

Brilliant Afternoon Round of 71 Keeps Walter Hagen in the Running for British Open Golf Title

Defending Champ Stands Third at End of 36 Holes

MacDonald Smith Has Bad Day and Only an Outside Chance to Win Classic.

How Leaders at Troon Stand After 36 Holes

Troon, June 14.—The scores of the leaders in the British open golf championship today were: Whitecombe, 146; Arthur Havers, 146; Robert Scott, 150; Joe Kirkwood, 151; J. Watson, 151; J. Kerr, 151; Johnnie Farrell, 152; MacDonald Smith, 153; W. W. Watt, 153; J. B. Macdonald, 154; H. G. Jolly, 154; G. Buckle, 154; G. Gadd, 154; Fred Collins, 154; Cyril Taylor, 156; Alexander Herd, 156; T. Taylor, 156; Angel de la Torre, 158; Leo Diegel, 160; George Aulbach, 151.

Troon, Scotland, June 14.—His score of 147 being overtopped only by two Britons, Arthur G. Havers and Charles A. Whitecombe, who each had a 148, Walter Hagen, the American defending champion in the British open golf championship, was in excellent position tonight after the first day's play of 36 holes to retain his title.

It was Hagen's remarkable afternoon round, in which he negotiated the course in 71, which sent the American hopes soaring, his only lapses from perfect golf being on the 10th and 11th holes, when he drove into the rough. In a great finish, Hagen played an iron shot on his second drive at the final hole, the ball resting within a yard of the cup.

MacDonald Smith, the California star, who had an 89 for the morning round, came back strong in the afternoon with a 73, but his total was such that he is not given more than an outside chance for the title.

Like Smith, the other Americans failed to improve in the first day's play as Johnny Farrell had 153 while Leo Diegel of Washington and George Aulbach of Boston seemed hopelessly out of the running. Diegel finished today with 160 and Aulbach with 174.

Gordon Lockhart of England was right behind Hagen with 149, while Joe Kirkwood, the Australian champion, had 151.

Whitecombe and Hagen furnished the features of the day, the former smashing the course record with a 70 in his first 18 holes.

The weather today was ideal in contradiction with the weather during the qualifying rounds, when the course was swept by heavy winds and rain.

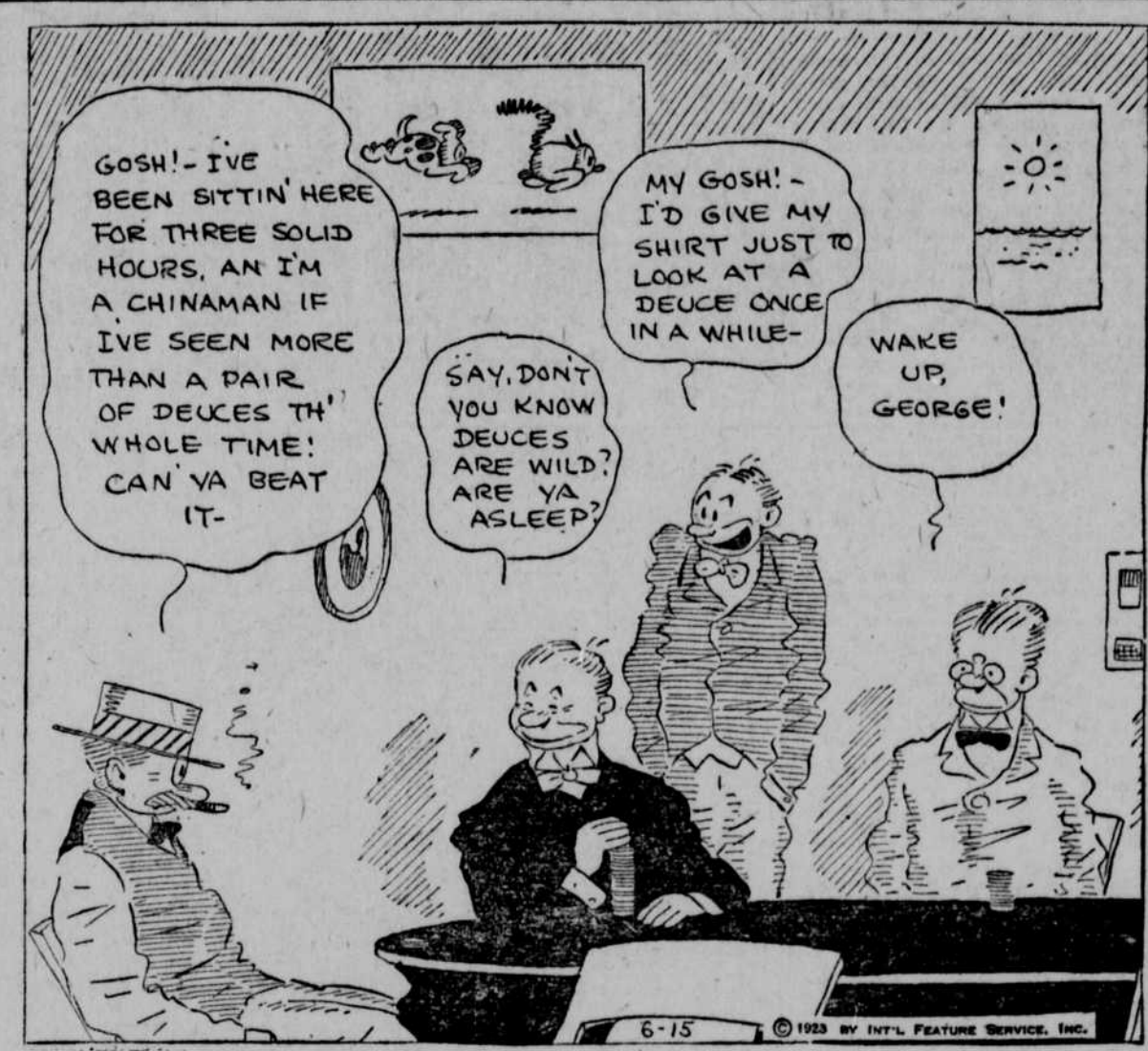
Hagen Gets in Trouble. Hagen was in trouble at the very start when he took three putts on his first hole. On the seventh he was short with his tee shot and finally holed out in five. He was into some bad luck on the 17th, where his tee shot bunkered, but he made an amazing recovery.

It was the afternoon round that Hagen was in the running, and critics here have made him a favorite for the title here on the strength of it. Tomorrow another 36 holes will be played to determine the new champion.

Friday's Ak Entries

TWELFTH DAY.	
FIRST RACE—Five and one-half furlongs. Purse \$200. Claiming. Three-year-olds and up:	
4150 Whirlpool	110
4151 Lady Voltaine	110
4152 Lena Jackson	110
4153 Daisy Allen	110
4154 Lucky Mack	110
4155 Kenney Small	110
4156 Settling	110
4157 Mrs. Herbert	110
4158 Tom Caro	110
4159 Mrs. A.	110
4160 J. Rufin	110
4161 Mrs. Oxford	110
4162 Rafferty	110
4163 Marjorie McKay	110
4164 Bessie Mack II	110
4165 Melody May	110
4166 Tom Roche	110
4167 Mrs. McFarlane	110
SECOND RACE—Five and one-half furlongs. Purse \$200. Claiming. Three-year-olds and up:	
4156 Old Blue	93
4157 Zing	100
4158 Jack Fountain	100
4159 Sugar Mint	100
4160 Henry Wallace	100
4161 Woodie Montgomery	100
4162 Chicken	100
THIRD RACE—Five and one-half furlongs. Purse \$200. Claiming. Three-year-olds and up:	
4156 Lena May	100
4157 Malvatoron	100
4158 Mrs. Wintch	100
4159 Miss Farnell	100
4160 Double Eye	100
4161 Dr. Mack II	100
4162 Penelope	100
4163 Bronson	100
4164 Mr. Kruger	100
FOURTH RACE—Five and one-half furlongs. Purse \$200. Claiming. Three-year-olds and up:	
4142 Ten Buttons	58
4143 Tooters	100
4144 Harry D.	100
4145 Betinda	100
4146 Mrs. McFarlane	100
4147 Second Thoughts	100
FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse \$200. Claiming. Three-year-olds and up:	
4156 Easter Sunrise	93
4157 Miss Frauland	100
4158 John J. Hill	100
4159 Malvatoron	100
4160 Don Jones	100
4161 Tough and Tight	100
4162 Gable	100
4163 Day of Wrath	100
4164 St. Jude	100
4165 G. Corley	100
4166 Carl Roberts	100
4167 Fungus	100
4168 Also eligible	100
4169 Fern Leaf	100
4170 Cretible	100
SIXTH RACE—One mile and one-half furlongs. Purse \$200. Claiming. Four-year-olds and up:	
4127 Full Arden	97
4128 Nellie Wilver	100
4129 After Night	100
4130 Walter Dent	100
4131 Montillo	100
4132 W. Harter	100
SEVENTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards. Purse \$200. Claiming. Three-year-olds and up:	
4153 Mayville	99
4154 Pinaquana	100
4155 Christie Hotters	100
4156 Yukon	100
4157 Brazos	100
4158 Plurality	100
4159 Sam McMinn	100
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RACING-RESULTS

LATONIA.	
First race: 4 furlongs.	
Miss Cerina, 106 (Frisbie)	2:50 2:56 2:56
Banner Bearer, 106 (Crosby)	2:50 2:56 2:56
Patience, 112 (Comely)	2:50 2:56 2:56
Second race: 5 furlongs.	
Anna M., 112 (Martin)	3:20 3:26 3:26
Patry D., 112 (Crosby)	3:20 3:26 3:26
Time: 1:33 3/4. Shining Gold, Rondelle, Hills M., ran.	
Third race: 1 1/4 miles.	
Hammer, 105 (Crosby)	19:70 19:30 19:30
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Siegan, 105 (Crosby)	19:70 19:30 19:30
Time: 1:35 3/4. Dr. Gilbert, Quezada, Pige Ultra also ran.	
Fourth race: 4 furlongs.	
Old Top, 94 (Parke)	4:10 4:16 4:16
Corine, 102 (Crosby)	4:10 4:16 4:16
War Idol, 104 (Brothers)	4:10 4:16 4:16
Time: 1:39 3/4. Jim McFee, Dapper Dan, Last Branch, Margaret Atkins, Awinwin, Sea Wrack, Monsoon also ran.	
Fifth race: Four and one-half furlongs.	
Tight, 119 (Pool)	12:60 12:50 12:50
Corine, 102 (Abel)	12:60 12:50 12:50
Muskeg, 119 (Murray)	12:60 12:50 12:50
Time: 1:57 3/4. Patsy, Breech Loader and Gilda, Mexican Tea, Breech Loader and Gilda, Mexican Tea, also ran.	
Sixth race: One and one-sixteenth miles.	
Col. Baker, 119 (Gray)	13:50 14:10 14:10
Pow Acres, 110 (Garner)	13:50 14:10 14:10
The Swimmer, 119 (Mcneeley)	13:50 14:10 14:10
Time: 1:59 3/4. Sorbath, The Wil. Fly, Cast and War Price also ran.	
Seventh race: One and one-sixteenth miles.	
Alto Ochs, 156 (Doyle)	6:70 6:30 6:30
Golden Bulwark, 103 (Wilson)	6:70 6:30 6:30
Hoy, 101 (Parke)	6:70 6:30 6:30
Time: 1:52 1/4. Winner Take All, Junier, Miss Mazie and Buckwheat also ran.	

developed greater democracy and better international relations in sports. The tennis fraternity owes Dwight Davis a vote of sincere thanks for the happy thought of putting this famous bowl in international competition.

The University of Hawaii has received a cablegram from Pomona college, California, stating that all arrangements had been completed and a contract signed for a Thanksgiving day football game between the two universities, at Pasadena, under the auspices of the Tournament of Roses committee.

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TENNIS BUILDS DEMOCRACY; MAKES ALL NATIONS FRIENDS

By VINCENT RICHARDS, National Indoor Singles Champion Universal Service Staff Correspondent. New York, June 14.—In the development of democracy there is nothing more important than sport. The nation that turns to sport as a daily portion of life is the nation where one is apt to find the truest democracy.

Whether it is lawn tennis, boxing, track or any other sport, the same sporting feeling prevails. The people are attracted to a sporting event simply by their love of play. Political reformers are listened to by the understanding few, but a great sporting event such as the recent Milk Fund boxing show, where thousands, rich and poor alike, are bound together by the love of great sport, is generally the place where class distinction is entirely forgotten.

Perhaps no other sport has accomplished more for the promotion of international relations than the game of lawn tennis. Besides the help it has been in the development of democracy wherever it is played it has helped to put the relationship between the various nations on a much firmer footing than it has ever been before.

Since 1900, when Dwight Davis, now the president of the United States Lawn Tennis association, first offered the famous Davis Cup for international competition, tennis has been a medium through which better relations between the various nations have grown. At a tennis meet such as the challenge round of a Davis Cup match, whether it is played in this country or abroad, one finds every walk of life represented in the gallery.

Lawn tennis was once only played by kings. But of late years this great sport has drawn from the various parts throughout the country for its national champions. The general spirit that has sprung up between all classes in the tennis game is something one has to marvel at.

Perhaps the select group known as the first ten of America has been the stimulant that has developed democracy more than anything else. Every tennis player in the United States has one aim while

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Returned to Cards Memphis, Tenn., June 14.—"Bill" Pertica, veteran major league pitcher obtained by the Memphis southern association club from the St. Louis Nationals will be returned to that club, it was announced today.

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