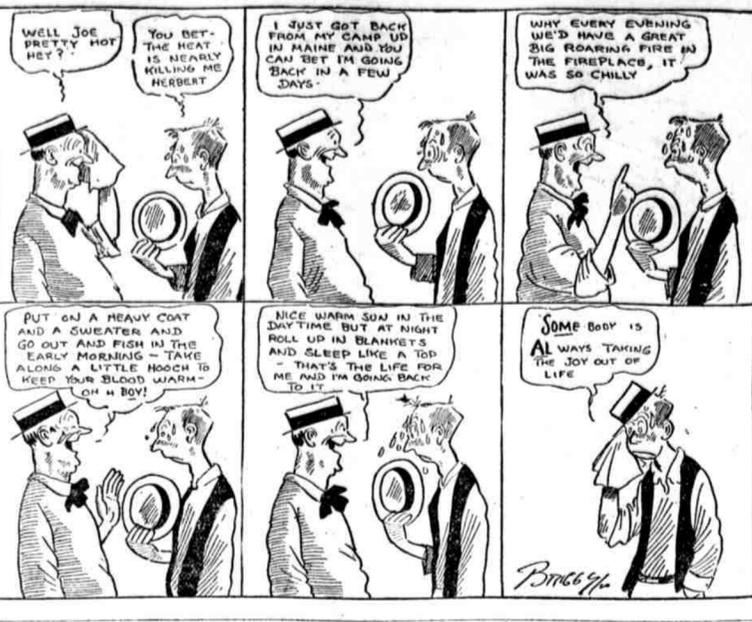
By JUSTICE to Babe Adams let it be said that he used excellent judgment while the home runs were popular. He kept them well scattered. Not more than one was made in an inning.

Pirates Have Bulge on Phils THE Phils haven't had any more trouble this year trying to trim the Pirates than Sir Thomas had trying to lift the America's Cup. Thirteen games have been played between the two clubs, and Cravath won his fourth game of the season from the Phils in the finale of yesterday's double-header. This means that the Phils have played 307 ball against the Gibson gang.

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15-ROUND BOUTS TO BE HELD AT WEST MANAYUNK Tom Loughrey and Pete Tyrell Promoters—Frank Loughrey and McAndrews Matched for Distance Monday Night

LESS than half an hour's ride from Market street, on either of the railroad lines, in that hilly district of Manayunk, which is the scene of a number of fifteen-round boxing matches during the remainder of the summer, West Manayunk, Montgomery county, directly across the Schuylkill river from Philadelphia, is to go down in boxing history as a field for distance mitt competition.

It was announced definitely today by Pete Tyrell, who is to be the fifteen-round promoter, together with Tom Loughrey, that definite plans had been arranged and the first long bout had been set for next Monday night. A big circus tent is being put up, 5000 chairs are to be placed around the 24-foot ring and the bouts are to have all the semblance of open-air competition.

Tom Loughrey has had the boxing bug buzzing in his bonnet ever since his return here from Ireland, where he rested for about six years after retiring from the ring. At one time Loughrey was actively engaged in fist-fighting—weight, which he copied successfully with the best of the 142-pounders. But that was some years ago. Now Tom is back in the game, this time as a promoter.

Three six-round bouts are to be staged as "preludes" to the McAndrews-Loughrey bout.

Frank J. O'Brien has been signed to referee all bouts at West Manayunk.

West Manayunk can be reached easily by trolley and auto, as the train, which is being maintained by fans, especially those of the Philadelphia Athletic Club, will be running from Philadelphia to West Manayunk every day.

Leon Didier After Revenge in Bike Race Against Carman at Drome

Leon Didier, the French 100-kilometer champion, is out for revenge tonight. He is booked to ride in a thirty-five-mile motor-paced grid at the Pointe Breeze Velodrome against George Carman, the world's champion.

AMERICAN POLOISTS WIN Defeat Belgian Quartet by Score of 13 to 3

Ostend, July 29.—The American polo team defeated the Belgians, 13 to 3, in the Olympic contest, rolling up a big score.

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On THE day wherein the Shamrock and the Resolute failed to race in a twenty-five-mile breeze, a doubtful handful of enthusiasm over the battle departed from the most of the landlubber's interested, who, right or wrong, have their own viewpoint. And you can't arrest a man for thinking.

DOBSON TO HOLD ANNUAL OUTING Athletic Events and Baseball Games to Be Big Features of the Day

On Saturday the J. & J. Dobson Co. employees will hold their annual outing and athletic carnival at Wildwood, N. J.

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LOCAL GOLF INVADERS BACK AFTER BRITISH COMPETITION

Mrs. Vanderbeck and Miss Caverly Return to This City From Play in Ireland and France—Vardon-Ray Play Here

Mrs. CLARENCE H. VANDERBECK and Miss Mildred Caverly, of the Philadelphia Cricket Club, have returned to this city following their competition for the ladies' golf championship of Great Britain.

Both the local stars arrived in Philadelphia last night. They will have a couple of months of protracted rest before the American championship is played in October at Mayfield.

Mrs. Vanderbeck won her share of her matches in Ireland, but was beaten in the third round, while Miss Caverly, according to such reports as were had, was beaten on the last green of the first round.

Reports said that Miss Caverly's play around the greens was excellent, but that her driving was not nearly so good as that of Mrs. Mackenzie, who won 2 up.

After defeating Miss Ames, Folkenstein, in the first round, and Mrs. Vanderbeck in the second, Miss Caverly next morning defeated the Canadian champion handily, 3 and 2. British play for women is much more severe than in America, mainly on account of the weather conditions and the fact that two rounds are played per day.

After an hour for luncheon, Mrs. Vanderbeck again teed off, this time against Miss Jeanette Jackson, who reports state in the Irish champion. Mrs. Vanderbeck's game was said to have been inferior to the brand of golf she had played previously and Miss Jackson won, 5 and 3.

Like Hurricane Meritine, Miss Marion Holmes, metropolitan champion at the times, and a third member of the invading party, had won her first three matches and met Miss Molly Griffiths, one of the strongest of the women players abroad, in the fourth round. A strong wind like a hurricane was blowing, and Miss Holmes' wooden shoes were badly carried astray. She lost, 6 and 1.

Miss Griffiths had defeated Miss Rosemond Sherwood, another New York district player and the remaining member of the party in the first round. Miss Griffiths also had defeated Miss Rosemond Sherwood in the final round of the championship since 1914.

Miss Leitch is expected to enter the women's championship here this fall. Jim Barnes, the former professional champion, who played abroad, recently stated that he thought "either Miss Alexa Stirling or Miss Caverly could probably beat Miss Leitch in America."

He said that abroad there were two to our one women players, and that he had developed a good many more stars, and that in the championship one had played was no longer defeated than another, and harder one had to be beaten in the afternoon.

The British women players are by nature more robust than in America, he stated, and the thirty-six holes a day was undoubtedly a hardship. Then they are accustomed to playing in the gales there, which I, myself, often feel lift me right up at the top of my sailing. I am surprised that our players did as well as they did, under the conditions."

In answer to numerous queries, Vardon and Ray are expected to play in this city on September 1, at the Huntington Valley and Merion. Max Marston is to be one of the American side, with either Francis Oulmer, Bob Gardner, or some other than in America. The British pair are also to play Pine Valley, it is understood. Aronimik and Llanerch are likewise talking of having them, though final arrangements have not been concluded.

N. L. Moon, of Norristown, writes in to settle the question of the native land of T. D. Armour, who arrived in this country with Walter Hagen to play in our championships. Mr. Moon is a member of the Lothianburn Golf Club, Edinburgh, Scotland, and is

Grand Circuit Features Southern and Desher Stake Races Carded for Today

Columbus, O., July 29.—Two of the most important stake events of the year will be contested today as features of the fourth day's card of the Grand Circuit trots. The 2:08 trot for the Southern Stake, purse \$5000, and the 2:11 pace for the Desher Stake, purse \$2000, are the two main events.

Chicago Oarsmen on Way to Canada Chicago, July 29.—The Lincoln Park Boat Club senior eight-oared shell crew and junior single sculler left for Catharines, Ontario, Canada, to compete in the rowing races to be held under the auspices of the Royal Canadian National Henley Regatta tomorrow and Saturday.

E. G. Budd Athletic Meet Next Saturday the employees of the E. G. Budd Manufacturing Co. will hold a big field meet on their athletic field. A varied athletic program has been arranged. Costly prizes will be awarded the winners.

Norwich Gets Roque Tourney Norwich, Conn., July 29.—Instead of going to Philadelphia as was expected last year, the national roque tournament will be held here this year. The dates are August 17 to 21.

Wheeler Wins Shot Masses City, July 29.—E. C. Wheeler, of Philadelphia, won the 200 yard shot possible targets won the championship of the Great Lakes trapshooting club here yesterday.