

HAWAII HASN'T ANY U-BOATS, BUT, KAHANAMOKU COULD PINCH HIT FOR ONE EASY ENOUGH

JOE WOOD AND SPEAKER MAY NEVER PLAY HERE AFTER COMING SERIES

Cleveland Followers Hope Hitting of Two Stars Will Yet Displace Boston Red Sox in Race for the American League Flag

By ROBERT W. MAXWELL

IN SPITE of the fact that they are three games behind the Boston Red Sox and that the old season will close up shop on Labor Day, the members of the Cleveland baseball club are all chock full of hope and are certain they will cop the flag in the American League.

But baseball is a queer old game and it is possible that Tris Speaker and Joe Wood, who have done the bulk of the offensive work for the Indians all season, may cram on an extra head of steam and bat out enough victories to put the Red Sox under. It would be a great thing if Cleveland did win the series.

In their recent games the Indians have had excellent pitching. Barbry has been going well and so has Coveleskie. George McQuillen, the ex-Phillie hurler, is now with the Clevelanders, but his work has not been as good as Lee Fohl had hoped it would be.

The rest of the Cleveland team is very balanced, but is not brilliant, either on the offense or defense. Doc Johnston has been working well around the first sack, but his hitting has not been up to the mark.

Hitting Has Decided Many Contests

IT IS very likely that Philadelphia's will see Tris Speaker and Joe Wood for the last time in baseball during the present series. This is going into the aviation corps and it is not likely that he ever will take up the pastime again, even if he returns from the war uninjured.

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With two such reliable long-distance hitters a club is apt to bat itself out of a hole at any time and turn what seemed to be certain defeat into victory. Fohl and the fans of Cleveland are depending on the ability of these players to push the Red Sox out of first place.

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Must Guard Against Substitutions

BOXING promoters should guard against disappointments in the star bouts this season and take immediate steps to protect the public. It frequently happens that one of the principal contenders who has been advertised to appear in the windup is taken ill or finds it impossible to fulfill his contract.

The 1918-19 boxing season officially opens tonight at the National A. A. with the first substitution of the year. Patsy Cline, who was billed to meet George Chaney, says he is ill or indisposed or something and cannot appear.

Perhaps Cline really is sick, but if such is the case his manager pulled a boner. After calling off the Chaney match Harry Pollok sent me a letter challenging Benny Leonard and stated that the lightweight champion was running out of the match.

Big Crowds at Point Breeze Races

MOTORCYCLE and motor-paced races are attracting big crowds at Point Breeze and the sport is gaining in popularity. All of the races are exciting from the start until the finish line is crossed.

On Thursday night Carman, Sutter and Wiley performed in a fifty-mile race and it was exciting from the start. Sutter, who is one of the best riders in the country, was out to win, and Carman also had designs on the race.

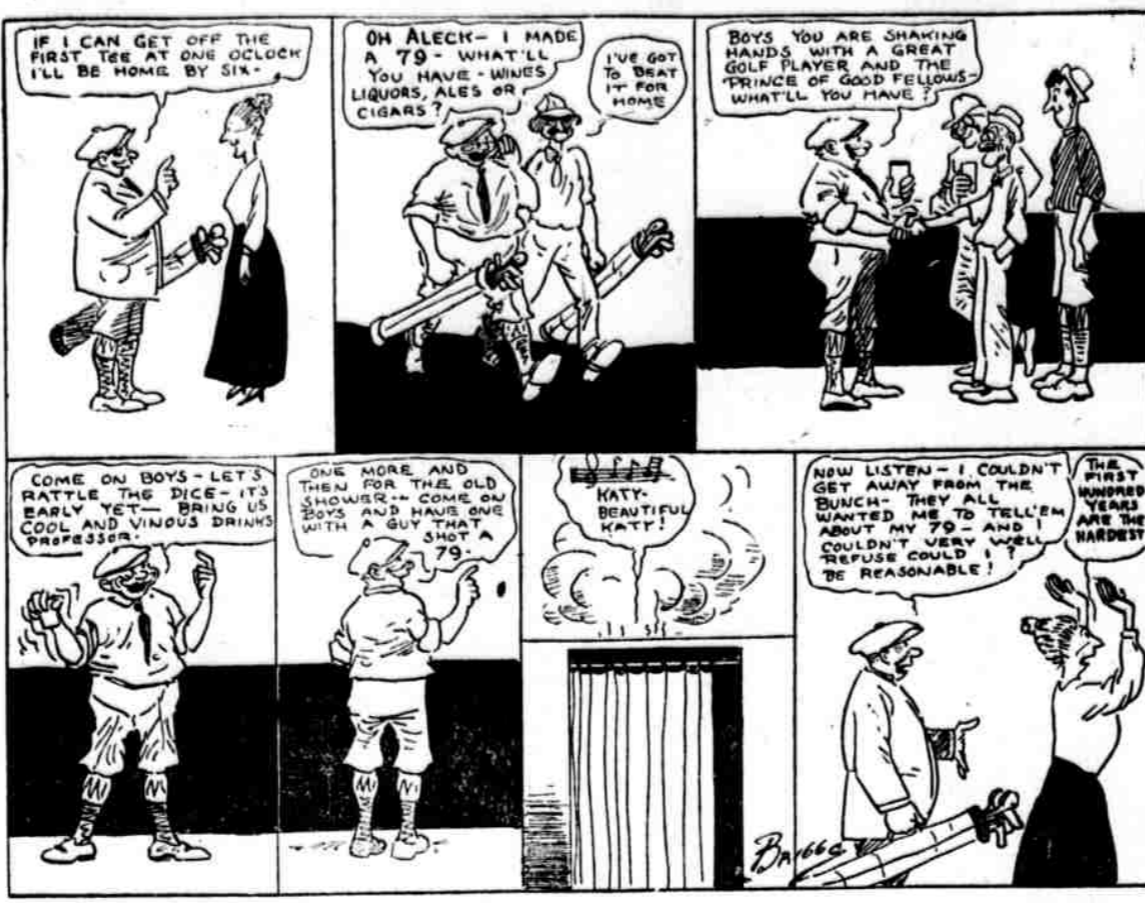
Ty Cobb Halted by Mack Hurlers

TY COBB went on a batting rampage during the last week that endured for twelve consecutive games, when a pair of Athletic hurlers, Watson and Jamelson, halted him.

Tris Speaker had punched out his base hits for seven straight games when he was stopped by Sam Jones. During his streak Spoke punched out eleven hits in twenty-seven attempts for an average of .407.

WITH Bob Foltwell back on the coaching job, Penn is assured of another successful football season. It has been presumed that Foltwell had signed his contract long ago, but it appears that he has not yet signed his John Hancock to the document.

THE FIRST HUNDRED YEARS ARE THE HARDEST



PITTSBURGH TAKES OPENER FROM PHILS

Elmer Jacobs on Bill for Morammen Against Cooper

Table of baseball statistics for Pittsburgh vs Philadelphia, including batting averages, hits, and runs.

DR. HAWK TAKES SHORE NET TITLE

Cynwyd Star Defeats Reed at Ocean City in Straight Sets

MRS. WEAVER TRIUMPHS

Forbes Field, Pittsburgh, Aug. 24. Pittsburgh won the opening game of today's double-header from the Phillies this afternoon by the score of 4 to 3.

SARATOGA RESULTS

FIRST RACE, two-year-olds, selling 3/4 furlongs. Mahony, 107, Kummer, 12 to 1 to 3 to 1 to 3 to 1.

JIMMY GANTZ ON FURLOUGH

Former Sports Writer in Line for Commission at Camp Lee



What May Happen in Baseball Today

Table listing various baseball games and matchups for the day, including team names and player matchups.

CHICAGO TAKES FIRST GAME BY 9-4 SCORE

Table of baseball statistics for Chicago vs White Sox, showing team and individual player performance.

DR. HAWK TAKES SHORE NET TITLE

Summary of tennis matches and results, including the victory of Dr. Hawk in the shore net title.

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REYNOLDS PLAYS PLATT IN FINAL

Eliminate Klaunder and Knight, Respectively in Bala Tourney

By WILLIAM H. EVANS. Bala Golf Club, Bala, Pa., Aug. 24. W. H. Reynolds, of Aronimink, and J. W. Platt, of North Hills, are the finalists in the annual invitation tourney held under the auspices of the Bala Golf Club now in progress over the Bala links.

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PERRY HAS FINE RECORD, ALTHOUGH HURLING FOR TAIL-END BALL CLUB

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SCOTT PERRY, the much-disputed hurler of the Mackmen, has won and lost more games than any pitcher in the major leagues this season. His last win, when he threw the White Sox to defeat, made his sixth consecutive winning record. Perry has won nineteen and lost seventeen games, for a percentage of .528—not a bad record for pitcher hurling for the tail-end Athletics.

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LAWRENCE TO COMPETE

Carman and Sutter Also in Forty-Mile Race Tonight

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