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The Sports Spade

By HAL EUSTACE



HALLING' PHIL SCOTT evidently has a grim sense of humor, even if his sense of equilibrium does run amuck every now and then. They tell this one on Phil: During the Stribbling catastrophe in London, Phil was putting up a miserable show. His manager exhorted the puffing heavy "to get in there and fight for your country." Vexed, the Britisher returned: "If you'll make him quit hitting me in the stomach, I'll give him my country."

PROSPECTS are bright for a Valley skeet team competing in the second annual Texas skeet shoot to be held at Houston Sunday and Monday. Hurt Batsell, Brownsville's foremost lead sprayer, will attend and it is likely that several members of the crack Donna aggregation will answer present when the roll is called at Houston. Anderson, Weaver, Decker, Wilmouth and others are considering making the trip.

National Champs

ALTHOUGH few seem to realize the fact, the Rio Grande Valley is the skeet shooting capital of the United States. Donna won the team shoot for the U. S. title recently at New Orleans. The Donna aggregation broke into the spotlight some two years ago by winning the Texas team title at Dallas. Queer to say, Valleyites have not taken skeet seriously, although they have a national champion in their ranks. In no other form of sports has the Valley ever captured a national title.

THIS IS no doubt due to the fact that they do not understand this new form of trapshooting. It gives the nearest possible approach to brush shooting conditions and really improves a gunner's chances at birds. Hurt Batsell, shooting under Donna's colors, led the Valleyites when they captured the national team honors.

HIGH and low, all coaches have their problems. Knute Rockne, leader of the potent Notre Dame Micks, says he would like to coach at Sing Sing. The reason: Old heads and the alumni never come back there to register kicks over the progress of football teams. "That's the job I want," Rockne said at a luncheon yesterday before the British-American track athletes in Chicago.

With The Coaches

THE LATEST dope on the coaches is as follows: J. W. Irvine, Ben White and Calvin Surtees on the job in Brownsville; Grady Reynolds is working out the San Benito Greyhounds; Dutch Reitorik has his boys going at Harlingen; Jim Ewing at La Feria won't start for some time yet; H. L. (Herman Lewis) Schmalzreid is working out the Mercedes Tigers; I. E. Martin of Weslaco not back from Colorado yet; Claude Dailey and Geo. Vest of Donna expected back soon; Hayden Willis of Pharr-San Juan-Alamo has been at the University of Texas and should be back soon; Cowboy Ogan at work in McAllen; Bobby Cannon of Mission not back from Kerrville as yet; J. D. Foster at work in Edinburg and will likely have Bailey of the San Antonio Indians as an assistant; Johnson of Daniel Baker will coach Raymondville this year; C. P. Hillburn back at Lyford; Jack Freshire accounted for at Rio Hondo; John Barron will hold away at Los Fresnos again; R. B. Ritchey will lead Santa Rosa for another year; J. E. Tuwele already at work with the El Jardin Cougars; Supt. Francis of Wilson Track is planning on putting out a football squad.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press)
NEW YORK—Tony Cazoneri, New York, outpointed Goldie Hess, Los Angeles, (10); Armando Aquila, Chile, stopped Johnny Ciccone, New York, (2).

CHICAGO—Tom Jones, Chicago, outpointed Len Dargy Grand Rapids, Mich., (10).

LOS ANGELES—Ace Hudkins, Lincoln, Neb., and Jack McVey, New York, no contest.

BOSTON—Marty Gallagher, Washington, D. C., defeated Henry Lamar, Washington D. C., (10); Andy Mitchell, Californian heavy-weight, defeated Jack Dudley, Worcester, Mass., technical knockout, (2).

CLASH TODAY

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—(P)—Under huge arc lights, winged mercuries of the British Empire and the United States clash on soldier field to-night in another international classic of the cinder paths.

The battle of Brawn and Iron Spikes, the fourth dual international track and field meet between the two English speaking Nations, promised a throng of more than 25,000 spectators thrills and new records.

England, aided by its best talent from six dominions, presented a formidable front but was expected to lose in the 14 event struggle.

Five Days in which to take advantage of our specially priced photographs of baby. Holm's Studio. —adv.

Doubles Championship

FLASHY GAME SEEN TUESDAY

Hambrick-Langford Team Meets Jones-Schoeny Pair for Crown

(Special to The Herald.)
McALLEN, Aug. 27.—McAllen Tennis club's doubles title will be decided this afternoon when Julian Hambrick, club singles titlist, who is paired with Walter "Babe" Langford in the seeded team picked to cop the laurels, meet Frank Jones and Wilbur Schoeny, matched together in the lower bracket of the schedule.

Hambrick and Langford blasted their way to a brilliant victory over the strong challenge put up by Eric Dube and Sale Lewis Tuesday afternoon, winning two hard fought sets after Dube and Lewis had scored a triumph in the opening set. Scores of the scrap stood at 7-5, 1-6, and 2-6 in favor of the seeded duo at the end of the gruelling round. The match was a great exhibition of lobbing, placements and service.

Lewis topped the four with his numerous service aces but his erratic shots from mid-court and on the net outnumbered the wins he scored with his terrific baseline drives. Both pairs of players were playing smart tennis when the first set opened and each man was winning his service until the count went to five all with the set at stake. Lewis was serving in the eleventh game and staged the most brilliant play of the afternoon to win his game at love with four straight aces, shot with unerring aim from his baseline corner. Langford, who was more erratic than usual throughout the afternoon, then lost his serve and Dube-Lewis had it one love and were looking like favorites to cop the match and advance to the title bracket.

Settle Down

Then Langford and Hambrick both got down to business, resorting to a lobbing game that ran their opponents all over the court. Langford's service was at last working, as was Hambr. k's while Dube fell down with his service and failed to win a game with it. Lewis won the only game his pair took with his blazing aces. Langford and Hambrick forced their opponents back to the baseline with stellar net play and had the set stowed away in short order after running through five straight games, dropping the sixth and winning the seventh at 6-1. The third and deciding set found Dube and Lewis striving to their missing accuracy but their drives and lobs kept falling out of the tapes or into the net. Lewis took one game with his service and then completely dropped out of the picture, for his aces refused to go in. Langford came back rallying from his bad placements and aided by Hambrick's fine stroking advanced through four straight games after the count was 2-1 to win the match.

The Tuesday afternoon match was conceded to be the most colorful of the entire tourney so far. I was a rapid fire affair after Langford and Hambrick began to click with their placements and drives. Jones and Schoeny are not conceded much of a chance to win the Wednesday title match, since they advanced through an easy first round win and drew a bye in the second to gain the finals bracket.

THE STANDINGS

TEXAS LEAGUE Results Tuesday
Wichita Falls 11; Waco 6.
Beaumont 6; Dallas 2.
Shreveport 4; San Antonio 3.
Fort Worth 3; Houston 2.
Wednesday's scheduled
Shreveport at Houston, night game.

Wichita Falls at Beaumont.
Fort Worth at Waco, night game.
Dallas at San Antonio, night game.

Team—	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Wichita Falls	61	37	24	.607
Fort Worth	62	37	25	.597
Shreveport	62	35	27	.565
Houston	61	34	27	.557
Waco	62	30	32	.494
Dallas	64	29	35	.453
Beaumont	62	26	36	.419

AMERICAN LEAGUE Results Tuesday
Philadelphia 10, Washington 9.
Only game scheduled.

Wednesday's Schedule
Chicago at Cleveland, two games.
Detroit at St. Louis.

Team—	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	129	88	43	.667
Washington	126	77	49	.611
New York	125	73	52	.584
Cleveland	126	66	60	.524
Detroit	127	61	66	.480
St. Louis	126	49	77	.389
Chicago	123	48	75	.390
Boston	124	43	81	.347

NATIONAL LEAGUE Results Tuesday
St. Louis 3, Cincinnati 1.
Chicago 7, Pittsburgh 5.
Only game scheduled.

Wednesday's Schedule
Boston at Philadelphia.
Brooklyn at New York.
Pittsburgh at Chicago.
St. Louis at Cincinnati.

Team—	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	123	75	48	.610
New York	120	68	52	.567
Brooklyn	125	69	56	.552
St. Louis	124	68	56	.548
Pittsburgh	123	63	60	.512
Boston	122	55	67	.448
Cincinnati	120	52	68	.435
Philadelphia	123	40	83	.325

SUSPENDED

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 27.—The State Athletic Commission announced today it will suspend the Ace Hudkins here last night, after he was hit by the Referee of the tenth round.

Referee Jack "test" ruling New York on the canvas seven and light blow.

Fans applauded the center that the versatile and w effort.

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CUBS LEAD BY 5½ CONFLICTS

Athletics Get Back Into Form, Defeating Sens 10-9

Chicago's baseball fans are about ready to look haughtily in the direction of New York and ask "who is this fellow Ruth?" for Hack Wilson, hefty home-run hitter of the Cubs, has a new National league record in the Ruthian specialty and has drawn up on even terms with the great Babe in this year's competition.

Hack hit his forty-fourth home run of the season to put a finishing touch on the Cubs' 7 to 5 victory over the Pittsburgh Pirates yesterday.

The Chicago triumph put the Cubs 5 1-2 games ahead of the New York Giants who had a day of rest before the start of their series with Brooklyn.

The St. Louis Cardinals continued their advance in the only other National league game, defeating Cincinnati, 3 to 1, for their seventh successive victory.

Only one game was on schedule for the American league yesterday and it finally brought the Philadelphia Athletics out of the difficulties which had beset them in the first two games of their series with Washington to a final 10 to 7 triumph which put them again in a fairly safe place, 7 1-2 games in the lead.

MAJOR LEAGUE LEADERS

(By The Associated Press)

Including Games of

National League

Batting, Terry, G.

Runs, Cuyler, C.

Runs batted in, T.

Hits, Terry, G.

Doubles, T.

Trips, T.

Home runs, T.

Errors, T.

Fielding, T.

Pitching, T.

Wins, T.

Losses, T.

Saves, T.

Strikeouts, T.

Walks, T.

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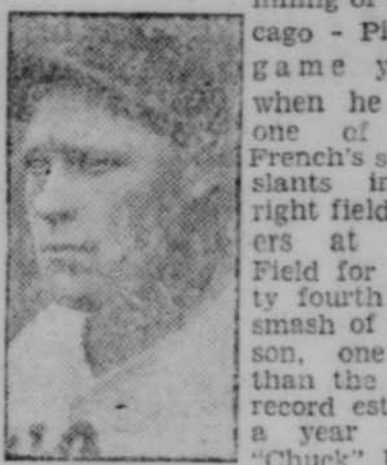
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Wilson Breaks Homer Record

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—(P)—Hack Wilson, the man the National league Giants once forgot, is the home run king of the National league.

The pudgy Cub outfielder edged his throne during the seventh inning of the Chicago-Pittsburgh game yesterday.



Wilson

The blow not only helped the Cubs defeat the Pirates, 7 to 5, and hike their lead over the Giants to five and one-half games in the National league pennant struggle, but tied Hack with Babe Ruth in the fight for home run honors of the National leagues for 1930.

There are about 240,000 troops in China.

AT MAT

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(FREE)

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Kid Gilbert—135 vs. E

San Antonio

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Cullen Red—155 vs. M

Harlingen

Preliminary

6 Round

Babe Parker—138 vs.

Fort Brown, Texas

Preliminary

4 Round

Kid McCoy—134 vs. Spe

Harlingen

Preliminary

4 Round

Vernon Grimes—118 vs

Harlingen

CURTAIN

Negro E

General Admission

Tex Bailey—155, Fo

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