

Flare Up and Stop

RING AND HENLINE LOSE TO UMPIRE, BUT PHILLIES BEAT GIANTS

Pfirman Gains Decision in Battle With Wilhelm Battery—McGraw's Champions Finish Second When Parkinson Hits Homer in Eighth

By ROBERT W. MAXWELL Sports Editor Evening Public Ledger

UMPIRE PFIRMAN trimmed Jimmy Ring and Ruth Henline yesterday, but the Phils beat the Giants. Ring and Henline lost, 2-0, but the New York champions were defeated, 5-3.

The Phil battery and the National League arbiter picked on the sixth inning to stage their little battle, which was public and by no means private.

Young watched the ball go by, threw down his bat and started for first. Pfirman let him go without objection, but not so with Ring. He hurled his glove at the arbiter and hit his umpship on the shoulder, which proved that his control was getting better.

The action on the part of Ring showed that his heart was in the right place, but his head was elsewhere. Whenever a battle is started with an umpire some one is sure to lose, and that one is not the umpire.

LOOKED as if the ball game was gone when Ring made his involuntary exit, but Huck Betts put on his stunt in great shape, and a touch of color added by Frank Parkinson was all that was needed to turn back the Giants after they had won five in a row.

Parkinson's Homer Deciding Blow

THERE were three on when Betts took up what Ring left off. Wilhelm showed that he knows his men when he selected the wide-eyed right hander to enter into such a trying situation.

Then came Young and the disputed decision on the fourth ball. Betts took the hill after Ring was swept out, and Muesel singled, sending over Bancroft and Frisch.

KELLY repped a whizzing one toward third, but Wrightstone loomed in its path, and New York's scoring was over for the day when Young was forced at third.

Shuffin' Phil Douglas Good and Bad

SHUFFLIN' PHIL DOUGLAS' spittball was good in spots and bad in others. He survived the first and second without anything happening.

WILHELM Shifts Phils' Batting Order

MANAGER WILHELM made another shift in his batting order with good results. Henline was moved up to the clean-up position, and now both the Phils and the A's have their catchers batting No. 4.

TWO acts are on for today. The cast will be the same. So will the scenery.

COLOMBATTO IS IN PHILA. FOR 30-MILE PACED RACE

Italian Champion to Ride at Velodrome Thursday Night

George Colombatto, pedal-pushing champion of Italy, who has been in America for several weeks riding successfully at Newark, N. J., arrived in Philadelphia early yesterday afternoon in time to make the 30-mile paced race at the Point Breeze Velodrome.

Colombatto is in great shape and prepared to ride at top form here on Thursday night in the 30-mile international motor-paced race.

Colombatto's first appearance in Philadelphia in two years. Last season the Italian returned to his native land, made some wonderful changes in his bike and then won the championship of Italy by a wide margin in points.

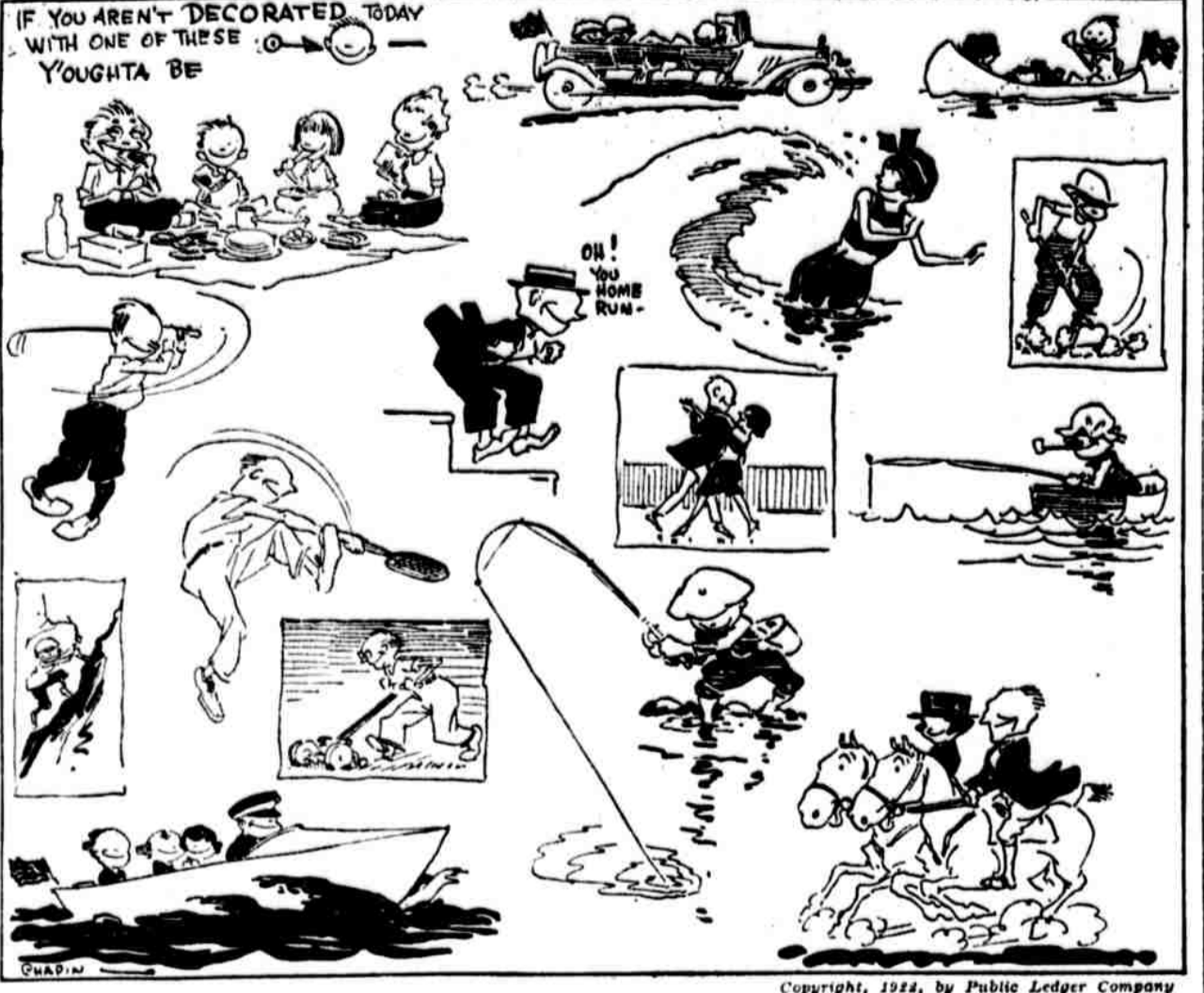
Colombatto will be the favorite to win against Colombaro will be the crack motor-followers of international reputation. They are interested in the 30-mile paced race.

Merchandise Girls Win

Merchandise girls of the Philadelphia Y. M. C. A. won a dual meet on their athletic field with the merchandise girls of the Y. M. C. A. of the local girls winning by the score of 33 points to 17.

GIANTS' STREAK WHEN PARKINSON SENDS BALL INTO BLEACHERS FOR HOME RUN

DECORATION DAY



IF YOU AREN'T DECORATED TODAY WITH ONE OF THESE YOU'GHTA BE

Wild Lacrosse Ball Shatters Wind Shield

New Brunswick, N. J., May 30.—A lacrosse ball, straying from the path intended for it, has stirred up some unusual trouble at Rutgers College.

WILDE PLANS VISIT TO AMERICA AGAIN

By LOUIS H. JAFFE RECENTLY a report came over from the mouth of Lannon that Jimmy Wilde, that Mighty Atom, had gone into fistic boxing—that he was through with boxing owing to an accident suffered in a fall from a horse.

AD STONE ADDS MILLER TO HIS LIST OF K. O.'S

Ad Stone, the mauling marine, added another knockout to his string when he stopped Herman Miller, of Baltimore, in the fourth round of a scheduled eight-round bout at the Philadelphia Athletic Association.

PLAYGROUND BASEBALL

Ten Recreation Centers Announce Schedule for June

The Recreation Athletic League, composed of ten playground teams under the supervision of the Bureau of Recreation of the Department of Welfare, has launched its spring baseball campaign.

Scraps About Scrapers

Peak Miller, the Manassas heavyweight, has been in a scrap with Johnny McGraw, who is a contender for the title.

BATTING AND FIELDING RECORDS OF BIG COLLEGE BALL TEAMS

Table with columns for team names (PENN, ILLINOIS, YALE, PRINCETON, HARVARD) and statistics for batting and fielding.

How Does It Strike You?

Kraenzlein's Record Teaching Ruth Temper of Ring

By THE OBSERVER

JACK W. MERCHANT, the big little man from the University of California, is being hailed today as an athletic hero. And he is.

Merchant scored in four events. He won the hammer throw, was second in the shotput and fourth in the javelin and broad jump. No small feat, but greater glory was added with an intercollegiate record of 171 feet 2 inches in the hammer throw.

It was the first time in the history of the present athletic generation that one athlete scored in four events, but it was not the first time in the history of the games.

Back in 1900, Alvin Kraenzlein, who ranks with the greatest American athletes, won both hurdle events, the 100-yard dash and was second in the broad jump. This gave him eighteen points under the old system of scoring.

It was a critical moment. A strike meant the end of the New York rally and Ring was keyed to high pitch. When the fourth ball was called his temper scored a quick knockout over his better judgment.

THE National Collegiate Athletic Association will hold its second annual track and field meet in Chicago next month and the California champions are among the entries.

Where Temper Wins Ball Players Lose

JIMMY RING literally threw himself out of a ball game yesterday at the Philadelphia Park. He tossed his glove at Umpire Pfirman when that official called a ball that Ring believed a strike.

They are decorating the graves of war heroes today with flowers, but flowers are frail and they fade and die. At Princeton they are building in stone a lasting memorial to Hobey Baker, famous Tiger athlete who lost his life overseas.

OLYMPIC STARS TO SWIM

Miss Walwright, Miss Riggan and Balbach in Meet Today

New York, May 30.—Three star swimmers who won points for this country in the recent Olympic games at Antwerp will take part in the big Memorial Day swimming meet to be held at Brighton Beach today.

BELFIELD'S FIRST GAME

Will Open Baseball Season With Puritan This Afternoon

The Belfield baseball team, of Germantown, which was prominent among the semi-pro baseball teams last season, will inaugurate the 1925 campaign this afternoon with the Puritan nine, of Kensington.

You Auto Know

When polishing some flat surface with emery cloth instead of with a file, it will be found convenient to wrap the cloth around the file and use it as a file.

Plenty of Whiskers But No Gloves

That was the typical base ball player on the "Athletics" about 54 years ago. He never wore a glove, but he often wore long whiskers or a mustache.

It was fifty-four years ago that the firm of Strawbridge & Clothier was founded—founded on the same principles which have made possible the largest Men's Clothing Store in all Philadelphia.

The Anniversary Sale to commemorate the 54th Anniversary of the founding of the Store begins Thursday, June 1st, and Men's Clothing will be an important feature of the event.

Al Wagner Beats Willis Green

Atlantic City, N. J., May 30.—Al Wagner of Philadelphia, easily defeated Willis Green, also of Philadelphia, in the eight-round win-down of the Norwiche Club boxing show here.

R. W. MAXWELL TO UMPIRE PENN-STATE GRID GAME

Cream of Country's Officials Will Work on Franklin Field

The University of Pennsylvania has secured the cream of the country's football officials for the games next fall, according to an announcement by Ernie Cosens, who will be the graduate manager at the University in the fall.

Driscoll to Run Here

Entries for American Legion Field Day Will Close Tomorrow

Entries for the third annual American Legion field day close tomorrow. Already a large number of entries have been received and a fine meet is assured.

Two Blocks for Harmon

In the first block of the 1100-point match at the Recreation Academy, 1022 Market street, Harmon defeated Clearwater, 100 to 75.

Archery



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