



"Babe" Ruth, Highest Salaried Player in Baseball, Has Been Easy Victim of New York "Sharks"

Bambino Admits He Owes \$7,700 Racing Debt—Country Home in Sudbury, Mass., All That Ruth Really Possesses Today—Old Age Starts Taking Its Toll on Famous Home Run Slugger.

NEW YORK, March 11.—The Evening World prints the following today from its special correspondent at St. Petersburg, Fla.: "Babe Ruth has very little to show today for his arduous years of toiling in the big leagues."

"I feel that inasmuch as Callahan had a gentleman's agreement with me and violated it, and by squawking that I welched, and revealed that he is a gambler, I believe that he should be barred from operating on New York tracks."

Ruth has passed the shadow line of his youth. He is growing fat and old. Youth is collecting its toll. His best days are behind him.

Ruth was known as the highest salaried baseball player in the history of the game. He received \$52,000 a season. It is said that Ruth has one-third of his salary withheld by the Yankee owners who are investing it for him for a rainy day.

Ritola, Frigerio Break Records Cleveland, O., March 10.—Ugo Frigerio, 1924 Olympic walking champion, set a world's record of 25 minutes 21.5 seconds for 5,500 meters in a track carnival featuring Paavo Nurmi here tonight. This is said to be the first time this distance has been walked officially.

HEINIE MANUSH, READY TO SIGN Detroit, March 11.—Manager Ty Cobb's holdout troubles would have ended yesterday if he had been present at the Tiger camp at Augusta, Ga., to receive the signed contract.

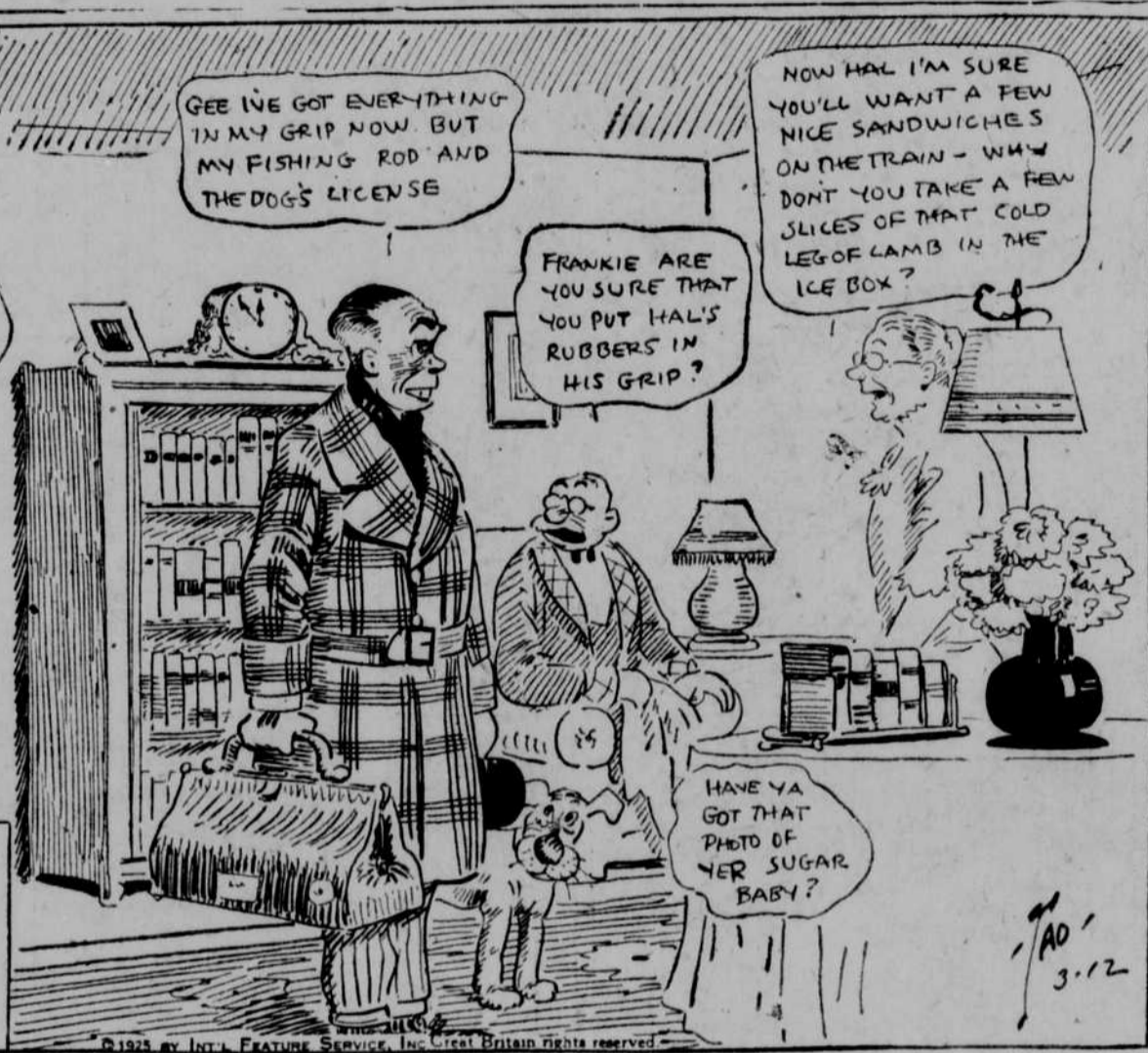
KAMM ON JOB Shreveport, La., March 11.—Willie Kamm, the high-priced catch star, blew into the White Sox camp today and announced his readiness to fire in the vicinity of third base.

Allows His Head to Be Used as Tee; Now in Hospital Pensacola, Fla., March 11.—Use of his head as a tee sent Johnny Gates, 15 years old, negro caddy at the Pensacola Country club, to the hospital with a fractured skull.

Advertisement for Cod Liver Oil in Tasteless Tablets, describing it as the greatest flesh builder for skinny, weak, run-down people.

Indoor Sports

ARE YA GONNA TAKE VIOLIN LESSONS FOR 11 YEARS AND THEN LEAVE IT HOME ON YOUR FIRST TRIP AWAY? HEAVENLY TRAVELING SALESMAN PACK HIS GRIP FOR HIS FIRST TRIP OUT OF TOWN.



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THE Fremont baseball team has arranged with Manager Rourke of the Omaha club for two games on April 15 and 19.

BILLY FINCANE of Chicago won in the second round at the annual White Sox camp at Shreveport, La., last night.

THE Omaha Y. M. C. A. basketball team on the Auditorium floor last night defeated the Sioux City Giants by the score of 35 to 21.

CHICAGO, March 11.—The first of the box seats that bloom in the spring will greet Chicago fans tomorrow when Manager Bill Killefer of the Chicago Cubs leads a picked squad of 25 from the Catalina Island training camp for a three-day invasion of Los Angeles.

MARQUETTE CAGE CAPTAIN CHOSEN Milwaukee, Wis., March 10.—After 46 minutes of deadlocked voting, Robert Demoling of Milwaukee, a junior in the college of dentistry, was elected captain of the 1926 Marquette university basketball team at the annual banquet here tonight.

ROPER WINS Vernon, Cal., March 11.—Capt. Bob Roper, Chicago heavyweight, decisively defeated Ralph Smith, giant Los Angeles fireman, in a 10-round bout here last night.

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla., March 11.—Four times Kansas state champion, and the present holder of the Missouri valley women's golf title, the Miami Beach women's championship and the Ormond Beach title, Mrs. H. D. Sterrett of Hutchinson, Kan., today bid fair to add the Florida east coast crown to her other laurels after winning the qualifying medal yesterday.

Three strokes behind Mrs. Sterrett, Mrs. Alex Smith, veteran Philadelphia and New York golfer, netted an 85 yesterday, while trying for third place in the Miss Glenns Collet of Providence and Miss Frances Hadfield of Milwaukee.

RACING TESTS

MIAMI First race: Five and one-half furlongs: Contribution (Smith) 25.90 10.40 7.00; Blue Bird (Hickman) 25.90 10.40 7.00; French Lady (McLaughlin) 25.90 10.40 7.00; Sweet Liver (C. Callahan) 25.90 10.40 7.00; Time: 1:08 1/2. Second race: Mile and one-sixteenth: Louverne (Stutes) 27.0 2.00 2.40; Tula (D. Wall) 27.0 2.00 2.40; Fitchian (Ambrose) 27.0 2.00 2.40; Blazony (May K. Summer) 27.0 2.00 2.40; Mediate (J. Williams) 27.0 2.00 2.40; Time: 1:30 1/2. Third race: One-half mile: Nippon Able (Hooper) 7.00 1.50 2.50; Buttercup (Malten) 7.00 1.50 2.50; Dutch Boy (C. Callahan) 7.00 1.50 2.50; Bertha (E. Vanden) 7.00 1.50 2.50; Time: 49 1/3. Fourth race: Mile and 70 yards: Bion Companion (Ambrose) 27.0 2.00 2.40; Hattie (W. Williams) 27.0 2.00 2.40; Hilda (W. Williams) 27.0 2.00 2.40; Hilda (W. Williams) 27.0 2.00 2.40; Time: 1:30 1/2.

TIA JUANA First race: 5 furlongs: Dr. Corbett (O'Donnell) 4.40 4.00 3.40; King Worth (Hooper) 4.40 4.00 3.40; Baroque (Moser) 4.40 4.00 3.40; Time: 1:04 1/2. Second race: Mile and 70 yards: Little Lass (Martinez) 32.00 11.50 10.30; Bawling (Haines) 32.00 11.50 10.30; Letter F (Shaffer) 32.00 11.50 10.30; Time: 1:04 1/2. Third race: Mile and 70 yards: Blazony (May K. Summer) 4.75 2.00 2.40; Peter (Patton) 4.75 2.00 2.40; Time: 1:04 1/2.

JEFFERSON PARK First race: 1/2 mile and a quarter: Dolly Beth (Grosjean) 6.4 3.0 1.4; Jean (Grosjean) 6.4 3.0 1.4; Upton (J. Jones) 6.4 3.0 1.4; Time: 1:13 1/2. Second race: Mile and a quarter: Delham (J. Callahan) 4.10 2.00 2.00; Fidelity (Grosjean) 4.10 2.00 2.00; Attorney Muir (Grosjean) 4.10 2.00 2.00; Time: 1:10 1/2.

LAUREL TREES Elmhurst 104 Wandering Bell 111; M. Amigo 102 Carumba 111; V. R. R. 102 Carumba 111; V. R. R. 102 Carumba 111; V. R. R. 102 Carumba 111.

GLAZNER JOINS LOS ANGELES CLUB Los Angeles, March 11.—Charles "Whitey" Glazner, former pitcher of both the Pittsburgh and Philadelphia National league clubs, has joined the Los Angeles club of the Pacific Coast Baseball league at its spring training camp at Washington park here.

Tennis Play Slows Up. Palm Beach, Fla., March 10.—After running off of many matches on the first day of play in the men's tennis singles championship of Florida at the Poinciana courts yesterday, only two matches were played today.

Buffalo Bowlers in Lead. Buffalo, N. Y., March 10.—Thirteen Buffalo bowlers won places among the 10 high in the singles event of the A. B. C. tournament here today.

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Entry List for Annual State Bowling Tourney Closes Soon; Expect Large Entry This Year

Recreation Alleys Will Be Scene of Nebraska Championship Pin Tournament Friday, Saturday and Sunday, March 27, 28, 29—Lid Closes Down on Entry List Saturday Night, March 21—Many Out-State Teams Are Coming.

HE annual Nebraska State Bowling association tournament, the crowning pin tourney of Huskerland each year, is attracting the attention of out-state maple-tumbler bowlers, according to Frankie Jarosh, secretary. Many out-state teams have written for entry blanks.

Teams having an average under 2,600 will be eligible to enter and compete for the "Booster" prize. This is a new wrinkle for state tournament bowlers and will be staged to create new interest among the teams with small averages.

Last year only 32 teams competed in the tourney. More than double that number are expected this season. All Omaha teams will enter. This alone will swell the

Early Squad of Buffaloes at Training Camp NACOGDOCHES, Tex., March 11.—Fourteen of the 25 players of the Omaha team have arrived at the Omaha team have arrived and others are expected today.

Tech Five Works Hard to Meet The Maroon and White basketballers under the tutelage of Coach Drummond, went through a snappy work-out last night in the preparation for the state tournament.

PURPLE SWIMMERS BEAT PACKERS WADING through the rippling blue water of the Omaha Athletic club pool with the anxiety of "fish," Central High school tanksters won a dual swimming meet from South High school Tuesday afternoon.

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