

Griffith Is Left Behind---Brooklanders Presents Claim---Dempsey Signed

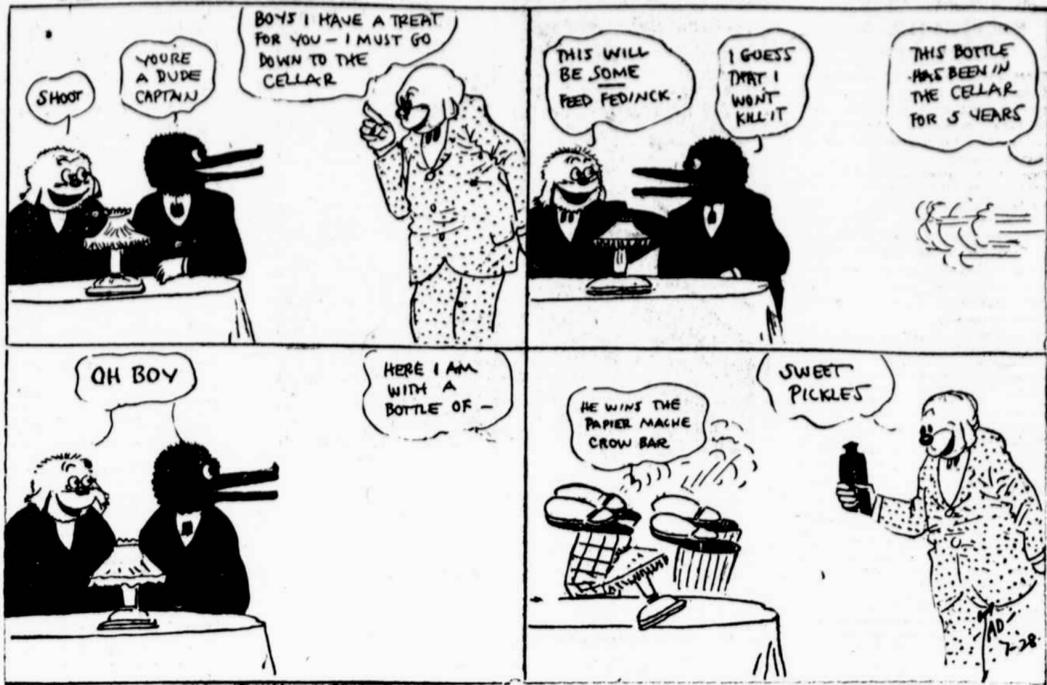
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Um! A Treat



LOOKING 'EM OVER

BY LOUIS A. DOUGHER

Beautiful Lake Erie!

DETROIT, July 28.—The survivors of George McBride's polar expedition from Washington arrived here today, finding little relief, for Michigan is evidently in the grip of old boreas, even as is Ohio. Some thirty shivering folks limped down the gang plank this morning and headed for the Ft. Shelby, and a fire, vowing never again to be caught out on Lake Erie in July. The experience will never be forgotten by those who lived through it.

Learning that they could board the steamer in Cleveland at 10 o'clock, most of the Griffs, tired from their exertions in battling the Indians, hurried to their staterooms. By the time the lines were cast off the athletes were deep in slumber, and so when the ice fields were encountered, it was with a shock that they awakened.

Down came windows. Extra blankets were discovered and put to work. But still it grew colder and colder. Heavy bumps sounded on deck, probably youthful polar bears romping at play. It grew colder. Electric lights were snapped on only to gasp and die as the flames succumbed to the awful cold.

In our state room the air became a thin gray, probably from frost. Judging from sounds, it was blue in the next one where honors Jose Acosta and Ricardo Torres were cooped. We'll take a week off some time and cultivate the Spanish idiom. It is most prolific in phrases that apparently fit the night's sail on beautiful Lake Erie in July.

First the liquid syllables would blow from Don Jose, then from Don Ricardo. Toward the last Don Jose alone could be heard in low tones imprecating 40,000 devils entirely bereft of parents and all decency to go from hence and let him pass in peace. This morning those two sons of a gun were almost done for. They were fully clothed even to their hats. All their bedding had been wrapped around them, and Don Ricardo, evidently the weaker of the two, had life preserver around his neck, probably to ward off a sore throat.

HURRIED TO HOTEL.
They were hurried to the hotel and put to bed between blankets. Toward 1 o'clock we shudderingly awoke and began looking for our dogs. Ordinarily our dogs are rather too much in evidence, but at 1 o'clock in the morning on Lake Erie we couldn't find them.

Ever lose your dogs? Ever think you had? It is a horrible situation, merely the thought of finishing life without them, those good old dogs that had carried you so far and so faithfully!

So we snapped on the light. There were the dogs, all right. In a few minutes of Swedish gymnastics restored them to life. We went back to bed.

At 2 o'clock a fog horn's cavernous bellow waked us. It was just fine to restore those dogs again. They were almost done for. They were fully clothed even to their hats. All their bedding had been wrapped around them, and Don Ricardo, evidently the weaker of the two, had life preserver around his neck, probably to ward off a sore throat.

At 4 o'clock we waked long enough to strip the upper berth and wrap the blankets and sheets around us, piling the pillows on our dogs and weighing them down with a suitcase. But all sleep had fled.

We listened to the grind of the ice floes and thought of Admiral Peary. We heard moans and thought of Captain Scott's party as we had seen them in the movies, huddled in a tent amid the Antarctic desolation. We, too, were suffering, and in July on beautiful Lake Erie. Think of that!

SUDDENLY A THOUGHT.
Suddenly, as a rift in the clouds came the thought that Windsor must be close at hand. Dear old Windsor where the down-trodden, frozen American freeman can find that which warmeth and that which cheereth. So we threw off our incumbering blankets, sheets, pillows, towels, and suitcases. We smashed a hole in the ice on the wash basin and slipped up. We hastened out to stand as near the engine as possible. There we met most of the poor, shivering Griffs,

each doing the same, each trying to live through the night in July on beautiful Lake Erie.

There is no telling what the Griffs will do at Navin field today. If enough of them have been thawed out in time, a game will be played. Thanks to Harry Costello, once Georgetown's football ace, we have been thawed out completely, furthermore, we have laid in provisions against that return, trip on the beautiful Lake Erie, Saturday night. No

EQUALS A. L. MARK

Wash. Judge, 3	ABHQA 3	Cleve. J'mon'rt, 5	ABHQA 1
Milan, 2	2 2 1	Ch'pman, 4	1 2 2
Rice, 2	2 2 0	Speaker, 3	1 2 0
Roth, 4	3 1 0	Graney, 1	0 0 0
Harris, 3	1 0 1	Smith, 4	0 0 0
Shanks, 5	2 1 2	Gardner, 2	1 0 0
Ghartry, 4	2 1 2	Wamby, 2	3 1 5
McBride, 6	1 2 0	Jovannon, 1	4 2 6
Ericksen, 6	1 1 0	S'O'Neill, 1	1 5 1
		Num'm'rc, 3	1 5 1
		Caldwell, 2	0 0 0
		Uhl, 0	0 0 0
		Faeth, 0	0 0 0
		Wern, 1	1 0 0
		Burns, 1	1 0 0
Totals, 48	27 5	Totals, 36	11 7

Batted for Faeth in eighth.
Washington, 3 9 0 0 1 1 0 4—19
Cleveland, 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—6

Run—Judge (4), Milan, Rice (3), Roth (4), Ellerbe, Harris (2), Shanks, Ghartry, (2), J'mon'rt, Jamieson, Wamby, Johnston, Gardner, Wamby and Nunamaker, O'Neill, Jamieson, Stiles, bases. Roth, Harris, Sacrifice hit—Harris, Double play—Wamby (Graney), Milan to Harris. Left on bases—Washington, 10; Cleveland, 16. First base on balls—O'Rourke, 7; Caldwell, 4. Wild pitch—Faeth. Losing pitcher—Caldwell.

more such agony for us, despite Bill Bryan, Wayne Wheeler, old Man Kramer, "Pussfoot" Johnson and "Nut" Anderson, not to mention Volney Davis. Enough is enough, and one night of frozen torture on beautiful Lake Erie in July equals a cycle in cathay.

ONE LONG DAY THERE.
Furthermore, we might add, one day such as yesterday lasts a long, long time. The Griffs began playing ball at 1:30. They ceased at 6:30. About 3:30, it was estimated that 14,000 fans were on the job. At 6 o'clock 3,000 remained to witness the degradation of Tris Speaker's Indians.

The Griffs threw away the first game, but they simply climbed all over the home boys in the second, inning, a farce of it after the second.

Ray Chapman's single in the ninth gave the Indians the opening victory 5 to 4. The Griffs hammered Caldwell in the hitting of the second game, scoring nine runs on seven hits, a couple of walks and an error. Thereafter it was a joke, ending with the Griffs winners 10 to 6.

Some fleshy feasting by Zachary and Ghartry, with hits by Jamieson and Chapman gave the Indians two runs in the third frame of that first game. "Spotty" fielding on hits by Gardner, Johnson and O'Neill added two more runs in the sixth, so that the home boys led 4 to 1 when the Griffs came out bat in the ninth.

JOHNSON WALKED.
Johnson, up for McBride, walked. Zachary singled and left O'Neill run bases. Milan's roller to Johnson scored Barney. Rice fell down in the pinch by striking out, but Bobby Roth produced a slashing drive to center, O'Neill and Judge, centering in. Harris fled to Jamieson leaving the score even.

Courtney was pitching in the ninth, O'Neill greeting him with a single. Burns, up for Morton, sacrificed, and crashed a hot one through Judge and in came the winning run. That poor fielding earlier in the game had robbed the ninth inning rally of its value.

His balls are not necessary for that second game. Caldwell yielded four hits and three runs in the very first inning and disappeared in a storm of bingles in the second. Uhl came to his aid, but was slammed right and left, making it necessary for Faeth to appear and retire the nemy. Nine runs had come over.

Three more tallies, one at a time, came in for the Griffs off Faeth. Elmer Myers was on the hill in the ninth, yielding six hits for four runs. It was merely mathematics by that time, not baseball.

Several high school baseball players have found berths with small teams this season. The Steel Plant and Navy Yard League are well populated with high school lads.

Sports Cut Short

Navy Yard Recreation League is to stage its field and track meet August 28, at Central High stadium. War Risk athletes may be entered in the meet.

Harry Vardon and Edward Ray have golfing engagements almost every day until the open tourney comes off at Toledo, Ohio, August 10. Doug Baird, of the robins, has been released to the Giants. Baird came from the Cards and was utility fielder.

Finney Kelly's All-Star team meets the All-Stars gotten together by Sam Cole, at American League park at 4:30 p. m. tomorrow.

Knickerbocker A. C. players and those of the Navy Yard League, picked for the meeting, will cross bats Saturday at American League Park for the benefit of Casuity Hospital.

Governor failed to show yesterday in the Bureau League and Navy won the game on a forfeit.

John Laycock was elected manager of the Park A. C. team; Harry Flynn, captain, and Herman Schellin, treasurer, at last night's meeting.

Griff's new shortstop O'Rourke, of Toronto, has twice made six hits out of six times up this year in the International League.

Governor Edwards of New Jersey, will take a hand in looking into the management of the Willis-Pulton fight. He did not like the way the mill was run off.

Athletes aboard the U. S. S. Frederick, who are going to Antwerp, were given a workout by Coach John Moakley yesterday.

Shops players are out ahead in the Terminal Y. M. C. A. circuit now. The Shopten defeated the Southern team by 10 to 2 yesterday.

Orioles want games and would play between Chicago and New York. Nick Sakos, manager, can be reached at 1329 Eighth street northwest.

Word came from Chicago yesterday that Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion of the world, had been matched to meet Billy Miske in a ten-round bout at Benton Harbor on Labor Day.

The champion, according to the announcement, is to receive a guarantee of \$50,000 with a privilege of accepting a percentage of the receipts, while Miske has agreed on a flat guarantee of \$25,000.

WAR MEETS WAR IN COURT ENGAGEMENT

A Team Plays B Team at Columbia for Departmental League Honors.

War meets War today. Shot for shot at Columbia Country Club on the tennis courts the Departmental League title will be fought out. It will be War "A" team against War "B" team. A couple of colonels, namely, Fenton and Wilson, will pilot the two teams.

Any way it is looked a War team is a winner. There are five doubles teams competing. Last year War Department with but one team won the title in the Departmental League.

This year the War men found they had enough players to put in two teams, called them War "A" and War "B" and went ahead and won the first two places in the circuit coming out exactly even, although War "B" trimmed War "A" in the league meeting.

Navy, with nine matches lost, is practically out of the running, so today's engagement will settle the league leadership. The Columbia Country Club courts have been obtained and the teams are scheduled to meet at 5 p. m.

JACK JOHNSON TO STAY IN JAIL FOR RESENTENCE

CHICAGO, July 28.—"Jack Johnson is in jail and he is going to stay there until he is resentenced. The Federal Government is going to fight until the last ditch any effort to free him on bond."

This was the declaration today of United States District Attorney Charles F. Clyde of Chicago.

"Jail," he added, "is just as good a place for him as any." He will find plenty of pleasant company of his own kind. Better men than he are in jail. It is not the policy of the Federal Government to show any leniency toward a fugitive from justice. That is what he is.

"His friends, of course, have plenty of money to fight the case for him, but they will find the Government on hand at every move."

"He will stay in the Joliet Jail until September, when Judge Carpenter will rule whether Johnson is entitled to be admitted to bail again. He forfeited his bail once."

GRIFFS GET INFIELDER.
MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., July 28.—Pitcher Maurice (Molly) Craft of the Minneapolis American Association club, has been released to the Toronto Internationals. It was announced here today. Elmer Bowman, infielder, has been released to the Washington Americans. It is reported the Millers are seeking the services of Sherwood Magee, outfielder, from the Columbus American Association team.

HERE'S A CHANCE.
Harry Morland, Main 4278, or Hyattville 8076P, manager of the Maryland A. C. team, of Capitol Heights, wants a Sunday game.

BROOKLANDS IN LINE FOR DIAMOND HONORS

By BRYAN MORSE.
Brookland—prosperous, beautiful, attractive and possessed of unusual advantages as one of Washington's classiest suburbs—jumps right on the baseball map with a team made up entirely of Brookland youths, with claims for titular honors. The Brooklanders want to be reckoned in, when it comes to dealing out diamond honors. They consider themselves in the running, and would like that part of the 437,571 not already aware to know that they have made a first class baseball record to date. The natives boast, among other things, a fast traveling baseball team. They want publicity. Heer goes.

The Brookland A. C. has defeated some of the best teams in and around Washington. Last Sunday the players set back the fast Silver Spring club by a score of 8 to 5. Other wins were scored off the Linworths, who defeated the Knickerbockers last Sunday; the St. Dominics, Winston A. C., Brightwood A. C., Brentwood A. C., Miami A. C., Hyattsville A. C., Langdon A. C., Camp Meigs, and the National Bank of Washington.

Brookland A. C. rosters believe that they have in "Don" Johnson and Reece Bean, two of the cleverest twirlers in the District. Johnson is late of Catholic University fame, having been a moutay during his term in college. Bean is fast coming to the front as one of the steadiest pitchers around town.

The catching is taken care of by "The Bean and George Good. First base is held down by "Bully" Bean, the middle bag being attended to by Stanley Herr alternating with "Spec" Merkle. Shortstop is being played by "Shorty" Flood, and third base being handled by Gene Maddox.

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"Boss" takes care of everything in center, "Lefty" Hill going likewise in left, and Merkle, Bishop and Portch alternate in right. Strong reserve men are Roddy, McNally, McCarran, Barnholt, Jim Connolly and Beckel.

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Sunday August 1, the Brooklanders play the Washington A. C. at the Brookland Oval at 2:30 p. m. August 8 Silver Spring visits in a return game at the Oval, Eighth and Monroe streets northeast.

Go out and look 'em over.

"Now that the Knickerbockers have been defeated, their remains only one team in this vicinity with an unbroken string of victories, and this team is the Cardinal A. C. of Alexandria. The Cardinals played nineteen games and won them all without counting the two games scheduled with the Marines, who failed to show up on either date," writes S. A. Breen.

"The Cardinals do not agree with the proposition as to a series. They think that it would be better for the Cardinals to fight it out for the Virginia championship and the winner of this series battle it out with the winner of the District title.

"The only open date that the Cardinals have is Sunday, August 8, when they would like to book a game with Winston A. C. or some other fast team in this city."

If any team in town is without a game for Sunday, August 1, it is requested to correspond with E. J. Lehmann, manager of the Moshawk A. C., at 107 D street southeast. All Moshawk players should report for practice this evening at Seventeenth and D streets at 5:30.

COLLEGE MAN TO COACH.
CLINTON, Miss., July 28.—Stanley Robinson has been appointed athletic director in Mississippi College. Robinson has been connected with the A. & M. College for several years, and has the reputation of being the best ball coach in the State. Robinson is a graduate of Colgate University.

AMERICAN OLYMPIC TEAM RACES ACROSS ATLANTIC

Athletes on Frederick Speed Ahead of Princess Matoika for Antwerp.

ON BOARD U. S. S. FREDERICK (by Wireless), July 28.—All the American athletes on the Frederick, bound for the Olympic games at Antwerp, are in perfect health and are hard at work every day.

Not a single case of seasickness was reported today among the 1,095 persons on board.

The weather is fair and the Frederick is making good time. She is racing with the Princess Matoika, which also bears a contingent of American athletes, and is 145 miles ahead.

George Heintz, the American fencing coach, believes the United States will make an exceptional showing in this branch of sport, but predicts that there will be the strongest possible competition from the French and Italian swordsmen.

NILES WINS RIGHT.
BOSTON, July 28.—N. W. Niles, by defeating L. B. Rice in straight sets 6-0, 6-1, 6-3, in the finals of the lawn tennis tournament at the Longwood Cricket Club yesterday, won the right to challenge William M. Johnston for the Longwood bow. Johnston will play Niles next month.

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